

GRACE AND HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL



"Good Shepherd" by Jorge Cocco Santangelo

The Fourth Sunday of Easter
April 21, 2024 • 10:30 a.m.

Welcome!

Thank you for joining us for worship today at Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral. If you are new to the Cathedral, we invite you to fill out our welcome card and take a Cathedral coffee mug as our thank you for joining us today. Welcome cards are available in the pews or fill out the online form using the QR code.



Welcome Card or
Email Sign Up

Subscribe to Our Newsletter

Sign up for email news about special events, worship and ways to connect with our community.

Children

Children are welcome in all our services and activities for them are available on a shelf in the back aisle.

- Childcare for those 4 years old and younger is available in the nursery in Haden Hall.
- For elementary age children, Cathedral Kids meets during the first half of the 10:30 a.m. worship service and during this time we weave together our sacred stories and our Episcopal identity with the *Weaving God's Promises* curriculum! Children attending Cathedral Kids will meet their parents or guardians inside the tower doors during the passing of the peace. *Cathedral Kids will not meet today, May 5 (Youth Sunday) or May 12.*
- For Haden Hall: From the Tower entry, go up the stairs and straight ahead to the adjoining building. Follow signs or ask an usher for directions.

Restrooms

Gendered restrooms are available in Founders' Hall. A non-gendered, accessible restroom is available at west end (rear) of the Cathedral.

Hearing Assist Devices

Connect your bluetooth enabled devices through the Listen Everywhere app. Detailed instructions are available on the table near the entrance. Other (not bluetooth) hearing assist devices are also available on the table near the entrance.

Ways to Give

- Give online with the QR code.
- Place in the offering plate. Envelopes are available in the pew racks.
- Text "GIVetoGHTC" to 73256.



Give Online

Thank you for your generosity.

Service Notes

Please rise, as able, for portions of the service marked with an asterisk (*). Page numbers listed are from red The Book of Common Prayer and hymn numbers are from the *Hymnal 1982*.

Following the Service

Please join us for a reception in Founders' Hall.

Our Mission

As the Episcopal Cathedral Church in the heart of Kansas City we seek and serve Christ in all people, loving our neighbors as ourselves while striving for justice, peace and respect for every human being. Our worship, prayer and formation support the restorative strength of our community, reconciling all people to God and one another through Christ.



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Please be advised that our services are livestreamed to YouTube. Your participation in the service serves as your consent to the broadcast of your image and voice and to the broadcast of the image and voice of your participating minor children.

HOLY EUCHARIST

VOLUNTARY: Meditation on *Brother James' Air*

Harold Darke

The Word of God

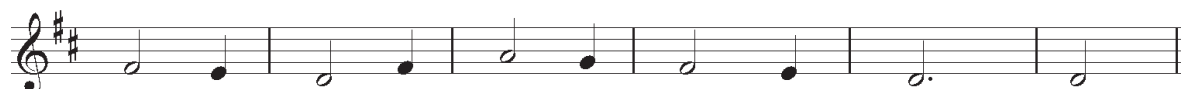
* OPENING HYMN: 645 "The King of love my shepherd is"



1 The King of love my shep-herd is, whose good-ness
2 Where streams of liv-ing wa-ter flow, my ran-somed
* 3 Per-verse and fool-ish oft I strayed, but yet in
* 4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill with thee, dear
5 Thou spread'st a ta-ble in my sight; thy unc-tion
6 And so through all the length of days thy good-ness



1 fail-eth nev-er; I noth-ing lack if
2 soul he lead-eth, and where the ver-dant
3 love he sought me, and on his shoul-der
4 Lord, be-side me; thy rod and staff my
5 grace be-stow-eth; and oh, what trans-port
6 fail-eth nev-er: Good Shep-herd, may I



1 I am his, and he is mine for ev-er.
2 pas-tures grow, with food ce-less-tial feed-eth.
3 gent-ly laid, and home, re-joic-ing, brought me.
4 com-fort still, thy cross be-fore to guide me.
5 of de-light from thy pure chal-ice flow-eth!
6 sing thy praise with-in thy house for ev-er.

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* OPENING ACCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

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Presider Alleluia. Christ is risen.

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

Presider 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.

* SONG OF PRAISE: S278 "Glory to God" *Gloria in excelsis*

1. Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and
 peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly King, al -
 might - y God and Fa-ther, we wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we
 praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus Christ,
 on - ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you
 take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;
 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -
 ceive our prayer. 6. For
 you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,
 7. you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the
 Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of
 God the Fa - ther. A - men.

