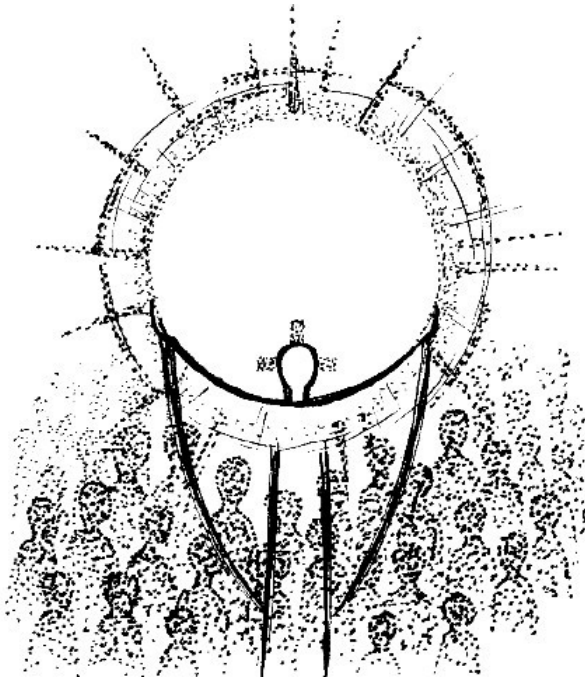


THE PARISH CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS

6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY  
*of Easter*



*PARISH MASS*

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ENTRANCE HYMN

Come, ye faithful, raise the strain  
Of triumphant gladness!  
God hath brought his Israel  
into joy from sadness:  
loosed from Pharoah's bitter yoke  
Jacob's sons and daughters,  
led them with unmoistened foot  
through the Red Sea waters.

2. 'Tis the spring of souls today:  
Christ hath burst his prison,  
and from three days' sleep in death  
as a sun hath risen;  
all the winter of our sins,  
long and dark, is flying  
from his light, to whom we give  
laud and praise undying.

3. Now the queen of seasons, bright  
with the day of splendour,  
with the royal feast of feasts,  
comes its joy to render;  
comes to glad Jerusalem,  
who with true affection  
welcomes in unwearied strains  
Jesus' resurrection.

4. Neither might the gates of death,  
nor the tomb's dark portal,  
nor the watchers, nor the seal  
hold thee as a mortal:  
but today amidst the twelve  
thou didst stand, bestowing  
that thy peace which evermore  
passeth human knowing.

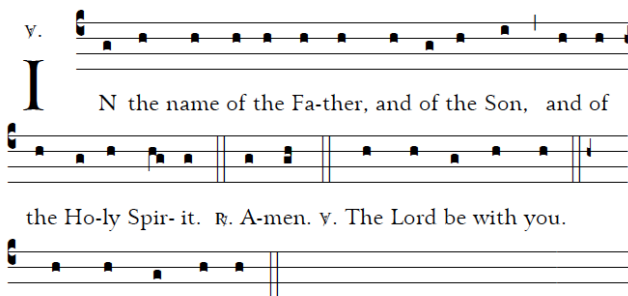
Alleluia now we cry  
to our King Immortal,  
who triumphant burst the bars  
of the tomb's dark portal;  
alleluia, with the Son  
God the Father praising;  
alleluia yet again  
to the Spirit raising.



## INTRODUCTORY RITES

### GREETING

∇.



**I**N the name of the Fa-ther, and of the Son, and of  
the Ho-ly Spir- it. R. A-men. ∇. The Lord be with you.

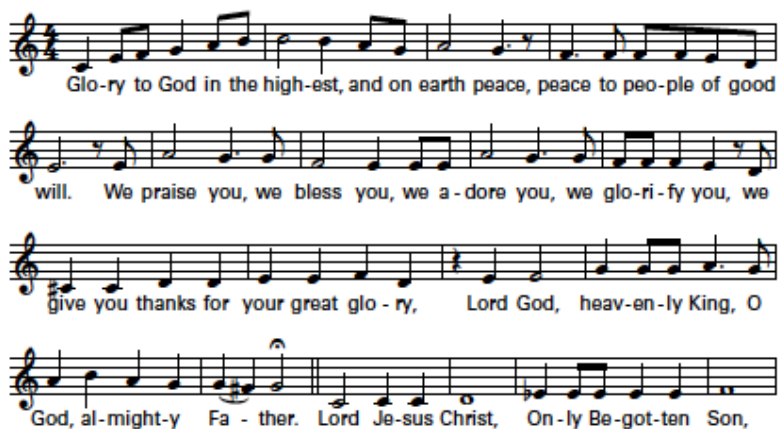
R. And with your spir- it.

