Easter Day ~ The Resurrection of Our Lord April 20, 2025 10:00 a.m. Rite 2

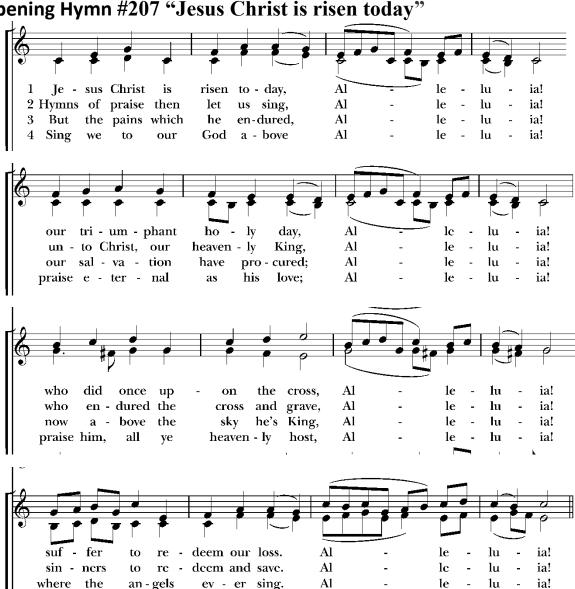
Preludes: Organ and Brass Quintet

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Opening Hymn #207 "Jesus Christ is risen today"



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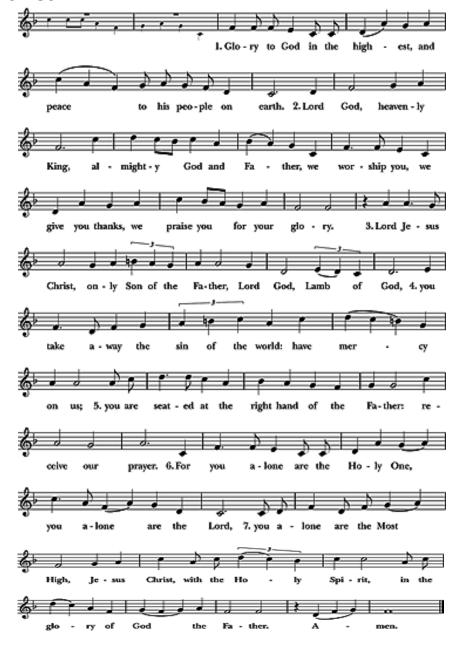
Opening Acclamation:

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Celebrant: Alleluia, Christ is Risen

People: The Lord is Risen indeed, Alleluia

Gloria S-280



Collect of the Day: 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 lifegiving Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

Isaiah 65:17-25

I am about to create new heavens and a new earth; the former things shall not be remembered or come to mind. But be glad and rejoice forever in what I am creating; for I am about to create Jerusalem as a joy, and its people as a delight. I will rejoice in Jerusalem, and delight in my people; no more shall the sound of weeping be heard in it, or the cry of distress. No more shall there be in it an infant that lives but a few days, or an old person who does not live out a lifetime; for one who dies at a hundred years will be considered a youth, and one who falls short of a hundred will be considered accursed.

They shall build houses and inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit. They shall not build and another inhabit; they shall not plant and another eat; for like the days of a tree shall the days of my people be, and my chosen shall long enjoy the work of their hands. They shall not labor in vain, or bear children for calamity; for they shall be offspring blessed by the Lord--and their descendants as well. Before they call I will answer, while they are yet speaking I will hear.

The wolf and the lamb shall feed together, the lion shall eat straw like the ox; but the serpent—its food shall be dust! They shall not hurt or destroy on all my holy mountain, says the Lord.