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* COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE LESSONS

First Lesson: Acts 4:5-12

Lector The rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. This Jesus is

‘the stone that was rejected by you, the builders;
it has become the cornerstone.’

There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 23 *sung by the choir, chant by John Joubert*

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The Lord is my shepherd; *

I shall not be in want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures *

and leads me beside still waters.

He revives my soul *

and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.

Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; *

for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; *

you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is running over.

Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, *

and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Second Lesson: 1 John 3:16–24

Lector We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us—and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God’s love abide in anyone who has the world’s goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help?

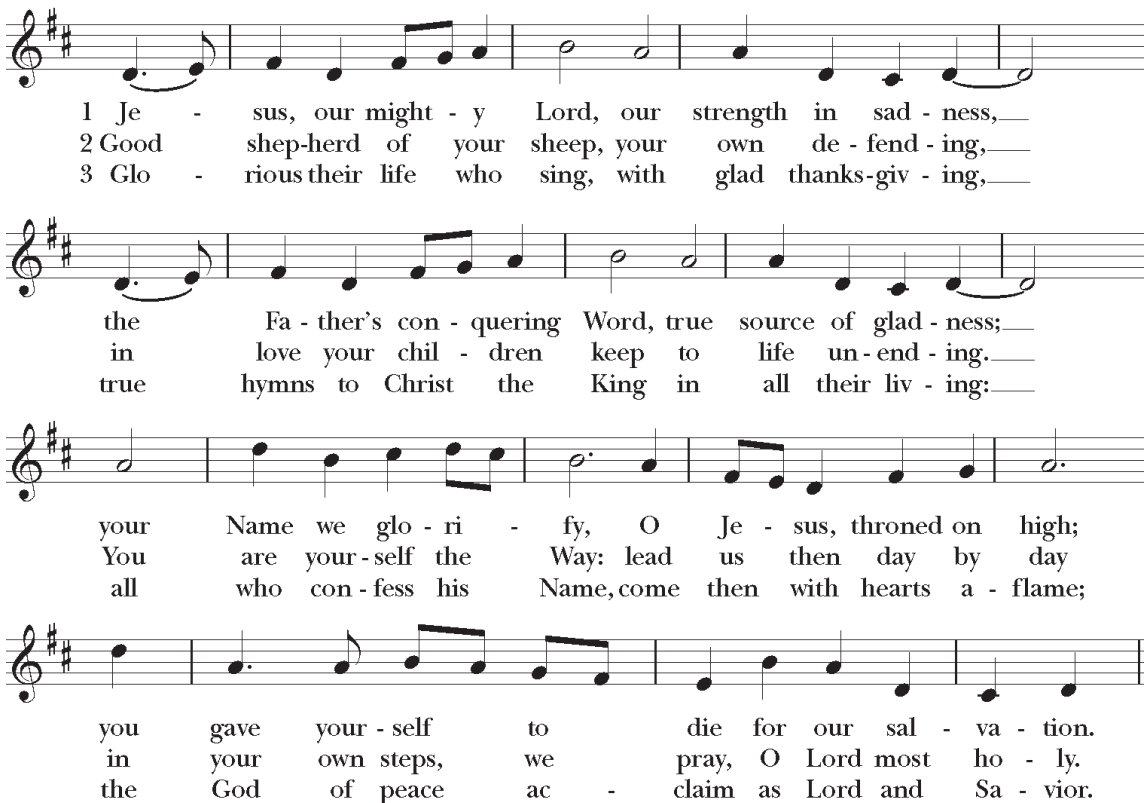
Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him.

And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

The Word of the Lord

People Thanks be to God.

* GOSPEL HYMN: 478 “Jesus, our mighty Lord, our strength in sadness”



1 Je - sus, our might - y Lord, our strength in sad - ness, —
2 Good shep-herd of your sheep, your own de - fend - ing, —
3 Glo - rious their life who sing, with glad thanks-giv - ing, —

the Fa - ther's con - quering Word, true source of glad - ness; —
in love your chil - dren keep to life un - end - ing. —
true hymns to Christ the King in all their liv - ing: —

your Name we glo - ri - fy, O Je - sus, throned on high;
You are your - self the Way: lead us then day by day
all who con - fess his Name, come then with hearts a - flame;

you gave your - self to die for our sal - va - tion.
in your own steps, we pray, O Lord most ho - ly.
the God of peace ac - claim as Lord and Sa - vior.

