

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL
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FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
A CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

APRIL 17, 2016
8:30 a.m.

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Cathedral Parish of the
Diocese of Tennessee (Episcopal)

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THE SECOND LESSON – Revelation 7:9-17

I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

“Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!”

And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing,

“Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom
and thanksgiving and honor
and power and might
be to our God forever and ever! Amen.”

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, “Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?” I said to him, “Sir, you are the one that knows.” Then he said to me, “These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

For this reason they are before the throne of God,
and worship him day and night within his temple,
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.
They will hunger no more, and thirst no more;
the sun will not strike them,
nor any scorching heat;
for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd,
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

THE GOSPEL LESSON – John 10:22-30

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, “How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.” Jesus answered, “I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one.”

SERMON – Melinda Balseer, Seminarian

A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.

THE NICENE CREED (*BCP, P. 358*)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, FORM IV (*BCP, p. 388*)

COMMISSIONING OF CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL MISSIONERS
TO THE DIOCESE OF HAITI

THE PEACE

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

ANTHEM

Agnus Dei

Kinley Lang
(b. 1950)

*Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem.*

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (*Eucharist Prayer A, p. 361*)

S129 – Sanctus

Robert Powell

The Lord's Prayer (*BCP, p. 364*)

The Breaking of the Bread

S154 – Christ Our Passover

David Hurd

*Please follow the direction of the ushers in order to receive Communion.
Those who wish to receive the Laying on of Hands and Anointing
may proceed to the chapel after receiving Communion.*

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

Anthem

The Lord bless you and keep you

Peter C. Lutkin
(1858-1931)

The Lord bless you and keep you,
The Lord lift His countenance upon you; and give you peace,
The Lord make His face to shine upon you,
and be gracious unto you. Amen.

Please join in the singing of the Communion hymn.

Hymn 645 – The King of love my shepherd is

St. Columba

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (*BCP, p. 365*)

BLESSING

HYMN 492 – Sing, ye faithful, sing with gladness

Finnian

DISMISSAL

VOLUNTARY

Chorale and Chorale Prelude: *Christ lag in Todesbanden* BWV 277 & 625
Christ lay in the bonds of death

Johann Sebastian Bach

*We welcome the Allen High School Choir from Allen, Texas to our liturgy this morning.
This choir of 105 students is directed by Brian Kinney, Michael Bryson, Kathryn Kendall, and Lamar Peeples.*

ACOLYTES – Molly Edwards, Cade MacMillan, Jackson Kirkby, Caroline Kirkby
ALTAR GUILD – Kathy Morton, Mary Ellen Pethel, Adam Hutson, Cindy Tyler, Dede Clements, Greer Broemel
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER – Matthew Bourlakas
GREETERS – Katherine Moffat
HEALING PRAYER – Natalie Dickson
LECTORS – Elliott Middleton, Pete Stringer, Gibson Prichard
SACRISTAN – John Coleman
WAYFARER – Jon Stanley

PRAYERS

Today we pray for *Will Chappell, Roberta LaBour, Leigh MacMillan, David Paul Cotton, Linda Booth, Margaret Woodward, Sarah Kimbrough, Brandie Adams, Derek Meler, Peggy Drinkard, Butch Durst, Mavis Allen, Patti West, Nicoya Davidson, Lynn Maddox, Bill Nichol, and David Keister.* **We pray also for those who have died,** especially *Michael Charles Lyle, husband of Mary Frances Lyle.*

Room In The Inn Program (*one of the agencies the Cathedral supports*) provides emergency winter shelter for the homeless.

FLOWERS

The flowers in the Chancel are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of *Thomas Anthony Brown,* and *Michael Charles Lyle,* by their families.

CHURCH SCHOOL

Adult Classes

Dean's Forum—Parish Hall

"Primates, SCOTUS, Deputies, & Marriage: The Trial Use Liturgies 2015 of the Episcopal Church" Part II
Presenter: The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough

Centering Prayer—Cathedral Annex Building

Living Buddha, Living Christ, by Thich Nhat Hanh

Led by Arlene Wilson, Susan Hilderbrand, Heather Rippetoe, John Wellborn, and Benetta Ligon

Faith & Family Matters—Chapel

Led by Hannah and John Lavey

Sitting with Scripture: Lectionary Readings for Listening Ears—Room 4, Undercroft

Led by Ben Curtis, Lyonel Gilmer, Keith Meador, and Rod Murray

Children's Classes

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Age 3 (as of 08/15/15) through 1st grade—Cheek Hall

2nd through 5th grade—Cathedral Annex Building

Youth Classes—810 Broadway Building

6th-12th grades

Sermon Notes:

FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 2016
8:30 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

CELEBRANT

The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, *Dean and Rector*

PREACHER

Melinda Balsler, *Seminarian*

ASSISTING

The Reverend Canon Gene B. Manning, *Sub-Dean*

The Reverend Canon Joshua M. Caler, *Canon for Evangelism and Parish Life*

MUSICIANS

Michael Gebhart, *Assistant Organist and Choirmaster*

Allen High School Choir

Brian McKinney, Michael Bryson, Kathryn Kendall, Lamar Peeples, *Directors*

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