

8:00 AM

Markley Chapel
Holy Eucharist | Rite I
The Fourth Sunday of Easter

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation (*standing*) Book of Common Prayer (BCP) 323
Collect for Purity BCP 323
Kyrie eleison BCP 324
Collect of the Day: The Fourth Sunday of Easter BCP 173
Scripture Lessons (*seated*)
Gospel Lesson (*standing*)
Sermon (*seated*) The Rev. Scott Fleischer, Associate for Pastoral Care
The Nicene Creed (*standing*) BCP 326
Prayers of the People (*kneeling*) BCP 328
The Confession of Sin is omitted during Eastertide.
The Peace (*standing*) BCP 332

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer II (*standing*) BCP 340
Communion Music Tom Spooner, *soloist*
Post Communion Prayer (*kneeling*) BCP 339
Blessing & Dismissal

10:30 AM

Markley Chapel
Holy Eucharist | Rite II
The Fourth Sunday of Easter

THE WORD OF GOD

Hymn in Procession, No. 377 (*standing*) *All people that on earth do dwell*
Opening Acclamation Book of Common Prayer (BCP) 355
Collect for Purity BCP 355
Gloria in excelsis (Hymnal, S-280) Robert J. Powell
Collect of the Day: The Fourth Sunday of Easter BCP 225
Scripture Lessons (*seated*)
Alleluia Verse (*standing*)
Gospel Lesson
Sermon (*seated*) The Rev. Scott Fleischer, Associate for Pastoral Care
The Nicene Creed (*standing*) BCP 358
Prayers of the People: Form III BCP 387
The Confession of Sin is omitted during Eastertide.
The Peace (*standing*) BCP 360

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Sentences
Anthem at the Offertory Markley Chapel Musicians
Presentation Hymn, No. 380, v. 3 (*standing*)
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.
The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A BCP 361
The congregation stands throughout the Eucharistic Prayer.
Sanctus (Hymnal, S-129) Robert J. Powell
Fraction Anthem (Hymnal, S-154) David Hurd
Communion Music Markley Chapel Musicians
Post Communion Prayer (*standing*) BCP 365
Blessing
Hymn in Procession, No. 708 *Savior, like a shepherd lead us*
Dismissal BCP 366

5:00 PM

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Holy Eucharist | Rite II
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THE WORD OF GOD

Words of Welcome
Opening Acclamation (*standing*) Book of Common Prayer (BCP) 355
Kyrie eleison BCP 356
Collect of the Day: The Fourth Sunday of Easter BCP 225
Silence for reflection is kept after the Lessons and following the Sermon.
Scripture Lessons (*seated*)
Alleluia Verse (*standing*)
Gospel Lesson
Sermon (*seated*) The Rev. Lindy Bunch, Associate for Parish Life
The Nicene Creed (*standing*) BCP 358
Prayers of the People: Form III BCP 387
The Confession of Sin is omitted during Eastertide.
The Peace (*standing*) BCP 360

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Hymn, No. 174 (*seated*) *At the Lamb's high feast we sing*
Presentation Hymn, No. 380, v. 3 (*standing*)
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.
The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A (*standing*) BCP 361
Communion Music Rebekah Ruppe, *soloist*
Hymn No. 663 *The Lord my God my shepherd is*
Post Communion Prayer (*standing*) BCP 365
Blessing
Closing Hymn, No. 708 (*standing*) *Savior, like a shepherd lead us*
Dismissal

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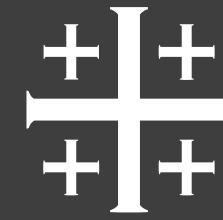
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Worship Leaflet for All Services
April 26, 2026
The Fourth Sunday of Easter

Serving in Worship Today

8:00 AM | Markley Chapel

The Rev. Scott Fleischer, *Celebrant & Preacher*
Ron Gregory, *Lay Reader + Tom Spooner, Soloist*

10:30 AM | Historic Church

The Rt. Rev. Daniel P. Richards, *Celebrant & Preacher*
The Ven. Mary Jeffers, *Archdeacon*
The Rev. Lindy Bunch, *Assisting*
Wes Clarke, *Lay Reader*
Tom Coker, Gayle Saylor & Amy Woodson, *Vergers*
Christ Church Parish Choir
Donald W. Duncan, *Director of Liturgy & Music*

10:30 AM | Markley Chapel

The Rev. Scott Fleischer, *Celebrant & Preacher*
John Malik, *Lay Reader + Kathryn Hix, Verger*
Markley Chapel Musicians
Chase McAbee, *Assistant Parish Musician*

5:00 PM | Markley Chapel

The Rev. Lindy Bunch, *Celebrant & Preacher*
Norma Givens, *Lay Reader + Rebekah Ruppe, Soloist*
Cara Horn, *Pianist*

The Christ Church Altar Guild + The Christ Church Acolyte Guild

Altar Flowers

The flowers in the Historic Church are given to the glory of Almighty God in memory of George Dukas by Mary, John, and David Dukas, and in thanksgiving for the marriage of Addison Horton and Jayson Nash.

Our condolences are extended to Belinda Garrison and her family on the death of their mother, Doris Helen Dickert Jenkins.