### SPRINKLING WITH HOLY WATER

**R:** We shall draw water Joyfully, singing joyfully, singing joyfully  
We shall draw water joyfully from the wellsprings of Salvation.

*The priest pronounces the words of forgiveness and then we sing:*

### GLORIA IN EXCELSIS



Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace, peace to peo-ple of good  
will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-dore you, we glo-ri-fy you, we  
give you thanks for your great glo-ry, Lord God, heav-en-ly King, O  
God, al-might-y Fa-ther. Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be-got-ten Son,

Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa-ther, you take a-way the sins of the  
 world, have mer-cy on us; you take a-way the sins of the world, re-  
 ceive our prayer; you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther,  
 have mer-cy on us. For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One,  
 you a-lone are the Lord, You a-lone are the Most High,  
 Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the glo-ry, the glo-ry of  
 God the Fa-ther. A-men. A-men.

*THE COLLECT*

**G**rant, almighty God,  
 that we may celebrate with heartfelt devotion these days of joy,  
 which we keep in honour of the risen Lord,  
 and that what we relive in remembrance  
 we may always hold to in what we do.  
 Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
 who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

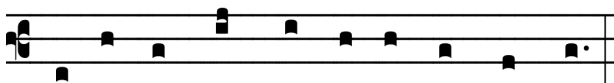
Acts 8 5-8, 14-17

*At the end the reader says:*

The word of the Lord  
**Thanks be to God**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Refrain in honor of Blessed John Larke (†1544)



Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

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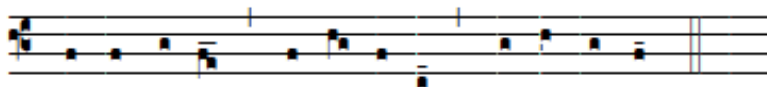
SECOND READING

1 Peter 3 15-18

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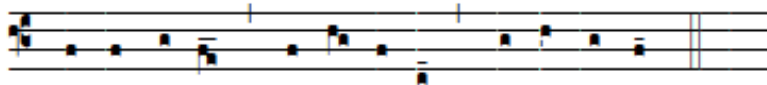
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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION  
*STAND*



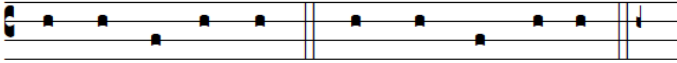
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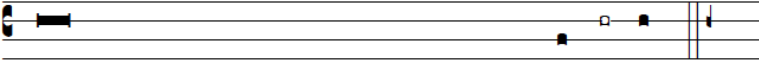
On this most holy day of days  
to God your hearts and voices raise,  
in laud and jubilee and praise. Alleluia!



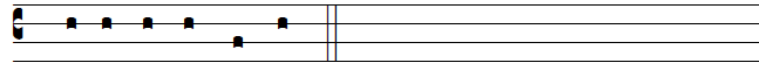
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## THE RESURRECTION GOSPEL

v.   
**T** He Lord be with you. R. And with your spir- it.



v. A reading from the holy Gospel according to *N.*



R. Glo-ry to you, O Lord.

*At the end of the Gospel:*



v. The Gos-pel of the Lord. R. Praise to you, Lord Je- sus Christ.

THE HOMILY

SIT

### THE PROFESSION OF FAITH

*During Eastertide it is the custom to use the Apostles Creed*

**I** believe in God,  
the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;  
from there he will come 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 life everlasting. Amen.

## THE PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

*During Eastertide we REMAIN STANDING*

Lord, hear us  
**Lord, graciously hear us.**

OR

Lord, in your mercy  
**Hear our prayer.**

## THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

**O** thou, who at thy Eucharist didst pray  
that all thy Church might be for ever one,  
grant us at every Eucharist to say  
with longing heart and soul, "thy will be done."  
O may we all one Bread, one Body be,  
through this blest Sacrament of unity.

2. For all thy Church, O Lord, we intercede;  
make thou our sad divisions soon to cease;  
draw us the nearer each to each, we plead,  
by drawing all to thee, O Prince of Peace;  
thus may we all one Bread, one Body be,  
through this blest Sacrament of unity.

3. We pray thee too for wanderers from thy fold;  
O bring them back, good Shepherd of the sheep,  
back to the faith which saints believed of old,  
back to the Church which still that faith doth keep;  
soon may we all one Bread, one Body be,  
through this blest Sacrament of unity.

