

"They spoke such wonderful words of wisdom it was doubtful she would ever hear his voice."

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How to Connect to Today's (April 21) Service Livestream

Livestreaming Video -

Click through to our livestreaming page to find a link to today's service, which you can view in your internet browser (e.g., Firefox, Chrome, Microsoft Edge, Safari) or in the YouTube app on your phone. We invite you to log on a few minutes before service starts to exchange greetings with the HCA family (and any guests!) in the chat!

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Prayer for Livestream Viewers

We encourage you to put your prayer requests and praises in the livestream chat – if you submit requests before 11am, they'll be prayed for during the service! For prayer during the week, or to share a request confidentially, you can submit a request to the prayer chain by calling or emailing Pat Knudsen at (734) 788-6444 or calling, texting, or emailing the church – (734) 367-0422, <u>heachurch@gmail.com</u>.

OPENING HYMN (The people stand)

He is risen, he is risen! Tell it out with joyful voice: He has burst his three days' prison; let the whole wide earth rejoice: Death is conquered, we are free, Christ has won the victory.

Come, ye sad and fearful-hearted, with glad smile and radiant brow! Death's long shadows have departed; Jesus' woes are over now, And the passion that he bore — sin and pain can vex no more.

Come, with high and holy hymning, hail our Lord's triumphant day; Not one darksome cloud is dimming yonder glorious morning ray, Breaking o'er the purple east, symbol of our Easter feast.

He is risen, he is risen! He hath opened heaven's gate: We are free from sin's dark prison, risen to a holier state; And a brighter Easter beam on our longing eyes shall stream.

THE ACCLAMATION

Officiant	Alleluia! Christ is risen!
People	The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

All Almighty God, to You all hearts are open, all desires known, and from You no secrets are hid. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PASCHA NOSTRUM (Christ our Passover)



Alleluia, [|]alle [|]luia. * [|]Alle[|]luia, [|]alle [|]luia.

Christ our Passover is <u>sacri</u><u>ficed for</u> us, therefore <u>let</u> us keep the feast, Not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of <u>malice</u> and <u>wickedness</u>, but with the unleavened <u>bread of</u> sin <u>ceri</u><u>ty</u> and truth.

Alleluia, [|] alle [|] luia. * [|] Alle [|] luia, [|]alle [|] luia.

Christ being raised from the dead |<u>dieth</u> no |more; death hath |<u>no more</u> do | minion | over Him. For in that He died, He died unto |sin |once, * but in that He liveth He |liv-eth |unto |God. Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead in |deed <u>unto</u> |sin, * but alive unto God through |Je-sus |Christ our |Lord.

Alleluia, [|] alle [|] luia. * [|]Alle [|] luia, [|] alle [|] luia.

Christ is | <u>risen</u> from the | dead, * and become the | <u>first fruits</u> of | them that | slept. For since by | man came | death, * by man came also resur | rection | of the | dead. For as in | <u>Adam</u> all | die, * even so in Christ shall | all be | made a | live.

Alleluia, [|] alle [|] luia. * [|] Alle[|] luia, [|] alle [|] luia.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with your spirit.

Celebrant Let us Pray.

Good Shepherd, you are the provider and protector who leads us in the way of life. May we become so attuned to your voice that all imposters are unmasked, so we do not stray from you our guide as you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

THE FIRST LESSON (The people sit)

ACTS 4:23-37

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 23 (The people stand and speak in unison)

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures.He leads me beside still waters. He restores my soul.He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

THE GRADUAL

ALLELUIA

Set Musically by Nathanael Zuellig



THE GOSPEL (The people stand)

OfficiantThe Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John.PeopleGlory to You, Lord Christ.

John 10:1-21

- *Officiant* The Gospel of the Lord.
- People Praise to You, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

(Rev. Dcn.) Adam Bottiglia

THE NICENE CREED (The people stand)

- We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.
- We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day He rose again 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.
- We 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 worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Reader Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

Inspire your universal Church by your Spirit,

- *Reader* Lord, in your mercy:
- People Hear our prayer.

