

St. Mark's Episcopal Church

Alexandria, Virginia

We warmly welcome those who worship with us today.

The Third Sunday of Easter

April 15, 2018

Prelude

Opening Hymn

Good Christians All Rejoice and Sing Hymnal #205(vs. 1,3,4,5)

1. Good Christians all, rejoice and sing!
Now is the triumph of our King!
To all the world glad news we bring:
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

3. Praise we in songs of victory that love,
That love which life cannot die,
and sing with hearts lifted high,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

4. Your Name we bless, O risen Lord
and sing today with one accord
the life laid down, the life restored:
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

5. To God the Father, God the Son,
to God the Spirit, always One,
We sing for life in us begun,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Opening Acclamation

The Collect of the Day

(from the insert)

The Lesson

Acts 3:12-19

(from the insert)

The Psalm

Psalm 4

(from the insert)

The Epistle

1 John 3: 1-7

(from the insert)

Sequence Hymn

Christ Is Alive!

Hymnal #182(vs. 1-3)

1. Christ is alive! Let Christians sing.
His cross stands empty to the sky.
Let streets and homes with praises ring.
His love in death shall never die.

2. Christ is alive! No longer bound,
To distant years in Palestine,
He comes to claim the here and now,
And conquer every place and time.

3. Not throned above, remotely high,
untouched, unmoved by human pains,
but daily, in the midst of life,
our Savior with the Father reigns.

Priest:	The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke	
<i>All:</i>	<i>Glory to You, Lord Christ</i>	
The Gospel	Luke 24:36b-48	<i>(from the insert)</i>
Priest:	The Gospel of the Lord.	
<i>All:</i>	<i>Praise to you, Lord Christ.</i>	
The Sermon		The Rev. Michaelene Miller
The Nicene Creed		BCP p. 358
Prayers of the People, Form VI		BCP p. 392
The Peace (stand)		BCP p. 360
Announcements (8:00)		

Holy Communion

The Offertory *Christians on This Day of Gladness* by J. S. Bach (soloist: Candace Fisher)

Presentation of Gifts 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 A BCP p. 361

Sanctus (sung) Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord WLP #858

The Lord's Prayer BCP p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

All baptized persons are invited to receive communion.

Fraction Anthem *Jesus Christ, Bread of Life* Taizé #143

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

Communion Hymn *The Lamb's High Banquet* Hymnal #202

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| 1. The Lamb's high banquet called to share,
Arrayed in garments white and fair,
The Red Sea past, we now would sing
To Jesus our triumphant King. | 2. Protected in the Paschal night,
From the destroying angel's might
In triumph went the ransomed free,
From Pharaoh's cruel tyranny. |
| 3. Now Christ our Passover is slain,
The Lamb of God without a stain;
His flesh, the true unleavened bread,
Is freely offered in our stead. | 4. O all sufficient Sacrifice,
Beneath thee hell defeated lies,
Thy captive people are set free,
And crowns of life restored in thee. |

5. All praise be thine, O risen Lord,
From death to endless life restored;
All praise to God the Father be
And Holy Ghost eternally.

Prayer after Communion
Recessional Hymn

He is Risen, He is Risen!

BCP p. 365
Hymnal #180

1. He is risen, he is risen!
Tell it out with joyful voice:
He has burst his three days' prison;
Let the whole wide earth rejoice:
Death is conquered, we are free,
Christ has won the victory.

2. Come, ye sad and fearful hearted,
With glad smile and radiant brow.
Death's long shadow have departed,
Jesus' woes are over now,
and the passion that He bore,
Sin and pain can vex no more.

3. Come, with high and holy hymning,
Hail our Lord's triumphant day;
Not one darksome cloud is dimming
Yonder glorious morning ray,
Breaking over the purple east:
Symbol of our Easter feast.

4. He is risen, He is risen,
He hath opened Heaven's gate,
We are free from sin's dark prison,
Risen to a holier state,
and a brighter Easter beam
On our longing eyes shall stream.

The Dismissal
Postlude

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



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Worship: TBD

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Worship Service Volunteers

LEMs

4/15/18 Jim Bailes/Susan Byers

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4/15/18 Jean Hunt/Noah Caliendo

4/22/18 Doug Varner/Michael Foughty

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4/15/18 Wilhelmina Scott-Boyle

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Flower Guild

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4/22/18 Delsa Chui

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4/22/18 Len Slobodin/Linda Larson

Vestry Person

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