## The Third Sunday of Easter 💥 Jubilate Deo

25-26 April 2020

Saint Brigid Catholic Church 🗱 Johns Creek, Georgia

Rev. Neil Herlihy, Pastor

### Introductory Rites

#### Introit: Jubilate Deo omnis terra

### music by Healey Willan (1880-1968)

Make a joyful noise unto God, all ye lands! Alleluia! Sing forth the honor of His Name; make His praise to be glorious. Alleluia! (cf. Psalm 66)

### Rite of Blessing and Sprinkling of Holy Water

★ Dear brethren (brothers and sisters), let us humbly beseech the Lord our God to bless this water he has created, which will be sprinkled on us as a memorial of our Baptism. May he help us by his grace to remain faithful to the Spirit we have received.

#### Lord our God,

in your mercy be present to your people's prayers, and, for us who recall the wondrous work of our creation and the still greater work of our redemption, For you created water to make the fields fruitful and to refresh and cleanse our bodies. You also made water the instrument of your mercy: for through water you freed your people from slavery and quenched their thirst in the desert; through water the Prophets proclaimed the new covenant you were to enter upon with the human race; and last of all, through water, which Christ made holy in the Jordan, you have renewed our corrupted nature in the bath of regeneration.

Therefore, may this water be for us a memorial of the Baptism we have received.

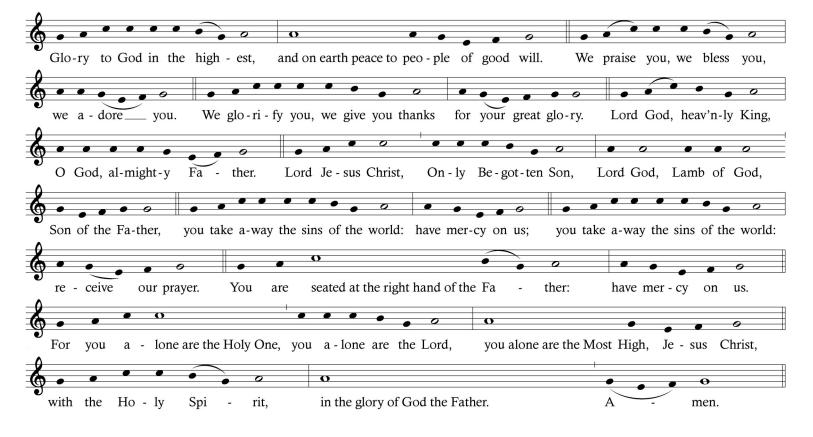
Through Christ our Lord.

Ry Amen.

# The Celebrant sprinkles himself and the people with holy water; meanwhile, the following chant is sung:

I saw water flowing from the Temple, from the right hand side, Alleluia; and all to whom this water came were saved and shall say, Alleluia, Alleluia.

- ★ May almighty God cleanse us of our sins, and through the celebration of this Eucharist make us worthy to share at the table of his Kingdom.
- Ry Amen.



## Collect

May your people exult for ever, O God, in renewed youthfulness of spirit, so that, rejoicing now in the restored glory of our adoption, we may look forward in confident hope to the rejoicing of the day of resurrection.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God, for ever and ever.

₿⁄ Amen.

## Liturgy of the Word

## First Reading: Acts 2:14-22-33

Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice, and proclaimed: "You who are Jews, indeed all of you staying in Jerusalem. Let this be known to you, and listen to my words. You who are Israelites, hear these words. Jesus the Nazarene was a man commended to you by God with mighty deeds, wonders, and signs, which God worked through him in your midst, as you yourselves know. This man, delivered up by the set plan and foreknowledge of God, you killed, using lawless men to crucify him. But God raised him up, releasing him from the throes of death, because it was impossible for him to be held by it. For David says of him: I saw the Lord ever before me. with him at my right hand I shall not be disturbed. Therefore my heart has been glad and my tongue has exulted; my flesh, too, will dwell in hope,

because you will not abandon my soul to the netherworld,

nor will you suffer your holy one to see corruption. You have made known to me the paths of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence.

