

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**May 11, 2025 Lectionary Year C**

**We are Called to Proclaim the Goodness & Grace of God**

**6:30 a.m.**

O. T. Lesson

Psalm 23

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Epistle

Gospel

Creed

Prayer of Intercession

**HOLY EUCHARIST**

Acts 9:36 - 43

Marcia Hendricks

**Refrain:** (all sit) *"The Lord is my shepherd, therefore I shall not be in want. Alleluia!"*

Revelation 7:9 - 17

Hilary Phillips

John 10:22 - 30

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**8:00 a.m.**

**SOLEMN EUCHARIST AND SERMON**

Introit

As we are gathered, Jesus is here

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Processional

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Canticle

God's Pascal Lamb

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O. T. Lesson

Acts 9:36 - 43

Lona Brown

Psalm 23

Hymn 477 (all stand)

Epistle

Revelation 7:9 - 17

Wendy Robertson

Acclamation

Alleluia (Children leave for Sunday school)

Sermon song

My sheep know my voice The Choir

Gospel

John 10:22 - 30

Sermon

Rev. Claude Campbell

The Creed

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Intercession

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Offertory Hymn

690 Jerusalem the golden

Fraction Anthem

Be known to us, Lord Jesus, in the breaking of the bread.

During Communion

238, 569, Such love

Sunday School

664 Loving shepherd of thy sheep

Meditation Prayer

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Recessional

479 Thine for ever! God of Love

**5:00 p.m.**

**Evening Service & Praise**

**Christian Passover Prayer**

O God who by your mighty power, raised your Son Jesus Christ and destroyed death, and has given us New Life of Abundant Peace and everlasting joy. Grant that we who have been raised with Him, may abide in His presence and bear witness to your Life-Giving Spirit, and rejoice in the Hope of your Eternal Glory, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever. **Amen**

**Connecting to the streaming link for 8:00 a.m. Service**

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**The 8 a.m. service can also be viewed on Youtube.**

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**Chapel of Ease:**

**St. Thomas - Majesty Gardens 10:30 a.m. and St. Clement's - Kencot 10:30 a.m.**



**CLERGY**

**Rector/Curate** The Very Revd. Canon Sirrano Kitson, D. Min.

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**The Rector is out of Office on Mondays**

## Faith Formation and Christian Education

### Did you know ?

The disciples' self-understanding after Easter was manifested first of all in their conduct. It can be determined from their concrete actions. The most striking event is that the disciples left Galilee, even though the first Easter appearances took place there, assembled in Jerusalem and remained in the capital. The Christian movement spread from Jerusalem, not from Galilee. It was centered in Jerusalem for a number of years. Its earliest community developed in Jerusalem, not in Galilee.

### Quote for Reflection

“What it meant and means to "proclaim the Lord's death until he come." The Cross, the central symbol of Christian life, has been, ever since Jesus' renewal of the Passover, the sign of joy and of hope--joy for his passage (and that of our nature in him) into his kingdom, and therefore, assured hope for his Lordship at the end. Until his coming again the Church rejoices at his presence, his parousia, in the sacraments--and not just baptism and eucharist, but the whole liturgical complex by which the richness of our salvation is articulated, the all-embracing mystery of worship.”

*The origins of the Liturgical year by Thomas J. Talley*

### Questions for reflection

- What is the joy of Easter (Pascha) that we celebrate?
- Where in our Eucharist Prayer do we identify and proclaim the paschal joy?

**Readings for May 18, 2025: Acts 11: 1 - 18; Psalm 148; Revelation 21:1 - 6; John 13:31 - 35.**

## PARISH NEWS

**We welcome all visitors to our worship and fellowship**

**Birthdays for this week:** Revd. Dwane Blackwood and Christopher James 11/05, Lois Owen and Sean McDonald 12/05, Rev. Andria Bell 13/05, Beverly Atkinson 14/05, Sheron Campbell 15/05, Tony Patel, Patrick Lynch and Haverly Witter 16/05, Carol Ledgister and Clover Chung 17/05.

**Condolence is extended** to Trudy Blake and family on the passing of her father, Trevor Blake.

**The Funeral Service** for Calvin Murray will be on Tuesday the 13th at 11:00a.m..

**Clergy Exchange** will be on May 18, 2025, the clergy, choir, organist and servers should be in attendance.

**The Service for the Retired Archbishop** will be held on May 25, 2025 at 3:30pm at the Cathedral, Spanish Town.

**Annual Sunday School Children's Festival**, June 1, 2025 at 3:30 pm at The Church of the Transfiguration. The theme is “Rooted in Faith a Firm Foundation for the Future.”

