

A parish for all people in the heart of the city.

❖ THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER ❖ EARTH DAY



❖ APRIL 19, 2026 ❖ 8:00 & 10:00 AM ❖

WELCOME TO GRACE!

We are glad you are with us! Grace Memorial is part of the Jesus Movement in the Episcopal Way. We are a community of story, symbol, service, and song. We are a church of people with and without disabilities. Those who need to vocalize or move during the service are welcome to do so. Please let us know that you are here by filling out a newcomer card and giving it to an usher or clergy person – or by saying “hi” in the YouTube chat.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

Children are welcome and expected throughout the service. For those families who would prefer it, nursery care is available beginning at 9am in the Nursery downstairs. For older children, Church School gathers in the Mason Burnham room after the service’s opening collect (i.e., opening prayer).

SERVICE TIMES AND LOCATIONS

Sundays in the Sanctuary

8:00am - **Holy Eucharist Rite I**
Spoken Service

10:00am - **Choral Eucharist Rite II***

Weekdays in the Chapel

Thursdays 9:30am
Holy Eucharist Rite II

*** Hybrid Service**

both in the Nave and on YouTube

❖ THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER ❖

8:00 AM ❖ HOLY EUCHARIST RITE I
YEAR A

*Today's readings can be found at www.Lectionarypage.net
The Service begins on page 323 in the Book of Common Prayer found in the pew racks.*

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

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 all his 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 for ever. Amen.

Opening Sentences	BCP pg. 323
The Collect of the Day	BCP pg. 173
First Reading	Acts 2:14a,36-41
Psalm 116:1-3	BCP pg. 759
Second Reading	1 Peter 1:17-23
The Holy Gospel	Luke 24:13-35
Sermon	The Reverend Canon Dr. Richard Toll
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❖ THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER ❖

10:00 AM ❖ HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II
BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER – YEAR A

*Today's readings can be found at www.Lectionarypage.net. The Service begins on page 355 in the Book of
Common Prayer found in the pew racks. The Online Book of Common Prayer can be found here:
<https://www.bcponline.org>. Hymns can be found in the Blue Hymnal in the pew rack.
The "S-numbers" are found in the front of the blue Hymnal.*

PRELUDE ❖ *Christ ist erstanden (Christ is risen)*

J.K.F. Fischer

WELCOME ❖

OPENING 175 ❖ *Hail thee, festival day! (Lo, the fair beauty of earth)*

OPENING ACCLAMATION ❖

Presider Alleluia. Christ is risen.

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

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY ❖

All

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.

SONG OF PRAISE ❖ *O Praise ye the Lord!*

Laudate Dominum; Tune: Hymn 432

O praise ye the Lord! Thanks - giv-ing and song to God be out -
 poured all a-ges a - long! For love in cre - a-tion, for
 hea-ven re - stored, for grace of sal - va - tion, O praise ye the Lord!

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY ❖

BCP pg. 224

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

O God, whose blessed Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People **Amen.**

❖ PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD ❖

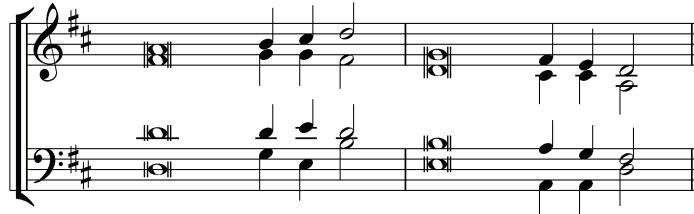
FIRST READING ❖ *Acts 2:14a, 36-41*

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

People **Thanks be to God.**



tone: DUKE STREET



- 1 I love the LORD,...because the LORD has heard the voice of my [sup]-plication, *
and inclined an ear to me whenever [I] cried out.
- 2 The cords of death entangled me;... the grip of the [grave] took hold of me; *
I came to [grief] and sorrow.
- 3 Then I called upon the [name of] the LORD: *
"O LORD, I pray you, [save] my life."

Antiphon

- 10 How shall I re-[pay] the LORD *
for all the good things you have {done} for me?
- 11 I will lift up the [cup of] salvation *
and call upon the [name of] the LORD.
- 12 I will fulfill my [vows to] the LORD *
in the presence of all the [cho]-sen people.