"My brothers, one can confidently say to you about the patriarch David that he died and was buried, and his tomb is in our midst to this day. But since he was a prophet and knew that God had sworn an oath to him that he would set one of his descendants upon his throne, he foresaw and spoke of the resurrection of the Christ, that neither was he abandoned to the netherworld nor did his flesh see corruption.

God raised this Jesus; of this we are all witnesses. Exalted at the right hand of God, he received the promise of the Holy Spirit from the Father and poured him forth, as you see and hear."



Keep me, O God, for in you I take refuge; I say to the LORD, "My Lord are you." O LORD, my allotted portion and my cup, you it is who hold fast my lot. R

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 16:1-11a

I bless the LORD who counsels me; even in the night my heart exhorts me. I set the LORD ever before me; with him at my right hand I shall not be disturbed. R

## Epistle: I Peter 1:17-21

Beloved: If you invoke as Father him who judges impartially according to each one's works, conduct yourselves with reverence during the time of your sojourning, realizing that you were ransomed from your futile conduct, handed on by your ancestors, not with perishable things like silver or gold but with the precious blood of Christ as of a spotless unblemished lamb.

Therefore my heart is glad and my soul rejoices, my body, too, abides in confidence; because you will not abandon my soul to the netherworld, nor will you suffer your faithful one to undergo corruption. R

You will show me the path to life, abounding joy in your presence, the delights at your right hand forever. R

He was known before the foundation of the world but revealed in the final time for you, who through him believe in God who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.



V Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us: make our hearts burn while you speak to us.

## Gospel: Luke 24:13-35

That very day, the first day of the week, two of Jesus' disciples were going to a village seven miles from Jerusalem called Emmaus, and they were conversing about all the things that had occurred. And it happened that while they were conversing and debating, Jesus himself drew near and walked with them, but their eyes were prevented from recognizing him.

He asked them,

"What are you discussing as you walk along?"

They stopped, looking downcast. One of them, named Cleopas, said to him in reply, "Are you the only visitor to Jerusalem who does not know of the things that have taken place there in these days?"

And he replied to them, "What sort of things?"

They said to him, "The things that happened to Jesus the Nazarene, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, how our chief priests and rulers both handed him over to a sentence of death and crucified him. But we were hoping that he would be the one to redeem Israel; and besides all this, it is now the third day since this took place. Some women from our group, however, have astounded us: they were at the tomb early in the morning and did not find his body; they came back and reported that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who announced that he was alive. Then some of those with us went to the tomb and found things just as the women had described, but him they did not see."

Homily

Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *(all bow)* and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. *(all rise)*  And he said to them, "Oh, how foolish you are! How slow of heart to believe all that the prophets spoke! Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into his glory?" Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets,

he interpreted to them what referred to him in all the Scriptures.

As they approached the village to which they were going, he gave the impression that he was going on farther. But they urged him, "Stay with us, for it is nearly evening and the day is almost over." So he went in to stay with them. And it happened that, while he was with them at table, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them. With that their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but he vanished from their sight.

Then they said to each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he spoke to us on the way and opened the Scriptures to us?"

So they set out at once and returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the eleven and those with them who were saying, "The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!" Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of bread.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## Liturgy of the Eucharist

Music during the Preparation of the Gifts and Altar

Offertory: Lauda Anima

Praise the Lord, O my soul! I will praise the Lord in my life; I will sing His praise every day, Alleluia! (Psalm 146:2)

✤ Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

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Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And with your Spirit.

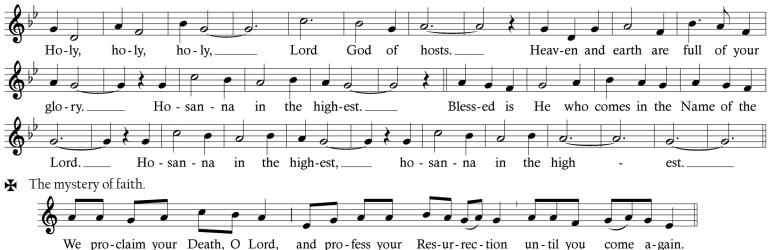
- R May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his Name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.
- Receive, O Lord, we pray, these offerings of your exultant Church, and, as you have given her cause for such great gladness, grant also that the gifts we bring may bear fruit in perpetual happiness. Through Christ our Lord.

