

# The Sixth Sunday of Easter



**All Saints' Episcopal Church**

**May 5, 2024**

**9:30am**

# The Holy Eucharist

Prelude

Tolling of the Bell

Opening Hymn

*Alleluia, Alleluia*

Hymnal #191, v. 1, 3

1) Alleluia, alleluia!

Hearts and voices heavenward raise:  
sing to God a hymn of gladness,  
sing to God a hymn of praise.  
He, who on the cross a victim,  
for the world's salvation bled,  
Jesus Christ, the King of Glory,  
now is risen from the dead.

3) Christ is risen, Christ, the first-fruits  
of the holy harvest field,  
which will all its full abundance  
at his second coming yield:  
then the golden ears of harvest  
will their heads before him wave,  
ripened by his glorious sunshine,  
from the furrows of the grave.

Easter Acclamation

*Celebrant* Alleluia! Christ is risen!

*People* **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

The Collect for Purity

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.**

# Gloria

C. Celia

Glo-ri - a, glo-ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o. Glo-ri - a, glo-ri - a al - le - lu - ia.

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- ia. Glo-ry to God in the high - est; peace to all peo-ple on earth.

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Glo-ry to God in the high - est; peace to all peo-ple on earth. Glo-ri - a, glo-ri - a

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in ex - cel - sis De - o. Glo-ri - a, glo-ri - a al - le - lu - ia.

## The Collect

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

# The Liturgy of the Word

*The congregation may be seated.*

## First Reading

Acts 10:44-48

*Reader* A reading from the book of Acts.

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking

in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

*Reader*      The Word of the Lord.  
*People*        **Thanks be to God.**

## **Psalm** (*Recited responsively by whole verse*)

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- 1 Sing to the LORD a new song, \*  
for he has done marvelous things.
- 2 With his right hand and his holy arm \*  
has he won for himself the victory.**
- 3 The LORD has made known his victory; \*  
his righteousness has he openly shown in the sight of the nations.
- 4 He remembers his mercy and faithfulness to the house of Israel, \*  
and all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.**
- 5 Shout with joy to the LORD, all you lands; \*  
lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing.
- 6 Sing to the LORD with the harp, \*  
with the harp and the voice of song.**
- 7 With trumpets and the sound of the horn \*  
shout with joy before the King, the LORD.
- 8 Let the sea make a noise and all that is in it, \*  
the lands and those who dwell therein.**
- 9 Let the rivers clap their hands, \*  
and let the hills ring out with joy before the LORD,  
when he comes to judge the earth.
- 10 In righteousness shall he judge the world \*  
and the peoples with equity.**

## **Second Reading**

1 John 5:1-6

*Reader*      A reading from the first letter of John.

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of

God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

*Reader*      The Word of the Lord.  
*People*        **Thanks be to God.**

## Sequence Hymn

*O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee*

Hymnal #660, v. 1-3

**O Master, let me walk with thee  
in lowly paths of service free;  
tell me thy secret; help me bear  
the strain of toil, the fret of care.**

**Help me the slow of heart to move  
by some clear, winning word of love;  
teach me the wayward feet to stay,  
and guide them in the homeward way.**

**Teach me thy patience; still with thee  
in closer, dearer company,  
in work that keeps faith sweet and strong,  
in trust that triumphs over wrong,**

## The Gospel

John 15:9-17

*Celebrant*    The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ According to John.  
*People*        **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said to his disciples, "As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete.

“This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one’s life for one’s friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.”

*Celebrant*    The Gospel of the Lord.  
*People*        **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## The Sermon

Karen Knieff

*In the silence that follows the sermon, you are invited to a time of reflection.*

## Nicene Creed

*Please stand as you are able.*

**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 worshiped 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

God gives what is good. Let us pray that this goodness of God flows through us into all the world, saying: O God, giver of love, **hear our prayer.**

O God, your love is in motion. We praise the strength of your love. Where there is hunger, raise up your love. Where there is hurt and persecution, empower your love. Where there are false prophets, proclaim your love. Where there are lies, speak your love. O God, giver of love, **hear our prayer.**

Where nations are angry and plot harm against one another, bring your love. Where governments lie and deceive, bring your love. Where powers cripple and destroy what you have made, bring your love. O God, giver of love, **hear our prayer.**

Where the churches alienate one another, bring your love. Where our fears keep us from offering Christ to all the needy peoples, bring your love. When this assembly is marked by division and jealousy, bring your love. O God, giver of love, **hear our prayer.**

O Lord, increase our affection. Increase our compassion. Increase our joy. Show us those we do not see. Magnify our love. O God, giver of love, **hear our prayer.**

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially Connie, Jane Latimer & her family, Michelle, Bob Evans, Alice Gitgen-Tsukada, and John Gutz.

O God, giver of love, **hear our prayer.**

O God, we thank you for the power of divine love and for the presence of your love in one another. Guide us all finally into that greatest love who is Christ our Lord.

## The Peace

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
*People* **And also with you.**

## Announcements

## Birthdays, Anniversary and Travel Blessings

*Celebrant and People*

**Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as Christ loves us. Amen**



# The Holy Communion

## Offertory Sentence

Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offerings and come into his courts.

*All stand as the bread and wine are brought forward, then seats may be resumed to hear the Offertory Music.*

## Offertory Music

*Hiding Place*

Bach/Collado

## Doxology *(All stand)*

*Alleluia, Give Thanks*

Hymnal #178, v. 1-2

**Alleluia, Alleluia,  
Give thanks to the risen Lord,  
Alleluia, Alleluia,  
give praise to His Name.**

**Jesus is Lord of all the earth  
He is the King of creation.**

**Alleluia, Alleluia,  
Give thanks to the risen Lord,  
Alleluia, Alleluia,  
give praise to His Name.**



# The Great Thanksgiving

Prayer A

*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.**

*Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds*

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 again 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:

## Sanctus

Renew #204, v 1 & 4

1) **Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!**  
**Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.**  
**Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!**  
**God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

4) **Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!**  
**All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth, and sky and sea;**  
**Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,**  
**God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

*The people stand or kneel.*

*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 vessel 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.” 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

**Our Father, who 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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,**

but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread.*

## Fraction

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

*The Celebrant says the following Invitation*

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.

*All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion at the Lord's Table. Please proceed to the Communion rail when directed by the usher. If you wish to receive only the bread (the host) please extend one hand. Hold out two hands if you wish to receive both the bread and wine. Receiving wine will be by intinction. Those wishing to receive communion at their seats should notify the usher. The priest will bring you communion. If you only wish to receive a blessing and not communion, cross your arms in front of you, and the priest will offer a prayer of blessing.*

*For those not receiving, you are invited to come forward for a blessing (indicated by crossing your arms over your chest). If you have not been baptized, and find yourself drawn to Jesus Christ and life in him, please let our clergy know. We would be honored to have a conversation with you about the possibility of baptism, or any other questions. Baptism and life in the Body of Christ is open to all.*

## Communion Music

*This Joyful Eastertide*

Hymnal #192

## Post Communion Song

*Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love*

Hymnal #602, v. 1-2

**Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,  
show us how to serve  
the neighbors we have from you.**

**Kneels at the feet of his friends,  
silently washes their feet,  
Master who acts as a slave to them.**

**Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,  
show us how to serve  
the neighbors we have from you.**

**Neighbors are rich and poor,  
neighbors are black and white,  
neighbors are nearby and far away.**

**Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,  
show us how to serve  
the neighbors we have from you.**

## **Prayer for Spiritual Communion**

*On behalf of all who watch online and are unable to make their Communion, the Celebrant says*  
Lord Jesus, you give us yourself in the bread and wine of communion that becomes your Body and Blood. Grant that we may receive you spiritually today, in our hearts, minds and souls, and that we may have confidence in your promise to be with us always.  
**Amen.**

*After Communion, the Celebrant says*

Let us pray

*Celebrant and 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.**

## **The Blessing**

May Almighty God, who has redeemed us and made us his children through the resurrection of his Son our Lord, bestow upon you, the riches of his blessing. **Amen.**

May God, who through the water of baptism has raised us from sin into newness of life, make you holy and worthy to be united with Christ for ever. **Amen.**

May God, who has brought us out of bondage to sin into true and lasting freedom in the Redeemer, bring you to your eternal inheritance. **Amen.**

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. **Amen.**

## Going Forth Hymn

*This is My Father's World*

T. Beata

**This is my Father's world,  
And to my listening ears  
All nature sings, and round me rings  
The music of the spheres.  
This is my Father's world:  
I rest me in the thought  
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas--  
His hand the wonders wrought.**

**This is my Father's world:  
The birds their carols raise,  
The morning light, the lily white,  
Declare the maker's praise.  
This is my Father's world:  
He shines in all that's fair;  
In the rustling grass I hear Him pass,  
He speaks to me everywhere.**

**This is my Father's world:  
O let me ne'er forget  
That though the wrong seems oft so strong,  
God is the Ruler yet.  
This is my Father's world:  
Why should my heart be sad?  
The Lord is Kind: let the heavens ring!  
God reigns; let earth be glad!**

*Priest*

Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.

