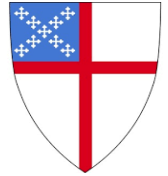




EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY  
BURNET, TEXAS



THE SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION: EASTER DAY  
APRIL 17, 2022

Hymn 175 *Salve festa dies*

*Refrain: Hail thee, festival day! Blest day that art hallowed forever;  
day wherein Christ arose, breaking the kingdom of death.*

1 Lo, the fair beauty of earth, from the death of the winter arising,  
every good gift of the year now with its Master returns: *(Refrain)*

2 He who was nailed to the Cross is Lord and the Ruler of nature;  
all things created on earth sing to the glory of God: *(Refrain)*

3 Daily the loveliness grows, adorned with the glory of blossom;  
heaven her gates unbars, flinging her increase of light: *(Refrain)*

4 Rise from the grave now, O Lord, who art author of life and creation;  
treading the pathway of death, life thou bestowest on all: *(Refrain)*

5 God, the Creator, the Lord, who rulest the earth and the heavens,  
guard us from harm without, cleanse us from evil within: *(Refrain)*

6 Jesus, the health of the world, enlighten our minds, thou Redeemer,  
Son of the Father supreme, only begotten of God. *(Refrain)*

7 Spirit of life and of power, now flow in us, fount of our being,  
light that dost lighten all, life that in all dost abide: *(Refrain)*

8 Praise to the Giver of good! Thou Love who art author of concord,  
Pour out thy balm on our souls, order our ways in thy peace: *(Refrain)*

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*Celebrant* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

*People* The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

*The Celebrant says*

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.*

*The following is sung by all*

Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. *Amen.*

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

**A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.** [10:34-43]

Peter began to speak to Cornelius and the other Gentiles: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

**Gradual Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24** *Confitemini Domino*

- 1 Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; \*  
his mercy endures for ever.
- 2 Let Israel now proclaim, \*  
“His mercy endures for ever.”
- 14 The LORD is my strength and my song, \*  
and he has become my salvation.
- 15 There is a sound of exultation and victory \*  
in the tents of the righteous:
- 16 “The right hand of the LORD has triumphed! \*  
the right hand of the LORD is exalted!  
the right hand of the LORD has triumphed!”
- 17 I shall not die, but live, \*  
and declare the works of the LORD.
- 18 The LORD has punished me sorely, \*  
but he did not hand me over to death.
- 19 Open for me the gates of righteousness; \*  
I will enter them; I will offer thanks to the LORD.
- 20 “This is the gate of the LORD; \*  
he who is righteous may enter.”

- 21 I will give thanks to you, for you answered me \*  
and have become my salvation.
- 22 The same stone which the builders rejected \*  
has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23 This is the LORD'S doing, \*  
and it is marvelous in our eyes.
- 24 On this day the LORD has acted; \*  
we will rejoice and be glad in it.

**A reading from Paul's first letter to the Corinthians. [15:19-26]**

If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

*Reader*    The Word of the Lord.

*People*    Thanks be to God.

## Hymn 208 *Victory*

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

1 The strife is o'er, the battle done,  
the victory of life is won;  
the song of triumph has begun. Alleluia!

2 The powers of death have done their worst,  
but Christ their legions hath dispersed:  
let shout of holy joy outburst. Alleluia!

3 The three sad days are quickly sped,  
he rises glorious from the dead:  
all glory to our risen Head! Alleluia!

*Celebrant* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
according to St John. [20.1-18]

*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the

disciples returned to their homes. But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping?” She said to them, “They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.” When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?” Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, “Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.” Jesus said to her, “Mary!” She turned and said to him in Hebrew, “Rabbouni” (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, “Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, ‘I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.’” Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, “I have seen the Lord”; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

*Celebrant*    The Gospel of the Lord.  
*People*        Praise to you, Lord Christ.

4 He closed the yawning gates of hell,  
the bars from heaven’s high portals fell;  
let hymns of praise his triumphs tell! Alleluia!

5 Lord! by the stripes which wounded thee,  
from death’s dread sting thy servants free,  
that we may live and sing to thee. Alleluia!

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

**The Sermon**

The Reverend Jerry W. Chapman

## The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only 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:  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he became incarnate from 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.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He 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.

## Prayers of the People

*The Leader and People pray responsively.*

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;  
*That we all may be one.*

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;  
*That your Name may be glorified by all people.*

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;  
*That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.*

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;  
*That there may be justice and peace on the earth.*

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;  
*That our works may find favor in your sight.*

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;  
*That they may be delivered from their distress.*

Give to the departed eternal rest.

*Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

*May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.*

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

We pray especially for

Justin	Jim	RG	Allan
Maureen	Amalie	Ann	Degeyter family
Greg	Carol	Jill	Martha & family
John	Karen	Janet	David
Sarah	Stephen	Kris	People of Ukraine
George	Joey	Steve's family	

And for those in the military

Brian	James	Kevin	Jarrod
Jonathan	Trever	Reid	Bryan
Chris	Eric	All in harm's way	

We pray for all who are travelling this week.

We pray for all who have died, especially Jo Lipscombe, Linda Hook, and Steve Sacoone, and for all who mourn their passing.

We pray in thanksgiving for June Hutson who celebrates her birthday this Thursday, April 21.

*Silence.*

*The People may add their own petitions.*

*The Celebrant concludes with this collect.*

Almighty and everlasting God, who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## **The Peace**

*Celebrant*    The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People*        And also with you.

*Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

*Afterward the Celebrant says*

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2*

## **At the Offertory**

Anthem by the Epiphany Choir

“Hallelujah!— Easter Version” by Leonard Cohen

Lyrics by Kelley Mooney

*Then all sing the Doxology*

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.

## The Holy Communion

*All are invited to receive Holy Communion.*

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* We lift them to the Lord.

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

*Celebrant and People*

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

*The people stand or kneel, and the Celebrant continues*

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People*

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

*The Celebrant continues*

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

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 for ever.

AMEN.

*The Celebrant says*

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

*The Celebrant and People say*

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.

## The Breaking of the Bread

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

*A period of silence is kept.*

*Celebrant* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

*People* Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

*Celebrant says the following Invitation*

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.

### Hymn during Communion 306 *Sursum corda*

1 Come, risen Lord, and deign to be our guest;  
no, let us be your guests and with you dine;  
at your own table now be manifest  
in your own sacrament of bread and wine.

2 We meet as in the upper room they met;  
now at the table, blessing, yet you stand:  
'This is my body': this you give us yet;  
faith still receives the cup as from your hand.

3 One body we, one body who partake,  
one church united in communion blessed;  
one name we bear, one bread of life we break,  
with all your saints on earth and saints at rest.

4 One with each other, Lord, and one in you,  
who are one Saviour and one living head;  
open our eyes to see with vision true;  
be known to us in breaking of the bread.

**Postcommunion prayer** *From Enriching our Worship*

*Celebrant and People*

Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

**The Blessing**

*Said by the Celebrant*

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well-pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

Hymn 207 *Easter Hymn*

1 Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia!  
our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!  
who did once, upon the cross, Alleluia!  
suffer to redeem our loss, Alleluia!



2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia!  
unto Christ, our heavenly King, Alleluia!  
who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!  
sinners to redeem and save, Alleluia!

3 But the pains which he endured, Alleluia!  
our salvation have procured, Alleluia!  
now above the sky he's king, Alleluia!  
where the angels ever sing, Alleluia!

4 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!

*Celebrant* Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia!

*People* Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Assisting in the liturgy this morning:

**Layreaders**—Linda and Jim Dyke

**Ushers**—Maria and JJ Gonzales

**Acolytes**—Grady and Jaxon Gonzales

**Altar Guild**—Karen Leitch, Linda Myers, Carol Weathers

**Vestry Person of the Day**—David Leitch

**Our many and heartfelt thanks to the Reverend Jerry Chapman for being with us on this Day of our Lord's Resurrection!**

**Please join us for the Easter egg hunt at noon.**

**Easter Lilies have been given by the following people  
with prayers as indicated**

- Linda and Lee Myers In loving memory of our family  
Sherry Musgrove In memory of my husband  
Deana Geuther In memory of the precious women in my  
family who share April Birthday—  
Maxine Williams, Bonnie Williams,  
Penny Phillips—Stepsister  
Cecile Gloier For family and peace in the world  
Diane Hays In loving memory of Jim Hays and in  
thanksgiving for family and friends  
Susan Wallace In loving memory of  
Henry and Barbara Leckman and  
Kenneth and Phyllis Wallace  
Frank Seidensticker In loving memory of my parents  
Edgar and Elizabeth and my brother  
Paul Seidensticker  
Carol and Jim Weathers In loving memory of our loved ones  
who are no longer with us—  
Travis and Francis Weathers,  
Larry and Kathleen McGannon,  
and Lawrence Homer  
Diane Langley In loving memory of my husband Tom  
Rufus and Sandy Arrington In thanksgiving for all of our many blessings  
Rachel Bryson In loving memory of Bill and Estelle Bryson  
Lela McAllister In loving memory of Ramsey and Emmy Clinton  
Roy and Nancy Heuss In loving memory of our parents Ed and Rose  
Heuss, Richard and Arvilla Wittner,  
and Sister Barb Ellis  
Cheri and Michael Long In memory of John, Rocco,  
Russ, Steven, and Sue  
Bert McNelly In memory of Phyllis

**LA Care and the Community Kitchen** have ongoing needs. Epiphany maintains the Community Kitchen the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month.

**Bulletin and E-Star deadlines**—Tuesday, 9 am. Contact Dianne Williams in the parish office with news or updates.



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Our mission: To be part of God’s family, growing through worship and ministry by sharing Christ’s love with our community and beyond. Vision: to be a place where people find God’s purpose for their lives and become empowered by the Holy Spirit to make a difference in God’s world.

Priest-in-Charge	The Rev. Michael Long
Senior Warden	Linda Myers (Term ends 2023)
Junior Warden	Rachel Bryson (2024)
Vestry Member	Diane Langley (2023)
Vestry Member	Margaret Thomas (2023)
Vestry Member	Ryan (RG) Guthrie (2024)
Vestry Member	Sherry Musgrove (2024)
Vestry Member	Deana Geuther (2025)
Vestry Member	David Leitch (2025)
Vestry Member	Susan Wallace (2025)
Treasurer	Diane Hays
Acolyte Director	Kathleen Broad
Music Directors	Otis Maclay. Cranz Nichols
Saint Anne’s Guild	Carol Weathers
Altar Guild	Carol Weathers, Diane Hays
Daughters of the King	Sandy Arrington
Sunday School Director	Nancy Heuss
Editor of the E-Star, weekly newsletter	Sandy and Rufus Arrington
Parish Secretary/Office Manager	Dianne Williams