

St. Philip's Episcopal/Anglican Church

(The Diocese of Long Island)

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Mission Statement

“The mission of Saint Philip’s Church is to be a loving, caring and faithful congregation that is diverse, embracing others and committed to community service.”

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EASTER SUNDAY – RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

YEAR C- RITE II

Sunday, April 21, 2019

“This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.” God has indeed risen from the dead the one who was put to death “by hanging him on a tree.” Alleluia! God allows Jesus to appear “to us who were chosen by God as witnesses” in holy baptism and invites us to eat and drink at the table of the risen Christ. Alleluia!

ORDER OF SERVICE

THERE IS NO MUSIC BEFORE THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN.

The Lighting of the Paschal Candle

The Altar ministers will quietly gather in the rear of the church for the lighting of the Holy Fire and the Paschal Candle. The congregation will stand.

In the darkness, fire is kindled; after which the Celebrant may address the people in these or similar words

Celebrant: Dear friends in Christ: On this most holy night, in which our Lord Jesus passed over from death to life, the Church invites her members, dispersed throughout the world, to gather in vigil and prayer. For this is the Passover of the Lord, in which, by hearing his Word and celebrating his Sacraments, we share in his victory over death.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, through your Son you have bestowed upon your people the brightness of your light: Sanctify this new fire, and grant that in this Paschal feast we may so burn with heavenly desires, that with pure minds we may attain to the festival of everlasting light; through Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

The Paschal Candle is then lighted from the newly kindled fire, and the Deacon (the Celebrant if there is no deacon) bearing the Candle, leads the procession to the chancel, pausing three times and singing or saying:

Deacon: The light of Christ.

People: Thanks be to God.

The candles distributed to members of the congregation are lighted from the Paschal Candle at this time. Other candles and lamps in the church, except for those at the Altar, may also be lighted.



The Paschal Candle is placed in its stand.

The Deacon, or other person appointed, standing near the Candle, sings the Exsultet, as follows:

Deacon: Rejoice now, heavenly hosts and choirs of angels,
Rejoice now, heavenly hosts and choirs of angels,
and let your trumpets shout Salvation
for the victory of our mighty King.

Rejoice and sing now, all the round earth,
bright with a glorious splendor,
for darkness has been vanquished by our eternal King.

Rejoice and be glad now, Mother Church,
and let your holy courts, in radiant light,
resound with the praises of your people.

All you who stand near this marvelous and holy flame,
pray with me to God the Almighty
for the grace to sing the worthy praise of this great light;
through Jesus Christ his Son our Lord,
who lives and reigns with him,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Deacon: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Deacon: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Deacon: It is truly right and good, always and everywhere, with our
whole heart and mind and voice, to praise you, the invisible,
almighty, and eternal God, and your only-begotten Son,
Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who
at the feast of the Passover paid for us the debt of Adam's sin,
and by his blood delivered your faithful people.

This is the night, when you brought our fathers, the children
of Israel, out of bondage in Egypt, and led them through the
Red Sea on dry land.

This is the night, when all who believe in Christ are delivered
from the gloom of sin, and are restored to grace and holiness
of life.

This is the night, when Christ broke the bonds of death and hell, and rose victorious from the grave.

Holy Father, accept our evening sacrifice, the offering of this candle in your honor. May it shine continually to drive away all darkness. May Christ, the Morning Star who knows no setting, find it ever burning—he who gives his light to all creation, and who lives and reigns for ever and ever. Amen.

It is customary that the Paschal Candle burn at all services from Easter Day through the Day of Pentecost.

ORGAN PRELUDE (9:30AM only) *Organ Sonata No. 4 in B-Flat Major, Op. 65*
by Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

PROCESSIONAL HYMN “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today” HYMNAL # 207

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Celebrant: 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.*

Minister and People:

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS (Sung) HYMNAL # S280

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King
Almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sins of the world:
have mercy on us;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.
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.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

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O God, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection delivered us from the power of our enemy: Grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen.*

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Peter's sermon, delivered at home of Cornelius, a Roman officer, sums up the essential message of Christianity. Everyone who believes in Jesus, whose life, death, and resurrection fulfilled the words of the prophets, receives forgiveness of sins through his name.

Lector: A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

(Acts 10:34-43)

Then Peter began to speak to them: 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 118 *Confitemini Domino*

1 Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his mercy endures for ever.

2 Let Israel now proclaim,
"His mercy endures for ever."

14 The Lord is my strength and my song,
and he has become my salvation.

15 There is a sound of exultation and victory
in the tents of the righteous:

16 "The right hand of the Lord has triumphed!
the right hand of the Lord is exalted!"