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* THE HOLY GOSPEL: John 10:11–18

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Deacon Jesus said, “I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me,

just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON

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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.

- Intercessor Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
People **That we all may be one.**
- Intercessor Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
People **That your Name may be glorified by all people.**
- Intercessor We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
People **That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**
- Intercessor We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
People **That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**
- Intercessor Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
People **That our works may find favor in your sight.**
- Intercessor Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
People **That they may be delivered from their distress.**
- Intercessor Give to the departed eternal rest.
People **Let light perpetual shine upon them.**
- Intercessor We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
People **May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**
- Intercessor Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

The Presider adds a concluding Collect.

* THE PEACE

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CELEBRATION PRAYER

- All O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servant(s) as *they* begin another year. Grant that *they* may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen *their* trust in your goodness all the days of *their* lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

BISHOP SEARCH PRAYER

- All O Creator God, giver of every good gift, look graciously on us in the Diocese of West Missouri and guide us as we discern our call of a new bishop. O Jesus, be present in our discernment, and lead us to a shepherd who will invite us to live out the Gospel every day. O Holy Spirit, inspire us with your wisdom, and kindle our hearts with the fire of your love, that we may be renewed as we prepare to welcome the ministry of our next bishop. This we ask trusting in You. Amen.

The Holy Communion

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

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OFFERTORY ANTHEM: "The Lord is my shepherd"

Thomas Matthews

text: Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

* PRESENTATION HYMN: 189 "Love's redeeming work is done"



1 Love's re - deem - ing work is done, fought the fight, the
2 Lives a - gain our glo - rious King; where, O death, is
3 Soar we now where Christ has led, fol - lowing our ex -



bat - tle won. Death in vain for - bids him rise;
now thy sting? Once he died our souls to save,
alt - ed Head; made like him, like him we rise,



Christ has o - pened par - a - dise. Al - le - lu - ia!
where thy vic - to - ry, O grave? Al - le - lu - ia!
ours the cross, the grave, the skies. Al - le - lu - ia!



al - le - lu - ia! _____
al - le - lu - ia! _____
al - le - lu - (ia!) _____ ia! _____

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Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

Presider 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.**

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

All 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.

Breaking of the Bread

Al - le - lu - ia! Christ our Pass - o -
- ver has been sac - ri - ficed for us; There - fore let us
keep the feast, Al - le - lu - ia,
Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!

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Presider 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 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.*

On the first Sunday of each month, prayer for healing is offered at the prayer desk until the close of worship.

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, I desire to offer to you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, Lord Christ; I proclaim your resurrection; I await your coming in glory. Since I cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

— From *The Prayer Book for the Armed Services*

COMMUNION ANTHEM: “Ego sum pastor bonus”

Frank La Rocca
text: John 10:14-15

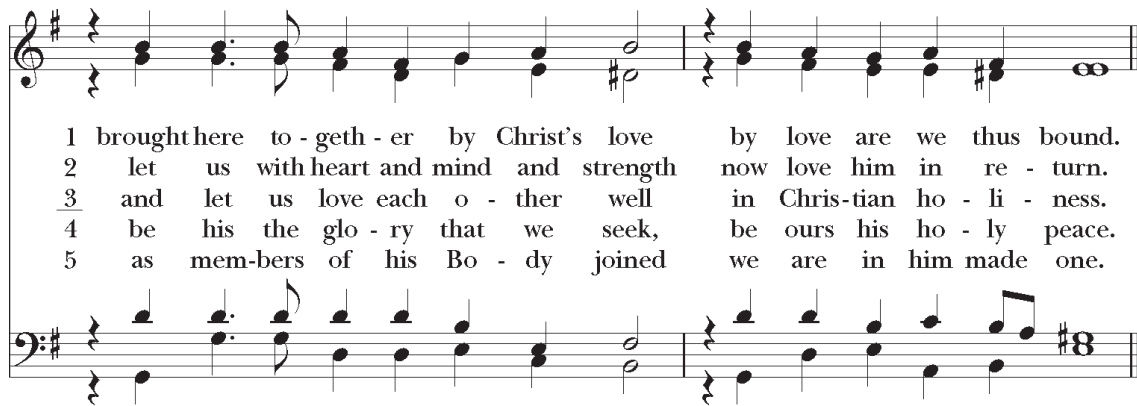
Ego sum pastor bonus: et cognosco oves meas, et cognoscunt me meae. Sicut novit me Pater et ego agnosco Patrem: et animam meam pono pro ovibus meis.

