



Ascension Day

May 5, 2016

6:00 PM

Evening Prayer, Rite I *Choral Evensong*

Officiant - The Very Reverend David A. duPlantier, *Dean*
The Choir of Christ Church Cathedral

Organist - Mr. Jarrett R. Follette, *Canon Precentor*

Choir Director - Mr. Anthony Sears

Organist for the Opening Voluntary - Dr. Marc Loudon

Order of Worship

It is the tradition of the Episcopal Church to maintain silence in the worship area so that people may pray. Please help us preserve an atmosphere of quiet reverence before worship begins, remembering to turn pagers and cell phones off; let the music of the opening voluntary quiet your thoughts as you prepare for worship.

OPENING VOLUNTARY ~ Prélude et Fugue sur le nom d'Alain, Op 7..... Maurice Durufé

All Stand

PROCESSIONAL HYMN #216 - Hail thee, festival day!..... *Salve festa dies*

The Invitatory and Psalter

OPENING PRECES

Setting: William Smith

Officiant O Lord, open thou our lips.

Choir And our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

Officiant O God, make speed to save us.

Choir O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Praise ye the Lord.

HYMN #36 - O gladsome Light *Le Cantique de Simeon*

Please be seated.

The choir sings

PSALM 96 *Cantate Domino*

Setting: Thomas Attwood Walmisley

- 1 Sing to the LORD a new song; *
sing to the LORD, all the whole earth.
 - 2 Sing to the LORD and bless his Name; *
proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day.
 - 3 Declare his glory among the nations *
and his wonders among all peoples.
 - 4 For great is the LORD and greatly to be praised; *
he is more to be feared than all gods.
 - 5 As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols; *
but it is the LORD who made the heavens.
 - 6 Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his presence! *
Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!
 - 7 Ascribe to the LORD, you families of the peoples; *
ascribe to the LORD honor and power.
 - 8 Ascribe to the LORD the honor due his Name; *
bring offerings and come into his courts.
 - 9 Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness; *
let the whole earth tremble before him.
 - 10 Tell it out among the nations: "The LORD is King! *
he has made the world so firm that it cannot be moved;
he will judge the peoples with equity."
 - 11 Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad;
let the sea thunder and all that is in it; *
let the field be joyful and all that is therein.
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- 12 Then shall all the trees of the wood shout for joy
before the LORD when he comes, *
when he comes to judge the earth.
- 13 He will judge the world with righteousness *
and the peoples with his truth.
*Glory to the Father, and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit:
As it was in the beginning, is now, *
and will be for ever. Amen.*

THE FIRST LESSON ~ Daniel 7:9-14

As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne, his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousands served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgment, and the books were opened. I watched then because of the noise of the arrogant words that the horn was speaking. And as I watched, the beast was put to death, and its body destroyed and given over to be burned with fire. As for the rest of the beasts, their dominion was taken away, but their lives were prolonged for a season and a time. As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed.

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

The choir sings

CANTICLE ~ The Song of Mary *Magnificat*

Service in F, Harold Friedell

My soul doth magnify the Lord, *
and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Savior.
For he hath regarded *
the lowliness of his handmaiden.
For behold from henceforth *
all generations shall call me blessed.
For he that is mighty hath magnified me, *
and holy is his Name.
And his mercy is on them that fear him *
throughout all generations.
He hath showed strength with his arm; *
he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.
He hath put down the mighty from their seat, *
and hath exalted the humble and meek.
He hath filled the hungry with good things, *
and the rich he hath sent empty away.
He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel, *
as he promised to our forefathers,
Abraham and his seed for ever.
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

THE SECOND LESSON ~ Matthew 28:16-20

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

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

The choir sings

CANTICLE - The Song of Simeon *Nunc dimittis*

Service in F, Harold Friedell

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, *
according to thy word;
For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, *
which thou hast prepared before the face of all people,
To be a light to lighten the Gentiles, *
and to be the glory of thy people Israel.
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

Officiant and People together, all standing

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE RESPONSES AND LORD'S PRAYER

Officiant The Lord be with you.
Choir And with thy spirit.
Officiant Let us pray.
Choir Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

All intone the Lord's Prayer

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 SUFFRAGES

Setting: William Smith

Officiant O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.
Choir And grant us thy salvation.
Officiant O Lord, save the state.
Choir And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.
Officiant Endue thy ministers with righteousness.
Choir And make thy chosen people joyful.
Officiant O Lord, save thy people.
Choir And bless thine inheritance.
Officiant Give peace in our time, O Lord.
Choir Because there is none other that fighteth for us, but only thou, O God.
Officiant O God, make clean our hears within us.
Choir And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

THE COLLECTS

Grant, we beseech thee, Almighty God, that like as we do believe thy only begotten Son our Lord Jesus Christ to have ascended into the heavens, so we may also in heart and mind thither ascend, and with him continually dwell; who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. Amen.

Lord Jesus, stay with us, for evening is at hand and the day is past; be our companion in the way, kindle our hearts, and awaken hope, that we may know thee as thou art revealed in Scripture and the breaking of bread. Grant this for the sake of thy love. Amen.

Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work, or watch, or weep this night, and give thine angels charge over those who sleep. Tend the sick, Lord Christ; give rest to the weary, bless the dying, soothe the suffering, pity the afflicted, shield the joyous; and all for thy love's sake. Amen.

THE ANTHEM

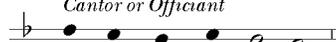
Ascendit Deus in jubilatione,
et Dominus in voce tubae. Alleluia.
Dominus in coelo paravit sedem suam. Alleluia.

*God has ascended in jubilation,
and the Lord with the sound of the trumpet. Alleluia.
The Lord has prepared his seat in heaven. Alleluia.*

Words: Psalm 47
Music: Peter Philips (1560 - 1628)

CLOSING PRAYERS

THE DISMISSAL

Cantor or Officiant

Let us bless the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

THE GRACE

1 How shall I sing that maj - es - ty which an - gels
 2 Thy bright - ness un - to them ap - pears, while I thy
 3 En - light - en with faith's light my heart, in - flame it
 4 How great a be - ing, Lord, is thine, which doth all

do — ad - mire? Let dust in dust — and si - lence
 foot - steps trace; a sound of God comes to my
 with — love's fire, then shall I sing and take my
 be - ings keep! Thy know - ledge is the on - ly

lie; — sing, sing, ye heav'n - ly choir. Thou - sands of
 ears, but they be - hold — thy face: I shall, I
 part with that ce - les - tial choir. They sing, be -
 line to sound so vast — a deep: thou art a

thou - sands stand a - round thy throne, — O God most
 fear, be dark and cold, with all my fire and
 cause thou are their sun; Lord, send a beam on
 sea with - out a shore, a sun with - out a

high; _____ ten thous - and times — ten thou - sand
 light; _____ yet when thou dost ac - cept — their
 me; _____ for where heav'n is but once — be -
 sphere; _____ thy time is now and ev - er

sound thy praise; _____ but who am I?
 gold, Lord, trea - - - sure up — my mite.
 gun, there al - - - le - lu - ias be.
 more, thy place is ev - 'ry - where.

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CLOSING VOLUNTARY ~ Toccata, Opus 104..... Joseph Jongen

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- *Solomon Episcopal Conference Center Day* - Sunday, May 8
- *Pentecost Sunday with Picnic* - Sunday, May 15
- *The Union of Black Episcopalians Conference Opening Eucharist, the Presiding Bishop preaching* - Sunday, July 31
- *The Evangelical Lutheran Church of America Conference Hymn Sing* - Sunday, August 7
- *A Festival of Nine Lessons & Carols* - Sunday, December 11, 4:00 PM

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