

# He is Risen

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Easter Sunday + St. Alphonsus Catholic Church , Mt. Pleasant, Iowa + Rev. Paul Connolly

## INTRODUCTORY RITES

### ENTRANCE HYMN

### Jesus Christ Is Risen Today



1. Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day, Al - le - lu - ia!
2. Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!
3. But the pains which he en - dured, Al - le - lu - ia!
4. Sing we to our God a - bove, Al - le - lu - ia!



Our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Un - to Christ, our heav'n - ly King, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Our sal - va - tion have pro - cured; Al - le - lu - ia!  
Praise e - ter - nal as his love; Al - le - lu - ia!



Who did once up - on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Now a - bove the sky he's King, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Praise him, now his might con - fess, Al - le - lu - ia!



Suf - fer to re - deem our loss. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Sin - ners to re - deem and save. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Where the an - gels ev - er sing. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Fa - ther, Son, and Spir - it blest. Al - le - lu - ia!

## PENITENTIAL ACT

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned,  
in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do  
through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault;  
Therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints,  
And you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

*May almighty God have mercy .....everlasting life. Amen*

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.** Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy. **Lord have mercy.**

## GLORY TO GOD

*Mass of Christ the Savior  
Dan Schutte*

Refrain

Glo-ry to God. Glo-ry to God. Glo-ry to God in the high -  
est, and on earth peace, on earth peace to peo-ple of good  
will. will. A - men. A - men.

1-4 (1st time: to Refrain) to Verses Final Coda

The musical score is written on a single staff in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 2/4 time signature. It consists of three lines of music. The first line is labeled 'Refrain' and contains the lyrics 'Glo-ry to God. Glo-ry to God. Glo-ry to God in the high -'. The second line continues the melody with the lyrics 'est, and on earth peace, on earth peace to peo-ple of good'. The third line contains the lyrics 'will. will. A - men. A - men.' and includes performance markings: a box around the first two measures labeled '1-4 (1st time: to Refrain) to Verses', a double bar line labeled 'Final', and a circled cross symbol labeled 'Coda' above the final two measures.

1. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heav'lny King, O God, almighty Father.
2. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, son of the Father, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand, the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
3. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

Peter proceeded to speak and said: "You know what has happened all over Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John preached, how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power. He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree. This man God raised on the third day and granted that he be visible, not to all the people, but to us, the witnesses chosen by God in advance, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commissioned us to preach to the people and testify that he is the one appointed by God as judge of the living and the dead. To him all the prophets bear witness, that everyone who believes in him will receive forgiveness of sins through his name."

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 118:1-2,16-17, 22-23



**R. This is the day the Lord has made; let us re-joice and be glad.**

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**R. This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.**

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,

for his mercy endures forever.

Let the house of Israel say,

"His mercy endures forever."

**R. This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.**

"The right hand of the LORD has struck with power;

the right hand of the LORD is exalted.

I shall not die, but live,

and declare the works of the LORD."

**R. This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.**

The stone which the builders rejected

has become the cornerstone.

By the LORD has this been done;

it is wonderful in our eyes.

**R. This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.**

Brothers and sisters:

If then you were raised with Christ, seek what is above,  
where Christ is seated at the right hand of God.

Think of what is above, not of what is on earth.

For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God.

When Christ your life appears,

then you too will appear with him in glory.

## EASTER SEQUENCE

## CHRIST IS ARISEN

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Randall DeBruyn

## Verses



1. To the Pas - chal Vic - tim Give thank - ful praise!
2. Ma - ry, speak, con - fess - ing What you have seen.
3. Chris - tians, sing his glo - ry With ev - 'ry breath;



1. Christ, ev - er sin - less, his sheep now he saves.
2. "Christ's tomb lies emp - ty where once he had been;
3. Sing of his king - dom, vic - to - rious o'er death!



1. Death and life con - tend - ed In dread - ful strife;
2. An - gels bright, con - firm - ing; Shroud laid a - side;
3. Je - sus, grant us mer - cy: New life from heav'n!



1. Death did not hold \_ him, im - mor - tal his life.
2. He goes to Gal - i - lee, he lives though he died."
3. Christ ev - er reigns! \_ Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

## Refrain



Al - le - lu - ia, his tri - umph we sing!



Christ is a - ris - en, the Vic - tor, the King!

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Music: O FILII ET FILIAE; Chant, Mode II. Verses by Owen Alstott.

Christ, our paschal lamb, has been sacrificed:  
let us then feast with joy in the Lord.

## GOSPEL

John 20:1-9

On the first day of the week,  
Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark,  
and saw the stone removed from the tomb.  
So she ran and went to Simon Peter and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them,  
“They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don’t know where they put him.”  
So Peter and the other disciple went out and came to the tomb.  
They both ran, but the other disciple ran faster than Peter  
and arrived at the tomb first;  
he bent down and saw the burial cloths there, but did not go in.  
When Simon Peter arrived after him,  
he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there,  
and the cloth that had covered his head,  
not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place.  
Then the other disciple also went in,  
the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed.  
For they did not yet understand the Scripture that he had to rise from the dead.

## HOMILY

## RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL PROMISES

## PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

# THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

## HYMN OF PREPARATION

### Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks

Refrain

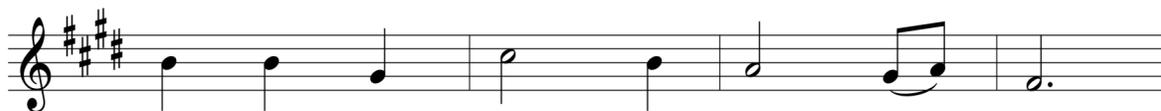


Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, give thanks to the ris - en Lord.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, give praise to his Name.

Verses



1. Je - sus is Lord of all the earth.
2. Spread the good news o'er all the earth:
3. We have been cru - ci - fied with Christ.
4. God has pro - claimed his gra - cious gift:
5. Come, let us praise the liv - ing God,



He is the King of cre - a - tion.  
Je - sus has died and has ris - en.  
Now we shall live for ev - er.  
Life e - ter - nal for all who be - lieve.  
Joy - ful - ly sing to our Sav - ior.

Text: Donald Fishel, b.1950

Tune: ALLELUIA NO. 1, 8 8 with refrain; Donald Fishel, b.1950

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Priest: ".....that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father,"

All respond: **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.**

## PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

### *The Eucharistic Prayer*

#### PREFACE

The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right and just.**

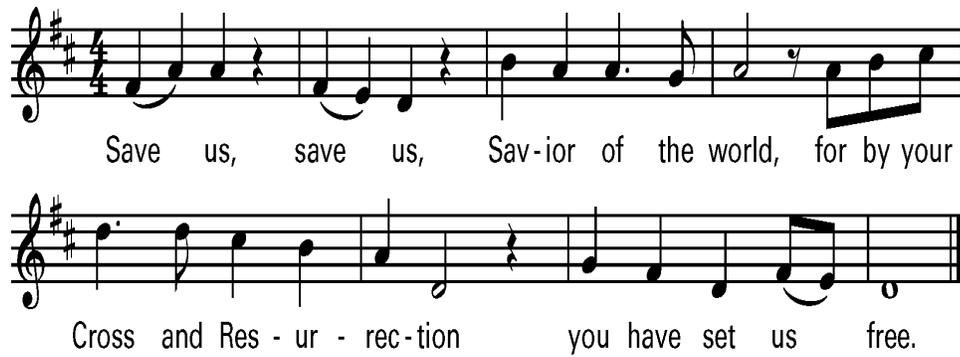
#### HOLY, HOLY

*Mass of Christ the Savior*  
Dan Schutte

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and  
earth are full, 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, who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

## MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

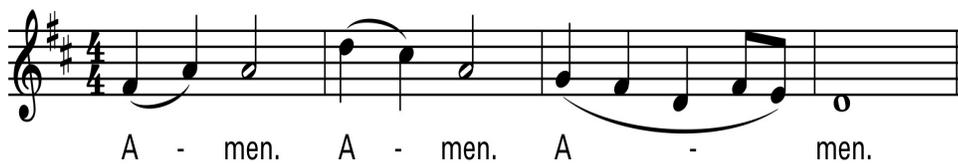
*Mass of Christ the Savior*  
Dan Schutte



Save us, save us, Sav-ior of the world, for by your  
Cross and Res - ur - rec - tion you have set us free.

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## GREAT AMEN



A - men. A - men. A - men.

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## THE LORD'S PRAYER

## SIGN OF PEACE

## LAMB OF GOD

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Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the  
world, have mer-cy on us. world, grant us peace.

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## COMMUNION

*Priest:* Behold the Lamb of God,  
Behold him who takes away the sins of the world.  
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb

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

## AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION: *ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI*

**All: My Jesus,  
I believe that You are present  
in the Most Holy Sacrament.**

**I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive you into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment  
receive You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there  
and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen**

## COMMUNION HYMN

### JOIN IN THE DANCE

Dan Schutte

Refrain

Join in the dance of the earth's ju - bi - la - tion! This is the feast of the  
love of God. Shout from the heights to the ends of cre - a - tion:  
Je - sus the Sav - ior is ris - en from the grave!



Verses

1. Wake, O peo - ple; sleep no long - er: greet the  
 2. All cre - a - tion, like a moth - er, la - bors  
 3. Now our shame be - comes our glo - ry on this  
 4. None on earth, no prince or pow - er, nei - ther  
 5. Love's tri - um - phant day of vic - t'ry heav - en  
 6. Christ for - ev - er, Lord of a - ges, Love be -



1. break - ing day! Christ, Re - deem - er,  
 2. to give birth. Soon the pain will  
 3. ho - ly tree. Now the reign of  
 4. death nor life, noth - ing now can  
 5. o - pens wide. On the tree of  
 6. yond our dreams: Christ, our hope of



1. Lamb and Li - on, turns the night a - way!  
 2. be for - got - ten, joy for all the earth!  
 3. death is end - ed; now we are set free!  
 4. ev - er part us from the love of Christ!  
 5. hope and glo - ry death it - self has died!  
 6. heav - en's glo - ry, all that yet will be!

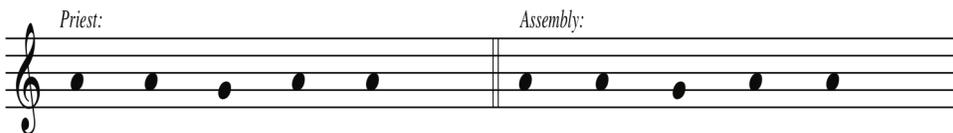
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## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

## THE CONCLUDING RITES

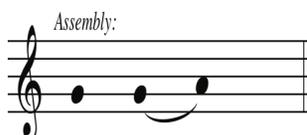
### GREETING



The Lord be with you. And with your spir - it.

### FINAL BLESSING

Priest: May almighty God bless you,  
 the Father, and the Son, + and the Holy Spirit.



A - men.