I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep.

COMMUNION HYMN: 581 "Where charity and love prevail"



1 Where char - i - ty and love pre - vail there God is ev - er found;
 2 With grate-ful joy and ho - ly fear his char - i - ty we learn;
 3 For - give we now each o - ther's faults as we our faults con - fess;
 4 Let strife a - mong us be un - known, let all con - ten - tion cease;
 5 Let us re - call that in our midst dwells God's be - got - ten Son;



1 brought here to - geth - er by Christ's love by love are we thus bound.
 2 let us with heart and mind and strength now love him in re - turn.
 3 and let us love each o - ther well in Chris-tian ho - li - ness.
 4 be his the glo - ry that we seek, be ours his ho - ly peace.
 5 as mem-bers of his Bo - dy joined we are in him made one.

6 Love can exclude no race or creed
 if honored be God's Name;
 our common life embraces all
 whose Father is the same.

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* POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

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Presider Let us pray.
 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

* DISMISSAL

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.
 People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

* CLOSING HYMN: 334 "Praise the Lord, rise up rejoicing"

1 Praise the Lord, rise up re - joic - ing, wor - ship, thanks, de -
 2 Scat - tered flock, one shep - herd shar - ing, lost and lone - ly,
 3 Sins for - giv - en, wrongs for - giv - ing, we go forth a -

vo - tion voic - ing; glo - ry be to God on high!
 one voice hear - ing, ears at - ten - tive to your word;
 lert and liv - ing in your Spi - rit, strong and free.

Christ, your cross and pas - sion shar - ing, by this Eu - cha -
 by your Blood new life re - ceiv - ing, in your Bo - dy,
 Part - ners in your new cre - a - tion, seek - ing peace in

rist de - clar - ing yours the fi - nal vic - to - ry.
 firm be - liev - ing, we are yours, and you the Lord.
 ev - ery na - tion, may we faith - ful fol - lowers be.

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VOLUNTARY: Fantasy on *St. Columba*, op. 72 no. 4

Kenneth Leighton

Serving Today

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|------------------------|--|
| Presider | The Rev. W. James Yazell |
| Preacher | The Rev. W. James Yazell |
| Deacon | The Rev. Barbara Wegener |
| Musicians | The Trinity Choir, Dr. Lucas Fletcher, Dr. Paul Meier |
| Lector | Julie Brogno |
| Intercessor | Jonathan Sternberg |
| Eucharistic Ministers | Christine Morrison, Clare Stern-Burbano |
| Acolyte | Henry Galus |
| Ushers | Richard Fanolio, Greg Smith, John Braum, Richard Morse |
| Greeter | Donna Knoell |
| Altar Guild | Peg Brown, Debbie Marrs, Leticia Porter |
| Sound/Livestreaming | Leticia Porter, Chris Morrison |
| Holy Hands Hospitality | Catherine Green, Julie Brogno, Becky Johnson, Sarah Lagergren, Sara Copeland |

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By contributing to the American Friends of the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem, you are helping to alleviate human suffering in the Holy Land.

THIS EASTER, BE A BEACON OF HOPE IN THE HOLY LAND

Founded in 1988 as a non-political, independent nonprofit, AFEDJ collaborates with the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem by helping to increase its capacity to teach and heal.

AFEDJ is dedicated to raising financial support for the diocese's humanitarian ministries – schools, hospitals, and centers for children with disabilities – in Palestine, Israel, Jordan, and Lebanon and spreading awareness about these powerful examples of Christian Witness in the Holy Land. Equity, respect, and human dignity are at the heart of our efforts.

As we journey through Spring, we ask for your support to make a meaningful difference in the lives of countless individuals affected by the recent conflict. We invite you to be a beacon of hope in a land where hope is in critically short supply. Your generosity is the lifeblood that sustains our mission. By joining hands and working together, we can strengthen this vital network of care, amplifying the Diocese of Jerusalem's mission and creating lasting change in the lives of those who need it most.

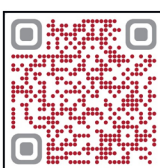
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Youth & College

WEEKLY YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAYS

Youth Formation at 9:15 a.m.
with light breakfast

Worship at 10:30 a.m.

Youth Group at 6 p.m.
Dinner is provided!



QUESTIONS? CONTACT CLARE,
CSTERN@KCCATHEDRAL.ORG.

