

Communion Hymns

Let us Break Bread Together Alleluia III #107
The Servant Song Alleluia III #171

Post-Communion Prayer

BCP, p. 365

The Blessing by the Celebrant

Closing Hymn

I'll Fly Away Alleluia III #87

Dismissal

The Celebrant Dismisses the People
People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia



The Flowers on the Altar
were Given To the Glory of God
And
In Celebration of our sweet Lily's 5th birthday
on April 17th!
With Love, Poppy, Grandma and the rest of
Lily's family! Xoxo

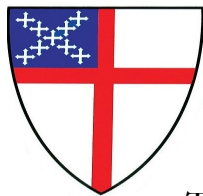


PARISH CALENDAR APRIL 2024			
Wednesday	April 03	11:00	Cursillo Reunion Group – Fellowship Room
Thursday	April 04	6:30 7:15	Choir Practice - Choir Room Bell Practice - Choir Room
Sunday	April 07		2nd Quarter Sharing & Caring Food Drive Begins 9:30 Holy Eucharist – Nave with Nursery & Children's Chapel 10:40 Adult Christian Education 11:30 Holy Eucharist
Tuesday	April 09	10:30 6:00	Rector's Morning Bible Study -Parish Hall & Zoom Rector's Evening Bible Study – Parish Hall & Zoom
Wednesday	April 10	11:00	Cursillo Reunion Group – Fellowship Room
Sunday	April 14	9:30 10:40 11:30	Holy Eucharist – Nave with Nursery & Children's Chapel Adult Christian Education Holy Eucharist
Monday	April 15	6:00	Vestry Meeting – Parish Hall
Tuesday	April 16	10:30 6:00	Rector's Morning Bible Study -Parish Hall & Zoom Rector's Evening Bible Study – Parish Hall & Zoom
Wednesday	April 17	11:00	Cursillo Reunion Group – Fellowship Room
Saturday	April 20	8:00-12:00 12:00	Parish Cleanup Day Single Friends Luncheon at Bay Cafe
Sunday	April 21		2nd Quarter Sharing & Caring Food Drive Ingathering Parish Picnic & Beckwith Day 9:30 Folk Mass – Nave with Nursery & Children's Chapel One Service Only Followed by the Parish Picnic
Tuesday	April 23	10:30 12:00 6:00	Rector's Morning Bible Study -Parish Hall & Zoom St. Simons Book Group – Parish Hall Rector's Evening Bible Study – Parish Hall & Zoom
Wednesday	April 24	11:00	Cursillo Reunion Group
Thursday	April 25	6:30 7:15	Choir Practice - Choir Room Bell Practice - Choir Room
Sunday	April 28	9:30 10:40 11:30	Holy Eucharist – Nave with Nursery & Children's Chapel Adult Christian Education Holy Eucharist
Tuesday	April 30	10:30 6:00	Rector's Morning Bible Study -Parish Hall & Zoom Rector's Evening Bible Study – Parish Hall & Zoom

SAVE THE DATE !!
Picnic with a purpose!