Give grace, heavenly Father, to all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, and especially to your servants Foley, our Archbishop, our Bishops Mark and Allen. We pray your blessing for these churches and ministers with whom we share bonds of fellowship and love:

the Hodgson family and Christ Our Hope Anglican Fellowship in Midland, Michigan,
Pastor Justin Zigiranyirazo, his wife Philomene, and our sister church in Karongi, Rwanda,
and Lord of Lords Church in Detroit, Crossroads Church and Holy Trinity Church which meet in this building.

ReaderLord, in your mercy:PeopleHear our prayer.

Reader Give wisdom, dear Lord, to the College of Bishops who will be electing the next Archbishop of the Anglican Church in North America, during their June Conclave. Prepare each Bishop to hear from you and to follow your heart in their selections.

Reader Lord, in your mercy:

People Hear our prayer.

We ask You to rule the hearts of all who govern us, especially Joe our President and Gretchen our Governor.

ReaderLord, in your mercy:PeopleHear our prayer.

For those who have lost their children, and for all mothers to be, that you would bring your grace in difficult circumstances and healing in tragedy, as well as for their babies still in the womb, for their just recognition and care.

ReaderLord, in your mercy:PeopleHear our prayer.

Grant your heavenly grace to all people, to hear and trust your holy Word.

Reader Lord, in your mercy:

People Hear our prayer.

Gracious Lord, comfort and strengthen all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, or sickness.

ReaderLord, in your mercy:PeopleHear our prayer.

We pray in thanksgiving for all those who have died in the hope of the resurrection.

Reader Lord, in your mercy:

People Hear our prayer.

Reader You are invited to add your own prayers at this time.

Officiant Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate. Amen.

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SIN (The people sit or kneel if able)

Officiant Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

- All Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.
- *Officiant* Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to Him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

THE COMFORTABLE WORDS

Officiant For God so loved the world, that He gave his only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

JOHN 3:16

THE PEACE (*Please stand and greet each other!*)

- *Officiant* The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
- People And with your spirit.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Please see full announcements near the back of your bulletin)

THE OFFERTORY

When we give financially to the Lord it is an act of worship which also signifies our commitment to give our whole selves to him. If you would like to contribute to the Lord's work at HCA:

- You can give as we pass the offering bags (make checks payable to His Church Anglican)
- You can also give online (instructions are in the tall card in your pew)

SHEPHERD OF MY SOUL

Nearer and nearer, closer and closer You come to me Even when I walk through the valley of death I'll fear no evil

Chorus

Because Your voice, yes Your voice Is the sweetest sound Leading me to the place where Your grace abounds You're the One Who makes me whole You're the Shepherd of my soul

Step by step You lead me on You light my path Worry has no hold, doubt is in the grave 'Cause I know that You are good

Bridge

And I will dwell in the house of the Lord And I will dwell in the house of the Lord Forever we'll be together Forever we'll be together

THE DOXOLOGY (The people stand and sing)

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 People stand while the offerings are presented

Celebrant All things come from you, O Lord,

People And of your own have we given you. (1 Chronicles 29:11, 14)

SURSUM CORDA (LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS)

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd with your spirit.CelebrantLift up your hearts.PeopleWe lift them up to the Lord.CelebrantLet us give thanks to the Lord our God.PeopleIt is right to give Him thanks and praise.CelebrantIt is right, our duty and our joy, always and ev

CelebrantIt is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to You,
Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth...Therefore, we praise You,
joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of
heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

THE SANCTUS (Singing)



THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION (The people sit or kneel as able)

Celebrant Holy and gracious Father: [...] Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. [...] All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By Him, and with Him, and in Him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:
All Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

- *Celebrant* Alleluia, Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed, once for all upon the Cross.
- People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.
- *Celebrant* The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on Him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All baptized followers of Jesus are invited to come forward to receive communion, row by row. The priests will bring communion to anyone who would rather receive in the pews. Please bring special prayer requests to your prayer ministers during Communion, up front at the Altar rail, or to your pastors after service.