Antiphon

- 13 Precious in [your sight], O LORD *
is the [death of] your servants.
- 14 O LORD, [I am] your servant; *
I am your servant and the child of your handmaid; ...you have freed me [from] my bonds.
- 15 I will offer you the sacrifice [of] thanksgiving *
and call upon the [name of] the LORD.
- 16 I will fulfill my [vows to] the LORD *
in the presence of [all] the people,
- 17 In the courts of the [LORD's] house, *
in the midst of you, O Jerusalem. ... [Hal]-lelujah!

Antiphon

SECOND READING ❖ *1 Peter 1:17-23*

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
People **Thanks be to God.**

1. On the jour - ney to Em - ma - us with our
 2. And our hearts burned with - in us as we
 3. And that eve - ning at ta - ble as he
 4. On our jour - ney to Em - ma - us, in our

hearts cold as stone— The One who would
 talked on the way, How all that was
 blessed and broke bread, We knew it was
 stor - ies and feast, With Je - sus we

save us had left us a - lone. Then a
 pro - mised was ours on that day. So we
 Je - sus a - ris'n from the dead; Though he
 claim that the great - est is least: And his

stran - ger walks with us and, to our sur -
 begged him, "Stay with us and grant us your
 van - ished be - fore us we knew he was
 words burn with - in us— let none be ig -

prise, word." He o - pens our
 near - We wel - comed the
 nored— The life in our
 Who wel - comes the

stor - ies and he o - pens our eyes.
 stran - ger and we wel - comed the Lord.
 dy - ing and the hope in our fear.
 stran - ger shall wel - come the Lord.

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THE HOLY GOSPEL ❖ *Luke 24:13-35*

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

SERMON ❖
A time of silence for reflection follows the sermon.

The Reverend Canon Doctor Richard Toll

People

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE ❖

People Response: **Merciful God, help us keep your planet and people in peace.**

Remembering especially: George and Judy Fleming, Lee Ann Snyder, Layla, Rami, Jo Bronson, Mike, Antoine Erhardt, and for those whose needs are known to God alone.

For Donald, our President; Tina, our Governor; and Keith, our Mayor.

For peace and protection for the people of Ukraine, Russia, Palestine, Israel, Iran, Lebanon and Sudan.

For Sarah, Archbishop of Canterbury; Sean, our Presiding Bishop; Diana, our Bishop; the clergy here at Grace Memorial and the clergy at our companion parish, Trinity Cathedral in Monrovia Liberia.

For Matt Haines, our seminarian.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma)

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: St. Andrew, Florence

We remember the deceased: Karen Ormsby, Nick and Priscilla Cowell, Rosco, Rusty, Ruth Higgenbotham, Jorge Bergoglio, Sybil Grissom, Dan, Phyllis Moquist, Alta Acosta, Larry Snyder, Chris Maas, Alvin Ditty, Darryl Holland, William Thomas Harvey, Mary Walker, Randy Shelby, Hal Phillips, Bengt Ageros, John Conway, Peter J. Kelly, Jane Goodall, Stacey Hicks, Comfort Peabody, Maddie Harris, Jim Boston, Cabby Tennis, and Dawne Gerhart.

Intercessor: Creator, Redeemer and Loving God, bless us as we celebrate the risen Lord. All this we pray. And the people say, **Amen.**

THE PEACE ❖

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The People greet one another in the name of Christ.

❖ CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST ❖

THE OFFERING ❖

Representatives of the congregation bring the people's offerings to the Altar.

At the Offertory we give thanks for God's many blessings in our lives. We invite you to make a generous financial gift. You may place cash or a check in the offering plate, visit grace-memorial.org, or scan the adjacent QR code. If you give online or via another means, please place an offering card in the offering plate as a symbol of your gift.



OFFERTORY ANTHEM ❖ O Sacrum convivium

Thomas Pavlechko

O sacrum convivium!
in quo Christus sumitur:
recolitur memoria passionis eius:
mens impletur gratia:
et futurae gloriae nobis pignus datur.
Alleluia.

O sacred banquet!
in which Christ is received,
the memory of his Passion is renewed,
the mind is filled with grace,
and a pledge of future glory to us is given.
Alleluia.

