

9:15 A.M.—THE HOLY EUCHARIST
WE GATHER IN THE LORD’S NAME

Voluntary <i>Petit Prelude</i>	Joseph Jongen
Processional Hymn 205 <i>Stanzas 1, 3 and 5</i>	<i>Gelobt sei Gott</i>
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WE HEAR AND RESPOND TO THE WORD OF GOD

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WE GIVE OF OUR SUBSTANCE AND PREPARE THE TABLE

At the Offertory	
Anthem <i>Exsultate Justi</i>	Lodovico da Viadana
Exultate, justi, in Domino; rectos decet collaudatio. Confitemini Domino in cithara; in psalterio decem chordarum psallite illi. Cantate ei canticum novum; bene psallite ei in vociferatione.	

WE MAKE EUCHARIST

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WE BREAK BREAD AND SHARE THE GIFTS OF GOD

Fraction Anthem <i>S155</i>	Gerald Near
Communion Motet <i>Oculi omnium</i>	Charles Wood
The eyes of all wait upon thee, O Lord, and thou givest them their meat in due season. Glory to Thee, O Lord. Amen.	
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Processional Hymn 208 <i>Stanzas 1, 2 and 5</i>	<i>Victory</i>
Voluntary <i>Chorale Prelude “Gelobt sei Gott”</i>	Healey Willan

THE COLLECT*Contemporary*

Almighty and everlasting God, who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

THE LESSON: ACTS 2:14A, 22-32

Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd, “You that are Israelites, listen to what I have to say: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with deeds of power, wonders, and signs that God did through him among you, as you yourselves know— this man, handed over to you according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of those outside the law. But God raised him up, having freed him from death, because it was impossible for him to be held in its power. For David says concerning him, ‘I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand so that I will not be shaken; therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; moreover my flesh will live in hope. For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One experience corruption. You have made known to me the ways of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence.’ “Fellow Israelites, I may say to you confidently of our ancestor David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would put one of his descendants on his throne. Foreseeing this, David spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, saying, ‘He was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh experience corruption.’ This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses.”

PSALM 16 *CONSERVA ME, DOMINE*

- 1 Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you; *
I have said to the Lord, "You are my Lord,
my good above all other."
- 2 All my delight is upon the godly that are in the land, *
upon those who are noble among the people.
- 3 But those who run after other gods *
shall have their troubles multiplied.
- 4 Their libations of blood I will not offer, *
nor take the names of their gods upon my lips.
- 5 O Lord, you are my portion and my cup; *
it is you who uphold my lot.
- 6 My boundaries enclose a pleasant land; *
indeed, I have a goodly heritage.
- 7 I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel; *
my heart teaches me, night after night.
- 8 I have set the Lord always before me; *
because he is at my right hand I shall not fall.
- 9 My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices; *
my body also shall rest in hope.
- 10 For you will not abandon me to the grave, *
nor let your holy one see the Pit.
- 11 You will show me the path of life; *
in your presence there is fullness of joy,
and in your right hand are pleasures for evermore.

THE EPISTLE: 1 PETER 1:3-9

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, so that the genuineness of your faith--being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire--may be found to result in praise and glory and honor when Jesus Christ is revealed. Although you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, for you are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

THE GOSPEL: JOHN 20:19-31

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.” 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.” 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.” 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.

The Flowers at the Church Altar are given to the Glory of God by Cary and Katey Brown and Stephen and Lisa Sepulveda in loving memory of Fletcher Baldwin.

The Flowers at the Chapel Altar are given to the Glory of God by Chris and Trang Smith in memory of their beloved parents, Adele and John Smith.

The Candle in the Sanctuary Light is given to the Glory of God by Jan and Eric Williams in memory of Bonnie Cotier.



The Weekly Compass

St. John's Episcopal Church and Parish Day School

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 19, 2020

Worship Today in St. John's

9:15 a.m. The Holy Eucharist (Rite II) streamed on Facebook Live

Virtual Ministries and Worship

Please visit www.stjohnstampa.org/virtual-meetings-and-worship for a full listing and links to resources.

Group Prayer and Pastoral Care

Daily School Chapel

Fr. Reho is posting daily morning chapel video services for the School. They become available each day at 4:15 a.m. Find the link in this week's Scroll or email the office for assistance (parish@stjohnstampa.org).

Easter Week Devotionals

Last week, St. John's premiered daily devotionals for Easter Week. They each contain a reading, a reflection, and a short musical performance by the choir. The devotionals can be found by visiting our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/stjohnstampa.

Evening Prayer

Fr. Connelly is streaming evening prayer daily Monday through Saturday at 3:00 p.m. on Facebook Live at our page: www.facebook.com/stjohnstampa.

Compline (Night Prayer)

Fr. Reho and his wife Lori will offer Compline each Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 7:30 p.m. through Facebook Live during Eastertide. They will continue through the Friday before Pentecost, May 29.

Small Group Ministries and Classes

Men's Thursday Bible Study and Lunch

If you would like to join the virtual meeting and did not receive credentials, contact John Edgar at jedgar@stjohnstampa.org.

Youth Confirmation Classes

The Youth Confirmation Class is back on Zoom today. Ayana has sent login information.