- the right hand of the Lord has triumphed!"
- 17 I shall not die, but live,
and declare the works of the Lord.
- 18 The Lord has punished me sorely,
but he did not hand me over to death.
- 19 Open for me the gates of righteousness;
I will enter them; I will offer thanks to the Lord.
- 20 "This is the gate of the Lord;
he who is righteous may enter."
- 21 I will give thanks to you, for you answered me
and have become my salvation.
- 22 The same stone which the builders rejected
has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23 This is the Lord's doing,
and it is marvelous in our eyes.
- 24 On this day the Lord has acted;
we will rejoice and be glad in it.

SECOND READING

Paul describes the consequences of the resurrection , including the promise of new life in Christ to the world that has been in bondage to death. He celebrates the destruction of evil and the establishment of God's victorious rule over all.

Lector: A Reading from the first Letter of Paul to the Corinthians. (Corinth.15:19-26)

If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

Lector: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

GRADUAL HYMN

“The Strife Is O’er, the Battle Done”

HYMNAL#208

THE GOSPEL

This morning began with confusion: the stone was moved and the tomb was empty. Disciples arrive, then angels, finally Jesus himself. Out of the confusion, hope emerges, and a weeping woman becomes the first to confess her faith in the risen Lord.

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to John. (John 20:1-18)

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.' Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God." ' Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

After the of the Gospel the Celebrant says:

Celebrant: The Gospel of our Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON The Reverend Carver W. Israel

BAPTISM

HYMN (9:30AM only) "Shall We Gather at the River" LEVAS #141

The following question precedes the Baptismal Covenant.

Celebrant: Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

People: I do.

If there is to be a Baptism or Confirmation, the service continues, with the Presentation of the of the Candidates

PRESENTATION AND EXAMINATION OF THE CANDIDATE

Celebrant: The candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Then the candidates unable to answer for themselves are presented individually by their Parents and Godparents, as follows

Parents and Godparents: I present Isaac and Michael to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

The Celebrant asks the Parents and Godparents.

Celebrant: Will you be responsible for seeing that the children you presented are brought up in the Christian faith and life?

Parents and Godparent: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you by your prayers and witness help these children to grow, into the full stature of Christ?

Parents and Godparents: I will, with God's help.

Then the Celebrant asks the following questions of the Parents and Godparents who speak, on behalf of the child

Question: Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

Answer: I renounce them.

Question: Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

Answer: I renounce them.

Question: Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Answer: I renounce them.

Question: Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?

Answer: I do.

Question: Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

Answer: I do.

Question: Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?

Answer: I do.

After all have been presented, The Celebrant addresses the congregation, saying

Celebrant: Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these persons in their life in Christ?

People: We will.

Celebrant: Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Father? *People:* I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Celebrant: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, when ever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people and respect the dignity of every human being?

People: I will, with God's help.

PRAYERS FOR THE CANDIDATE

The Celebrant then says to the congregation

Let us now pray for these persons who are to receive the Sacrament of new birth and for those (this person) who have renewed their commitment to Christ.

A Person appointed leads the following petitions

Leader: Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death. Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Open their hearts to your grace and truth. *People:* Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Send them into the world in witness to your love.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son, may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory who lives and reigns now and for ever. Amen.

THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

The Celebrant blesses the water, first saying

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant: We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the

Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

At the following words, the Celebrant touches the water

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

THE BAPTISM

These children are presented by name to the Celebrant, who then immerses, or pours water upon, the Candidate, saying Isaac/Michael, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon these your servants the forgiveness of sin, and have raised them to the new life of grace. Sustain them, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give them an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. Amen.

Then the Bishop or Priest places a hand on the person's head, marking on the forehead the sign of the cross [using Chrism if desired and saying to each one

Isaac/Michael, you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own forever. Amen.

Or this action may be done immediately after the administration of the water and before the preceding prayer. When all have been baptized the Celebrant says

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

Celebrant and People:

We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.

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: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became
incarnate from the Virgin Mary and was made
man. 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 and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshipped
and glorified. He 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

The Leader and People pray responsively

Leader: In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

Leader: For all people in their daily life and work;

People: For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

Leader: For this community, the nation, and the world;

People: For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

Leader: For the just and proper use of your creation;

People: For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

Leader: For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

People: For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

Leader: For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

People: For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

Leader: For Michael, our Presiding Bishop, and Lawrence, our Bishop, Carver, our Rector; and for all other ministers.

People: For all who serve God in his Church.

Leader: For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Leader: Hear us, Lord;

People: For your mercy is great.

