

# Easter Day Services

## St. Peter's Episcopal Church

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Holy Communion	- - - - -	7:30 a. m.
Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon		10:30 a. m.
Children's Festival Service	- - - - -	4:30 p. m.

Processional Hymn—112

Worgan

1. Jesus Christ is ris'n today,  
Our triumphant holy day,  
Who did once upon the Cross  
Suffer to redeem our loss.

Alleluia!

2. Hymns of praise then let us sing  
Unto Christ, our heavenly King,  
Who endured the Cross and grave,  
Sinners to redeem and save.

Alleluia!

3. But the pains which He endured,  
Our salvation have procured;  
Now above the sky He's King,  
Where the angels ever sing.

Alleluia!

4. Sing we to our God above  
Praise eternal as His love;  
Praise Him all ye heavenly host.  
Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Alleluia!

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The Opening Sentences

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The Lord's Prayer

*The Minister:* O Lord, open Thou our lips.

*The People:* And our mouth shall show forth Thy praise.

*Here, all standing up, the Minister shall say,*

*The Minister:* Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

*The People:* As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

*The Minister:* Praise ye the Lord.

*The People:* The Lord's Name be praised.

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Anthems, "Christ our Passover"

MacFarlane

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us: therefore let us keep the feast.

Not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of malice and wickedness: but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

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 into sin: but alive

unto God, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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 be made alive.

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 Proper Psalms for the Morning of Easter Day

## Psalm Two

1 Why do the heathen so furiously rage together: and why do the people imagine a vain thing?

2 The kings of the earth stand up, and the rulers take counsel together: against the Lord, and against his Anointed:

3 Let us break their bonds asunder: and cast away their cords from us.

4 He that dwelleth in heaven shall laugh them to scorn: the Lord shall have them in derision.

5 Then shall he speak unto them in his wrath: and vex them in his sore displeasure:

6 Yet have I set my King: upon my holy hill of Sion.

7 I will preach the law, whereof the Lord hath said unto me: Thou art my

Son, this day have I begotten thee.

8 Desire of me, and I shall give thee the heathen for thine inheritance: and the utmost parts of the earth for thy possession.

9 Thou shalt bruise them with a rod of iron: and break them in pieces like a potter's vessel.

10 Be wise now therefore, O ye kings: be learned, ye that are judges of the earth.

11 Serve the Lord in fear: and rejoice unto him with reverence.

12 Kiss the Son, lest he be angry, and so ye perish from the right way: if his wrath be kindled, yea, but a little. Blessed are all they that put their trust in him.

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## Psalm Fifty-Seven

1 Be merciful unto me, O God, be merciful unto me; for my soul trusteth in thee: and under the shadow of thy wings shall be my refuge, until this tyranny be overpast.

2 I will call unto the Most High God: even unto the God that shall perform the cause which I have in hand.

3 He shall send from heaven: and save me from the reproof of him that would eat me up.

4 God shall send forth his mercy and truth: my soul is among lions;

5 And I lie even among the children of men, that are set on fire; whose teeth are spears and arrows, and their tongue a sharp sword.

6 Set up thyself, O God, above the

heavens: and thy glory above all the earth.

7 They have laid a net for my feet, and pressed down my soul: they have digged a pit before me, and are fallen into the midst of it themselves.

8 My heart is fixed, O God, my heart is fixed: I will sing and give praise.

9 Awake up, my glory; awake, lute and harp: I myself will awake right early.

10 I will give thanks unto thee, O Lord, among the people: and I will sing unto thee among the nations.

11 For the greatness of thy mercy reacheth unto the heavens: and thy truth unto the clouds.

12 Set up thyself, O God, above the heavens: and thy glory above all the earth.

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## Psalm One Hundred and Eleven

1 I will give thanks unto the Lord with my whole heart; secretly among the faithful, and in the congregation.

2 The works of the Lord are great: sought out of all them that have pleasure therein.

3 His work is worthy to be praised and had in honour: and his righteousness endureth for ever.

4 The merciful and gracious Lord hath so done his marvelous works:

Psalm One Hundred and Eleven [Continued]

that they ought to be had in remembrance.

5 He hath given meat unto them that fear him: he shall ever be mindful of his covenant.

6 He hath showed his people the power of his works: that he may give them the heritage of the heathen.

7 The works of his hands are verity and judgment: all his commandments are true.

8 They stand fast for ever and ever: and are done in truth and equity.

9 He sent redemption unto his people: he hath commanded his covenant for ever; holy and reverend is his Name.

10 The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom: a good understanding have all they that do thereafter; the praise of it endureth for ever.

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The First Lesson

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Te Deum

Coleridge-Taylor

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The Second Lesson

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Jubilate

Jordan

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*Then shall be said the Creed, commonly called the Nicene, by the Minister and the People standing*

I believe in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible:

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man: And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures:

And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets: And I believe one Catholic and Apostolic Church: I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins: and I look for the Resurrection of the dead: And the Life of the world to come. Amen.

*And after that, all devoutly kneeling; the Minister first pronouncing,*

*The Minister:* The Lord be with you.

*The People:* And with thy spirit.

*The Minister:* Let us pray.

O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.

*The People:* And grant us thy salvation.

