

Corpus Christi Catholic Church



Easter Sunday

The Resurrection of the Lord

April 20, 2025



Pastor
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Guest Celebrants
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Gathering Song

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Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia!
Suffer to redeem our loss, Alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia!
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Gloria - From Mass of a Grateful Heart, by Joseph Hébert

Gloria in excelsis Deo. Et in terra pax.
Hominibus bonae voluntatis.
We praise you, we bless you,
We adore you, we glorify you.
We give you thanks for your great glory.

Lord God heavenly King, O God almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ only begotten Son.
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father.
You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer.
You are seated at the right hand of the Father,
Have mercy on us.

Quoniam tu solus sanctus. Tu solus Dominus.
Tu solus altissimus Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
In the glory of God the Father. A- men.

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Acts 10:34a, 37-43 (page 106 missalette)

Psalm 118: THIS IS THE DAY

Scott Soper



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Colossians 3:1-4 (page 107 missalette)

Easter Sequence

(recited before the Gospel acclamation)

Christians, to the Paschal Victim
Offer your thankful praises!
A Lamb the sheep redeems;
Christ, who only is sinless,
Reconciles sinners to the Father.

Death and life have contended
in that combat stupendous:
The Prince of life, who died,
reigns immortal.

Speak, Mary, declaring
What you saw, wayfaring.
"The tomb of Christ, who is living,
The glory of Jesus' resurrection;
bright angels attesting,
The shroud and napkin resting.

Yes, Christ my hope is arisen;
to Galilee he goes before you."
Christ indeed from death is risen,
our new life obtaining.
Have mercy, victor King, ever reigning!
Amen. Alleluia.

Gospel Acclamation



Ha-le lu-yah, Ha le - luyah, O O Ha-le lu-yah, Hale - lu -yah!

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Gospel - John 20:1-9 (page 108 missalette)



Homily

Renewal of Baptismal Promises

All respond: I do

Sprinkling with Baptismal Water

I've Got a River

O-ver-flow in me;
Ho-ly Spirit, set me free!
Open these eyes_ let this blind man see!
Oh, I've got a ri-ver in me!

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Preparation of the Gifts



Yours Today by Rory Cooney

Let your people re-joyce.
You are ris-en from death.
Now we are your voice,
your hands and your breath.
Not for you, the tomb;
not for you, deaths decay, risen Lord!
We are you! We are yours, yours today.



Eucharistic Acclamations

Mass of the Living God by Joseph Hébert

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Holy Lord_ God of Hosts.
Hea-ven and earth_ are full_ of your glo-ry (*4 claps*)
Hosan-na, Hosan-na, Hosan-na in the high-est!
Hosan-na, Hosan-na, Hosan-na in the high-est!

Blest is He, blest is He,
who comes in the name of the Lord (*4 claps*)
Hosan-na, Hosan-na, Hosan-na in the high-est!
Hosan-na, Hosan-na, Hosan-na in the high-est!

Mystery of Faith

We proclaim_ your death_ O_ Lord
And profess_ your resurrection, Un-til you come_ a-gain.

Amen

For-ever_ and ever, forever and ever A-men (*repeat*)

Lamb of God (Fraction rite)

Lamb of God you take away_ the sins_ of the world
Have mer-cy on us. (*repeat*)

Lamb of God you take away_ the sins_ of the world
Grant_ us_ peace.

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Communion



Down to the River to Pray

As I went down to the river to pray
studying about that good old way and who shall wear
the starry crown Good Lord show me the way!

1. O sisters let's go down.
Let's go down, come on down.
O sisters let's go down, down to the river to pray.
2. O brothers let's go down.
Let's go down, come on down.
O brothers let's go down, down to the river to pray.
3. O fathers let's go down.
Let's go down, come on down.
O fathers let's go down, down to the river to pray.
4. O mothers let's go down.
Let's go down, come on down.
O mothers let's go down, down to the river to pray.
5. O sinners let's go down.
Let's go down, come on down.
O sinners let's go down, down to the river to pray.

Christ is Risen by Brian Wren

1. Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna! Celebrate this day of days!
Christ is risen, hush in wonder: All creation is amazed.
In the dessert all surrounding, see, a spreading tree has grown.
Healing leaves of grace abounding Bring a taste_ of love unknown.
2. Christ is risen! Raise your spirits, from the caverns of despair.
Walk with gladness in the morning, see what love can do and dare.
Drink the wine of resurrection, not a servant, but a friend.
Jesus is our strong companion. Joy and peace_ shall never end.

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Song of Praise

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Happy Easter 

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