Reader: The Word of the Lord *People: Thanks be to God*

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

- 1 Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; * his mercy endures for ever.
- 2 Let Israel now proclaim, *

 "His mercy endures for ever."
- 14 The LORD is my strength and my song, * and he has become my salvation.
- 15 There is a sound of exultation and victory * in the tents of the righteous:
- 16 "The right hand of the LORD has triumphed! *
 the right hand of the LORD is exalted!
 the right hand of the LORD has triumphed!"
- 17 I shall not die, but live, * and declare the works of the LORD.
- 18 The LORD has punished me sorely, * but he did not hand me over to death.
- 19 Open for me the gates of righteousness; *
 I will enter them; I will offer thanks to the LORD.
- 20 "This is the gate of the LORD; * he who is righteous may enter."
- 21 I will give thanks to you, for you answered me * and have become my salvation.

- 22 The same stone which the builders rejected * has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23 This is the LORD's doing, * and it is marvelous in our eyes.
- 24 On this day the LORD has acted; * we will rejoice and be glad in it.

The Second Lesson: Colossians 3:1-4

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

Reader: The Word of the Lord *People: Thanks be to God*

Sequence Music

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ **People: Glory to you, Lord Christ**

The Holy Gospel: John 20:1-18

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him."

Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping?" She said to them, "They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him." When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?" Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away." Jesus said to her, "Mary!" She turned and said to him in Hebrew, "Rabbouni!" (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, "Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God."

Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, "I have seen the Lord"; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord **People: Praise to you, Lord Christ**

Sermon

The Rev. Ronald J. Kolanowski

The Renewal of Baptismal Vows

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Celebrant Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

People I do.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?

People I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People 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.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People 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.

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and

fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you cherish the wonderful works of God and protect

and restore the beauty and integrity of creation?

People I will with God's help.

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever

you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example

the Good News of God in Christ?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons,

loving your neighbor as yourself?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people,

and respect the dignity of every human being?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you cherish the wondrous works of God And protect

and restore the beauty and integrity of all creation?

People I will, with God's help.

The Celebrant concludes the Renewal of Vows as follows:

May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. *Amen*.

Prayers of the people

Leader: Through resurrection from the dead, God has given us new birth. Let us offer prayers to God for the living hope of all the world. Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers;

People: You are worthy of praise; glory to you.

Leader: For the holy churches in every place, and for the unity of all. For Sean our presiding bishop, Jeff, and Laura our bishops; for Ron, our priest: for Donna and Marge our deacons; for Doug our seminarian, for Marcia and Dan our Wardens, for all who minister in this place, and for all the holy people of God. For this holy assembly and for all who gather for breaking bread.

Glory to you in the splendor of your temple.

People: On the throne of your majesty, glory to you.

Leader: In our diocesan cycle of prayer we pray for St. Mark's, Mystic; St. Michael's, Naugatuck; Clergy whose work is not in parishes, multi-vocational priests, clergy of ECCT whose ministry is carried out in other countries or dioceses; the Anglican Church in Hong Kong and Macau.

Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim.

People: We will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

Leader: For the world and its leaders, our nation and its people. For all those in danger and need, the sick, the suffering, and the oppressed, and for all the dead. For those who have lost employment. Glory to you, beholding the depths.

People: In the high vault of heaven, glory to you.

For ourselves, our families, for those on our prayer list for those celebrating bithdays this week Briant Marsh (4/22), and Denis O'Shea (4/22), Christine Nosal (4/25), and those we love. Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People: We will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

Leader: Remembering the ever-Blessed Virgin Mary, Blessed Peter our patron and those who have died especially, and those remembered in our Easter memorials. Let us offer ourselves and one another to the living God through Christ.

People: To you, risen Lord.

Presider: For what else shall we pray for this day?

Presider: Blessed are you, O Lord our God, who opens our minds and hearts through the risen Christ. Hear our prayers that we offer in the hope of glory, and breathe upon us with your Holy Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*

The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

Announcements and Welcome

Holy Communion

Offertory

Offertory Hymn: #180 "He is risen! He is risen!"



The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

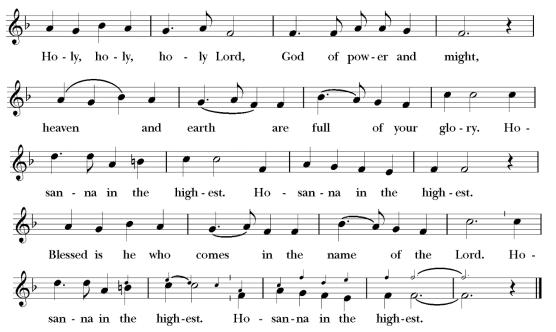
People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy... Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:

Sanctus: #S-125



Eucharistic prayer A

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Celebrant

Holy and gracious father, in your infinite love, you have created us for yourself....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.

