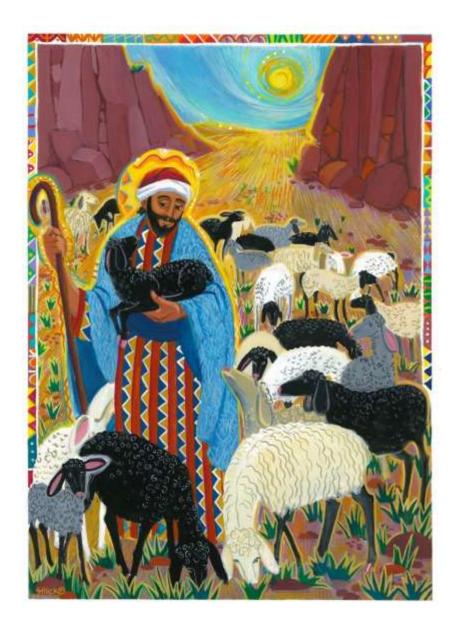
ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH BAYSIDE, NEW YORK



THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 21, 2024 10:00 Am Holy Baptism and Eucharist, Rite II



ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH 214-35 40th AVENUE, BAYSIDE, NY 11361 THE VERY REV. LAURENCE G. BYRNE, RECTOR THE REV. MARJORIE BOYDEN-EDMONDS, DEACON



WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS

Whether you are a first-time visitor, long-time parishioner, or somewhere in between, we are honored and enriched by your on-line or in-person presence this morning, and offer you a sincere welcome home to this parish church. Although many of us are *still* physically apart, we are together in heart and mind. The tomb could not hold God's Son; therefore, nothing can conquer God's people.

As we worship together, we encourage you to join fully in the prayers and hymns and to share in the Holy Communion. If you are at home, sing out the great hymns of the Church and make the responses out loud.

Should you be seeking a church to call your own, we hope that your search is over and that you will become a member of All Saints. Please be sure to sign the visitors book in the entryway.

Again, welcome, and may this be a most joyful Eastertide for you and all those whom you love.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST

Lisa Benedict, Carolina Castro, Ian Castro, Christon, Cardoso, Veronica Scanlon, Kristen Tonnesen and family, Paul Parfrey, Birgit Tonnesen, Che'ade Delotte-Bennett, Talley, Skylar and Zachary Matthews, Kem, Ruth Rutigliano, Joseph Tesar, Arlene Tesar, Virginia Presinal, Joseph Presinal, Jackie Smith, Mattie Cahill, Paul Kennedy and family. Rosemary Facchin, Andrea Bendanillo, Mary and Paul Vallieri, Rich Saphir, Ed Benedict, John Crowe, Mike DellaVecchia, Antonia DellaVecchia





THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 21, 2024

10:00AM BAPTISM AND HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

Prelude

Processional Hymn (H 296) We know that Christ is raised and dies no More

ENGELBERG



Opening Sentences

All standing, the Celebrant says People

Alleluia! Christ is risen! The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia! The Celebrant then continues There is one Body and one Spirit;
People There is one hope in God's call to us;
Celebrant One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;
People One God and Father of all.
Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Celebrant Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day: O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The First Lesson

The rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are

Acts 4:5-12

asked how this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. This Jesus is `the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone.' There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

> Reader: The Word of the Lord People: Thanks be to God

Psalm 23

Dominus regit me

- 1 The LORD is my shepherd; * I shall not be in want.
- 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures * and leads me beside still waters.
- 3 He revives my soul *

and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.

4 Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; * for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.



- 5 You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; * you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is running over.
- 6 Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, * and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

The Second Lesson

We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us- and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help?

Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not

I John 3:16-24

condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him.

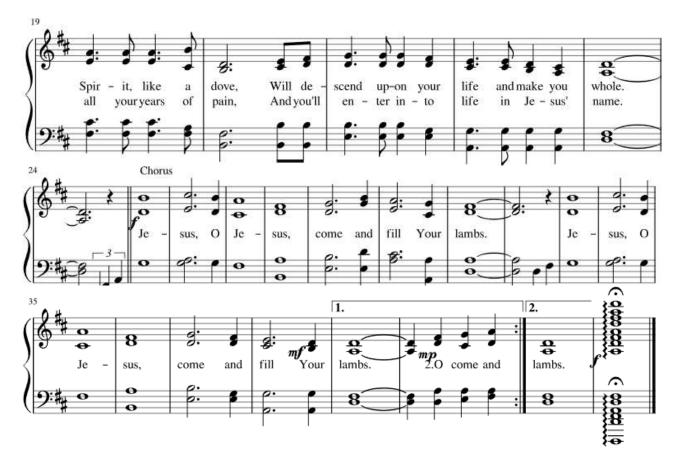
And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who obey his

commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God





Deacon: The Holy Gospel of the Lord of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke People: Glory to you, Lord Christ

The Holy Gospel

Jesus said, "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father.

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord

John 10:11-18

And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen



to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father."

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ

The Rev. Laurence G. Byrne

The Sermon



The Presentation and Examination of the Candidate

The Celebrant says The Candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Sponsors I present CHARLES OLUOCH to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

The Celebrant asks each candidate when presented Do you desire to be baptized? Candidate I do.

Then the Celebrant asks the following questions of the candidates who can speak for themselves and of the parents and godparents who speak on behalf of the infants and younger children

- *Question* Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God? *Answer* I renounce them.
- *Question* Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God? *Answer* I renounce them.
- *Question* Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God? *Answer* I renounce them.

Question Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior? Answer I do.

Question Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love? Answer I do.

- Question Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord? Answer I do.
- After all have been presented, the Celebrant addresses the congregation, saying: Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support Steven in his life in Christ?