GHTC YOUTH MINISTRY

No Youth Group

April 28

May 5

May 19

Family Worship Weekends

In an effort to getting children more comfortable and involved in worship services, we are starting **Family Worship Weekends**. This means that rather than having Cathedral Kids after the 9:15 a.m. formation hour, parents/guardians/caregivers will come pick their child up from Haden at 10:15 a.m. and worship together as a family. Pew Boxes are in the back of the Nave for these Family Worship Weekends with items that children can use during the service (and some items can go home with them!).

Questions? Contact Clare: cstern@kccathedral.org.

April 21 • May 5 (Youth Sunday) • May 12

Adult Formation

Sunday

A Comparison of Easter Themes • April 28, May 5, 12 at 9:15 a.m. • Common Room

Dean Andy will lead a class looking at and comparing the Easter themes laid out in the lectionary in all three years. What is similar, what is different, and why are particular themes emphasized in particular years? The first reading in all three years is always from the Acts of the Apostles and the Gospel is mostly John with a little Luke mixed in. The Epistle is from 1 Peter in Year A, 1 John in Year B, and Revelation in Year C.

Tuesday

GHTC's Virtual Cafe • 7:30 a.m.

Please join us for our weekly conversation in GHTC's Virtual Cafe! Tuesday mornings from 7:30–9 a.m. For details, visit kccathedral.org/other-activities.

Women's Bible Study • 12:30 p.m.

Conversation is lively, thought-provoking, and often irreverent. All are welcome. Visit the WBS page, kccathedral.org/adultformation/wbs for more information.

Lectionary Bible Study • 6:45 p.m.

We study the lessons for the upcoming Sunday. Join the Lectionary Bible Study group in Realm or visit the LBS page, kccathedral.org/adultformation/lbs for more details.

Children

Formation Class • 9:15 a.m.

Join us for formation hour and wonder about God with your friends and teachers and hear sacred stories as told with the help of Godly Play resources! **TODAY, 4/21, children will join the youth in the youth room for a combined formation class.**

Cathedral Kids • 10:30 a.m.

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Announcements

TOILETRY DRIVE APRIL

Body Wash
Hand/Body Lotion
Shampoo & Conditioner
Deodorant

• Regular size items requested •

Bring your donations for the Jewish Family Services pantry to the basket in the Tower.



EVENSONG.

Sunday, April 21 • 5 p.m.

Sunday, May 19 • 5 p.m.

A service of Choral Evensong is offered by the Trinity Choir. This contemplative service includes hymns, scripture readings, prayers, chanted Psalms, canticles and a choir anthem. With its origins in Archbishop Thomas Cranmer's Book of Common Prayer (1549), Evensong is one of the most uniquely Anglican liturgies and is sung in cathedrals and parishes throughout the world.

Safe Church, Safe Community Training

April 27, 10 a.m.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church
11 E 40th St., Kansas City, MO 64111

Safe Church Safe Communities

Core Training

April 27 • 10 a.m.

Training for Safe Church, Safe Community certification will be offered at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Kansas City. This training is intended to aid in creating safe and welcoming communities for all people and communicate adopted policies of the church that protect all people, especially those most vulnerable or susceptible to power imbalances in our communities.

Register at diowestmo.org/safe-church-safe-communities-training-april-27.

Today's Focal St. John's Bible Illumination: "I Am the Resurrection"



Following Jesus' "I Am the Good Shepherd" discourse (today's Gospel text), John narrates the raising of Lazarus in which Jesus declares "I Am the Resurrection and the Life." In this illumination (on the Bible desk up front) imagine you are standing at the back of Lazarus' burial tomb looking outward. Can you see Jesus just outside the cave opening? Can you imagine yourself as Lazarus being commanded to "Come Out"? How does this inspire your thinking about resurrection?

Announcements

Youth Sunday & Graduate Recognition

Sunday, May 5

Our youth take key leadership roles in the service and the Cathedral's youth leadership will preach. We celebrate all graduates as part of our Youth Sunday celebration. *If you know of a graduate, send their name to communications@kccathedral.org by Sunday, April 28.*



PARISH PICNIC

Sunday, May 19 • 11:45 a.m.

Join us for a picnic lunch in the Founders' Hall courtyard & north lawn.



The Cathedral will provide the main course.

Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

We'll also have fun activities for kids of all ages.

Dress casually and enjoy this time of fun and fellowship!