Sunday, April 21, 2024

**THERE WILL BE A
50/50 RAFFLE
TO RAISE MONEY
FOR
SHARING & CARING FOOD**



St. Simon's on the Sound
Episcopal Church

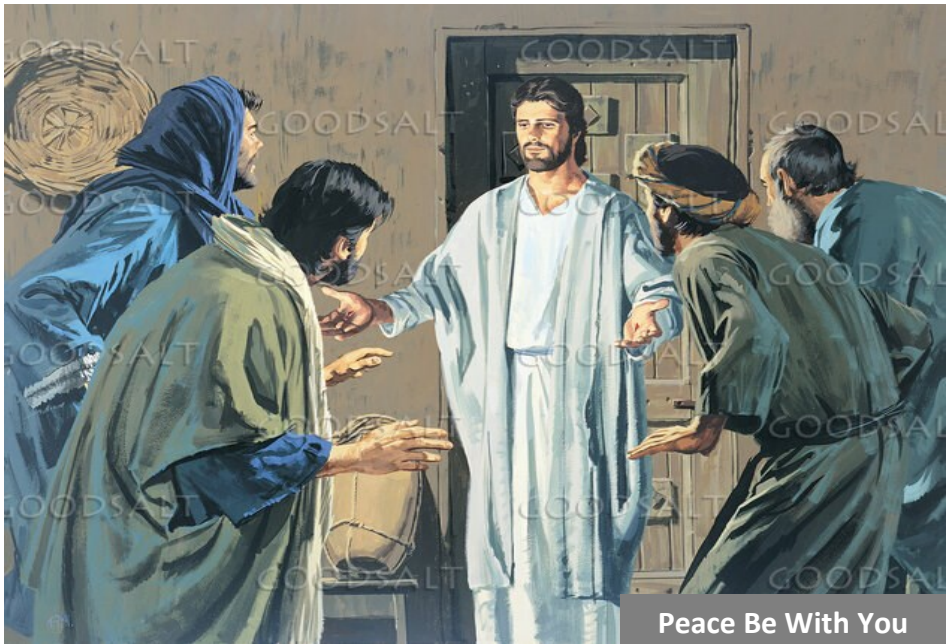
THE HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

The Third Sunday of Easter * April 14, 2024 * 9:30 AM

Clergy: The Rt. Reverend J. Russell Kendrick, Bishop
The Reverend J. David Knight, Celebrant

Music Provided by: Joseph Knight

Book of Common Prayer = BCP Red
Wonder Love and Praise = WLP Green
The Hymnal 1982 = Blue
Alleluia III = Yellow



Peace Be With You

Opening Hymn Here I am Lord Alleluia III #59

THE WORD OF GOD

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.
People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

The Collect of Purity

All: 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.

The Gloria **Sanctuary** **Alleluia III #138**

The Collect of the Day **BCP, p. 224**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, whose blessed Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

A Reading From Acts

Peter addressed the people, “You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know; and the faith that is through Jesus has given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you. “And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out.”

Acts 3:12-19

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 4:1-8 **BCP, p. 587**

(Read responsively by half verse. The people read after the asterisk.)

Answer me when I call, O God, defender of my cause; *
you set me free when I am hard-pressed;
have mercy on me and hear my prayer.

"You mortals, how long will you dishonor my glory; *
how long will you worship dumb idols
and run after false gods?"

Know that the LORD does wonders for the faithful; *
when I call upon the LORD, he will hear me.

Tremble, then, and do not sin; *
speak to your heart in silence upon your bed.

Offer the appointed sacrifices *
and put your trust in the LORD.

Many are saying, "Oh, that we might see better times!" *

Lift up the light of your countenance upon us, O LORD.

You have put gladness in my heart, *
more than when grain and wine and oil increase.

I lie down in peace; at once I fall asleep; *
for only you, LORD, make me dwell in safety.

A Reading From 1 John

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

1 John 3:1-7

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Hymn **Just a Closer Walk with Thee**

Alleluia III #104

Verses 1 & 2

The Gospel

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus himself stood among the disciples and said to them, “Peace be with you.” They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, “Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.” And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, “Have you anything here to eat?” They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence.

Then he said to them, “These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.” Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, “Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that

repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.

Luke 24:36b-48

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ**

Gospel Hymn **Just a Closer Walk with Thee**
Alleluia III #104
Verse 3

Sermon The Reverend J David Knight
A time of silent reflection follows the sermon.

The Nicene Creed **BCP, p. 358**

Prayers of the People **Form IV** **BCP, p. 388**

The Celebrant: Adds a Collect.

The Peace & Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Presentation **The 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.

The Great Thanksgiving **Eucharistic Prayer A** **BCP, p. 361**

Sanctus **Alleluia III#230**

The Lord's Prayer **BCP, p. 364**

Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept. Then the Choir and People sing

Celebrant: Alleluia Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

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