

KING'S CHAPEL

EST. 1686



Third Sunday of Easter

Sunday, the Fourteenth of April
Two Thousand Twenty-Four

THE ORDER FOR MORNING PRAYER

as found in the Book of Common Prayer, beginning on page 1.

PRELUDE

Concerto in G Major, BWV 592

Allegro - Grave - Presto

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

INTROIT

Have you not heard? (Isaiah 40: 21,31)

Heinrich Christensen (born 1967)

WELCOME

*EXCHANGE OF PEACE

Minister The Peace of God be with you.

People **And also with you.**

In a COVID-aware manner, please greet your neighbors with a sign of God's peace.

Refrain

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Verses

1. The strife is o'er, the bat - tle done;
 2. The pow'rs of death have done their worst;
 3. On the third day Christ rose a - gain,
 4. He closed the yawn - ing gates of hell;
 5. Lord, by the stripes which wound - ed you,

Now is the Vic - tor's tri - umph won! Songs of re -
 But Christ their le - gions has dis - persed. Let shouts of
 Glo - rious in maj - es - ty to reign. O let us
 The bars from heav'n's high por - tals fell. Let hymns of
 Free from death's sting your ser - vants too, That we may

D.C.

joic - ing have be - gun. Al - le - lu - ia!
 ho - ly joy out - burst. Al - le - lu - ia!
 swell the joy - ful strain. Al - le - lu - ia!
 praise his tri - umph tell. Al - le - lu - ia!
 live and sing to you. Al - le - lu - ia!

Text: *Finita jam sunt praelia*; Latin, 12th C.; tr. by Francis Pott, 1832-1909, alt.
 Tune: VICTORY, 888 with alleluia and refrain; Giovanni da Palestrina, 1525-1594; adapt. by William H. Monk, 1823-1889

All shall sit.

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against thy holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare thou those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore thou those who are penitent, according to thy promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life; to the glory of thy holy name. *Amen.*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Prayerbook, p. 178

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Prayerbook, pp. 5-6

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.*

* VERSICLES

Prayerbook, p. 6

Minister O Lord, open thou our lips;
People **And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.**

**Minister* Now unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God;
People* **Be honor and glory, through Jesus Christ, for ever and ever. Amen.

Minister Praise ye the Lord.
People **The Lord's name be praised.**



1. { O come let us sing } unto • the Lord; { let us heartily rejoice in the strength of } our sal - va - tion.

2. Let us come before his presence with thanks - / giv - / ing; //
- and show ourselves / glad in / him with / psalms. //
3. For the Lord is a / great - / God; //
- and a great / King a - / bove all / gods. //
4. In his hand are all the corners / of the / earth; //
- and the strength of the hills is / his - / al - / so. //
5. The sea is his and he / made - / it; //
- and his hands pre - / pared the / dry - / land. //
6. O come let us worship and / fall - / down; //
- and kneel before the / Lord our / mak - / er. //
7. For he is the / Lord our / God; //
- and we are the people of his pasture, and the / sheep of / his - / hand. //
8. O worship the Lord in the beauty of / ho - li - / ness; //
- let the whole earth / stand in / awe of / him. //
9. For he cometh, for he cometh to / judge the / earth; //
- and with righteousness to judge the world, and the / peo - ple / with his / truth. //

* PSALM 4

Hear me when I call, O God of my righteousness;
 thou hast enlarged me when I was in distress;
 have mercy upon me, and hear my prayer.

**O ye kindred, how long will ye turn my glory into shame?
 how long will ye love vanity,
 and seek after lies?**

But know that the Lord hath set apart those who are
 godly for himself;
 the Lord will hear when I call unto him.

**Stand in awe, and sin not;
 commune with your own heart upon your bed,
 and be still.**

Offer the sacrifices of righteousness,
 and put your trust in the Lord.

**There be many that say, "Who will show us any good?
 Lord, lift up the light of thy countenance upon us."**

Thou hast put gladness in my heart,
 more than in the time that their grain and their wine increased.

In peace I will both lay me down and sleep;
for thou alone, O Lord, makest me dwell in safety.

* DOXOLOGY

Prayerbook, p. 8

Now unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God;
Be honor and glory, through Jesus Christ, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

MOTET

He had to run
Spiritual, arr. John Høybye

FIRST LESSON

1 John 3: 1-7

* CHANT | BENEDICTE,

First Part

Prayerbook, pp. 8-9

1. O - all ye / works of the Lord, / bless ye the / Lord; //
Praise him and magnify / him for - / ev - er. //
2. O - ye - / angels of the Lord, / bless ye the / Lord; //
O all ye pow'rs of the Lord, / bless ye the / Lord. - //
3. O - ye - / sun and moon, / bless ye the / Lord; // O ye show'rs and dew, / bless ye the / Lord. - //
4. O - ye - / fire and heat, / bless ye the / Lord; // O ye dews and frosts, / bless ye the / Lord. - //
5. O - ye - / ice and snow, / bless ye the / Lord; // O ye light and darkness, / bless ye the / Lord. - //
6. O - let the / earth / bless - the / Lord; //
O all ye green things upon the earth, / bless ye the / Lord. - //
7. O - all ye / fowls of the air, / bless ye the / Lord; // O ye children of men, / bless ye the / Lord. - //
8. O - ye - / priests of the Lord, / bless ye the / Lord; //
O ye spirits and souls of the righteous, /bless ye the / Lord. - //
9. O - all ye / works of the Lord, / bless ye the / Lord; //
Praise him and magnify / him for -/ ev - er. //

SECOND LESSON

Luke 24: 36b-48

SERMON

The Rev. Sam Holland

1. A - bide with me! fast falls the e - ven - tide; The dark-ness deep - ens:

Lord, with me a - bide! When oth - er help - ers fail, and com-forts flee,

Help of the help - less, O a - bide with me! A - MEN.

