

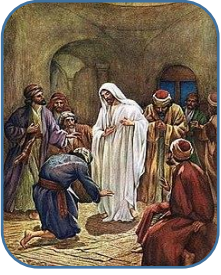
# SERVICE ORDER

Sunday 19 April 2020

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Heart & Anchor church



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Alleluia, Christ is risen!  
**He is risen indeed, Alleluia!**

### **Welcome and introduction**

### **Opening prayer**

### **Confession**

Like Mary at the empty tomb,  
we fail to grasp the wonder of your presence.

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

Like the disciples behind locked doors,  
we are afraid to be seen as your followers.

Christ, have mercy.

**Christ, have mercy.**

Like Thomas in the upper room,  
we are slow to believe.

Lord, have mercy.

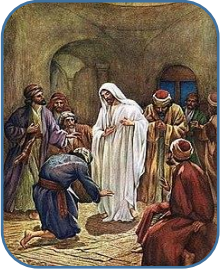
**Lord, have mercy.**

### **The Collect**

*Silence is kept.*

Risen Christ,

For whom no door is locked, no entrance barred:



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Open the doors of our hearts,  
That we may seek the good of others  
And walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace,  
To the praise of God the Father. Amen

### **Psalm 16**

#### *Song of Trust and Security in God*

Protect me, O God, for in you I take refuge.  
I say to the LORD, 'You are my Lord;  
I have no good apart from you.'

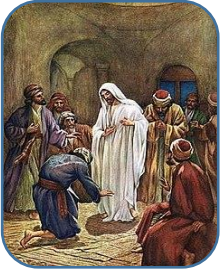
As for the holy ones in the land, they are the noble,  
in whom is all my delight.

Those who choose another god multiply their sorrows;  
their drink-offerings of blood I will not pour out  
or take their names upon my lips.

The LORD is my chosen portion and my cup;  
you hold my lot.  
The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places;  
I have a goodly heritage.

I bless the LORD who gives me counsel;  
in the night also my heart instructs me.  
I keep the LORD always before me;  
because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved.

Therefore my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices;  
my body also rests secure.  
For you do not give me up to Sheol,  
or let your faithful one see the Pit.



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You show me the path of life.  
In your presence there is fullness of joy;  
in your right hand are pleasures for evermore.

### **Gospel Reading**

Alleluia, alleluia.

I am the first and the last, says the Lord, and the living one;  
I was dead, and behold I am alive for evermore.

**All Alleluia.**

*When the Gospel is announced the reader says*

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to *Matthew*

**All Glory to you, O Lord.**

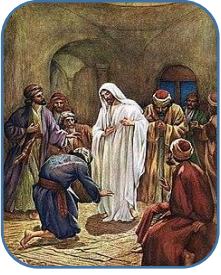
*John 20: 19-end*

*Jesus Appears to the Disciples*

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

*Jesus and Thomas*

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'



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A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

### *The Purpose of This Book*

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

### *At the end*

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**All Praise to you, O Christ.**



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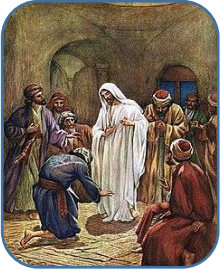
### **Declaration of Faith**

Christ has died  
**Christ has died**

Christ has risen  
**Christ has risen**

Christ will come again  
**Christ will come again**

I believe, Alleluia!  
**I believe, Alleluia!**



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### Prayers

### Peace

The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples and said  
'Peace be with you.'

Then were they glad when they saw the Lord. Alleluia

Alleluia! The Peace of the risen Christ be always with you

**And also with you. Alleluia!**

*Let us offer one another a sign of God's peace – in person or by text or message!*

### *The Liturgy of the Eucharist follows*

The Lord is here.

**All His Spirit is with us.**

Lift up your hearts.