COMMUNION WORSHIP

GRATITUDE

All my words fall short I got nothing new How could I express All my gratitude

I could sing these songs As I often do But every song must end And You never do

Chorus

So I throw up my hands And praise You again and again 'Cause all that I have is a hallelujah hallelujah And I know it's not much But I've nothing else fit for a king Except for a heart singing hallelujah Hallelujah

I've got one response I've got just one move With my arms stretched wide I will worship You

Bridge

Come on, my soul Oh, don't you get shy on me Lift up your song 'Cause you've got a lion inside of those lungs Get up and praise the Lord!

BUILD MY LIFE

Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe We live for You

Jesus the name above ev'ry other name Jesus the only one who could ever save Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe We live for You We live for You

Chorus

Holy there is no one like You There is none besides You Open up my eyes in wonder and show me who You are And fill me with Your heart And lead me in Your love to those around me Bridge

I will build my life upon Your love It is a firm foundation I will put my trust in You alone And I will not be shaken

Chorus

Holy there is no one like You There is none besides You Open up my eyes in wonder and show me who You are And fill me with Your heart And lead me in Your love to those around me

GIVE ME JESUS

In the morning when I rise, in the morning when I rise, In the morning when I rise, give me Jesus.

Chorus

Give me Jesus, give me Jesus; You can have all this world, but give me Jesus.

And when I am alone, oh, and when I am alone, And when I am alone, give me Jesus.

And when I come to die, oh, and when I come to die, And when I come to die, give me Jesus.

Bridge

Give me the One my soul delights in Give me the One in whom my hope is securely found Give me the One my soul delights in Give me the One in whom my hope is securely, securely found

GLORIOUS DAY

I was buried beneath my shame Who could carry that kind of weight It was my tomb 'til I met You

I was breathing but not alive All my failures I tried to hide It was my tomb 'til I met You

Chorus

('Cause when) You called my name (and) I ran out of that grave Out of the darkness into Your glorious day You called my name (and) I ran out of that grave Out of the darkness into Your glorious day

Now Your mercy has saved my soul Now Your freedom is all that I know The old made new Jesus when I met You

I needed rescue my sin was heavy But chains break at the weight of Your glory I needed shelter I was an orphan Now You call me a citizen of Heaven When I was broken You were my healing Now Your love is the air that I'm breathing I have a future my eyes are open

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Officiant Let us pray.

All Heavenly Father, we thank You for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious body and blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the body of your Son and heirs of your eternal Kingdom. And now Father, send us out to do the work You have given us to do, to love and serve You as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To Him, to You, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

THE BLESSING

Officiant All our problems We send to the Cross of Christ. People Officiant All our sins People We send to the Cross of Christ. Officiant All the devil's works We send to the Cross of Christ. People Officiant All our hopes People We set on the risen Christ.

Officiant Christ the Son of Righteousness shine upon you and scatter the darkness from before your path; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN

TO GOD BE THE GLORY

To God be the glory; great things He has done! So loved He the world that He gave us his Son; Who yielded his life, an atonement for sin, And opened the life gate that all may go in.

Chorus

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his Voice! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the people rejoice! O come to the Father through Jesus the Son, And give Him the glory; great things He has done.

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood, To every believer the promise of God; The vilest offender who truly believes, That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Great things He has taught us, great things He has done; And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son. But purer and higher and greater will be Our wonder, our transport when Jesus we see.

THE DISMISSAL

OfficiantAlleluia, Alleluia. Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God! Alleluia, Alleluia

ALL THE WAY MY SAVIOR LEADS ME

POSTLUDE

All the way my Savior leads me; what have I to ask beside? Can I doubt his tender mercy Who through life has been my Guide? Heav'nly peace, divinest comfort, here by faith in Him to dwell; For I know whate'er befall me, Jesus doeth all things well. For I know whate'er befall me, Jesus doeth all things well.

