



# Christ Church Charlotte

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Third Sunday of Easter

April 30, 2017 · 7:30 AM

Holy Eucharist, Rite I

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## THE WORD OF GOD

### The Opening Acclamation

BCP 323

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

**People:** ***The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.***

### The Collect for Purity

BCP 323

### The Collect of the Day

BCP 173

O God, whose blessed Son did manifest himself to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open, we pray thee, the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in al lhis redeeming work; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and ever. ***Amen.***

### The First Reading: Acts 2:14a,36-41

Bible, pg. 1262

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**People:** ***Thanks be to God.***

### The Gospel: Luke 24:13-35

Bible, pg. 1234

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

**People:** ***Glory be to thee, O Lord.***

*After the Gospel is read,*

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

**People:** ***Praise be to thee, O Christ.***

### The Sermon

The Reverend Lisa Saunders

### The Nicene Creed

BCP 326

## The Easter Prayers of the People

Leader: O God, we pray that the joy and victory of Easter be celebrated throughout all creation;

**People: *Risen Lord, hear our prayer.***

Leader: May the reconciliation you won on the cross flourish among families, communities, and nations;

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**People: *Risen Lord, hear our prayer.***

Leader: As the empty tomb gave way to the risen Lord, may our hearts give way to God's gracious will in our lives;

**People: *All thanks and praise to you, risen Christ. Alleluia.***

*Parish intercessions are offered.*

Celebrant: Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people and grant that we who celebrate the Paschal feast with awe and wonder may be found worthy to attain everlasting joys; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

## The Peace *(standing)*

BCP 332

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### The Great Thanksgiving

BCP 340

### The Lord's Prayer

BCP 336

### The Breaking of the Bread

BCP 337

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

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

## The Communion

*All are invited to receive the bread and wine of Holy Communion. Gluten-free wafers are available.*

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## The Postcommunion Prayer

BCP 339

## The Blessing

## The Easter Dismissal

BCP 366

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

**People: *Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.***



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April 30, 2017 · 8:45 & 11:15 AM  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II

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**Prelude**, Prelude, Fugue, and Chaconne in C Major, BuxWV 137

Dieterich Buxtehude

**Hymn 205**, Good Christians all, rejoice and sing!

*Gelobt sei Gott*

## THE WORD OF GOD

### The Opening Acclamation

BCP 355

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

**People:** *The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.*

### The Collect for Purity

BCP 355

**Gloria**, S-280 (*The S- numbers are found in the front of the Hymnal.*)

Robert Powell

### The Collect of the Day

BCP 224

### The First Reading: Acts 2:14a,36-41

Bible, pg. 1262

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**People:** *Thanks be to God.*

At the 8:45 AM service, children may follow the banner for **Children's Chapel** in the Green Room, and will return during The Peace.

**Hymn 343**, Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless

St. Agnes

### The Gospel: Luke 24:13-35

Bible, pg. 1234

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**People:** *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

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### The Sermon

The Reverend Lisa Saunders

### The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

### The Easter Prayers of the People

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**The Peace** *(standing)*

BCP 360

### THE HOLY COMMUNION

**The Offertory**, Praise Our God

Andrew Moore

8:45am: Junior Youth Chorus & Queen City Youth Chorus

**Presentation Hymn 380 (v.3)**, Praise God, from whom all blessings flow

*Old 100th*

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;***

***Praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.***

**The Great Thanksgiving**

BCP 367

**Sanctus**, S-125

Richard Proulx

**The Lord's Prayer**

BCP 364

**The Breaking of the Bread**

BCP 364

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

**The Communion**

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**Communion Anthem**, Haec Dies

William Byrd

**The Postcommunion Prayer**

BCP 366

**The Blessing**

**Hymn 180**, He is risen, he is risen!

*Unser Herrscher*

**The Easter Dismissal**

BCP 366

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

**People: *Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.***

**Postlude**, Prelude No. 5 in D Major, Op. 34

Dmitri Shostakovich



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*Congregational hymnals used: The Hymnal 1982 and The Faith We Sing (TFWS)*

## Music for Meditation *(seated)*

**TFWS 2216**, When We Are Called to Sing Your Praise

*Kingsfold*

**TFWS 2260**, Let Us Be Bread

Thomas Porter

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### The Collect for Purity

***Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.***

**Hymn 178**, Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.

*Alleluia No. 1*

### The Collect of the Day

BCP 224

### The First Reading: Acts 2:14a,36-41

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**TFWS 2066**, Praise the Name of Jesus

Roy Hicks, Jr.

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The Reverend Marty Hedgpeth

### Nicene Creed

BCP 358

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## The Peace

## Announcements

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

**The Offertory, TFWS 2085,** He Came Down

Traditional Cameroon

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Old 100th

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**The Great Thanksgiving**

BCP 367

**Sanctus, S-125**

Richard Proulx

**The Lord's Prayer** *(sung)*

Ron Belt

As our Savior has taught us, we now pray:

***Our Father in heaven, holy is your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom and the power and the glory are yours, now and for ever.***

***Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.***

**The Breaking of the Bread**

BCP 364

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**Communion Hymn, TFWS 2265,** Time Now to Gather

Welcome Song

**The Postcommunion Prayer**

BCP 366

**The Blessing**

**Hymn 180,** He is risen, he is risen!

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