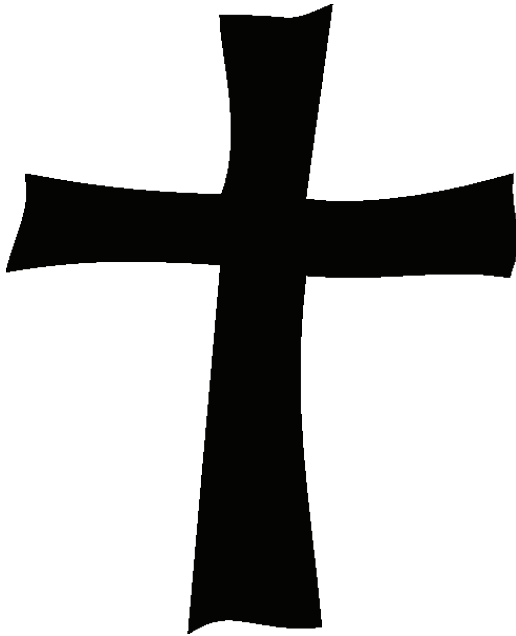


Morning Prayer

Easter 2025



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Collects for the Season of Easter

Easter Day

O God, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection delivered us from the power of our enemy: Grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

or this

O God, who made this most holy night to shine with the glory of the Lord's resurrection: Stir up in your Church that Spirit of adoption which is given to us in Baptism, that we, being renewed both in body and mind, may worship you in sincerity and truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

or this

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Second Sunday of Easter

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.

Collect for the Feast of Saint Mark

Almighty God, by the hand of Mark the evangelist you have given to your Church the Gospel of Jesus Christ the Son of God: We thank you for this witness, and pray that we may be firmly grounded in its truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Collect for the Feast of Saint Philip and Saint James

Almighty God, who gave to your apostles Philip and James grace and strength to bear witness to the truth: Grant that we, being mindful of their victory of faith, may glorify in life and death the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Third Sunday of Easter

O God, whose blessed Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Fourth Sunday of Easter

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.

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Sixth Sunday of Easter

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.

Ascension Day

Almighty God, whose blessed Son our Savior Jesus Christ ascended far above all heavens that he might fill all things: Mercifully give us faith to perceive that, according to his promise, he abides with his Church on earth, even to the end of the ages; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

or this

Grant, we pray, Almighty God, that as we believe your only-begotten Son our Lord Jesus Christ to have ascended into heaven, so we may also in heart and mind there ascend, and with him continually dwell; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Seventh Sunday of Easter

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

Tuesday of Easter Week

April 22

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 103

1st Reading: Isaiah 30:18-21

Canticle: 13, p. 90

2nd Reading: Acts 2:36-41(42-47)

Canticle: 18, p. 93

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Wednesday of Easter Week

April 23

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 97, 99

1st Reading: Micah 7:7-15

Canticle: 11, p. 87

2nd Reading: Acts 3:1-10

Canticle: 16, p. 92

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Thursday of Easter Week

April 24

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 146, 147

1st Reading: Ezekiel 37:1-14

Canticle: 8, p. 85

2nd Reading: Acts 3:11-26

Canticle: 20, p. 94

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

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Monday of the Second Week of Easter

April 28, The Feast of St. Mark

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 145

1st Reading: Ecclesiastes 2:1-11

Canticle: 16, p. 92

2nd Reading: Acts 12:25-13:3

Canticle: 21, p. 95

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

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Tuesday of the Second Week of Easter

April 29

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 5, 6

1st Reading: Daniel 2:1-16

Canticle: 13, p. 90

2nd Reading: 1 John 2:1-11

Canticle: 18, p. 93

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

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Wednesday of the Second Week of Easter

April 30

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 119:1-24

1st Reading: Daniel 2:17-30

Canticle: 11, p. 87

2nd Reading: 1 John 2:12-17

Canticle: 16, p. 92

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

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Thursday of the Second Week of Easter

May 1, The Feast of Saints Philip & James

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 119:137-160

1st Reading: Job 23:1-12

Canticle: 16, p. 92

2nd Reading: John 1:43-51

Canticle: 21, p. 95

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

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Monday of the Third Week of Easter

May 5

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 25

1st Reading: Daniel 4:19-27

Canticle: 9, p. 86

2nd Reading: 1 John 3:19-4:6

Canticle: 19, p. 94

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

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Tuesday of the Third Week of Easter

May 6

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 26, 28

1st Reading: Daniel 4:28-37

Canticle: 13, p. 90

2nd Reading: 1 John 4:7-21

Canticle: 18, p. 93

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Wednesday of the Third Week of Easter

