

Sunday Broadcast at 9 AM + April 26, 2020
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Ringing of the Bells

Hymn "With High Delight" green hymnal #140

Apostolic Greeting

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

C: **The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Let us pray . . . Almighty God the Father, through your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, you have overcome death and opened the gate of everlasting life to us. Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of our Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **Amen**

Reading 1 Peter 1:13-25

Psalmody **Psalm 116:1-12** green hymnal p. 272

Reading Luke 24:13-35

Psalmody **Psalm 97** green hymnal p. 261

Nicene Creed green hymnal p. 84

Hymn "Make Songs of Joy" green hymnal #150

Sermon

Hymn "Alleluia! Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven" (sung by vocalists)

Prayers and Lord's Prayer

Benedicamus & Benediction

P: Go in peace! Alleluia! **C:** **Christ is risen! Alleluia!**

Hymn "Good Christian Friends" green hymnal #144

Daily Prayer (The Time of Easter)

For Individuals and Families

In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

He is risen indeed. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Gracious is the Lord, and righteous,

our God is merciful.

I love the Lord,

because He has heard my voice and my plea for mercy.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

A hymn, canticle or psalm may be sung or spoken.

A selection of Scripture is read (see facing page). Then:

O Lord,

Have mercy upon us.

O Christ,

Have mercy upon us.

O Lord,

Have mercy upon us.

Lord's Prayer

Prayers for others and ourselves

Concluding Prayer

Heavenly Father, send Your Holy Spirit into our hearts to direct and rule us according to your will, to comfort us in all our afflictions, to defend us from all error, and to lead us into all truth; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

Readings for Daily Devotion
Week of Easter 3 (April 26--May 2)

- S** Exodus 18: 1-12
1 John 2: 7-17
Mark 16: 9-20
- M** Exodus 18: 13-27
1 Peter 5: 1-14
Matthew (1: 1-17), 3: 1-6
- T** Exodus 19: 1-16
Colossians 1: 1-14
Matthew 3: 7-12
- W** Exodus 19: 16-25
Colossians 1: 15-23
Matthew 3: 13-17
- Th** Exodus 20: 1-21
Colossians 1: 24-2: 7
Matthew 4: 1-11
- F** Exodus 24: 1-18
Colossians 2: 8-23
Matthew 4: 12-27
- S** Exodus 25: 1-22
Colossians 3: 1-17
Matthew 4: 18-25

Morning Prayer

I thank you my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ Your dear Son, that you have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that you would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please you. For into your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

Noon Prayer

Gracious Jesus, our Lord and God, at this hour you bore our sins in your own body on the tree so that we, being dead to sin, might live unto righteousness. Have mercy upon us now and at the hour of our death, and grant us, your servants, with all others who devoutly remember your blessed Passion, a holy and peaceful life in this world and, through Your grace, eternal glory in the life to come; where, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, you live and reign, God forever. Amen.

Evening Prayer

I thank you my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ Your dear Son, that you have graciously kept me this day; and I pray that you would forgive me all my sins where I have done wrong, and graciously keep me this night. For into your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

A Simple Way to Give Thanks at Meals

All say: O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good; His mercy endures forever (*Psalm 107:1*)