- 2 Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;
 Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;
 Change and decay in all around I see:
 O thou who changest not, abide with me!
- 3 I need thy presence every passing hour:
 What but thy grace can foil the tempter's power?
 Who like thyself my guide and stay can be?
 Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me!
- 4 I fear no foe, with thee at hand to bless:
 Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness:
 Where is death's sting? where, grave, thy victory?
 I triumph still, if thou abide with me!

O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day; defend us in the same with thy mighty power; and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger; but that all our doings may be ordered by thy governance, to do always that which is righteous in thy sight, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

PRAYERS

Prayerbook, pp. 14-17

Prayer for All Nations and Those in Authority
 Prayer for the Clergy and People
 Prayer for all Sorts and Conditions
 Prayer for Those Memorialized

GENERAL THANKSGIVING

Prayerbook, p. 17

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we thine unworthy servants do give thee most humble and hearty thanks for all thy goodness and lovingkindness to us and to all people. We bless thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all, for thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And we beseech thee, give us that due sense of all thy mercies, that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful, and that we may show forth thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up ourselves to thy service, and by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days, through Jesus Christ our Lord; in whose name we ascribe unto thee all honor and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

CONCLUDING PRAYER


Prayerbook, pp. 17-18

OFFERTORY

I believe that my redeemer lives
C. Alexander Peloquin (1918-2000)

Each Sunday, 10% of the plate collection is given to our Community Action strategic partners: common cathedral, and the Louis D. Brown Peace Institute, that together we might do works of mercy, justice, and healing. All donations not specially designated are considered a plate offering. Please refer to the last page of this Order of Service for information on how to give digitally.

* RESPONSE



1. We give thee but thine own, what - e'er the gift may be;



1. all that we have is thine a - lone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

1 Come, ye faith - ful, raise the strain Of tri - umph - ant glad - ness;
 2 'Tis the spring of souls to - day; Christ hath burst his pris - on,
 3 Now the queen of sea - sons, bright With the day of splen - dor,
 4 Neith - er might the gates of death, Nor the tomb's dark por - tal,

God hath brought his Is - ra - el In - to joy from sad - ness;
 And from three days' sleep in death As a sun hath ris - en;
 With the roy - al feast of feasts, Comes its joy to ren - der;
 Nor the watch - ers, nor the seal Hold thee as a mor - tal;

Loosed from Pha - raoh's bit - ter yoke Ja - cob's sons and daugh - ters;
 All the win - ter of our sins, Long and dark, is fly - ing
 Comes to glad Je - ru - sa - lem Who with true af - fec - tion
 But to - day a - midst the twelve Thou didst stand, be - stow - ing

Led them with un - moist - ened foot Through the Red Sea wa - ters.
 From his light, to whom we give Laud and praise un - dy - ing.
 Wel - comes in un - wea - ried strains Je - sus' res - ur - rec - tion.
 That thy peace which ev - er - more Pass - eth hu - man know - ing. A - men.

* BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

Prelude in Classic Style
Gordon Young (1919-1998)



SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

The Rev. Joy Fallon, Senior Minister
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Heinrich Christensen, Music Director
Emily Bieber-Harris, Soloist
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KING'S CHAPEL COVENANT

In the love of truth and in the spirit of Jesus Christ,
we unite for the worship of God and the service of all.



**Whoever you are, and wherever you are on life's journey,
*you are welcome here.***
**Believer or doubter, seeker or skeptic,
*we are all on this journey together***



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Check Your Health

If you are experiencing any symptoms of COVID-19, or have knowingly been exposed to someone with COVID, we kindly ask that you stay home and enjoy one of our virtual worship options.



Masks

We encourage masks for anyone who has flown recently, anyone who has a tickle in their throat or anyone who has been directly exposed to those who have a respiratory infection. When unsure, please err on the side of caution.

Accessibility Assists

Our beautiful Georgian sanctuary was designed by Peter Harrison and completed in 1754. One of the box pews has been made wheelchair accessible. Ushers are available to assist those who are wheelchair users to that pew. There is also an accessible bathroom in the vestry. A sound system has been installed in the sanctuary of the Chapel to amplify the sound during worship services. Hearing assistance devices are available for your use. Please see an usher for assistance.

Prayers

In Morning Prayer on Sundays, we offer prayers to God for those who are in special need in any way. If you wish to add any names to our public Bede List, or remove any at this time, please speak with our Ministers, or leave a message with our Parish Administrator (617-227-2155 x 108). If you wish to receive confidential daily prayers from our prayer group, contact the Ministers or e-mail prayerrequest@kings-chapel.org.

Families and Youth

If you are here with a family or are a parent or guardian 'shopping' for a church, we are so glad you are here; we are delighted to see toddlers and teens as well as our life long learners! We also have a 9 am service (Morning Light) at 64 Beacon Street each week which is more casual. If you are interested in further programming for younger folks in your family including church school, service learning or fellowship, please email our Assistant Minister, Sam at: assistant.minister@kings-chapel.org.