Leader : We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence

The People may add their own thanksgivings

Leader: We will exalt you, O God our King;

People: And praise your Name for ever and ever.

Leader: We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Leader: Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

People: Who put their trust in you.

Celebrant: Heavenly Father, you have promised to hear what we ask in the Name of your Son: Accept and fulfill our petitions, we pray, not as we ask in our ignorance, nor as we deserve in our sinfulness, but as you know and love us in your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

THE GREETING OF PEACE

All stand.

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

The Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

THE OFFERTORY SENTENCE

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Celebrant: O Lord our God, you are worthy to receive glory and honor and power; because you have created all things, and by your will they were created and have their being. *Revelation 4:11*

OFFERTORY ANTHEM (9:30AM only) *Hallelujah Praise the Lord by Robert Ray (b.1946)*

THE DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. *Amen.*

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A

The people remain standing as the Celebrant facing them says

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts

People : We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life he has won for us everlasting life. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Then the Celebrant continues:

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of *all*.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it, or lay a hand upon it,- and at the words concerning the cup to hold or place a hand upon the cup and any other Vessels containing wine to be consecrated.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Celebrant: Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People: Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues:

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *Amen.*

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

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Sung*)

LEVAS #264

Our Father, which art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done
On earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.

THE FRACTION

HYMNAL #S-153

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:
 Have mercy on us.
 Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:
 Have mercy on us.
 Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:
 Grant us peace.

Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following Invitation

Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people.

The Bread and the Cup are given to the communicants with these words.

The Body of Christ, the bread of heaven. [Amen.]

The Blood of Christ, the cup of salvation. [Amen.]

Ladies are kindly asked to remove their lipstick before drinking from the communion cup. This will be of great assistance to the Altar Guild, since the residue from the lipstick stains and destroys the purificators.

THE COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN	“At the Lamb’s High Feast We Sing”	HYMNAL #174
	“Christ Is Alive!”	HYMNAL #182
	“Glory, Glory, Hallelujah”	LEVAS #130

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Celebrant: Let us Pray

Celebrant & People:

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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THE WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE RECESSIONAL “Hail Thee, Festival Day” HYMNAL #175

DISMISSAL

The Celebrant:- Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia!

People:- Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!

POSTLUDE : Organ Symphony No.5, Op.42 No.1: V. Toccata
by Charles-Marie Widor (1844-1937)

TODAY'S LAY LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

		<u>Old</u>	<u>Psalm</u>	<u>New</u>	<u>Prayers</u>
		<u>Testament</u>		<u>Testament</u>	
LECTORS:	9:30am	Susan Hobson Ransom	Choir	Renee Gregory	Adrienne Jackson
L.E.M:	9:30am	Adrienne Jackson	Brunetta Rene	Tracey Glover	
ACOLYTES:	9:30am	M.C.: Adrienne Jackson			
		Thurifer: Leon Philips			
		Thurifer: Michael Phillips			
		Crucifer: Tracey Glover			
		Torch Bearers: Zindzele Lelitte & Jonathan Galindo			
		Gospel Book: Kayene Lelitte			
	7:00am	MC/Gospel Book: Michael Philips			
		Thurifer: Leon Philips			
		Crucifer: Adrienne Jackson			
USHERS	9:30am	Carolyn Lemon, Vivian Brereton, Jonathon Galindo, Derrick Pryce, Madeline Harriss, Annette Meritt, & Graham Yarde			

NEXT SUNDAY'S LESSONS: APRIL 28th

Second Sunday of Easter - Year C

Collect 224; Acts 5:27-32; Psalm 118:14-29; Revelation 1:4-8; John 20:19-31

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

St. Thomas', Farmingdale	April	21
St. Elisabeth's, Floral Park	April	22
The Women's Commission	April	23
The Diocesan Altar Guild	April	24
Church of the Transfiguration, Freeport	April	25
Cathedral of the Incarnation, Garden City	April	26
Christ Church, Garden City	April	27



“A PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL SATISFACTION”

Almighty God, your Son came into the world to free us from all sin and death. Breathe upon us the power of your Spirit, that we may be raised to new life in Christ and serve you in righteousness all our days, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen.*

ALTAR MEMORIALS

Please see the Altar Memorials on pages 19, 20, 21 & 22.

