



## RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD - EASTER SUNDAY

SUNDAY SERVICE 9:30AM

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MARCH 31ST, 2024

## HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II - 9:30 A.M.

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

“Welcome, happy morning!” Hymnal 179

### The Word of God

### OPENING SENTENCE AND PRAYER

BCP 355

*Priest:* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

*People:* The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*



1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and peace to his peo - ple on earth.

2. Lord God, hea - ven - ly King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you,

we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus Christ,

on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,

4. you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us;

5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther; re - ceive our prayer.

6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,

7. you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit,

in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

**People:** And also with you.

*Priest:* Let us pray.

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the 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 for ever. **Amen.**

## THE FIRST LESSON

**ACTS 10:34-43**

Peter began to speak to Cornelius and the other Gentiles: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ--he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

*The Word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God.**

## THE PSALM

**PSALM 118:1-2, 14-24**

This is the day the Lord has made; —

1. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,  
Let the house of Isra-el say,  
2. The right hand of the LORD has struck with power;  
I shall not die, but live,  
3. The stone which the builders re-jected done;  
By the LORD has this been done;

let us re-joice — and be glad.

1. For his mercy en-dures for-ever.  
"His mercy en-dures for-ever."  
2. The right hand of the LORD is ex-alted.  
And declare the works of the LORD.  
3. Has be-come the cornerstone.  
It is wonderful in our eyes.

## THE SECOND LESSON

1 CORINTHIANS 15:1-11

I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you--unless you have come to believe in vain. For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them--though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

*The Word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God.**

## GRADUAL HYMN

*Jesus Christ is risen today*    **H 207**

## THE HOLY GOSPEL

**MARK 16:1-8**

*The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.*

**Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

When the sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint Jesus. And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. They had been saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?" When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. But he said to them, "Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you." So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

*The Gospel of the Lord.*

**Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## THE SERMON

*Rev. Dr. Joseph A. Krasinski*

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.  
Through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven:  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

FORM III BCP 387

**Intercessor:** Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

**People:** That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

**People:** That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

**People: That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

**People: That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

**People: That our works may find favor in your sight.**

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

**People: That they may be delivered from their distress.**

Give to the departed eternal rest...

**People: Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

**People: May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others, especially those on our parish prayer list...

*Silence*

***Prayer for the Search Committee***

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## **CONCLUDING PRAYER**

*Priest:* Living Lord, whose love displaced the gravity of stone; you entrusted women, who loved beyond death, with news of resurrection: we praise you for the open gospel which ends where Easter faith begins; accept our fear, our disbelief and take us into this new world led by the risen Son; through Jesus Christ, the firstborn of the dead. Amen.

THE PEACE

BCP 360

*Priest:* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People: And also with you.**

## **Dressing of the Cross**

WELCOME OF VISITORS, BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

NOTICES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY HYMN

*Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord* **H 178**

DOXOLOGY

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

*Priest:* All things come of Thee, O Lord,

**People:** And of Thine own have we given Thee.

HOLY COMMUNION

PRESENTATION OF ALMS & OBLATIONS

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

**People:** And also with you.

*Priest:* Lift up your hearts.

**People:** We lift them to the Lord.

*Priest:* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People:** It is right to give him thanks and praise.

*Priest:* It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS

S 130

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect

sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**All: Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.



And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BCP 364

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread.**

**And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.**

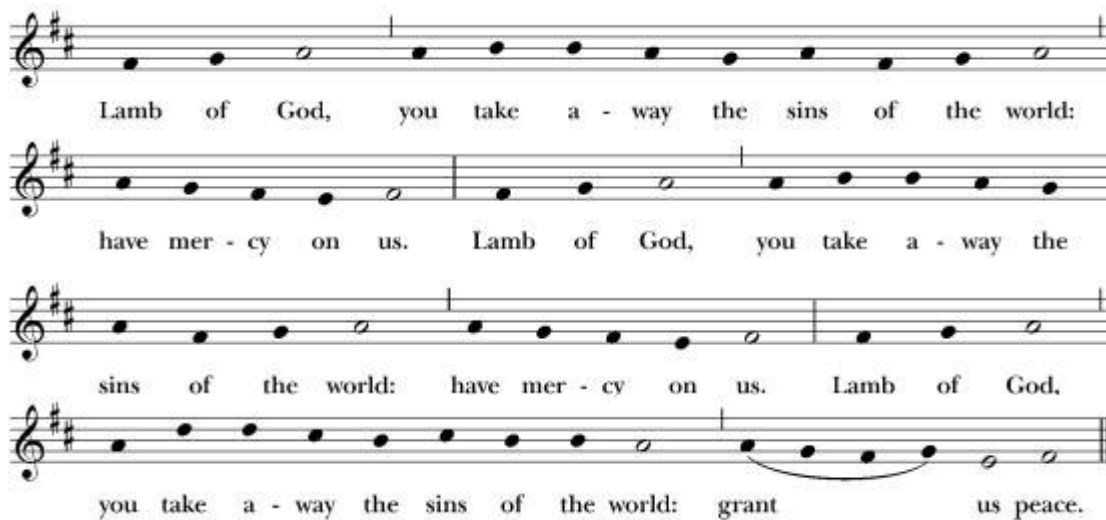
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.

## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

BCP 364

*Priest:* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

**People:** Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.



## INVITATION TO COMMUNION

*Priest:* The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

## COMMUNION HYMN

*Now the green blade riseth* **H 204**

## A PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION SAID BY THOSE NOT PRESENT AT HOLY COMMUNION

*Priest:* In union, O Lord, with the faithful of your Church where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, we desire to offer you praise and thanksgiving. We present to you our souls and bodies with the earnest wish that we may always be united to you. And since we cannot now receive you sacramentally, we beseech you to come spiritually into our hearts. We unite ourselves with you and embrace you with all the love of our souls. Let nothing ever separate you from us. May we live in you, and may you live in us, both in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

*Priest:* Let us pray.

**ALL:** Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**THE BLESSING**

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

**People:** And also with you.

*Priest:* The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, make you perfect in every good work to do His will, working in you that which is well-pleasing in His sight; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. Amen.

**People:** Amen.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN**

*The strife is o'er, the battle done* **H 208**

**DISMISSAL**

*Priest:* Life is short, and we don't have much time to gladden the hearts of those who travel with us. So be swift to love, make haste to be kind and go in peace and serve the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia!

*I am the resurrection and the life.—John 11:25*





## *Easter Lily Dedications*

*In Memory of Gemma C. Small*  
**From Norma E. Small**

*In Memory of our beloved parents*  
**From Kathy & John McClain**

*In Memory of Grace Douglas &  
Ron Upshaw*  
**From Ron & Christine Douglas**

*In Memory of Jim Becker,  
Helen & Mark Crosta*  
**From The Beckers**

*In Memory of David & Georgiana Groome,  
Daniel Perrotto*  
**From Amanda Groome**

*In Memory of Claire Kutn, Anne Koch, Kyoko  
Kinishi, Toshiro Kinishi,  
Cynthia Lewison, Stan Allen*  
**From Diane Kinishi & Gene Seyffer**

*In Memory of all family members from Lee  
and Sanford families  
who have passed on to heaven*  
**From Rick & Janet Sanford**

*In Memory of loved ones;  
and James Bilotti,*  
*In Thanksgiving for our five grand-children  
and our great-grandchild*  
**From Corinna & Arthur Bilotti**

*In Memory of Rohan & Renee Smith*  
**From Philmore & Lorna Smith**

*In Loving Memory of dad Sidney, brother  
Robin, Joe and loved ones*  
**From Nellina Mirjah-Maraj**

*In Memory of Wolfgang Grimmer,  
Joan and Edith McDonald*  
**From Roberta Grimmer &  
Richard McDonald**

*In Memory of George McNeal*  
**From Liz Michna**

*In Memory of Charles Stanford, Jr.,  
Jannette Frost, Leo Miller,  
George and Nellie Miller,  
Ralph & Lucille, Irma, Royce & Roland Rup-  
pert, Lyle, Nila, & Gary Dean,  
Jennifer Garms, Michael Malsbury*  
**From Betty Cay Stanford &  
Delmar Frost**

*In Memory of James and Viola Hill*  
**From Chris Wallace and Family**

*In Memory of Janos and Ilona Michna*  
**From The Michna Family**

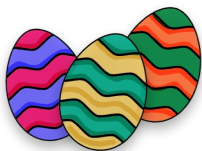
*In Memory of George and Nancy Nagy*  
**From Una Michna and Family**

## NOTICES

Sisters and brothers in Christ,

We pray that you are well on this the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ - Easter Sunday.

*Please join us after the service in Feaster Hall for fellowship hour provided by the Vestry.*



***Join us for an Easter Brunch and Easter Egg Hunt following the service!***

## **MUSIC MINISTRY**

We welcome and thank Marcos and Michael Aycox this morning joining us with our music ministry!