**We welcome** items that are non-perishable and toiletries for our next Dorcas Basket.

### SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK May 11 - May 17

May 13	Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
May 14	Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
May 16	Friday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist

### WE PRAY ESPECIALLY FOR...

Percival Lynch (Priest)	Ermine Williams	Rema Watt
Margaret Newman	Isla Salmon	Heather Phillips
Judith Sayle	Cynthia Small	Robert Gregory
Carole Haughton	Dana Harris	Doris Levien

## Liturgy for the Sundays of Easter

### Easter Greeting

Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ the Lord is risen indeed:

**People: Come, let us adore Him, Alleluia!**

Celebrant: +Praise the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ:

**People: He has given us new life and hope! He has raised Jesus from the dead!**

Celebrant: The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

**People: This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes!**

Celebrant: Behold a new creation. The stone is rolled away. Alleluia

**People: Salvation belongs to the Lord our God. Amen. Alleluia**

Celebrant: Alleluia! The Lord has rescued and saved his people:

**People: Who for our sake is risen for our redemption. Alleluia**

### The Collect For Purity

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open...

### CHRIST OUR PASSOVER

Alleluia

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us:\*

so let us celebrate the feast, not with the old leaven of corruption and wickedness:\*

but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

Christ once raised from the dead dies no more:\*

death has no more dominion over Him.

In dying He died to sin once for all:\*

in living He lives to God.

See yourselves therefore as dead to sin:\*

and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Christ has been raised from the dead:\*

the first fruits of those who sleep.

For as by man came death:\*

by man has come also the resurrection of the dead;

for as in Adam all die:\*

even so in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia

## The Collect for the day

### The Ministry of the word

### The Five Marks of Mission:

1. To proclaim the Good News of the Kingdom
2. To teach, baptise and nurture new believers
3. To respond to human need by loving service
4. To transform unjust structures of society, to challenge violence of every kind and pursue peace and reconciliation
5. To strive to safeguard the integrity of creation, and sustain and renew the life of the earth.

### Christian Passover Prayer

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### A Prayer for Healing

Almighty God, you are the only source of Health and Healing, and the center of peace in the universe. By the power of your Holy Spirit heal us in body, mind and spirit and grant that we may have complete faith and trust in you. In all pain, weariness and anxiety may we rest in your abiding presence and know ourselves to be renewed, transformed and encircled by your loving care, so that we may allow you to give us health, strength and peace through our Saviour and Redeemer, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. ©

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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.*

### Canticle : God's Paschal Lamb (Pascha Nostrum)

1. God's Paschal Lamb is sacrificed for us;  
Therefore with joy we keep the Easter feast;  
forsaking sin, we share the bread of truth.  
Alleluia, Alleluia!
2. Now Christ is raised and will not die again;  
death has no more dominion over him;  
Through him we die to sin and live to God.  
Alleluia, Alleluia!
3. In Christ we see the first fruits of the dead:  
though Adam's sin had doomed all flesh to die,  
in Christ's new life shall all be made alive.  
Alleluia, Alleluia!

### The Collect for the Day, The Ministry of the Word

### Introit: As we are gathered

As we are gathered Jesus is here  
One with each other Jesus is here  
Joined by the spirit washed in his blood  
Part of the body the church of Christ  
As we are gathered Jesus is here  
One with each other Jesus is here.

### Fraction Anthem

*Cantor or Choir*

***Be known to us, Lord Jesus,  
in the breaking of the bread***

### *Refrain:*

***Be known to us, Lord Jesus,  
in the breaking of the bread***

1. The bread which we break, alleluia,  
is the communion of the body of Christ. **R**
2. One body are we, alleluia,  
for though many we share one bread. **R**

### During Communion: Such love, pure as the whitest snow

Such love, pure as the whitest snow  
Such love, weeps for the shame I know  
Such love, paying the debt I owe  
O Jesus, such love

Such love, stilling my restlessness  
Such love, filling my emptiness  
Such love, showing me holiness  
O Jesus, such love

Such love, springs from eternity  
Such love, streaming through history  
Such love, fountain of life to me  
O Jesus, such love