Fourth Sunday of Easter Grace Episcopal Church

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April 30, 2023

Please keep silence in the church before the service and turn off all cell phones.

Prelude

Procession "Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus" Hymn 495

Acclamation BCP, p. 355

Priest: Alleluia. Christ is risen

People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Collect for Purity

Gloria Hymn S-280; BCP, p. 356

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

The Collect of the Day BCP, p. 224

First Reading: Acts 2:42-47

Psalm 23 BCP, p. 612

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

Epistle 1 Peter 2:19-25

Sequence "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us" Hymn 708

The Gospel John 10:1-10

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

according to John.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Rev. Joseph N. Davis Nicene Creed BCP, p. 358

The Prayers of the People Form III, BCP, p. 387

Confession BCP, p. 360

The Peace BCP, p. 360

Offertory Sentence

Offertory "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" Hymn 645 (All stand and sing.)

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A BCP, p. 361

Sanctus Hymn S-125; BCP, p. 362

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

The Lord's Prayer BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

Pascha Nostrum Hymn S-152; BCP, p. 364 (See service music sheet in your pew.)

Priest: Christ our passover is sacrified for us. Alleluia.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Priest: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

(All baptized Christians are invited to receive communion. If you would like a blessing instead of receiving communion, bow your head and cross your arms over your chest, and the priest will give you a blessing.)

Hymns at Communion:

"O Master Let Me Walk With Thee"	Hymn 660
"Surely It Is God Who Saves Me"	Hymn 679
"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"	Hymn 691

Post Communion Prayer

BCP, p. 365

Blessing

Procession "All People That on Earth Do Dwell" Hymn 377

The Dismissal

Priest: Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Postlude

A Note to Visitors

If you are a visitor, we thank you joining us this Sunday. We would like to answer any questions you have about our service or about membership in Grace Church. You may reach out to us at the email addresses listed below.

Recognizing Graduates

We'd like to recognize family members who are graduating, either from school or college, in our May 21st bulletin. If any of your immediate family members should be on this list, send the following information to Karyl at karylofcolumbia@cs.com with GRADUATE in the subject line. (1) Name (2) Graduating from: ____, (3) Future goal, (4) Relationship to you.

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and bring Christ to our community.