Gathering - Jesus Christ, Is Risen Today

EASTER HYMN

1. Jesus Christ is ris'n to-day, 
   Al-le-lu-ia!
2. Hymns of praise then let us sing, 
   Al-le-lu-ia!
3. Sing we to our God above, 
   Un-to Christ, our heav'n-ly King, 
   Praise e-ter-nal as his love, 
   Who did once up'on the cross, 
   Who en-dured the cross and grave, 
   Suf-fer to re-deem our loss. 
   Sin-ners to re-deem and save. 
   Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost.

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. 
We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, 
You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, With the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Gloria - Glory to God

Carroll T. Andrews

Text: Charles Wesley. Music: Lyra Davidica

First Scripture – Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37–43

We ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead.

Responsorial – Psalm 118: This Is the Day

Michael Joncas


Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his mercy endures forever; 
Let the house of Israel say: “His mercy endures forever.”
The Lord’s right hand has struck with power, the Lord’s right hand is exalted; I shall not die, but live and declare the works of the Lord.
The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone, By the Lord has this been done; it is wonderful in our eyes!

Second Scripture – Colossians 3:1–4

Seek what is above, where Christ is.

Easter Sequence – Christians, to the Paschal Victim

Victimae Paschali

Christians, praise the Paschal Victim! 
Offer thankful sacrifice! Christ the Lamb has saved the sheep, Christ the just one paid the price, Reconciling sinners to the Father.

Death and life fought bitterly For this wondrous victory; The Lord of life who died reigns glorified!

O Mary, come and say what you saw at break of day. “The empty tomb of my living Lord! I saw Christ Jesus risen and adored! Bright angels testified, Shroud and grave clothes side by side!

“Yes, Christ my hope rose gloriously. He goes before you into Galilee,” Share the good news, sing joyfully: His death is victory!

Lord Jesus, Victor King, Show us mercy. Amen. Alleluia!

Text: Wipo of Burgundy. Music: Chant, Mode I.
Gospel Acclamation - Easter Alleluia

Verse: See how salvation for all has been won. Up from the grave our new Life has begun. Life now perfected in Jesus, the Son: Alleluia!

Music: chant, Mode II

Gospel – John 20:1-9

He had to rise from the dead.

Renewal of Baptismal Promises

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of Gifts

Eucharistic Acclamations - Mass of Creation

HOLY


Prayer For Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, Come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as You are already there; I unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Communion - Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks

Jesus is Lord of all the earth. He is the King of creation. Spread the good news o’er all the earth: Jesus has died and has risen. Come, let us praise the living God, Joyfully sing to our Savior.

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Mission Forth - Alleluia! Alleluia!

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