May 7

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 38

1st Reading: Daniel 5:1-12

Canticle: 11, p. 87

2nd Reading: 1 John 5:1-12

Canticle: 16, p. 92

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

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Thursday of the Third Week of Easter

May 8

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 37:1-18

1st Reading: Daniel 5:13-30

Canticle: 8, p. 85

2nd Reading: 1 John 5:13-20(21)

Canticle: 20, p. 94

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

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Monday of the Fourth Week of Easter

May 12

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 41, 52

1st Reading: Wisdom 1:16-2:11, 21-24

Canticle: 9, p. 86

2nd Reading: Colossians 1:1-14

Canticle: 19, p. 94

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Easter

May 13

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 45

1st Reading: Wisdom 3:1-9

Canticle: 13, p. 90

2nd Reading: Colossians 1:15-23

Canticle: 18, p. 93

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Wednesday of the Fourth Week of Easter

May 14

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 119:49-72

1st Reading: Wisdom 4:16-5:8

Canticle: 11, p. 87

2nd Reading: Colossians 1:24-2:7

Canticle: 16, p. 92

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Thursday of the Fourth Week of Easter

May 15

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 50

1st Reading: Wisdom 5:9-23

Canticle: 8, p. 85

2nd Reading: Colossians 2:8-23

Canticle: 20, p. 94

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Monday of the Fifth Week of Easter

May 19

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 56, 57, [58]

1st Reading: Wisdom 9:1, 7-18

Canticle: 9, p. 86

2nd Reading: Colossians (3:18-4:1)2-18

Canticle: 19, p. 94

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Tuesday of the Fifth Week of Easter

May 20

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 61, 62

1st Reading: Wisdom 10:1-4(5-12)13-21

Canticle: 13, p. 90

2nd Reading: Romans 12:1-21

Canticle: 18, p. 93

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Wednesday of the Fifth Week of Easter

May 21

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 72

1st Reading: Wisdom 13:1-9

Canticle: 11, p. 87

2nd Reading: Romans 13:1-14

Canticle: 16, p. 92

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Thursday of the Fifth Week of Easter

May 22

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): [70], 71

1st Reading: Wisdom 14:27-15:3

Canticle: 8, p. 85

2nd Reading: Romans 14:1-12

Canticle: 20, p. 94

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

Concluding V. & R.: p. 102

Monday of the Sixth Week of Easter

May 26

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Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 80

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 8:1-10

Canticle: 9, p. 86

2nd Reading: James 1:1-15

Canticle: 19, p. 94

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Tuesday of the Sixth Week of Easter

May 27

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 78:1-39

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 8:11-20

Canticle: 13, p. 90

2nd Reading: James 1:16-27

Canticle: 18, p. 93

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Wednesday of the Sixth Week of Easter

May 28

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 119:97-120

1st Reading: Baruch 3:24-37

Canticle: 11, p. 87

2nd Reading: James 5:13-18

Canticle: 16, p. 92

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Ascension Day

May 29

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 47

1st Reading: Acts 1:1-11

Canticle: 16, p. 92

2nd Reading: Ephesians 1:15-23

Canticle: 21, p. 95

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Monday of the Seventh Week of Easter

June 2

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 89:1-18

1st Reading: Ezekiel 4:1-17

Canticle: 9, p. 86

2nd Reading: Hebrews 6:1-12

Canticle: 19, p. 94

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

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Tuesday of the Seventh Week of Easter

June 3

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 97, 99, [100]

1st Reading: Ezekiel 7:10-15, 23b-27

Canticle: 13, p. 90

2nd Reading: Hebrews 6:13-20

Canticle: 18, p. 93

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Wednesday of the Seventh Week of Easter

June 4

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 101, 109:1-4(5-19)20-30

1st Reading: Ezekiel 11:14-25

Canticle: 11, p. 87

2nd Reading: Hebrews 7:1-17

Canticle: 16, p. 92

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

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Thursday of the Seventh Week of Easter

June 5

Opening Sentences: p. 77

Preces: p. 81

Invitatory: Christ our Passover, p. 83

Psalm(s): 105:1-22

1st Reading: Ezekiel 18:1-4, 19-32

Canticle: 8, p. 85

2nd Reading: Hebrews 7:18-28

Canticle: 20, p. 94

The Creed: p. 96

The Prayers: p. 97

Suffrages: B, p. 98

The General Thanksgiving: p. 101

Concluding V. & R.: p. 102