People We will.

The Celebrant then says Let us join with Charles who is committing himself to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

The Baptismal Covenant

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father? People I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

 Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers ?

 People I will, with God's help.



- Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord? <u>People</u> I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ? People I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself? People I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being? People I will, with God's help.

The Prayers for the Candidates

The Celebrant then says to the congregation: Let us now pray for Charles who is to receive the Sacrament of new birth

A Person or persons appointed lead(s) the following petitions

Leader Deliver Charles , O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Open his heart to your grace and truth.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

- Leader Fill him with your holy and life-giving Spirit. People Lord, hear our prayer.
- *Leader* Keep Charles in the faith and communion of your holy Church. *People* Lord, hear our prayer.
- Leader Teach him to love others in the power of the Spirit.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Send him into the world in witness to your love.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Bring Charles to the fullness of your peace and glory.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

The Celebrant says Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for ever. *Amen.*

The Thanksgiving over the Water

The Celebrant blesses the water, first saying The Lord be with you.People And also with you.Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.People It is right to give him thanks and praise.



Celebrant We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water.

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The Baptism

The candidate is presented by name to the Celebrant, who then pours water upon, the candidate, saying

Charles, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Then the Bishop or Priest places a hand on the person's head, marking on the forehead the sign of the cross with Chrism Charles, you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever. **Amen.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon this your servant the forgiveness of sin, and have raised him to the new life of grace. Sustain him, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give him an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. *Amen.*

When all have been baptized, the Celebrant says Let us welcome the newly baptized.

Celebrant and People We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.

As the baptismal party returns to the paschal candle, the congregation is sprinkled with holy water as a reminder of their own baptism

The Baptisand may be given a taper lit from the paschal candle with these or similar words: Receive this candle as a reminder that you are to be a bearer of the light of Christ in the world.

The PeaceCelebrantThe peace of the Lord be always with you.PeopleAnd also with you.Welcome and Announcements



The Offertory

In addition to our silver alms basins, we're passing the virtual offering plate! If you would like to make an online donation, please visit <u>www.allsaintsepiscopalbayside.org and click on the donate tab. Thank you!</u>



Offertory Hymn (H 412)

Earth and All Stars

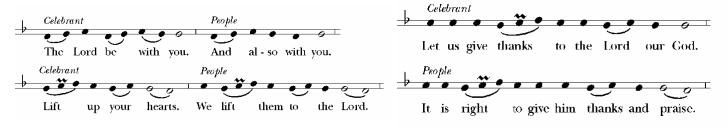
EARTH AND ALL STARS



The Doxology (H380)

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer B



The Celebrant proceeds It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth ...

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



Sanctus

The people stand or kneel. The Celebrant continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son.... Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People:

We remember his death. ♥ We proclaim his resurrection. ♥ We await his coming in glory.

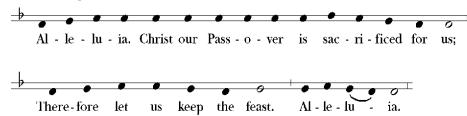
The Celebrant continues.

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.... By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN*.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread





Hymnal S-130



The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died and rose for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

🍪 <u>The Communion of the Faithful</u> 🍪

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Communion will be distributed at the foot of the chancel steps. Those worshipping remotely are invited to the act of Spiritual Communion which will be on your screen.

Communion Hymn (H 645)

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

ST. COLUMBA





After Communion, the Celebrant says, Let us pray together:

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen. The Blessing

May Almighty God, who has redeemed us and made us his children through the resurrection of his Son our Lord, bestow upon you the riches of his blessing. *Amen.*

May God, who through the water of baptism has raised us from sin into newness of life, make you holy and worthy to be united with Christ for ever. *Amen.*

May God, who has brought us out of bondage to sin into true and lasting freedom in the Redeemer, bring you to your eternal inheritance. *Amen.*

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you this day and for evermore. *Amen.*

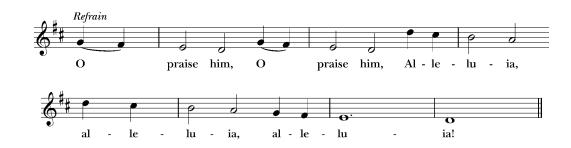
Recessional Hymn (H 492)

All Creatures of Our God and King

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Dismissal Go in peace to love and serve the Lord, Alleluia, Alleluia Thanks be to God, Alleluia, Alleluia

Postlude



<u>Liturgical Gifts</u>

The altar flowers are given by Tian Pian and Xiao Wang to the glory of God and in celebration of their third wedding anniversary. 承 The Sanctuary Lamp is given by Susan and Paul Parfrey to the glory of God and in loving memory of Josephine Dumas 承 The Vigil Lamp is given by Kathleen Ramsay to the glory of God and in loving memory of Tom Ramsay.

There is availability for liturgical gifts throughout the year. To offer a thank-offering or memorial, please call the parish office.



<u>Coffee Hour Plus</u>



All are invited to celebrate Charles, Bayside's newest Christian, at a 'baptism brunch" following the service. (Please be a little patient as our hosts are wearing many hats this morning!) Charles's baptismal sponsors (godparents) are Susan Byrne and Andrew Hornback

Deanery Pentecost Celebration



As we have in the past, the deanery churches will be gathering to celebrate Pentecost together on Sunday, May 19th. All Saints will be hosting this year and St. John's in 2025. The service will be followed by a pot-luck brunch. Would someone be willing to coordinate the brunch?

Altar Guild Recognition Next Sunday

Please plan to be here next Sunday to celebrate the All Saints Altar Guild. Their ministry strengthens us all and we do not thank them often enough!



On the Cover: Jesus the Good Shepherd by Vicki Shuck