BREAD AND WINE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

- ♥ Given by the Vera Carter, in loving memory of my Mother Elnora Carter on the anniversary of her birthday (4/21).
- ♥ Given by the Glover family in loving memory of the birthdays of Canon Robert C. Chapman (4/1), Annie Walkes (4/4), Reverend Ferdinand Patterson (4/14), Archibald Walkes (4/16), Clifton Millet (4/18).
- ♥ Given by Evelyn Rainford in thanksgiving for the birthday of my husband Bill Rainford (4/11), in thanksgiving for my birthday (4/21), and thanksgiving for Bill and Evelyn's 62nd wedding anniversary (4/21).
- ♥ Given by Aubrey Maynard Sr. in memory of my Grandmother, Mrs. Millicent Hunte Jones, Past President of the July Birthday Club, and my Mother, Mrs. Audrey Jones Maynard, Past President of the September Birthday Club, Past President of the Harvest Committee, Past President of the African Diaspora.

SANCTUARY LIGHTS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

- ♥ Given by Diane J. Johnson in memory of my Mother Marion L. Johnson, on the anniversary of her birthday (4/27).
- ♥ Given by the Glover family in thanksgiving for the birthdays of Christopher Glover (4/5), Gilbert Anderson, 4/14, Deborah Thompson 4/16, Madeline Harriss (4/21), Evelyn Rainford (4/21), Erna Collymore (4/22), Jennifer Morris (4/27) and Jeffrey Perkins 4/30, and the Wedding anniversaries of Grace & Gilbert Anderson



EASTER LILIES MEMORIAL

GIVEN IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

Thresa Randall, Harris Randall, Joyce Anderson, (Peanie) Barbara Randall, Leola Robertson, Benjamin Foster, Verline Lamothe, Dolores Williams, Jacob Alexander Williams, Rodney Dent *Given by Michelle Randall-Williams*

Lucy Trotman Hollinsed, Carlyle R. Hollinsed, Doris Trotman Brooks, Byron Brooks, Inez Trotman, Richard Fitzgerald Trotman, Eva Barnes Hollinsed, Oscar Winfield Hollinsed, William Christopher Barnes, Gladys Holland Hollinsed: *Given by Carolyn Chaudhory*

Blossie McKennis, Herbert McKennis, Leon Layne, Rita Adams, Douglas Adams, Vernie Forbes, Gloria Vitalis, Valaree Finalay Nito Maule: *Given by Cynthia & Simeon Layne*

Carle Simmons, Herman Simmons, Anita Phillips, Daisy Pilgrim, Lloyd Ramsey, Kenneth Ford, Cyrliene Simmons, Enid Barrow, Louise Clarke, Joseph Ramsey, Ada Ramsey: *Given by Adrian Simmons*

Emil Moxey, Kenya B. Sydney, Lillian Miller, Sarah Royster, Betty Riddick, Howard Riddick, Edward Riddick, Edward Miller, Barbara Winborne, Tina Smith, Waldo Waterman: *Given by Audrey Miller-Sydney*

Inez Oliver, Norma Liverpool, Gwendolyn Joseph: *Given by Marcelle Beete*

Raymond N. Randle, Beatrice Turner, John J. Turner, Charles E. Turner, Shirley A. Jackson, John S. Turner, Joseph F. Turner, Beulah Robinson, Ellen G. Pressley, Sharon Robinson: *Given by Mary Randle*

Amy & Holynan Cumberbatch, Adele & Reginald Trapp, William R(Sean) Rainford Sr., Regina Pegues, Miriam & Colbert Corbin-el, Muriel Ashford, Gary Omphroy, Ethlin & Malcolm Rainford, Lloyd Rainford, Hilda & Sam Osborne, Evelyn & Lionell Ifield : *Given by Evelyn Rainford*

Michael Regis, Rosanna Regis, Edward Regis, Jonah Regis, Tefeata Joseph, Job Regis, Felix Regis, John Regis, Sylvester Regis, Rupert Regis, Theophilus Joseph, Sonny Bristol, Esmie Lewis: *Given by Rosetta Regis*

Frederick Marshall, Delcina Hamblin, Evelyn Hamblin, Vere Skeet, Milton Hamblin, Onetha Hamblin, Vere Hamblin, Miriam Marshall, Unia Walkes, Irene Taylor: *Eulene Marshall*

Frances J. Thomas, William A. Thomas, Theophilus A. Thomas, Ella Sutherland, Mabel Green Thomas, CPO Henry Thomas, George C. Findlay, The Rev. John M. Coleman, The Rev Charles Sedgewick, The Rev. N. Peterson Boyd: *Given by Geraldine T. Jordan*