*The Minister:* O God, make clean our hearts within us.

*The People:* And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

*Then shall follow a Collect for Easter Day, and other Collects.*

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## Introit Hymn—118

1. At the Lamb's high feast we sing  
Praise to our victorious King,  
Who hath wash'd us in the tide  
Flowing from His pierced side  
Praise we Him, Whose love divine  
Gives His sacred blood for wine,  
Gives His body for the feast,  
Christ, the Victim, Christ the  
Priest. Amen.
2. Where the Paschal blood is poured,  
Death's dark angel sheathes his  
sword;  
Israel's hosts triumphant go  
Through the wave that drowns the  
foe.  
Praise we Christ, Whose blood was  
shed,  
Paschal Victim, Paschal bread;  
With sincerity and love
- Eat we manna from above.
3. Mighty Victim from the sky,  
Hell's fierce powers beneath Thee  
lie;  
Thou hast conquered in the fight,  
Thou hast brought us life and light;  
Now no more can death appall,  
Now no more can the grave enthrall;  
Thou hast opened Paradise,  
And in Thee Thy saints shall rise.
4. Easter triumph, Easter joy,  
Sin alone can this destroy;  
From sin's power to Thou set free  
Souls new-born, O Lord, in Thee,  
Hymns of glory and of praise,  
Risen Lord, to Thee we raise;  
Holy Father, praise to Thee,  
With the Spirit, ever be.

## Shorter Kyrie

Parker

## Gloria Tibi

Parker

## Gratia Tibi

Parker

## Hymn 121

Victory

The strife is o'er, the battle done,  
The victory of life is won;  
The song of triumph has begun.  
Alleluia!

The powers of death have done their  
worst,  
But Christ their legions hath dis-  
persed;  
Let shout of holy joy outburst.  
Alleluia!

Lord! by the stripes which wounded  
Thee,  
From death's dread sting Thy serv-  
ants free,  
That we may live, and sing to Thee.  
Alleluia!

The three sad days are quickly sped;  
He rises glorious from the dead:  
All glory to our risen Head!  
Alleluia!

He closed the yawning gates of hell;  
The bars from heaven's high portals  
fell;  
Let hymns of praise His triumphs tell!  
Alleluia!

## Sermon—The Rector

## Offertory Anthem: "Very Early in the Morning"

Stevenson

Very early in the morning the first  
day of the week, they came unto the  
sepulchre at the rising of the sun.  
And they said among themselves, who  
shall roll us away the stone from the  
door of the sepulchre? And when  
they looked, they saw that the stone  
was rolled away: for it was very  
great. And entering into the sepul-  
chre they saw a young man sitting on  
the right side clothed in a long white  
garment; and they were affrighted.  
And he saith unto them, be not

affrighted: Ye seek Jesus of Nazareth  
which was crucified for us: He is  
risen; He is not here; Behold the  
place where they laid Him. But go  
your way, tell His disciples and  
Peter that He goeth before you into  
Galilee: there shall ye see Him as He  
said unto you. Unto Him that loved  
us and washed us from our sins in  
His own blood. And hath made us  
kings and priests unto God and His  
Father; to Him be glory and domin-  
ion for ever and ever.

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Doxology

*Old Hundred*

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Sanctus

*Parker*

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Gloria in Excelsis

*Old Chant*

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Recessional Hymn—117

*Neander*

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| 1. He is risen, He is risen;<br>Tell it out with joyful voice:<br>He has burst His three days' prison;<br>Let the whole wide earth rejoice;<br>Death is conquer'd, man is free,<br>Christ has won the victory.  | 3. Come, with high and holy hymning,<br>Chant our Lord's Triumphant lay:<br>Not one darksome cloud is dimming<br>Yonder glorious morning ray,<br>Breaking o'er the purple East,<br>Symbol of our Easter feast. |
| 2. Come, ye sad and fearful-hearted,<br>With glad smile and radiant brow:<br>Lent's long shadows have departed;<br>All His woes are over now,<br>And the passion that He bore:<br>Sin and pain can vex no more. | 4. He is risen, He is risen:<br>He hath opened heaven's gate:<br>We are free from sin's dark prison,<br>Risen to a holier state;<br>And a brighter Easter beam<br>On our longing eyes shall stream.            |
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Easter Chimes (Violin, Violincello and Organ)

*Otis*

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## The Choir

### Sopranos

Miss Marie Becker, Solo  
Miss Anne Ballmann  
Miss Elba Butts  
Miss Virginia Butts  
Miss Mildred Paule  
Miss Dorothy Zimmer

### Altos

Mrs. E. C. Marting, Solo  
Miss Blanche Hennessy  
Miss Josephine Newberry  
Miss Edith Varney

### Tenors

Mr. Benjamin G. Symon  
Mr. Wallace Bassford  
Mr. C. C. Culbertson  
Mr. J. H. Evans  
Mr. C. A. Rosenbaum

### Basses

Mr. Arthur Brigham, Solo  
Mr. Wesley Becker  
Mr. Paul Biven  
Mr. Clark Clifford  
Mr. Roland Wise

Crucifer: William C. D'Arcy, Jr.  
Flag Bearer: Harvey W. Watt

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