Celebrant

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

All: AMEN.

Celebrant

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

The Lord's Prayer

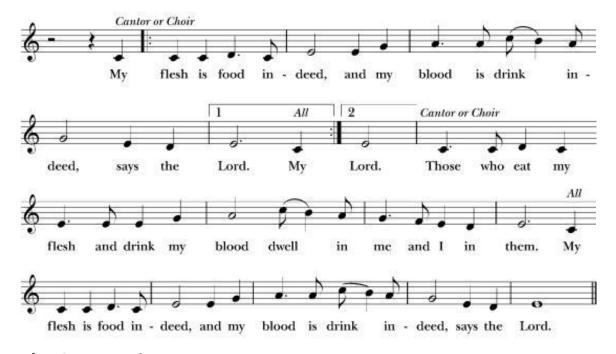
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Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name,
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen

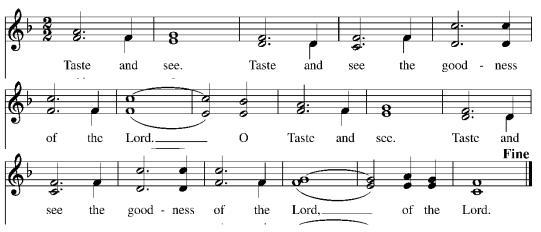
The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem #S-169



The Communion

Communion music: LEVAS #154 "Taste and See"



Post-Communion Prayer

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Celebrant: Let us pray.

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.

Easter Blessing

Closing hymn: #200 "Come, ye faithful, raise the strain"



Dismissal

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

Today we are delighted to welcome "Quintebrass" who are sharing their talents with us.

Parish Family Remembrances and Thanksgivings for April 20 2025

The Paschal Candle is given to the glory of God in loving memory of Judi Babin

We pray for our clergy: Sean, the Presiding Bishop; Ian & Laura, the Bishops of Connecticut; for our priest Fr. Ron; for Doug our seminarian for our deacons Donna and Marge; and for all bishops, priests and deacons.

We pray for those celebrating their birthdays this week:

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for St. Mark's, Mystic; St. Michael's, Naugatuck; Clergy whose work is not in parishes, multivocational priests, clergy of ECCT whose ministry is carried out in other countries or dioceses; the Anglican Church in Hong Kong and Macau.

In St Peter's Cycle of Prayer, we pray for all our parish family, especially those in any need or difficulty, Rosemarie, Barbara Farren, Marianne, Fran, Len and Kim Begin, Carolyn Aubin, Peggy Cobb and family, Sheila and those on our Continuing Prayer List.

We pray for the deceased

Continuing Prayer List

Peter and Barbara Farren, Andrew, Adrian Mandeville, Neal, Gloria, Loretta, Tim O'Shea, Bill Baldwin, Judy, Robin, Brenda, Richard Taylor, Jim, Lydia, David Rigby, Judy Knox, June Beauvais; Star, Norm, Bill Houle, Aimee Goodrich, Cara Begin, Justin, Derek Anderson, Janet Nixon, Bill D., Steve Dubin, Ryan, Roberto Rodegher, Marlin Corbean; Brian; Kathryn & Olivia; Caroline, Ron Lamp, Lou and Heidi Schluntz, Ambrosio Vidal & Family, Rina Bettancourt; Susan Hicks & family, Ella & Nicole, Jeannette Farren & Family; Noel, Daryl.

On Going Activities

- Balance Class: Mondays 10:15 a.m. \$5 per session.
- Cub Scouts: 1st Mondays 5:30-7 p.m.
- Hebron Greater Together Community Fund: 3rd Tuesdays 6-8 pm
- Buildings & Grounds: first Tuesdays, 7 p.m.
- Boy Scouts: Wednesdays, 7 p.m. 10
- Vestry: Third Thursdays, 6 p.m.

