



EMMANUEL CHURCH

NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND

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May 15, 2022

The Fifth Sunday of Easter

Holy Eucharist Rite II

8:00 & 10:00 am

PRELUDE *Andantino* (Kleine Praeludien und Intermezzi, Op 9) Hermann Schroeder
HYMN 410 *Praise, my soul, the King of heaven*

THE WORD OF GOD

OPENING SENTENCES, *Book of Common Prayer page 355*

COLLECT FOR PURITY

GLORIA: Hymn S278

William Mathias

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant : Let us pray.

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

THE FIRST READING

Lector: A Reading from Acts.

Now the apostles and the believers who were in Judea heard that the Gentiles had also accepted the word of God. So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcised believers criticized him, saying, "Why did you go to uncircumcised men and eat with them?" Then Peter began to explain it to them, step by step, saying, "I was in the city of Joppa praying, and in a trance I saw a vision. There was something like a large sheet coming down from heaven, being lowered by its four corners; and it came close to me. As I looked at it closely I saw four-footed animals, beasts of prey, reptiles, and birds of the air. I also heard a voice saying to me, 'Get up, Peter; kill and eat.' But I replied, 'By no means, Lord; for nothing profane or unclean has ever entered my mouth.' But a second time the voice answered from heaven, 'What God has made clean, you must not call profane.' This happened three times; then everything was pulled up again to heaven. At that very moment three men, sent to me from Caesarea, arrived at the house where we were. The Spirit told me to go with them and not to make a distinction between them and us. These six brothers also accompanied me, and we entered the man's house. He told us how he had seen the angel standing in his house and saying, 'Send to Joppa and bring Simon,

who is called Peter; he will give you a message by which you and your entire household will be saved.' And as I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell upon them just as it had upon us at the beginning. And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said, 'John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.' If then God gave them the same gift that he gave us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I that I could hinder God?" When they heard this, they were silenced. And they praised God, saying, "Then God has given even to the Gentiles the repentance that leads to life."
-Acts 11:1-18

Lector: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

PSALM 148

- 1 Hallelujah!
Praise the Lord from the **heavens**; *
praise him in the **heights**.
- 2 Praise him, all you angels of **his**; *
praise him, all his **host**.
- 3 Praise him, sun and **moon**; *
praise him, all you shining **stars**.
- 4 Praise him, heaven of **heavens**, *
and you waters above the **heavens**.
- 5 Let them praise the Name of the **Lord**; *
for he commanded, and they were **created**.
- 6 He made them stand fast for ever and **ever**; *
he gave them a law which shall not pass **away**.
- 7 Praise the Lord from the **earth**, *
you sea-monsters and all **deeps**;
- 8 Fire and hail, snow and **fog**, *
tempestuous wind, doing his **will**;
- 9 Mountains and all **hills**, *
fruit trees and all **cedars**;
- 10 Wild beasts and all **cattle**, *
creeping things and winged **birds**;
- 11 Kings of the earth and all **peoples**, *
princes and all rulers of the **world**;
- 12 Young men and **maidens**, *
old and young **together**.

13 Let them praise the Name of the **Lord**, *
for his Name only is exalted, his splendor is over earth and **heaven**.
14 He has raised up strength for his people and praise for all his loyal **servants**, *
the children of Israel, a people who are near him. Halle**lujah!**

THE SECOND READING

Lector: A Reading from Revelation.

I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

"See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them as their God; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away."

And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life."
-Revelation 21:1-6

Lector: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

SEQUENCE: HYMN 581

Where charity and love prevail

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

At the last supper, when Judas had gone out, Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, 'Where I am going, you cannot come.' I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." *-John 13:31-35*

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

The Rev. Della Wager Wells

THE NICENE CREED, *Book of Common Prayer, page 358*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, Form I, *Book of Common Prayer, page 383.*

THE PEACE

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Lord, whose love, through humble service*

PRESENTATION HYMN *Doxology with alleluias*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him all creatures here below:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Praise Him above ye heavenly host.

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia!

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING, Eucharistic Prayer B, *Book of Common Prayer, page 367*

SURSUM CORDA: Hymn S120

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS: Hymn S128

William Mathias

THE LORD'S PRAYER: *Book of Common Prayer, page 364*

FRACTION ANTHEM: Hymn S169 *My flesh is food indeed*

Kevin Venancio, *cantor*

COMMUNION: HYMN 338 *Wherefore, O Father, we thy humble servants*

THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER, *Book of Common Prayer, page 365*

HYMN 210

The day of resurrection

POSTLUDE

Poco vivace (Kleine Praeludien und Intermezzi, Op 9)

Hermann Schroeder

Assisting in today's activities

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Church Potluck: May 19, 2022 at 6:00 pm. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend.