

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH



The Fourth Sunday of Easter THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II May 11, 2025

Welcome! Wherever you are in your spiritual journey, we welcome you to St. Andrew's and are grateful for your presence with us this morning. If you would like more information from us, please leave us with your contact information by filling out a card available in your pew. We hope to see you again soon!

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Please help us to observe holy silence upon entering the church.

THE WORD OF GOD

Organ Prelude *Le Bon Pasteur* Paul Benoit (1893–1979)

Processional Hymn 174 *At the Lamb's high feast we sing* (please stand)

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

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

Gloria *Pascha nostrum (Engelberg)*

1. God's Pas - chal Lamb is sac - ri - ficed for us; — There - fore with
2. Now Christ is raised and will not die a - gain; — death has no
3. In Christ we see the first fruits of the dead: — though Ad - am's

joy we keep the Eas - ter feast; — for - sak - ing sin, we share the
more do - min - ion o - ver him; — Through him we die to sin and
sin had doomed all flesh to die, — in Christ's new life shall all be

bread of truth. — Al - le - lu - ia!
live to God. — Al - le - lu - ia!
made a - live. — Al - le - lu - ia!

Words: Carl P. Daw, Jr. (b. 1944), based on the *Pascha nostrum*
Music: ENGELBERG, Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Celebrant: Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The First Lesson Acts 9:36-43
Lector: A reading from The Acts of the Apostles.

Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, "Please come to us without delay." So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, "Tabitha, get up." Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

The Response Psalm 23

Lector: Please join us in reading Psalm 23, in unison.

1 The Lord is my shepherd; *
I shall not be in want.

2 He makes me lie down in green pastures *
and leads me beside still waters.

3 He revives my soul *
and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.

4 Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; *
for you are with me;
your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

5 You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; *
you have anointed my head with oil,
and my cup is running over.

6 Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, *
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

The Epistle Revelation 7:9-17
Lector: A reading from The Revelation to John.

I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

“Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!”

And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing,

“Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom

and thanksgiving and honor

and power and might

be to our God forever and ever!
Amen.”

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.

They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat;

for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,

and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Lector: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn 343 Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless (please stand)

The Gospel John 10:22-30

Gospeler: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Saint John.
People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly." Jesus answered, "I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

Gospeler: The Gospel of the Lord.
People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Reverend Cynthia P. Hubbard

The Nicene Creed Page 358, BCP (please stand)

The Prayers of the People Page 383, BCP Form I (please kneel)

The Peace Page 360, BCP (please stand)

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All stand. The Celebrant says to the people

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

Then the Ministers and People may greet one another in the Name of the Lord.

Doxology Lasst uns erfreuen

Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow; praise him, all crea-tures here be -

low; Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Praise him a - bove, ye heaven-ly

host; praise Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! A - men.

Words: Thomas Ken (1637-1711)
Music: LASST UNS ERFREUEN, melody from Auserlesene Catholische Geistliche Kirchengeseng, 1623; adapt. and harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)



THE HOLY COMMUNION

All are welcome at the Lord's Table.

The Great Thanksgiving

(please stand)

Eucharistic Prayer A

Page 361 *BCP*

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

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

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

Hymnal S-125

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Music: From A Community Mass; Richard Proulx (1937–2010), © 1971, 1977 GIA Publications, Inc.

Fraction Anthem: *Proulx/Lehman*

Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sins__ of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you
take a - way the sins__ of the world: have mer - cy on us.
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins__ of the world:
grant__ us peace.____

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adapt. Robert Lehman (2025)*

Post Communion Prayer Page 365, BCP (please kneel)

Communion Hymn 664 *My Shepherd will supply my need*

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn 334 *Praise the Lord, rise up rejoicing* (please stand)

Dismissal

Postlude Choral Song Samuel Sebastian Wesley (1810–1876)

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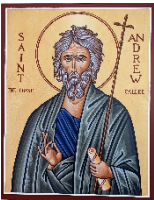
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COFFEE HOUR follows our 9:00 am service every Sunday, so please join us!
If you can, please bring something to share and please consider signing up to
help us make the coffee when you can.

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We welcome The Rev. Cynthia P. Hubbard, Celebrant and Preacher

Your Ministers

- Musician:** Robert Lehman
Lay Leader: Janet Constantino
Acolyte: No Acolyte
Lector:
Prayers:
Ushers:
Altar Guild: Carrie Caldwell
Flowers: Sara Barrington
Video Op: Heather A. Slayton
Coffee Hour: Potluck
Counters: Carrie Caldwell and Carl Malmquist

Altar Guild

Pam Monterosso, Ron Monterosso,
Joy Washbrook, Bonnie Deitz, Barb Rush,
Carrie Caldwell, Pamela Craven and Jackie Deitz

Our Vestry

- Wardens:** Palmer Marrin and Barbara Rush
Treasurer: Michael Balay
Parish Clerk: Alex Senchak
Members at Large: Christine White, Tom Dunlop, Ann Barnett,
Carl Malmquist, Bonnie Deitz and Carrie Caldwell



And today we remember, with love,

Richard and Janice Taylor

Lucille and Joseph T. Cazeault

Ruth Marz, Charlotte Lison, Jane Lison, and Walter C. Lison

in whose loving memory the altar flowers are given



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