

Easter IV Year A

April 30, 2023
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Prayers of the People

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Gathered in the care of the Good Shepherd and guardian of our souls let us in trust pray for the church and the world, saying: Lord, have mercy.

For the Holy Church of God...for the grace to be God's presence in the world...let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For all who are persecuted for the gospel...for all who have been martyred for the faith...for all living in lonely places who rejoice in the hope of the resurrection...and for the community of the saints, living and dead...let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For victims of rage and sudden violence...for abused children and spouses...for political prisoners...for victims of extortion, murder, or natural catastrophe... let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For all gathered online this morning and for our specific needs, that we may come to receive abundant life at God's hand, and at the last to rest in Christ's shepherding love, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

We pray for the forgotten and abandoned...for all who are in anguish...for the guilt-ridden...for all in need of the Spirit...may they and those that love them, feel your warm embrace...let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For those called to offer comfort...for doctors and nurses... chaplains and hospice workers...for all who sit with those who grieve...let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For all who have died in the peace of Christ...for those who mourn their loss and long for the comfort of the shepherd...Let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, make us worthy this day to serve our fellow man, who throughout this world live and die in poverty and hunger. Grant to them this day Lord through our hands, their daily bread and by our understanding love, grant them peace and joy. Let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

The celebrant adds the following collect.

Good and loving God hear the prayers of your people this day. As we enter into the work of this week, protect and guide us, fill us with your holy and life-giving Spirit so that we may serve you all our days. We pray in the name of our shepherd and risen Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

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April 30, 2023
10:30 AM Rite II

The Liturgy of the Word

Prelude

Hymnal

Book of Common Prayer

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	Salutation and Collect	p. 355
178	<i>Gloria: Jesus is Lord Over All the Earth</i>	
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664	<i>My Shepherd Will Supply My Needs (Vv. 1-2)</i>	
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The Holy Communion

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	<i>Doxology</i>	
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478	<i>Jesus, Our Mighty Lord</i>	
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Postlude

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*The flowers on the altar
are given to the
Greater Glory of God
By
St. Andrew's*

Assist us, Lord, in living hopefully into the future. In the face of change, help us to set unnecessary fears aside and to recognize our potential for creative response. Help us to develop a reasonable optimism when confronted by "the new" and to guard against our own defensiveness. Be with us as we remember and celebrate former times, and keep us from unreasonable yearning for them, which takes us from the work you have set before us in our time. All this we ask in the name of your Child, our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Prayer Requests

Ron J. Elsie C. Steve Bill Lisa O.	Deborah Anne B. Jon Nancy Carole Joy	Ray Dennis Deborah G. Carol Ray
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Serving in our Armed Forces: Sean, Veronica H., Jericca S., Matt K., Eric O, Fletcher, Jonathan K., Will M., Rodney M., Jeffery B., Adam M., James W., and for all the Veterans of the United States

For those who have died: Ben Anderson

Welcome to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.
We are pleased you are with us this morning as we
worship and praise the Living God.

Having been fed through God's Word and Sacrament, join us for refreshments in the Commons following the service, so that we may introduce ourselves and our faith community to you.

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Welcome to St. Andrew's on this Fourth Sunday in the Easter Season.
If you are visiting this morning, please sign our *Guest Book*
on the welcome table in the Commons. Also located
there are Visitor's Packets and our parish newsletter, *The Call*.

Today, we will pack backpack food bags in the Commons following the 8am service



Financial Status as of April 23, 2023

Contrib. Rec'd this week \$1,767
Avg. Wkly Contrib. Needed . . . \$6,299
Rec'd YTC \$155,548
Spent YTD \$99,573
If you have questions about your pledge or other contributions, call
Rosemary Clark, on Monday and Thursday afternoons, at 443-2070.

**Please give a warm welcome to
Rev. Patricia Hanen!**

**Preschool's Quarter
Auction**
May 6th at 5:15 p.m. for dinner and 6:00 p.m. for the auction. \$15 per ticket.
Only 100 tickets will be sold.
Contact Ms. Tara at 532-5941.
QUICKLY!

The EYC, led by Landon Newcomb, is collecting toiletries and paper products for United Christian Ministries during the month of April. Please bring your items to the table in the Commons
Thank you!



VBS

June 12-16
Register by May 1st
Ages 2-completed 5th Grade
Information available on the round table in the Commons

Come join us Sunday, May 7th at 9am for a Parish Opportunity Breakfast. We will have lots of good food and talks about the different ministries we have here at church and how you can get involved!



Serving next Sunday, May 7 We welcome Rev. Patricia Hanen

8am LAY: Lee Dawson LEM: George Earp Acolytes: Lauren Renck Ushers: Tom Drew and Jan Arnold Greeters: Dan Melnyk and Ashley Newcomb Home Lay Eucharistic Ministry: Marie Inscore and Ramona Orzell Pantry Volunteers: Rita Coggins, Rosemary Clark, and Missy Filliettaz Pantry Distributors: Patty Kennedy, Tommy Parker, Elizabeth Hunter	10:30 am Martha Lamm Leslie Hall
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"For God is not unjust, he will not overlook your work and the love that you showed for his sake in serving the saints, as you still do." Hebrews 6:10

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*Led by the Spirit, the mission of
St. Andrew's Episcopal Church
is to lovingly serve God through worship,
fellowship, education, and ministry.*

**The church and its missions are
as relevant as we make them.**