Sunday School for Children

Teachers will send out the Sunday School lesson via video each week, along with family activities that go with the theme.

EYC

Zoom EYC returns today from 4:30 to 5:30 pm! Ayana sent out an invite to everyone currently receiving EYC e-mails. Contact her if you did not receive it.

Enquirers Classes

The Enquirers Class has been moved online. Fr. Michael has sent out login credentials by email.

Contemporary Women's/Women's Mid Morning Bible Study

The groups are meeting virtually every other week for a joint study. For login information, please contact Sharon Stoll at harpwings@aol.com.

Compass Points

Still Time to Sign Up: Adult Formation Zoom Starts Soon

Many of us are missing our Adult Formation group sessions, so after Easter we will begin a new study that combines online videos with a weekly Zoom discussion on Wednesdays at 2:00 p.m. The first study will be a four-part series on Prayer. If you are interested in participating, please contact Deacon Kathleen at kmoore@stjohnstampa.org. A link to the videos will go out to all interested participants, and you will be invited via your email address to join the Zoom discussion group each week. The first Zoom discussion will be on Wednesday, April 22.

Sunday Sermon Audio Available

You can now find audio versions of our clergy's weekly sermons on our website. They are uploaded on Monday after each Sunday service. Click on the **Sermons** button in the top right of our homepage menu to listen.

Pastoral Care

Although in-person pastoral visits will be restricted, your clergy are available to you for pastoral conversations. If you are unable to reach them at the parish offices, please call directly. They can be reached at these numbers:

Pastoral Emergency Line: 813.906.5199

Father Connelly: 813.250.6293

Father Cannon: 864.320.7116

Father Goodheart: 321.446.4934

Deacon Moore: 813.785.9400

Father Reho: 917.526.0746

Supporting your Parish and Fellow Parishioners

During this time, although we are not able to meet in worship as usual, the work of the Parish goes on. We hope that if you are able, you will continue to make your weekly contribution by mail or via our website at www.stjohnstampa.org.

If you are someone who is able to help your fellow parishioners with errands and other means of support, please contact Fr. Michael at mcannon@stjohnstampa.org. Conversely, if you are a parishioner who needs help, please also contact Fr. Michael. He will be matching needs with resources so we are able to help one another in Christ's name.

Finance Administrator Sought

Our longtime Financial Administrator, Debbi Huelsman, is moving on at the end of the spring, so we are seeking a new person to take this role. It is 20 hours a week and can largely be done from home. Please email parish@stjohnstampa.org for a job description and to find out how to apply.

Prayer Requests

Your prayers are bid today and throughout the week for:

Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Dabney, our Diocesan Bishop; the clergy and staff of our parish; Donald, our President; Ronald, our Governor; and Jane, our Mayor;

The sick and others for whom our prayers have been specially requested

Harry Hedges; Baker; Mark Power; Robin Guinee; Jackie Faircloth and family; Bill Craig; Patty; Ansley and family; Nancy Watkins; Ray Olsson; Collin; Lyn Haddad; Rick; Paige; Emily and Meaghan; Tory Stone and family; Astrid Peacock; Jeff LeVines; Sid Stubbs; Suzanne; Clark Wichman; Suzanne; John; Nancy Adams; Maureen Johnston; Michelle Davidson; Pat Dilworth; David Wheaton; Jonathan; Martha Bartlett; Pat; Janie Cline; Jerry Denney; Pam; Suzy Lopez; Rex Eaton; Sammy & Laurie; Hal, Marian, Lara, Wolfgang, Madison, Carson & Alexandra Flowers; Dave Kenyon; Lora Hulse; Alan Dawson; Rob; Ron Walker; Obi Pederson; Victor Sharpe and all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity;

The departed

Fletcher Baldwin	Bonnie Cotier	Susan Eaton
Hal Flowers	Dianne Ford	Adele Smith
John Smith	Henry "Hank" Steinbrenner	Ross

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord; and let light perpetual shine upon them. May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

And we pray also for

Those who celebrate the anniversary of their birth this week,

April 19, Mike Barna, William Van Dyke, Kim Brown, Karen Moore, Yajaira Torres

April 20, Michael Purdy, Chris Brown, Tyler Jones, Lauren Orebaugh

April 21, Sam Dolcimascolo, Cindy Gardner, Alston Barrow

April 22, James Edgar

April 23, John Casey, Michele Williams, Shannon Gray, Wade Wankelman, Leigh Gardner

April 24, Tweed Eckhard, Julie Sevelius, Crystal Madani

April 25, Lisa Couch, Christen Morales

Our Parish Day School

Our Companion Diocese in the Dominican Republic

Pray for the Church of Ireland in the Anglican cycle of prayer;

Pray for Holy Spirit, Osprey; Holy Spirit, Safety Harbor; Church of the Nativity, Sarasota; Church of the Redeemer, Sarasota; Grace Church, Tampa; Clergy spouses and widows of the Diocese of Southwest Florida in the Diocesan cycle of prayer;

The members of our armed forces deployed abroad, especially Rich, Taylor and Mike.

We pray for healthcare workers, first responders, and all others whose work puts them in danger because of the pandemic. We give thanks for their many sacrifices for the common good. Protect them from injury and illness; renew their wisdom, compassion, and strength.