Shirley Reece Hinds, Douglac MacDonald Reece : *Given by Cheryl Reece*

Archibald Walkes, Sophie Walkes, Harry Walkes, Daisy Walkes-Alleyne, Eugenia Walkes, Gloria Walkes-Ashby, Ralph Walkes, Delphine Walkes-Gripper, Alma Walkes-Gilbert, Evelyn Price, Annie Walkes, Lawrence Gripper, Ainsley Ashby, Nathaniel Bailey, Clifton Millet, Clyde Alleyne, Dr. Emil Moxey, Joan Walkes-Perkins, Pearl Walkes-Porter : *Given by Grace Walkes-Glover & Family*

William Glover, Grace Price Glover, Vivian Simpson, Pearl Glover Cooper, Robert Price, Louis Glover, William Glover, Jr., Ruth Glover, Grace Fulcher, Evelyn Harrison: *Given by Ralph Glover & Family*

Cynthia Braithwaite, Clairmont Braithwaite, Warren Braithwaite, Anderson Braithwaite, Roger Braithwaite: *Given by Julia Braithwaite*

Sylvia Morris, Elaine Morris, Edna Morris, Judy Gathers, Enid Brewster, Zelda Darce, Samuel Goldstein, Eldica Morris, Selina Sherete, Enid Carter: *Jennifer Morris*

Audrey Elaine Russell, Frederick Russell, George Russell, Harriet Russell, Henderson Russell, Frank Russell, Terrace Maynard, Katherine Adams, Inez Allman: *Given by Brenda Russell-Maynard*

Rosa Finlayson, Ruth Bailey, Maria Bailey, Joseph Finlayson, Dritlarig Bailey, Robert Bailey, Ronald Bailey, Dorothy Whatley Cole, James Finlayson, Flora Albury: *Given by Gloria B. Cole*

Frances Davis, Eleanor Davis, Augustus Davis, William Harrison II, Hattie Davis Jones, Houne Davis, Bernard Parker, Bernice Parker, Otis Lewis, Alberta Davis, Mary King: *Given by Geri Davis-Bell*

Edwin G.N. Archer, Rev. John E. Taylor, Frances E. Taylor, Edward H. Taylor, Gwendolyn Morley, Ruthie M. Mabrey, Patricia L. Tatum, Marea Higgs, Joseph Higgs, Joseph Morley Gertrude I. Archer, Alphonso N. Archer, Louise Bain, Agnes Albury, Carmel Knowles, Roosevelt G.W. Archer, Dr. Emil G. Moxley, Wilhemina Henville, Calvise Richardson: *Given by Joan Archer & Family*

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James Davis, Odessa Skeene, Ela Blueford: *Given by Mabel Pearson*

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REGULAR MEETING CALENDAR

VESTRY	2 nd Monday	6:30PM
ACOLYTYES	2 nd Sunday	11:30AM
<i>(Except July & Aug.)</i>		
ST. PHILIP'S CHOIR WARM-UP	Sundays	8:30AM-9:15AM
ST. PHILIP'S CHOIR REHEARSAL	Sundays	12:00AM- 1:30PM
ARCHIVES COMMITTEE	4 th Wednesday	10:45AM
B.O.S.A.	1 st Saturday	9:00AM
BIBLE STUDY	Sundays	11:15AM
BOY SCOUTS	Tuesdays	6:30PM
BUDGET & FINANCE	Last Tuesday	6:00PM
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION	2 nd Tuesday	4:00PM
E.C.W.	3 rd Sunday	12:15PM
GIRL SCOUTS	Saturdays	1:00PM
HANDBELL CHOIR REHEARSAL (HBC)	1 st & 3 rd Thursdays	5:30PM
PASTORAL CARE	2 nd Sunday*	11:30AM
EVANGELISM COMMITTEE	2 nd Sunday++	
PROPERTY	1 st Wednesday	7:00PM
PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE	3 rd Sunday	TBA
S.T.A.N.D. Youth & Young Adult Ministry	1 st Sunday	12:00PM
ST. PHILIP'S BOOK CLUB	4 th Saturday	4:30PM
VACATION COMMITTEE	2 ND Sunday	11:30AM
WALKING CLUB	Saturdays**	9:00AM
		**(May-Nov)
STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE	4 th Sunday	AM
WOMEN'S GUILD	1 st Sunday	8:15AM
WORSHIP COMMITTEE	4 th Sunday	1:00PM
UNION OF BLACK EPISCOPALIANS	3 rd Saturday***	12:00PM
*** <i>(Except Dec., Apr., July & Aug.)</i>		
USHER COMMITTEE	4 th Sunday****	11:30AM
**** <i>(Mar., Jun., Sept. & Dec.)</i>		
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++ <i>Every other month</i>		