MLK concert next Sunday

Rescheduled due to a January snowstorm, the concert to honor Martin Luther King, Jr. will take place on April 27 at 6 p.m. Unfortunately, those who registered for tickets will have to do so again by going to **stpetershebron.com** and clicking the link under the Events tab.

Plant Sale St. Peter's Annual Plant and Garden Sale will be held on May 4 from 9-3. There are order forms at the back of the church and in Phelps Hall. If you need a packet sent to you by mail, please contact the office (860-228-3244 or office@stpetershebron.com)



Gifts Given in Memory of Loved Ones

Pamela & Tom Atwood Frost "Nanny" Krist,

Walter "Mac" Aldrich

Judith Banks
John Banks & the Banks McGovern

& Veillette families

Trisha Beatty & George Dagon Susan Beatty

Carolyn Bouchard Her friend Joanna

Claire Bracaglia Henry Lindert, Henry Jones, Helen

Wason, Phyllis Meshanic

Jane Chalmers Catherine Palmer; Marie & Bill

Bruneau

Betty Close Peter Byram

Georgette & Clyde Conrad, Jr. Odina, Ethel, Shirley & Louise

Domingue, Clyde Conrad Sr., Lillian

& Raymond Conrad

Henry & Joyce Dombrowski; John

& Angie Banulski; Judy, David &

Dave Martin

Marcia & Chuck Eaton Barbara, George, Georgia, Jack, Lee

& Pam Potterton; Harrison, Ethel,

Harry & John Eaton

The Eells Family Clarence & Terry Michaud, Bonnie

Eells

Stephen & Victoria Fisk Stephen's parents; family and pets in

heaven

The Forest Family George W. Clark and Walter S.

Forrest

Chris & Cathy Gerke Ralph & Elizabeth Gerke

John & Elizabeth McCashland

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Judith Lynn Green

Maryann Hickelton Marion Trudelle

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Kolanowski, Lori Kolanowski, Art

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Robert Porteus Middlemass

Mary Latour Richard T. Hagenow

Cathie & Ray Litwin Gene Baker

John Loge Frances Jean Loge, Beverly Jane

Sandefur, Judith Marion Gray,

Stuart Edgar Power

Lynda Majewski Paul Louis Arruda

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McDonald; John & Anita Wilson

Barbara & Steve Robert & MaryAnn Siegle; Steve &

Mondrach EmmyLou Mondrach

Marianne Moore Nelson, Kenneth, Maitland Moore &

Don Savino

The Myers Family P. Hamilton & Ruth Myers; Tom &

Martha Bombaci

Liz & Alex Nelson Alison Nelson

The O'Shea Family Jean & Ray Baldwin, Carbery &

Genevieve O'Shea, Genevieve Alexander, 1

Fletcher, Christine Morrison, Sean

O'Shea, Juanita & Jack Alden

The Osmond Family Cleo & Doris Wandling, John & Mildred

Osmond, John B. Osmond, John C.

Osmond

John & Susan Ostrout Elmer H. Ostrout, Sr., Dorothy R.

Ostrout, William Murray, Shirley

Murray, Edward Murray

Barbara Parkyn Family and friends

Steve Platz Judy, Ed & Linda Platz

Henry & Evelyn Dickinson

Chris & Chad Raasumaa- Our grandparents

Boots

Kim & Brian Reed G. Earl & Merle N. Porter; Kyle P.

Buttice

Fran & Lino Rodegher Sandra & Carmela Guglielmi, Lino, Livio

& Gianfranco Rodegher

Amy Stone Family Friends & Pets

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Urban, Mary Jo Keenan

John Viklinetz Helen Viklinetz

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Stephanie Wheeler Russell Wheeler, Jr.; Joyce

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Gifts given in Honor of Loved Ones

Stephen & Victoria Fisk Family and friends here and abroad

The Forrest Family Ryan Clark and Our Armed Forces



The Paschal Candle was given by Leonard Babin in memory of his wife Judi.