PRESENTATION HYMN ❖ Thank you, God for water, soil and air

1 Thank you, God, for wa - ter, soil, and air, large gifts sup - port - ing
2 Thank you, God, for min - er - als and ores, the ba - sis of all
3 Thank you, God, for price - less en - er - gy, stored in each at - om,
4 Thank you, God, for weav - ing na - ture's life in - to a seam - less
5 Thank you, God, for mak - ing plan - et earth a home for us and

ev - ery - thing that lives. For - give our spoil - ing and a - buse of
build - ing, wealth, and speed. For - give our reck - less plun - der - ing and
gath - ered from the sun. For - give our greed and care - less - ness of
robe, a frag - ile whole. For - give our haste that tam - pers un - a -
a - ges yet un - born. Help us to share, con - sid - er, save, and

them. Help us re - new the face of the earth.
waste. Help us re - new the face of the earth.
power. Help us re - new the face of the earth.
ware. Help us re - new the face of the earth.
store. Come and re - new the face of the earth.

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MUSIC: John Weaver (1937-)

AMSTEIN
9.10.10.9.

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Presider

Glory and honor are yours, Creator of all, your Word has never been silent; you called a people to yourself, as a light to the nations, you delivered them from bondage and led them to a land of promise...

...And so, remembering all that was done for us: the cross, the tomb, the resurrection and ascension, longing for Christ's coming in glory, and presenting to you these gifts your earth has formed and human hands have made, we acclaim you, O Christ:

Presider
& People

**Dying, you destroyed our death.
Rising, you restored our life.
Christ Jesus, come in glory!**

The Presider continues

Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts of bread and wine that they may be to us the Body and Blood of your Christ. Grant that we, burning with your Spirit's power, may be a people of hope, justice and love.

Giver of Life, draw us together in the Body of Christ, and in the fullness of time gather us with all your people into the joy of our true eternal home.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, we worship you our God and Creator in voices of unending praise.

All

Blessed are you now and for ever. Amen.

Presider

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

THE LORD'S PRAYER ❖

BCP pg. 364, music: Gordon Light

Our Fa-ther in hea - ven, hal-owed be your name; your_

king - dom come, your_ will be done on_ earth, as in heav'n.

Give us to - day our_ dai - ly bread; for - give us our sins as_

we for - give those who_ sin a - gainst us. Save us from the

time of trial, and de - li - ver us from e - vil. For the
king - dom, the pow - er, and the glo - ry are yours;
now and for - ev - er. A - men.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD ❖

A period of silence is kept.

FRACTION ANTHEM ❖

This setting is not used in Lent.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;
there - fore let us keep the feast.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God.

MINISTRATION OF THE SACRAMENT ❖

Share the gifts

If you know the brokenness of life, then you have participated in the broken body of Christ, and you are invited to share in the breaking of bread. If you desire to know the love of God that overcomes apathy, alienation, and despair, then you are invited to share in the cup of the new covenant. The bread is received in the open palm. It is usual Anglican practice to drink the wine from the common cup. Intinction (i.e., the practice of dipping the bread into the chalice) is not permitted. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest. The bread is gluten-free at the 10am service.

Prayer and Laying On of Hands for Healing

If you wish a particular prayer for yourself or for someone else, you are invited to go to the prayer station located to the right of the altar. Give your first name and share your prayer need, and the prayer team will quietly offer prayers. Anything you share is confidential.

COMMUNION HYMN 385 ❖ *Many and great*

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER ❖

EOW1, pg. 69

Presider Let us pray.

*Presider
and People*

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & THANKSGIVINGS ❖

THANKSGIVING HYMN, WLP 824 ❖ *God grant them many years*

God grant them ma - ny years! God grant them ma - ny years!

God grant them ma - ny years!

BLESSING ❖

CLOSING HYMN 409 ❖ *The spacious firmament on high*

DISMISSAL ❖

Presider Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia. Alleluia.
People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

POSTLUDE ❖ *Fanfare in C*

Henry Purcell

Following the 10am service, join us for a wonderful Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall.

✦ THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR ✦

The flowers on the altar today are given to the Glory of God
in Loving Remembrance of Lanre Laniran (brother of Yetunde Laniran).

GRACE NEWS: Please submit your announcements for the bulletin and Grace Notes to the Office by Tuesday at 5pm.

Every Sunday @ 9am – Bible Study in the Chapel – Come join us and take an in-depth look at the upcoming lessons of our lectionary. Join us for an enriching look into our readings from Sunday to Sunday.