All the way my Savior leads me, cheers each winding path I tread, Gives me grace for ev'ry trial, feeds me with the living bread. Though my weary steps may falter and my soul athirst may be, Gushing from the Rock before me, lo, a spring of joy I see. Gushing from the Rock before me, lo, a spring of joy I see.

All the way my Savior leads me - O the fullness of his love! Perfect rest to me is promised in my Father's house above. When my spirit, clothed immortal, wings its flight to realms of day, This my song through endless ages: Jesus led me all the way. This my song through endless ages: Jesus led me all the way.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Regular Groups and Events

- The next Open Mic Night at HCA for musicians, poets, & all other artists will take place Saturday, May 18th at 7:00PM To sign up as a performer, snack bringer, or simply ask a question, contact Aleta Watton: (231) 622-3508 or aletajwatton@gmail.com
- Women's Fellowship Lunches with Bible Study and Prayer, every second Monday at 12:30pm (next May 13th) *Leo's Coney Island on Haggerty Rd in Livonia* Contact: Sandy Rogers (248) 477-3491
- Morning Prayer with Communion, Wednesdays at 7am HCA Sanctuary Contact: Bp Allen (734) 716-5860 or Calvin Garfield (734) 564-0115
- Easter Season Bible Study Tuesdays through May 7th on the Book of 1st John, from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm in the Parlor. Bring food to share or just an appetite to learn.
- Soup and Cinema Wednesdays 6:00PM through May 15. Join Fr. Dave and Karen for viewing and discussion of the *Dove Award winning series*, The Chosen. We will be having a lite dinner of soup and sandwiches. Please register at <u>karenskitchen33@yahoo.com</u> to attend, with any dietary restrictions.

- Introduction to the Bible class, before Church at 9:00, taught by Rev Dcn Adam Bottiglia. The goal of this class is to give you a level of comfort and familiarity with God's Word so you can more easily read and understand it yourself. This will include memorizing the books of the Bible in order, gaining a basic understanding of what is found in these books, as well as an overview of the entire biblical story. This class will run for 8 weeks and is open to all ages who can happily sit for 45 minutes. Bring your favorite Bible so that you can learn "yours" better.
- Newcomers Brunch TODAY after church on Sunday in the parlor. Are you new to His Church? We would love for you to attend our Newcomers Brunch. We will discuss what it means to be a Christian in the Anglican Way, what membership looks like, and our bishop, priest, and deacon will be there to answer any questions you may have.
- Save the Date Vacatian Bible School July 15 18, 2024.
- Hold the Dates! -
 - Men's Retreat on Beaver Island Thursday, August 22nd through Sunday, August 25th More Details to Come.
 - Women's Retreat on Beaver Island Thursday, September 5th through Sunday, September 8th - More Details to Come.

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SERVING TODAY

In an effort to build community, we want you to know who is serving in today's worship service:

	Serving Today
Altar Guild	Adelina Friesen, Nicholle Cormier
Acolyte	Sylvia Maike, Truett Peabody
Greeter	Toni Johnson
Usher	Vijay George, Marc Cormier
Reader	Demian Moscofian
Music Team	Jeff Watton, Aleta Watton, Jason Blackmer,
	Ryan Maike,
Tech Team	Wyatt Peabody, Derek Trestain
Prayer Team	LisaMarie Nash, Ted Peabody
Coffee Hour	Shelley Crawford
Livestream Host	Susan George

We thank God for bringing you to our service today! Worship with us next week:

In-person

Livestream

Evening Prayer with Communion: Saturday, April 27th at 5pm 10:15am on Sunday, April 28th Go to: <u>www.hischurchanglican.net</u> to link to the service

Sunday Eucharist Service Sunday, April 28th at 10:30am

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NOTES & DRAWINGS

Use this page for sermon notes, worship drawings, prayer requests, or personal reflections