This is a great Sunday to invite a friend or neighbor to worship with you.

Cathedral Prayer List

Pray for: Pat and Larry Martin; Joyce Morrow; Midge Purty; Brend; Liliana; Jim Verhague; Judy Houtman; Lynn Schneider; Tim Allen; Deacon Donna Stanford; Joey; Bill Crain; Mary Jane Thomas; Willard Welch; Gordon Hansen; Phineas & LaGreta Gitta; Cathy Davis; Joe & Joan Bacchus; Kenny Cabean; the With family; Annie Benitez; Aiden; Bethany; Mark Bontrager; Ann Ryder; David Hayes; Nelda Leon; the Biellier Family; All those fighting cancer; Bonita White; Charlotte Colburn; Doyle White; First Responders; Gloria Stocks; Jim Royer; Jinny McCoy; Larry McMullen; Mike Barzee & Family; Pat Lieve; Phyllis & James Shaffer; Thaddeus Samuel Withers

Children & Youth Prayers: World Central Kitchen; Hamas Israel; Ukraine/Russia; Traveling Mercies; Everyday life in the USA; Housing Search; School; That the Royals, Chelsea and Lincoln Prep win; My Brother

Comfort and Peace: the family and friends of those lost from the World Central Kitchen; the family and friends of Anna Marie; the family and friends of Francis Grant Jr.; the family of Margaret Brogdon; the family of Robert Van Gorp; the Rich family; the Hatteberg family; the Lopez-Galvan family; the Morrison family; the Sailer family and the friends, families and staff of Operation Breakthrough; Davina and the Reed family; Ellen and the Spake family; the East family; the Richards family; all families affected by gun violence

Pray for the Departed: Those lives lost from World Central Kitchen; Anna Marie; Donald Dickens; Francis Grant, Jr.; Cody Allen; Drexel Mack; Margaret Brogdon; Robert Van Gorp; Arthur Ernest Rich III ; Jeri Hatteberg; Lisa Lopez-Galvan; Julia Nucci Kelly; Brent Spake; Grayson O'Connor; Karen Danna; Mtr. Emily Richards; Robert F. East; Sgt. Breonna Moffett; Sgt. Kennedy Sanders; Sgt. William Rivers; Sister Berta Sailer; Mtr. Emily Richards; Peggy Morgan; for all those lost in war; for all who have died from gun violence

Diocesan Prayer Cycle: Christ Episcopal Church, Boonville—The Rev. Kim Taube, Priest in Residence; Bishop Spencer Place

For the complete prayer list: kccathedral.org/prayers

To place a person on this prayer list, please contact Deacon Barbara Wegener, bwegener@kccathedral.org.

Requests are held in prayer for 90 days.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

April 22

Bill Kretsinger
John Plunkett
Dan Welch

April 23

Caleb Daniel
Anthony Janky
Abbey Mosley
Linda Oliver

April 24

Bill & Marsha Beggs

April 26

McKenna Atherton
Jim Pfeffer

April 27

Florence Barnard
Colin Chambers
Kristen Ellis Johnson
Steve McClure

Please contact the Cathedral office if we have omitted your birthday or anniversary:
jtoma@kccathedral.org or 816.474.8260.

Weekly Flower Donations

Donations toward the weekly flowers can be given by anyone who wants to acknowledge special events or people in their lives. Gifts are accepted in any amount. You can mail a check to the Cathedral office, put your donation in a flower envelope and place in the offering or make a payment through our online payment site.

See kccathedral.org/flowers for more information or contact Julie Toma, jtoma@kccathedral.org.



Cathedral Staff: The Very Rev. Dr. Andrew C. Keyse, *Dean*; The Rev. W. James Yazell, *Associate Priest*; The Rev. Barbara Wegener, *Deacon*; Dr. Paul Meier, *Director of Music*; Dr. Lucas Fletcher, *Associate Organist*; Clare Stern-Burbano, *College, Youth & Children's Minister*; Julie Toma, *Cathedral Administrator*; Melissa Kilpatrick, *Communications Coordinator*; Holly Campbell, *Events Coordinator*; Steve Berman, *Finance Coordinator*; Dr. Joan Bergstrom, *Sacristan & Volunteer Coordinator*; Angie Graham, *Facility Manager*; Bianca Jackson, *Assistant Facility Manager*; The Very Rev. Peter J. DeVau, *Dean Emeritus*; Canon John Schaefer, *Canon Musician Emeritus*

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