4. So, Lord, at length when sacraments shall cease,  
may we be one with all thy Church above,  
one with thy saints in one unbroken peace,  
one with thy saints in one unbounded love;  
more blessed still, in peace and love to be  
one with the Trinity in Unity.

Pray, my brothers and sisters, that our sacrifice may be acceptable to God the almighty Father.

**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.**


PREFACE DIALOGUE

Y.



**T** He Lord be with you. R. And with your spir-it. Y. Lift  
up your hearts. R. We lift them up to the Lord. Y. Let us give  
thanks to the Lord our God. R. It is right and just.

*The celebrant continues with the Eucharistic prayer until we sing:*



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.  
Heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high-est.  
Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

*We all KNEEL as the Celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.*

*After the Lord's words are said over the bread and the cup we use the following response:*

The Mystery of Faith

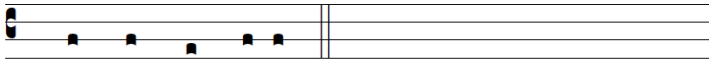
**The three sad days are quickly sped,  
he rises glorious from the dead:  
all glory to our risen Head!  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**







∩. The peace of the Lord be with you always.



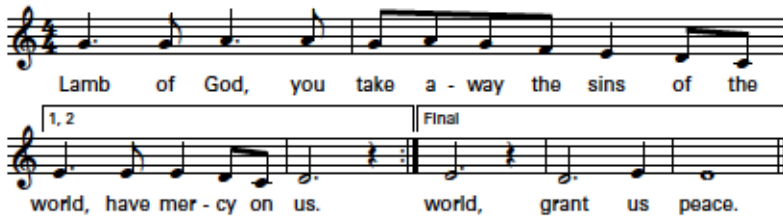
∩. And with your spirit.

*Then, if appropriate, the Deacon, or the Priest, adds:*



∩. Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

AGNUS DEI  
*KNEEL*



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COMMUNION

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sin of the world.  
Blessed are those who are called to the supper of the lamb.

**Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but  
only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

*When offered the Host or when given a blessing the response is:*

**Amen.**



DURING HOLY COMMUNION

This is my body, broken for you,  
bringing you wholeness, making you free,  
take it and eat it, and when you do,  
do it in love for me.

2. This is my blood poured out for you,  
bringing forgiveness, making you free.  
Take it and drink it, and when you do,  
do it in love for me.

3. Back to my Father soon shall I go.  
Do not forget me; then you will see  
I am still with you, and you will know  
you're very close to me.


4. Filled with my Spirit, how you will grow!  
You are my branches; I am the tree.  
If you are faithful, others will know  
you are alive in me.

5. Love one another – I have loved you,  
and I have shown you how to be free;  
serve one another, and when you do,  
do it in love for me.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION  
STAND

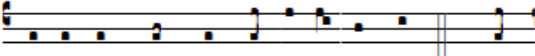
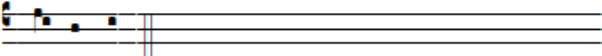
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THE CONCLUDING RITES  
THE BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

v.   
T He Lord be with you. R. And with your spir- it.

And may the blessing of almighty God, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit, come down on you and remain with you for ever.

Amen.

v.   
G O and an- nounce the Gos- pel of the Lord. R. Thanks  
  
be to God.

## THE EASTER HYMN - THE REGINA CÆLI

Joy to thee, O Queen of Heaven, alleluia!  
He who thou wast meet to bear, alleluia!  
As he promised hath arisen, alleluia!  
Pour for us to God thy prayer, alleluia!

V: Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia!

R: **For the Lord is risen indeed, alleluia!**

O God, who gave joy to the world through the resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### FINAL HYMN

The day of resurrection!  
Earth, tell it out abroad;  
the Passover of gladness,  
the Passover of God.  
From death to life eternal,  
from earth unto the sky,  
our Christ hath brought us over,  
with hymns of victory.

Our hearts be pure from evil,  
that we may see aright  
the Lord in rays eternal  
of resurrection light;  
and listening to his accents,  
may hear so calm and plain  
his own "All hail!" and, hearing,  
may raise the victor strain.

Now let the heavens be joyful!  
Let earth her song begin!  
The round world keep high triumph,  
and all that is therein!  
Let all things seen and unseen  
their notes in gladness blend,  
for Christ the Lord hath risen,  
our joy that hath no end.