

# St. Mark's Episcopal Church

Alexandria, Virginia

*We warmly welcome those who worship with us today.*

## Seventh Sunday of Easter

### Mother's Day

May 8, 2016

#### Prelude

#### Processional Hymn

*Hail Thee, Festival Day!*

Hymnal #216

#### Refrain

*Hail thee, festival day!*

*Blest day that art hallowed forever;*

*Day when the Holy Ghost*

*Shone in the world with God's grace.*

1. Lo in the likeness of fire,  
On those who await his appearing,

He whom the Lord foretold

Suddenly, swiftly descends:

*Refrain*

2. Forth from the Father he comes  
With sevenfold mystical offering,

Pouring on all human souls

Infinite riches of God:

*Refrain*

3. Hark! for in myriad tongues

Christ's own, his chosen apostles

Preach to the ends of the earth

Christ and his wonderful works:

*Refrain*

4. Praise to the Spirit of Life,

All praise to the fount of our being,

Light that dost lighten all,

Life that in all dost abide:

*Refrain*

#### Opening Acclamation

*Glory to God (2x)*

Taizé #16

*Gloria, Gloria, in excelsis Deo!*

*Gloria, Gloria, alleluia, alleluia!*

#### The Collect of the Day

*(from the insert)*

#### The Lesson

Acts 16:16-34

*(from the insert)*

#### The Psalm

Psalm 97

*(from the insert)*

#### The Epistle

Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

*(from the insert)*

**Sequence Hymn**

*My Song Is Love Unknown*

Hymnal #458 (Vs. 1, 2, 7)

- 1. My song is love unknown,  
my Savior's love to me,  
love to the loveless shown  
that they might lovely be.  
O who am I that for my sake  
my Lord should take frail flesh and die?
- 2. He came from his blest throne  
salvation to bestow,  
but men made strange, and none  
the longed-for Christ would know.  
But O my friend, my friend indeed,  
who at my need, his life did spend.

7. Here might I stay and sing,  
no story so divine:  
never was love, dear King,  
never was grief like thine.  
This is my friend, in whose sweet praise  
I all my days could gladly spend.

**The Gospel**

John 17:20-26

*(from the insert)*

**The Sermon**

The Rev. John A. Weatherly

**The Nicene Creed**

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**Prayers of the People**

*(from the insert)*

**The Peace (stand)**

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**Announcements (8 a.m.)**

## **The Holy Communion**

**The Offertory Anthem**

Flute Solo by Doug Varner

**Presentation of Gifts (sung)**

Tune: Hymnal #178 (Vs. 1)

Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.  
Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his Name.  
Jesus is Lord of all the earth. He is the King of creation.  
Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.  
Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his Name.

**The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer C**

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**Sanctus**

*Holy, holy, holy Lord*

WLP #858

**The Lord's Prayer**

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**The Breaking of the Bread**

*All baptized persons are invited to receive communion.*

**Fraction Anthem (2x)**

*Jesus Christ Bread of Life*

Taizé #143

*Jesus Chris, Risen Lord come to him and never be hungry  
Jesus Christ, Risen Lord trust in him and you will not thirst.*

**Communion Hymn***Now the Silence, Now the Peace*

Hymnal #333

Now the silence, now the peace,  
 Now the empty hands uplifted;  
 Now the kneeling, now the plea,  
 Now the Father's arms in welcome;  
 Now the hearing, now the power,  
 Now the vessel brimmed for pouring;  
 Now the body, now the blood,

Now the joyful celebration;  
 Now the wedding, now the songs,  
 Now the heart forgiven, leaping;  
 Now the Spirit's visitation,  
 Now the Son's epiphany;  
 Now the Father's blessing,  
 Now, now, now.

**Prayer after Communion**

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**Announcements (10 a.m.)****The Blessing****Recessional Hymn***See the Conqueror Mounts in Triumph*

Hymnal #215

1. See the Conqueror mounts in triumph;  
 see the King in royal state,  
 riding on the clouds, his chariot,  
 to his heavenly palace gate!  
 Hark! The choirs of angel voices joyful  
 alleluias sing, and the portals high are lifted  
 to receive their heavenly King.
2. He who on the cross did suffer  
 he who from the grave arose,  
 he has vanquished sin and Satan;  
 he by death has spoiled his foes.  
 While he lifts his hands in blessing,  
 he is parted from his friends;  
 while their eager eyes behold him,  
 he upon the clouds ascends.
3. Thou hast raised our human nature  
 on the clouds to God's right hand:  
 there we sit in heavenly places,  
 there with thee in glory stand.  
 Jesus reigns, adored by angels;  
 Man with God is on the throne;  
 mighty Lord, in thine ascension,  
 we by faith behold our own.

**The Dismissal****Postlude**

**Please join us for coffee and fellowship in our Parish Hall following the service.**

**Remember to wear your name tags!**

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**2016 Vestry**

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**Serving:** Kathy Hughes (*Fellowship*), Rosemary Kley (*Outreach*), Velma Scott-Boyle (*Newcomers*), Mary Stockstill (*Pastoral Care*)

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Mari Gibson - Sexton – Francisco Robles – Accountant – Mike Morgan

**This Sunday, May 8, 2016**

**Next Sunday, May 15, 2016**

	<u>8:00 A.M.</u>	<u>10:00 A.M.</u>		<u>8:00 A.M.</u>	<u>10:00 A.M.</u>
<b>LEM</b>	Jackie Cerio	Pamela Smith Jim Bailes	<b>LEM</b>	Alan Bentrup	Mike Foughty Susan Byers
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<b>Altar Guild</b>		Donna Anderson Kathy Hughes	<b>Altar Guild</b>		Linda Berg Janet Davis
<b>Greeters</b>		Delta Youngquist	<b>Greeters</b>		Margo Chisholm
<b>Ushers</b>		Nihal Masih Michael Parris	<b>Ushers</b>		Jimmy Bailes Mary Jane Stockstill
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