## **RECEIVING COMMUNION AT THE ALTAR RAIL**

As the Covid virus becomes less of a threat, we will go back to receiving Communion at the Altar Rail. As you come forward for Communion, please fill the Altar Rail from the right to the left, being aware of the microphone stands in front of the lectern/pulpit. The choir and musicians will receive Communion first. You may either stand or kneel at the rail. After receiving the bread, you may: drink from the chalice, or leave the bread in your hands and the chalice administrator will take it from your hand and dip (*intinct*) the bread into the wine and place it on your tongue. **Please do not try to dip the bread into the chalice yourself.** You do NOT have to receive from the chalice, as receiving in one "kind" (bread or wine) is the same as receiving both. Please, however, whether you will receive from the chalice or not, remain in your place at the rail until the chalice passes you by so as not to create confusion as to who has or has not received yet. If you **do not wish to receive in either kind**, cross your hands over your chest so that you can receive a blessing from the priest. Again, please stay in place until the chalice has passed you.

## **SAFECHURCH PART 11**

Reminder: All of those who have not completed Part II, there are only two more opportunities via **Zoom on May 18th and June 15th**. All other appointments will be arranged in-person. Please complete by the end of June 2024 to be in compliance with our Diocese.



## FREE TAX PREP AT ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL IN COCONUT GROVE

Need help with filing taxes? St. Stephen's Free Tax Prep can help prepare and e-file your tax return, free of charge as always. Keep in mind that in order to access this service, the maximum annual salary must be \$65k. Call 786-258-8588 to schedule an appointment now until April 13th and gather your tax documents, or type in this link below.



<https://calendly.com/ststephenstax/tax-prep?month=2024-02>

**ATTENTION PARISHIONERS:** Following the tragedy at St. Stephen's Episcopal in Alabama, the Diocese encourages churches to remain vigilant in the safety and security of its congregants during worship services. St. James will continue to keep the outer doors locked once the service has begun. In the case of late arrivals, an usher/greeter will be present to open the doors for you.

## COFFEE HOUR VOLUNTEERS

Those who have signed up to volunteer as host for coffee hours, please contact the Office for any inquiries on supplies and procedures, and to collect the keys if needed. For any Sundays not chosen by volunteers, simply the **coffee station only** will be provided. Please check out the sign-up sheet on the blue bulletin board located outside the parish office for 2024.

## DAILY DEVOTIONALS

Forward Movement's Day-by-Day devotionals for FEB-MAR-APRIL are available in the sanctuary and from the Church Office during the week.



*Please Pray for...*

Our Anglican Community:

**The Church in the Province of the West Indies**

Those in our Parish:

**Jan Pushkar, Deb Terzino, Loretta Steward, Paul Crosta, Bishop Michael Curry, Tom Krasinski, Kay Nelson, Richard McDonald, Pete Rodriguez, Sarah Allen, Karron Bacchus, Sonia Fiederick, Angela Santana, Riley Rupert-Richendollar**

*We pray for the members of our parish family who are celebrating  
their birthday this week:*

**Sarah Allen**



**We pray for peace in Israel and in Palestine, for peace in Ukraine, and for the victims of gun violence and their families, and we continue to pray for continued protection and healing for all those dealing with the COVID-19 pandemic.**

HAVE A  
*Blessed*  
EASTER

**Prayer for our Parish Search Committee**

**Almighty God, giver of every good gift: Look graciously on your Church, and so guide the minds of those who shall choose a rector for this parish, that we may receive a faithful priest, who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.***

**Lay Eucharistic Visitor Commissioning**

***Priest:*** Please come forward those who are commended by the Bishop for this ministry and will be visiting this week. In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go, may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

***Congregation:*** *We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.*

CHRIST  
IS RISEN  
INDEED *Alleluia*

**April 1st - Easter Monday**

*Office Closed*

**Tuesday, April 9th**

Vestry Meeting Via Zoom - 7:00 p.m.



**The Episcopal Church**  
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**REV. DR. JOSEPH A. KRASINSKI, PRIEST-IN-RESIDENCE**

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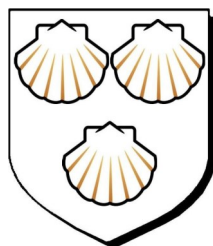
Amanda Groome, our Administrative Assistant, is available in our Parish Office  
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**MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of St. James in-the-Hills Episcopal Church is to spread the Gospel  
of Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit and to invite all of God's  
diverse community into a personal relationship with our Lord.



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