- ✤ Lift up your hearts.
- $\mathbb{R}$  We lift them up to the Lord.
- ★ Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- $\mathbb{R}$  It is right and just.

It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, at all times to acclaim you, O Lord, but in this time above all to laud you yet more gloriously, when Christ our Passover has been sacrificed.

He never ceases to offer himself for us but defends us and ever pleads our cause before you: he is the sacrificial Victim who dies no more, the Lamb, once slain, who lives for ever.

Therefore, overcome with paschal joy, every land, every people exults in your praise and even the heavenly Powers, with the angelic hosts, sing together the unending hymn of your glory, as they acclaim:



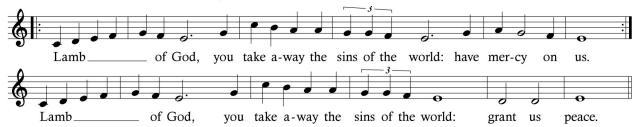
Through him, with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, for ever and ever.



- At the Savior's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:
- Q Our Father, who art in heaven... ...but deliver us from evil.
- Deliver us, Lord, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.
- $\mathbb{R}$  For the Kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever.

Chant, Mode IV

- ★ Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.
- R∕ Amen.
- The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- ₿⁄ And with your Spirit.
- $\bigstar$  Let us offer each other the sign of peace.



- ★ Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.
- ℵ Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

## Music during Holy Communion

As the Celebrant receives the Host, the Communion antiphon is sung.

Antiphon: Surrexit Dominus et apparuit Petro, Mode VI (Luke 24:34)

The Lord is risen, and has appeared to Peter, alleluia, alleluia.

## Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

₿⁄ Amen.

### Prayer after Communion

★ Look with kindness upon your people, O Lord, and grant, we pray, that those you were pleased to renew by eternal mysteries may attain in their flesh the incorruptible glory of the resurrection.

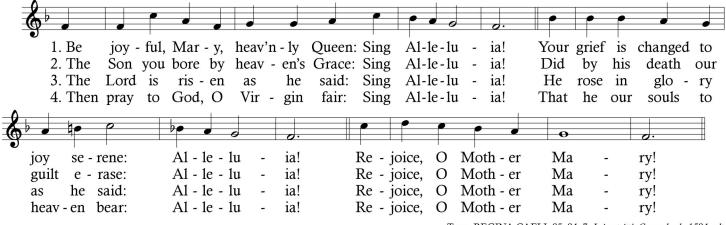
Through Christ our Lord.

R∕ Amen.

## Solemn Blessing

- ★ May God, who by the Resurrection of his Only Begotten Son was pleased to confer on you the gift of redemption and of adoption, give you gladness by his blessing.
- ₿⁄ Amen.
- ★ May he, by whose redeeming work you have received the gift of everlasting freedom, make you heirs to an eternal inheritance.
- ₿⁄ Amen.
- ★ And may you, who have already risen with Christ in Baptism through faith, by living in a right manner on this earth, be united with him in the homeland of heaven.
- ₿⁄ Amen.
- ★ And may the blessing of almighty God, the Father, and the Son, ★ and the Holy Spirit, come down on you and remain with you for ever.
- ₿⁄ Amen.
- v Go in peace [or similar words of dismissal]
- $\mathbb{R}$  Thanks be to God.

Recessional Hymn: Be Joyful, Mary (Regina Cæli)



Tune: REGINA CAELI, 85. 84. 7; Leisentritt's Gesangbuch, 1584, alt. Text: Regina Cæli Iubila; Latin, 17th C.; tr. Anonymous, 1901

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