*People*

**Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia**

## Postlude

*Trumpet Tune*

Manfredini



# Bienvenidos

ALL SAINTS' ANNOUNCEMENTS



## Service Schedule for May 5<sup>th</sup> and May 12<sup>th</sup>

	Sunday, May 5, 2024	Sunday, May 12, 2024
Greeter/Usher	Karen Evans	Allen Sweet
Crucifer/Chalice	Jackson Reese	Karen Knieff
Reader	Jacob Hopkins	Jim Rigg
Altar Guild	Tere Clay	Tere Clay
Musicians	Carol Graham	Caroline Celia, ASV Emsemble
Officiant	Mother Katherine	Mother Katherine

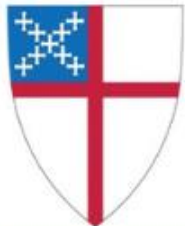
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## Readings for next Sunday, May 12, 2024

**Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 ~ Psalm 1 ~ 1 John 5:9-13 ~ John 17:6-19**

When viewing online, click [here](#) for next week's readings!

## Intercessions and Thanksgivings

### **In the Church:**

Susan, Bishop of San Diego ~ Michael, Presiding Bishop  
Daryl, President of the Standing Committee ~ Members of the Executive Council  
Mother Katherine, Priest of All Saints' as well as the Vestry & APP team of All Saints'  
All Saints' Community Engagement Committee

### **In the World:**

Refugees and all who are displaced.  
Israel, Gaza, and peace throughout the Middle East.  
Victims of natural disasters, especially those in our state impacted by flooding.  
Racial justice, gender equality, and all marginalized communities.  
For victims of gun violence.  
For immigration reform, for those who are undocumented, and for families separated by deportation.  
For those who are incarcerated, and for their families.  
The leaders and people of these United States, the State of California, the County of San Diego, and the City of Vista.

**In our Anglican Cycle:** Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil.

**Episcopal Diocese of San Diego Cycle of Prayer, we pray for:** the clergy and people of St. Philip the Apostle, Lemon Grove. For all our retired clergy and their spouses, all clergy widows and widowers.

**In our Episcopal Diocese of San Diego Military Cycle of Prayer, we pray for:** the USS San Francisco (SSN 711).

### **In our All Saints' Vista Family:**

**Help & Healing:** Alice Gitgen-Tsukada, Michelle, John Gutz

**Rest in Peace:**

**Special Intentions:** Jane Latimer and her family, Connie, Bob Evans

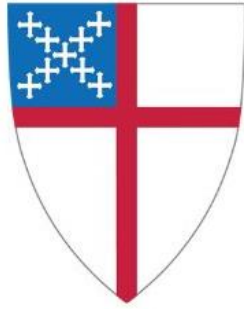
**Quiet Confidence:**

**Those who are Traveling:**

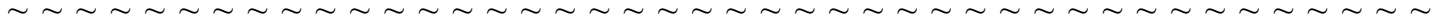
**Birthdays/Anniversaries:**



Send prayer requests to Amber at [office@AllSaintsVista.org](mailto:office@AllSaintsVista.org) and copy Mtr Katherine at [MotherKatherine@AllSaintsVista.org](mailto:MotherKatherine@AllSaintsVista.org) as well so she can offer pastoral assistance. Send us your birthdays, anniversaries, and other celebratory dates as well. Supporting each other is for the good times too! Don't forget to take this page of the weekly bulletin home with you so you can offer your own prayers. All prayer requests remain in the bulletin for 4 weeks. If continued prayers are needed, please let the office know.



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Thursday	CLOSED
Friday	9am to 2pm
Saturday	CLOSED
Sunday	8:30am to 11am



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**God loves you, No exceptions!**