

10:30am Worship May 21, 2023 Seventh Sunday of Easter

EASTER PROCLAMATION

Christ is risen!

He is risen, indeed!

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He is risen, indeed!

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

He is risen, indeed! Alleluia!

WELCOME

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

In the waters of baptism...now and forever.

Amen.

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. O God of glory, your Son Jesus Christ suffered for us and ascended to your right hand. Unite us with Christ and each other in suffering and in joy, that all the world may be drawn into your bountiful presence, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

FIRST READING: Acts 1:6-14

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING: 1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11

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CHILDREN'S SERMON

GOSPEL: John 17:1-11

The holy gospel according to John. Glory to you, O Lord.

The gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

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APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

(Following each petition)

...hear us O God,

Your mercy is great.

... through Jesus Christ our risen Lord,

Amen

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

OFFERING and SONG

MISSION MOMENT: Stuie Lewis, Mentorship

RECOGNITION OF FLC SCHOLARSHIP

SENIOR QUILT BLESSING

COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.

DISTRIBUTION and SONGS

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray. Gracious God, in you we live and move and have our being. With your word and this meal of grace, you have nourished our life together. Strengthen us to show your love and serve the world in Jesus' name.

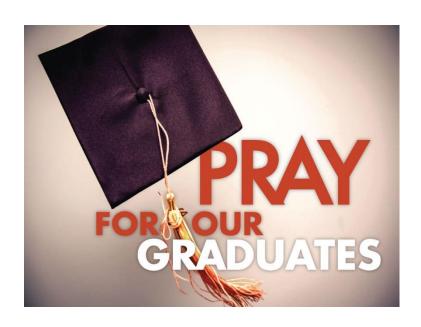
Amen

BLESSING

The God of all, who raised Jesus from the dead, bless you by the power of the Holy Spirit to live in the new creation. **Amen.**

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DISMISSALGo in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**



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