**All We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All It is right to give thanks and praise.**

It is indeed right,

it is our duty and our joy,

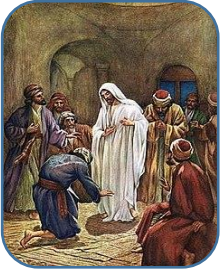
at all times and in all places

to give you thanks and praise,

holy Father, heavenly King,

almighty and eternal God,

through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.



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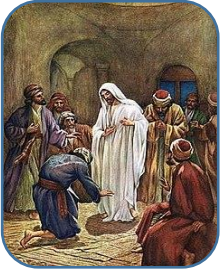
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But chiefly are we bound to praise you  
Because you raised him gloriously from the dead.  
For he is the true paschal lamb who was offered for us,  
And has taken away the sin of the world.  
By his death he has destroyed death  
And by his rising to life again he has restored to us everlasting life  
Therefore with angels and archangels,  
and with all the company of heaven,  
we proclaim your great and glorious name,  
for ever praising you and *saying*:

**All Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

Accept our praises, heavenly Father,  
through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
and as we follow his example and obey his command,  
grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit  
these gifts of bread and wine  
may be to us his body and his blood;  
who, in the same night that he was betrayed,  
took bread and gave you thanks;  
he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;





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do this in remembrance of me.

**All To you be glory and praise for ever.**

In the same way, after supper

he took the cup and gave you thanks;

he gave it to them, saying:

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.

Do this, as often as you drink it,

in remembrance of me.

**All To you be glory and praise for ever.**

Therefore, heavenly Father,

we remember his offering of himself

made once for all upon the cross;

we proclaim his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension;

we look for the coming of your kingdom,

and with this bread and this cup

we make the memorial of Christ your Son our Lord.

Jesus Christ is Lord:

**All Lord, by your cross and resurrection  
you have set us free.**

**You are the Saviour of the world.**

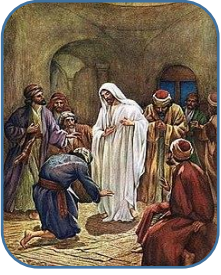
Accept through him, our great high priest,

this our sacrifice of thanks and praise,

and as we eat and drink these holy gifts

in the presence of your divine majesty,

renew us by your Spirit,



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inspire us with your love  
and unite us in the body of your Son,  
Jesus Christ our Lord.

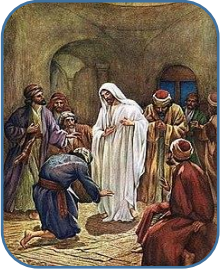
**All To you be glory and praise for ever.**

Through him, and with him, and in him,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
with all who stand before you in earth and heaven,  
we worship you, Father almighty,  
in songs of everlasting praise:

**All Blessing and honour and glory and power  
be yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

**All Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Lead us not into temptation  
but deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours  
now and for ever. Amen.**



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### **Breaking of the Bread**

We break this bread  
to share in the body of Christ.

**All** Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in one bread.

### **The invitation**

Be present, be present,  
Lord Jesus Christ,  
our risen high priest;  
make yourself known in the breaking of bread. **Amen.**

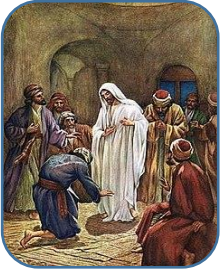
### **Post Communion Prayer**

Lord God our Father,  
Through our Saviour Jesus Christ  
You have assured your children of eternal life  
And in baptism have made us one with him:  
Deliver us from the death of sin  
And raise us to new life in your love,  
In the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,  
By the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.  
Amen.

### **Notices**

### **The Blessing**

God the Father,



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by whose glory Christ was raised from the dead,  
strengthen you to walk with him in his risen life;

And the blessing of God Almighty,  
The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit  
Be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

He is not here. He is risen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.

**In the name of Christ. Amen. Alleluia, alleluia.**