

St. Peter's Anglican Church
Sunday, April 16th, 2017
The Sunday of the Resurrection
Easter Sunday

The Gathering of the Community

Opening Hymn: **(#212) Alleluia! The Strife is O'er**

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Collect of the Day

Lord of life and power, through the mighty resurrection of your Son, you have overcome the old order of sin and death and have made all things new in him. May we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, reign with him in glory, who with you and the Holy Spirit is alive, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading:

Acts 10:34-43

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

Refrain: On this day the Lord has acted; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his mercy endures for ever. Let Israel now proclaim, "His mercy endures for ever." **R** The Lord is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation. There is a sound of exultation and victory in the tents of the righteous: "The right hand of the Lord has triumphed! the right hand of the Lord is exalted! the right hand of the Lord has triumphed!" **R**

I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord. The Lord has punished me sorely, but he did not hand me over to death. **R** Open for me the gates of righteousness; I will enter them; I will offer thanks to the Lord. "This is the gate of the Lord; he who is righteous may enter." I will give thanks to you, for you answered me and have become my salvation. The same stone which the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

R This is the Lord's doing, and it is marvellous in our eyes. On this day the Lord has acted; we will rejoice and be glad in it. **R**

Second Reading:	Colossians 3:1-4
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Offertory Hymn:	(#321) All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

The Liturgy of the Table

Prayer over the Gifts

God our strength and salvation, receive all we offer you this day, and grant that we who have confessed your name, and received new life in baptism, may live in the joy of the resurrection, through Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen**

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God of life, bring us to the glory of the resurrection promised in this Easter sacrament. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord. Amen

Blessing *and* Dismissal

Closing Hymn: **(#203) Jesus Christ is Risen Today**

The Easter Antthems (*Book of Common Prayer*)

CHRIST our Passover is sacrificed for us:

therefore let us keep the feast;

Not with the old leaven, nor with the leaven of malice and wickedness;

but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

1 Corinthians 5:7

CHRIST being raised from the dead dieth no more;

death hath no more dominion over him.

For in that he died, he died unto sin once:

but in that he liveth, he liveth unto God.

Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed unto sin,

but alive unto God, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Romans 6:9*

CHRIST is risen from the dead,

and become the first-fruits of them that slept.

For since by man came death,

by man came also the resurrection of the dead.

For as in Adam all die,

even so in Christ shall all be made alive. *1 Corinthians 15:20*

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 Collect

Almighty God, who through thine only begotten Son Jesus Christ hast overcome death, and opened unto us the gate of everlasting life: We humbly beseech thee, that as by thy special grace thou dost put into our minds good desires, so by thy continual help we may bring the same to good effect; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. **Amen.**