

## **Easter Day Communion Service at home.**

In the name of Christ  
who died and was raised by the glory of the Father,  
grace, mercy and peace be with you all,  
**and also with you.**

### **HYMN**

This is the day this is the day  
That the Lord hath made that the Lord hath made  
We shall rejoice we shall rejoice  
And be glad in it and be glad in it  
This is the day that the Lord hath made  
We shall rejoice and be glad in it  
This is the day this is the day  
That the Lord has made

This is the day this is the day  
When he rose again when he rose again  
We will rejoice we will rejoice  
And be glad in it and be glad in it  
This is the day when he rose again  
We will rejoice and be glad in it  
This is the day this the day  
When he rose again

This is the day this is the day  
When the Spirit came when the Spirit came  
We will rejoice we will rejoice  
And be glad in it and be glad in it  
This is the day when the Spirit came  
We will rejoice and be glad in it  
This is the day this is the day  
When the Spirit came

### **CONFESSION**

We come to you in sorrow for our sins, and confess to you our weakness and unbelief.

Lord, have mercy.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

Christ, have mercy.  
**Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

Almighty God,  
who forgives all who truly repent,  
have mercy upon you,  
pardon and deliver you from all your sins,  
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,  
and keep you in life eternal;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

### **GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**

**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,**

### **THE COLLECT**

### **BIBLE READINGS**

### **EASTER TALK**

### **THE 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,  
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 worshipped  
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

### THE PEACE

### THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

The Lord be with you  
**and also with you.**  
Lift up your hearts.  
**We lift them to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give thanks and praise.**

*The President praises God for his mighty acts and all respond*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might.  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*The President recalls the last supper*

Praise to you, Lord Jesus.  
**Dying you destroyed our death,  
rising you restored our life:  
Lord Jesus, come in glory.**

*The President continues and leads into the doxology, to which all respond*

**Amen.**

**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name;  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power  
and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. Amen.**

Jesus says, I am the bread of life,  
whoever eats of this bread will live for ever.

**Lord, our hearts hunger for you;  
As we celebrate Easter day we look forward to the day when we can  
celebrate the Lord's supper together again.**

#### **HYMN**

Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,  
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won;  
angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,  
kept the folded grave-clothes where thy body lay.

*Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,  
endless is the vict'ry thou o'er death hast won.*

Lo, Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;  
lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom;  
let the Church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,  
for her Lord now liveth, death hath lost its sting:

*Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,  
endless is the vict'ry thou o'er death hast won.*

No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of Life;  
life is nought without thee: aid us in our strife;  
make us more than conquerors through thy deathless love;  
bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above:

*Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,  
endless is the vict'ry thou o'er death hast won.*

## **THE BLESSING**

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**He is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

God, our Father  
by whose glory Christ was raised from the dead,  
strengthen you to walk with him in his risen life  
and the blessing of God, the Father, the Son  
and the Holy Spirit be with you now  
and forever more.

**Amen.**

Go in the peace of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.

**Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

***A blessed and happy Easter to you all!***

May God bless you and those you love this Easter.

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