

Welcome to St. James' – April 20th, 2025 - 10:30 a.m.
The Sunday of Resurrection Easter Day – BAS Holy Eucharist

Rector: Rev'd Marty Keatings

Lay Readers: Bob Welt, Lorraine Livingston

Musician: Kristy Van Kooten-Bossence

Opening Hymn: THE DAY OF RESURRECTION #205

The day of resurrection! Earth, tell it out abroad, the
passover of gladness, the passover of God!
From death to life eternal, from earth unto the sky,
our Christ hath brought us over with hymns of victory.

Our hearts be pure from evil, that we may see aright
the Lord in rays eternal of resurrection light,
and, listening to his accents, may hear, so calm and plain,
his own 'All hail!' and, hearing, may raise the victor strain.

Now let the heavens be joyful; let earth her song begin;
the round world keep high triumph, and all that is therein;
Let all things seen and unseen their notes of gladness blend,
for Christ the Lord is risen, our joy that hath no end.

Children's Time & Song: HALLELU, HALLELUJAH

Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelujah! Praise ye the Lord!
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Glory to God on High : #365

Glory be to God on high, and peace to all on earth.
We worship you, we give you thanks, our heavenly King.
We give you praise, Almighty God and Father blessed In glory bright.

Our Saviour, Jesus Christ, The Father's only Son,
The sacrificial Lamb, who saves the world from sin, have mercy Lord.
Beside the Father's hand enthroned, now hear our prayer.

You only are the Lord. You only are most high.
You only are the holy one, Lord Jesus Christ.
And now you reign with Father and with Spirit one in glorious light.

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First Reading:	Acts 10: 34 – 43	Meryl Kouwenberg
Psalm 118:	1 – 2, 14 – 24	Pg. 866-868
Second Reading:	1 Corinthians 15: 19 – 26	Sybil Kouwenberg

Refrain: *Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.*

Spread the good news o'er all the earth: Jesus has died and is risen.

Reader: The Lord be with you.

All: *And, also with you*

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **John 20: 1 – 18**

All: *Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.*

At the conclusion of the Gospel,

Reader: The Gospel of Christ

All: *Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.*

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Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your Spirit in this place;
Lord, listen to your children praying,
Send us love, send us power, send us grace!

Prayers of the People – *Lord, Hear our prayer*

St. James' prays for our families, friends, and loved ones who are ill or recovering from illness or are in need of prayerful support. Grant them healing and strength. May they find Peace. Lord, we pray for:



Little Jack, Clara, Nickolas, Matthew, Jo, Mark, Catherine, Elizabeth, Anne, John, Janey, Judy, Eleanor, Susan, Anne, Rob & Bella, Deny, Linda, Douglas, Matthew, Anne, Caitlin, Grace, Elise, Karen, Patrick.

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God sent His Son, they call Him Jesus, He came to love, heal and forgive

He lived and died, to buy my pardon,
An empty grave is there to prove my Saviour lives.

**CHORUS: Because He lives, I can see tomorrow, Because He lives, all fear
is gone Because I know He holds the future, And life is worth the living
just because He lives.**

How sweet to hold a new-born baby, And feel the pride and joy He gives.
But greater still the calm assurance,
This child can face uncertain days because Christ lives. **CHORUS**

And then one day I'll cross the river I'll fight life's final war with pain;
And then as death gives way to victory,
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives. **CHORUS**

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Communion Hymn: The Old Rugged Cross

On a hill far away, stood an old rugged Cross
The emblem of suff'ring and shame
And I love that old Cross where the dearest and best
For a world of lost sinners was slain

Chorus:

***So I'll cherish the old rugged Cross Till my trophies at last I lay down
I will cling to the old rugged Cross And exchange it some day for a crown***

Oh, that old rugged Cross so despised by the world
Has a wondrous attraction for me
For the dear Lamb of God, left his Glory above
To bear it to dark Calvary ***Chorus***

In the old rugged Cross, stain'd with blood so divine
A wondrous beauty I see
For the dear Lamb of God, left his Glory above
To pardon and sanctify me ***Chorus***

Communion Special Music:

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The Blessing

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore.

Closing Hymn: JESUS CHRIST IS RISEN TODAY #203

Jesus Christ is risen today, alleluia! our triumphant holy day, alleluia!
who did once upon the cross, alleluia! suffer to redeem our loss. alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, alleluia!
unto Christ, our heavenly King, alleluia!
Who endured the cross and grave, alleluia!
sinners to redeem and save. alleluia!

But the pains which he endured, alleluia!
our salvation have procured; alleluia!
now above the sky he's king, alleluia! where the angels ever sing. alleluia!

Dismissal: Go in Peace to Love and Serve the Lord.

ALL: *Thanks be to God. Hallelujah! Hallelujah!*

MAY THE PEACE OF CHRIST BE WITH YOU (sung)

May the peace of Christ be with you. May the love of Christ dwell deep in your heart. May the Spirit enlighten your way. May you walk in the comfort of God's care.



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