

ALL SAINTS' MEMORIAL CHURCH

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The Fifth Sunday of Easter



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birds of the air. I also heard a voice saying to me, 'Get up, Peter; kill and eat.' But I replied, 'By no means, Lord; for nothing profane or unclean has ever entered my mouth.' But a second time the voice answered from heaven, 'What God has made clean, you must not call profane.' This happened three times; then everything was pulled up again to heaven. At that very moment three men, sent to me from Caesarea, arrived at the house where we were. The Spirit told me to go with them and not to make a distinction between them and us. These six brothers also accompanied me, and we entered the man's house. He told us how he had seen the angel standing in his house and saying, 'Send to Joppa and bring Simon, who is called Peter; he will give you a message by which you and your entire household will be saved.' And as I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell upon them just as it had upon us at the beginning. And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said, 'John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.' If then God gave them the same gift that he gave us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I that I could hinder God?" When they heard this, they were silenced. And they praised God, saying, "Then God has given even to the Gentiles the repentance that leads to life."

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 148

BCP, p. 805-6

The Second Reading

Revelation 21:1-6

Eric Hirsch

I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

"See, the home of God is among mortals.

He will dwell with them as their God;

they will be his peoples,

and God himself will be with them;
he will wipe every tear from their eyes.
Death will be no more;
mourning and crying and pain will be no more,
for the first things have passed away."

And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life."

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Gradual Hymn *Come, my way, my truth, my life* **Hymnal #487**
The Holy Gospel **John 13:31-35**

At the last supper, when Judas had gone out, Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, 'Where I am going, you cannot come.' I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon **Rev. Julie Hanavan**
The Nicene Creed **BCP, p. 358**
Prayers of the People **Trish Blake**

In joy and hope let us pray:

That our risen Savior may fill us with the joy of his glorious and life-giving resurrection, we pray to the Lord.

Hear our prayer.

That the church may find fresh strength in the good news of Easter, we pray to the Lord.

Hear our prayer.

That God may grant us humility to walk in the way of Christ's love, we pray to the Lord.

Hear our prayer.

For those who lack food, work, or shelter, we pray to the Lord.

Hear our prayer.

That by God's power war and famine may cease throughout the world. We pray for the Ukrainian people; we pray to the Lord.

Hear our prayer.

We pray for our fellow parishioners Derek, Gus, Marie, Trish, Victor, Rose, Susan, Gloria, Dan Nagle, Ernie, and Musa. We also pray for Dorothea Evans Gordon, Mary Tryforos, Margaret Barney, Michael Blake, Clarence Scott, Germaine, Naida Thomas, Merynn Flynn, Karen L., Stephen, Barbara K., Rena, Lusaynie Sirleaf, Charlie Moss, and Jaime Bernardo.

May Christ may reveal the light of his presence to the sick, those who are struggling, and the dying, to comfort and strengthen them, we pray to the Lord.

Hear our prayer.

That, according to God's promises, all who have died in the faith of the resurrection may be raised on the last day, we pray to the Lord.

Hear our prayer.

We pray for all who work for peace and members of our armed forces.

We pray for those who celebrate birthdays this week especially Ferd Jones, Cora Nagle, and Erin Moniz.

Look with favor, we pray, on your servants Ferd, Cora, and Erin as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives.

Hear our prayer

That God may send the fire of the Holy Spirit upon us so that we may bear faithful witness to the resurrection, we pray to the Lord.

Hear our prayer.

The Peace

Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

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| Offertory | <i>Sing unto the Lord a new song</i> | Giuseppi Pittoni |
| Presentation Hymn | <i>In Christ there is no East or West</i> | Hymnal #529 |
| The Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer B) | | BCP, p. 367 |
| Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy) | | Hymnal # S-125 |
| Memorial Acclamation B | | Hymnal # S-138 |
| The Lord's Prayer | | BCP, p. 364 |
| Breaking of the Bread | <i>Agnus Dei</i> | Community Mass p.6 |

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome! If visiting or a newcomer, please join us for Coffee Hour in Rose Hall following the service. Our restrooms are downstairs, next to Rose Hall. Please do not hesitate to ask an usher if you have any questions or concerns.

Food Collection: Each week All Saints' collects food to be distributed monthly to food pantries in our area. We welcome donations of cold cereals in May and packaged rice in June. If you are unable to contribute to the monthly theme, we always accept pre-packaged, shelf stable, non-expired food of any type. Thank you for your generosity.

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 18: Noonday Prayer/Faith Inquirers, 12:00 PM

May 18: Choir Rehearsal

May 21: Churchyard Redesign Work Party, 9:00-10:30

May 22: Outreach Meeting

May 27: Facilities Meeting