Welcome to Worship at Christ Church

In order to assist you in following the service, this worship leaflet provides an outline of today's liturgy. The text of the prayers and other liturgical materials can be found in the **Book of Common Prayer (BCP)**, the small red book in your pew rack. The corresponding page numbers are indicated in the worship leaflet by the abbreviation BCP. The hymns and service music can be found in the **Hymnal 1982**, the blue book in your pew rack. The corresponding numbers are indicated in the worship leaflet by No. or S.

Readings for the Fourth Sunday of Easter

The First Lesson

Acts 2:42-47

Those who had been baptized devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles. All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need. Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

At all services held in Markley Chapel Psalm 23 is recited in unison.

At the 10:30 am Historic Church service Psalm 23 is sung by the Parish Choir.

The Appointed Psalm

Psalm 23

- 1 The Lord is my shepherd; *
I shall not be in want.
- 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures *
and leads me beside still waters.
- 3 He revives my soul *
and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.
- 4 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.
- 5 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.
- 6 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.

The Second Lesson

1 Peter 2:19-25

It is a credit to you if, being aware of God, you endure pain while suffering unjustly. If you endure when you are beaten for doing wrong, what credit is that? But if you endure when you do right and suffer for it, you have God's approval. For to this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you should follow in his steps. "He committed no sin, and no deceit was found in his mouth." When he was abused, he did not return abuse; when he suffered, he did not threaten; but he entrusted himself to the one who judges justly. He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, so that, free from sins, we might live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed. For you were going astray like sheep, but now you have returned to the shepherd and guardian of your souls.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Gospel Lesson

John 10:1-10

8:00 AM:
The Holy Gospel of our Lord
Jesus Christ according to John.

Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Jesus said, "Very truly, I tell you, anyone who does not enter the sheepfold by the gate but climbs in by another way is a thief and a bandit. The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep hear his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has brought out all his own, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. They will not follow a stranger, but they will run from him because they do not know the voice of strangers." Jesus used this figure of speech with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them. So again Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep. All who came before me are thieves and bandits; but the sheep did not listen to them. I am the gate. Whoever enters by me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture. The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly."

8:00 AM:
The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise be to thee, O Christ.

10:30 AM & 5:00 PM:
The Holy Gospel of our Lord
Jesus Christ according to John.
Glory to you, Lord Christ.

10:30
AM

Historic Church
Holy Eucharist | Rite II
The Fourth Sunday of Easter

"The Lord is in his holy temple, let all the earth keep silence before him."

Habakkuk 2:20

As we prepare for worship, we invite all members of the congregation to enter the church in a spirit of stillness. The moments before the liturgy begins are a sacred time to center our hearts, pray, and ready ourselves to encounter the presence of God. Let us honor this holy silence together, creating space for prayerful reflection for ourselves and for those around us.

THE WORD OF GOD

Organ Voluntary

Donald W. Duncan, *Director of Liturgy & Music*

Hymn in Procession, No. 377 *(standing)*

All people that on earth do dwell

Opening Acclamation

Alleluia. Christ is risen.

The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

There is one Body and one Spirit;

There is one hope in God's call to us;

One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

One God and Father of all.

Book of Common Prayer (BCP) 413

Collect of the Day: The Fourth Sunday of Easter

BCP 225

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

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 First Lesson *(seated)*

Acts 2:42-47

The Appointed Psalm *(Sung by the Parish Choir)*

Psalm 23

The Second Lesson *(seated)*

1 Peter 2:19-25

Sequence Hymn, No. 708 *(standing)*

Savior, like a shepherd lead us

Children's Church is not being offered today.

Children are invited to remain in the nave with their parents for the duration of the service.

The Gospel Lesson

John 10:1-10

The Sermon *(seated)*

The Rt. Rev. Daniel P. Richards
Bishop of the Diocese of Upper South Carolina

Presentation and Examination of Candidates

BCP 415

The Baptismal Covenant *(standing)*

BCP 416

Prayers for the Candidates

BCP 305

Confirmation, Reception, and Reaffirmation *(seated)*

BCP 418

Concluding Collect *(standing)*

BCP 419

The Peace

BCP 419

Words of Welcome *(seated)*

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Sentences

Anthem at the Offertory

The Christ Church Parish Choir

Christ has arisen, alleluia!

Text | Bernard Kyamanywa; Translated by Howard S. Olson (1977)

Music | Tanzanian Melody

Presentation Hymn, No. 207, v. 4 *(standing)*

Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!

praise eternal as his love; Alleluia!

Praise him, all ye heavenly host, Alleluia!

Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP 361

During Eastertide the congregation remains standing throughout the Eucharistic Prayer.

Sanctus et Benedictus (Hymnal, S-129)

Robert J. Powell

Fraction Anthem (Hymnal, S-154)

David Hurd

Communion Music

Hymn No. 663

The Lord my God my shepherd is

Hymn No. 478

Jesus, our mighty Lord

Hymn No. 646

The King of love my shepherd is

Hymn No. 664

My Shepherd will supply my need

If Lay Eucharistic Visitors are sent out this week, the following is said:

The Sending Forth of Lay Eucharistic Visitors

In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood. We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.

During Eastertide the congregation stands for the Post Communion Prayer and Blessing.

Post Communion Prayer *(standing)*

BCP 365

Blessing

The Celebrant blesses the people; the congregation responds with "Amen."

Hymn in Procession, No. 334

Praise the Lord, rise up rejoicing

Dismissal

BCP 366

Organ Voluntary

Donald W. Duncan, *Director of Liturgy & Music*