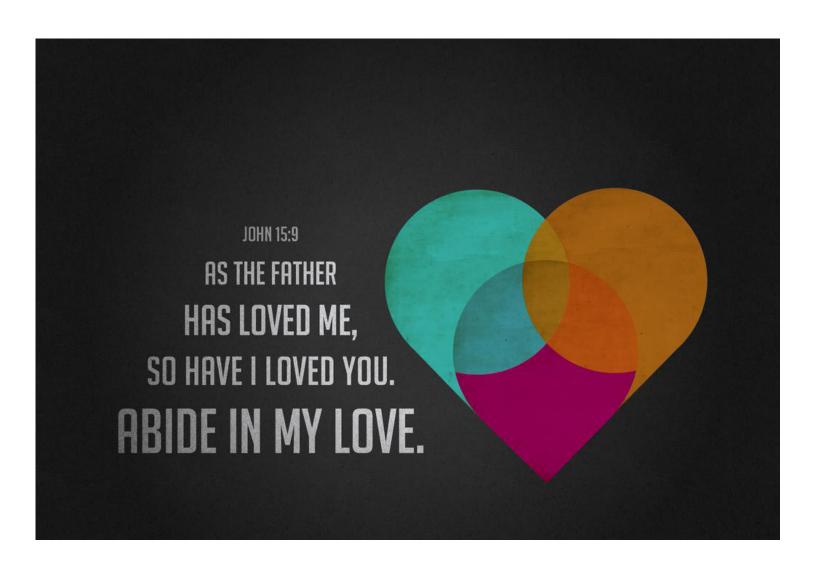
# GRACE AND HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL A Servant Church in the Heart of the City



The Sixth Sunday of Easter May 6, 2018 • 5 p.m.

# Order for Evening & Holy Eucharist, Rite Two

#### SERVICE NOTES

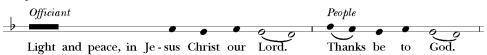
**Hymn** numbers refer to the blue book, *The Hymnal 1982*. "S" numbers (e.g. S120) are located in the front of the hymnal. Please rise, as able, for portions of the service marked with an asterisk (\*).

Thank you for observing silence.

#### \* Easter Acclamation

Presider Alleluia. Christ is risen.

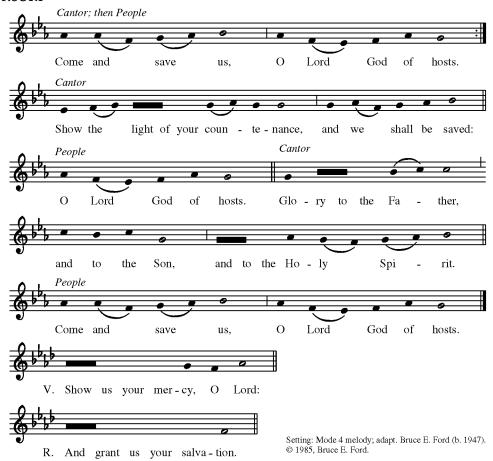
People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.



#### PRAYER FOR LIGHT

#### LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

#### RESPONSORY



### The Word of God

#### \* Collect of the Day

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray. 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.** 

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#### Lesson: 1 John 5:1-6

Lector

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.

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

#### Psalm 98



Cantor

Sing to the Lord a | new song, \*

for he has done | marvelous things.

All

With his right hand and his | holy arm \*

has he won for him|self the victory.

The Lord has made known his | victory; \*

his righteousness has he openly shown in the | sight of the nations.

He remembers his mercy and faithfulness to the house of | Israel, \*

and all the ends of the earth have seen the victor y of our God.

Shout with joy to the Lord, all | you lands; \*

lift up your | voice, rejoice, and sing.

Sing to the Lord with | the harp, \*

with the harp | and the voice of song.

With trumpets and the sound of | the horn \*

shout with joy before | the King, the Lord.

Let the sea make a noise and all that is | in it, \*

the lands and those | who dwell therein.

Let the rivers clap | their hands, \*

and let the hills ring out with joy before the Lord, when he | comes to judge the earth.

In righteousness shall he judge | the world \*

and the | peoples with equity.

#### \* Gradual Verse



A new commandment I ≜ give you;\* love one another as / I have loved you.

\* The Holy Gospel: John 15:9-17

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Gospeller Jesus said to his disc

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."

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

MEDITATION All are seated.

#### \* NICENE CREED

All 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.

#### \* Prayers of the People

Leader Risen Lord,
People Hear our prayer.

\* THE PEACE

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

## The Holy Communion

\* Offertory Hymn: "Ubi caritas" This song is repeated several times.



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#### \* The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer B

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

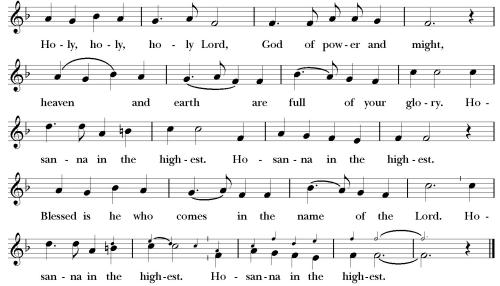
Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Presider

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:

All



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Presider

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father,

All We remember his death,

We proclaim his resurrection,

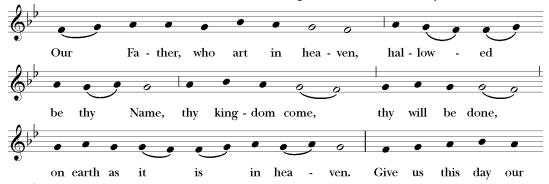
We await his coming in glory;

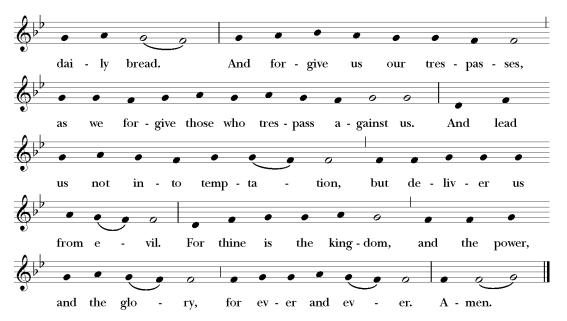
Presider

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation. 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.** 

#### The Lord's Prayer

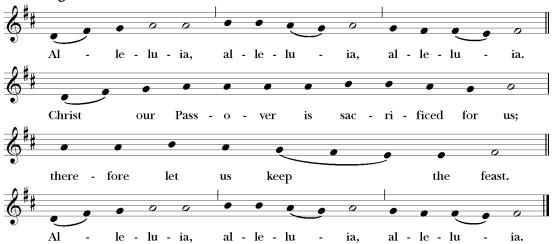
Presider And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,





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#### Breaking of the Bread



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#### Communion

- All are welcome to receive communion or a blessing.
- For gluten-free bread, cross your hands palms down.
- For a blessing, cross your hands over your chest.

#### \* Postcommunion Prayer

All

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

#### \* Blessing

Presider

Almighty and eternal God, so draw our hearts to you, so guide our minds, so fill our imaginations, so control our wills, that we may be wholly yours, utterly dedicated unto you; and then use us, we pray you, as you will, and always to your glory and the welfare of your people; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.** 

#### \* SENDING HYMN: "Lord, whose love through humble service"



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#### \* Dismissal

The Reverend Ron Verhaeghe, Presider & Preacher Renee Neff-Clark, Lector and Eucharistic Minister

Dr. Paul Meier, Organist Lindsey Lang, Cantor

Stan Dibble, Acolyte