TONIGHT: Sunday, April 19 - Community Dinner at 5pm: All are welcome! Come help be a part of this important ministry at Grace. Set up is at 4:00pm. See Rev. Lara for more information.

Concert Series at Grace: Amadeus Chamber Orchestra - BAROQUE BY CANDLELIGHT on Tuesdays!
Tickets are \$35 and available at <https://www.amadeuspdx.org/> or at the door. *Arts for All* tickets are available too.

PASSING THE BATON: TUESDAY, APRIL 21ST 7PM. It's always such an honor to introduce young talent to our audience, and 12 year-old pianist Ellie Yoon is no exception. She joins us for a thrilling and poised concerto by Joseph Haydn. Also on the program are pieces by Mozart and Beethoven.

Earth Justice Film Series 2026: Stories to inspire: check out. For film info, details, dates, locations, and to register: <https://linktr.ee/earthjusticefilms>. *This is a film series recommended by the Grace Racial and Environmental Justice Team*
Next movie (The Politics of Beauty): **May 17 at 3pm:** INHABITANTS (Indigenous Perspectives On Restoring Our World)
See Bill Cassidy for more information.

Altar Flowers in April, May and June: Flowers are a special way to remember loved ones. If you would like to have flowers at the altar on a particular Sunday morning in memory/honor of someone, **please contact Jo Bronson** at peggybronson@gmail.com to reserve a date.

FROM OUR DIOCESE: Lots of wonderful things happening in our Diocese! Check out all the Opportunities and News in their weekly newsletter at ecwo.org: 2026 Summer Camp at Camp Cove, 2026 Safe Church Dates Announced, and more!

SERVING US TODAY

Presider • The Reverend Lara Halsey
Preacher • The Reverend Canon Dr. Richard Toll
Curate • The Reverend Lara Halsey
8am Lector & Intercessor • Kevin Walsh
10am Lectors • Susan Long, Kate Fuqua
10am Intercessor • Elyssa de la Cruz
Church School • Mariann McMahon
Crucifer & Torchbearers • The Acolyte Guild
Healing Ministry • The Rev. Dr. Corbet Clark, Myra Clark
Sacristans • The Altar Guild
Ushers • The Usher Guild
Organist/Choir Director • Susan J. Jensen
Digital Verger • Evelyn Prater

CLERGY & STAFF AT GRACE

The Rt. Rev. Doctor Diana Akiyama • Bishop
The Rev. Martin Elfert • Rector
The Rev. Stephen V. Schneider • Rector Emeritus
The Rev. Lara Halsey • Curate
The Rev. Dr. Corbet Clark • Associate Priest
The Rev. Canon Dr. Richard Toll • Associate Priest
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Martha Humphrey (2027)
Shannon Jones (2028)
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Andre Pruitt (2029)
Jennifer Traeger (2028)

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CLERGY OFFICE HOURS

Please note this week the clergy are away this week at The Episcopal Diocese of Oregon Clergy Conference, Monday, April 20 – Wednesday, April 22.

Rev. Martin Elfert

Wednesdays 9:30am – 11:30am
Thursdays 2pm – 4pm

Rev. Lara Halsey

Mondays 1pm – 5pm

GRACE CALENDAR

<https://grace-memorial.org/campus-calendar/>

Sunday, April 19 @ 5pm

Community Dinner in the Parish hall

Sunday, April 19 @ 7:30pm

Mt Tabor Al-Anon meets in the Ella Brown room

Tuesday, April 21 @ 7am

Faith and Freedom Al-Anon meets in the Parish Hall

Tuesday, April 21 @ 7pm

Amadeus Chamber Orchestra concert

Tuesday, April 21 @ 7pm

GA meets in the Choir room

Wednesday, April 22 @ 8pm

Compline on zoom

Thursday, April 23 @ 9:30am

Holy Eucharist in the Chapel

Thursday, April 23 @ 10am - 12noon

Grace Garden Club

Thursday, April 23 @ 12noon – 3pm

St. Mary's Guild in the Mason Burnham Room

Friday, April 24 @ 7am

Faith and Freedom Al-Anon meets in the Parish Hall

Saturday, April 25 @ 10:00am - 11:30am

Al-Anon One Step at a Time

