

HOLY EUCHARIST Rite I

The Word of God

OPENING ACCLAMATION (*BCP, p. 319*)

GLORIA (*BCP, p. 324*)

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, who in the Paschal mystery hast established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

FIRST LESSON – Acts 5:27-32

When the temple police had brought the apostles, they had them stand before the council. The high priest questioned them, saying, "We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man's blood on us." But Peter and the apostles answered, "We must obey God rather than any human authority. The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him."

PSALM 150

1. Hallelujah!
Praise God in his holy temple; *
praise him in the firmament of his power.
2. Praise him for his mighty acts; *
praise him for his excellent greatness.
3. Praise him with the blast of the ram's-horn; *
praise him with lyre and harp.
4. Praise him with timbrel and dance; *
praise him with strings and pipe.
5. Praise him with resounding cymbals; *
praise him with loud-clanging cymbals.
6. Let everything that has breath *
praise the Lord.
Hallelujah!

SECOND LESSON – Revelation 1:4-8

John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

THE GOSPEL LESSON – John 20:19-31

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe."

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

SERMON – The Reverend David M. Rider

A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.

THE NICENE CREED (*BCP, p. 326*)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (*BCP, p.328*)

THE PEACE

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (*BCP, p. 333*)

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*BCP, p. 336*)

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD (*BCP, p. 337*)

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (*BCP, p. 339*)

BLESSING

DISMISSAL

ALTAR GUILD – Deborah Brewington, Kathy Morton, Theresa Godchaux, Linda Holt
SACRISTAN – Rob Barrick

PRAYERS

Today we pray for *Will Chappell, Carrie Teaford, Coleman Helme, Josie Coleman, Denise Allen, Geneva Roberts, Erwin Hargrove, Mort Nasatir, Marjorie Proctor, Bob Warner, Wendy Harris, Tom Strohm, Mini Dillon, Ella, and Peggy.* **We give thanks** for the births of *Carol Louise "Loulou" Falk, daughter of Scotty and Jason Falk; and Peyton Passmore Mulloy, son of Minje and Michael Mulloy and the grandson of Al and Alice Whitson.* **We pray also for those who have died,** *Steve Wilburn; Jim Mees; and James Robert Russell, grandfather of Mary Ellen Petbel.*

Nashville Food Project (*one of the agencies the Cathedral supports*) provides increased access to healthy foods in homeless and working poor communities across Davidson County. Contact Judy Wright, judywright25@gmail.com for more information.

WELCOME!

We are delighted that you have joined us for worship this morning. Please complete a Visitor's Card (you will find one in the pew rack) and leave it with an usher or place it in the alms basin. A church member will be happy to answer questions about Christ Church Cathedral and your opportunities for fellowship, education, and servant ministry. You may also visit our website, christcathedral.org, to learn more about our parish. Thank you for visiting us today!

The Cathedral Welcomes

The Reverend David M. Rider, President and Executive Director of the Seaman's Church Institute, as our preacher today. He will be our speaker for the Sunday Forum this morning at 9:45 a.m. in the Parish Hall.

For the Hearing Impaired: Hearing assistance devices are available at the reception desk for use during worship. It is recommended that you bring your own earphones or ear buds for personal comfort.

CHURCH SCHOOL

Adults:

Sunday Forum

The Reverend David Rider, President and Exec. Dir., The Seamen's Church Institute (Parish Hall)

Centering Prayer

"Tools Matter for Practicing the Spiritual Life," by Mary Margaret Funk (Chapel)

The Bible Challenge

Led by the Reverend Canon Gene Manning (Wheeler Room)

Faith and Family Matters

"Dealing with Our Children's Disappointment and Failures" Part I (810 Broadway Building)

Children's Classes

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

3 yr. olds, 4 yr. olds, Pre-Kindergarten 5's, 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades—Cheek Hall
Kindergarten, 4th, 5th and 6th grades—Cathedral Annex Building

Youth Classes:

7th-12th grades (810 Broadway Building)

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

Youth Family Dinner (Easter Feast)

TODAY at 4:00 p.m. in Cheek Hall

Next Sunday, April 14, is a **PARISH CHOIR SUNDAY**. Come one, come all ... and if possible, bring a friend with you. Meet at 10 a.m. in the choir room for coffee and practice, and sing at the 11 a.m. Liturgy.

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, April 7

Easter II

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast
8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Christian Education
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Centering Prayer
11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
4:00 p.m. – Youth Family Dinner (*Easter Feast*)

MONDAY, April 8

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist
4:15 p.m. – Junior Choristers

TUESDAY, April 9

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer
11:00 a.m. – Companions in Christ
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist
1:00 p.m. – Staff Meeting
5:30 p.m. – Centering Prayer
6:30 p.m. – EfM

WEDNESDAY, April 10

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer
8:30 a.m. – EfM
11:00 a.m. – The Bible Challenge
11:30 a.m. – EfM
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist
4:30 p.m. – Senior Choristers
5:15 p.m. – Stephen Ministers
5:15 p.m. – Wed. Eve. Dinner

6:00 p.m. – Journey In Faith
6:00-7:30 p.m. – Program (Pastoral Conversations)

THURSDAY, March April 11

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer
11:00 a.m. – Bones Workshop
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist
12:15 p.m. – Centering Prayer
7:00 p.m. – Cathedral Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, April 12

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist
4:30 p.m. – Wedding Rehearsal
5:30 p.m. – Wedding Rehearsal Dinner
Seniors' Retreat (off-site)

SATURDAY, April 13

10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. – Cathedral Tours
5:00 p.m. – Wedding
Seniors' Retreat (off-site)

SUNDAY, April 14

Easter III

Parish Choir Sunday
7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast
8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Christian Education
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Centering Prayer
11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
6:00 p.m. – Taizé

FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 7

7:00 a.m.

CELEBRANT

The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, *Dean and Rector*

PREACHER

The Reverend David M. Rider, *President and Executive Director,*
The Seamen's Church Institute

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CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL ORDER OF WORSHIP



SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 7, 2013

7:00 a.m.

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