

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 14, 2024 | 9 & 11 A.M.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL | PLANO, TEXAS



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SANCTUARY SERVICES

Sundays @ 9 & 11 a.m. Word & Sacrament

Our professionally-staffed nursery cares for ages 0-3 at all Sunday services. Family Ministry programs meet during Sanctuary services for preschool-12th grade.



CHAPEL SERVICES

Sundays @ 7:15 a.m. Word & Sacrament

Tuesdays @ 9 a.m. Morning Prayer



LIVESTREAM SERVICE

Sundays @ 11 a.m. ChristChurchPlano.org/Live

WELCOME

Christ Church Plano exists to invite ordinary people to know Jesus Christ and to become like Him for the sake of the world. Like generations of believers before us, we are convinced that God changes lives through His Church, specifically as the Church remains faithful to its ministry of Word and Sacrament. We live into this mission through our core values of worship, formation, belonging, and compassion.

We are also blessed to serve as the Provincial Cathedral—a resource or mother church—for the Anglican Church in North America, under the episcopal oversight of Archbishop Foley Beach. We joyfully invite you to explore Christ Church and find here a community that marries the best of the Church's ancient practices with culturally engaged, biblically-orthodox preaching and teaching.

HOLY COMMUNION

Each weekend we celebrate Holy Communion, and we invite all baptized Christians of any denomination to join us in receiving this sacrament which points us to the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

If you do not wish to receive Holy Communion, join us at the altar rail and cross your arms over your chest to indicate you would like a blessing only.

HELP & PRAYER

Our pastoral care ministry is available to you and your family during times of need.

For intercessory prayer, visit the Ambulatory on Sundays, 10:20-10:50 a.m. The Ambulatory is located between the Sanctuary lobby and Fellowship Hall.

To arrange counseling or home visits, contact our ministers at ChristChurchPlano.org/Care

TITHES & OFFERINGS

Generous financial giving to the work of the church is a core part of our discipleship. During service, offerings are collected in the basket at the front of the aisles on your way to Communion.

Text to Give at 972-960-3129 with the amount of your donation (no dollar signs or decimals). Follow the prompt to confirm your payment.

To give online and learn more about our ministry, visit us at ChristChurchPlano.org/Give

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

CALL TO WORSHIP

Amazing Grace with "The Swan" by Camille Saint-Saëns

arr. by Marilyn Reimer; Daniel McGee, piano

PLEASE STAND

OPENING HYMN



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THE ACCLAMATION

Book of Common Prayer Pg. 123

The **People** standing, the Officiant says

Officiant Alleluia. Christ is risen.

PEOPLE The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

BCP Pg. 124

The Officiant and People pray the Collect for Purity.

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 SUMMARY OF THE LAW

The Officiant then reads the Summary of the Law.

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets. *Matthew 22:37-40*

KYRIE

OFFICIANT Lord, have mercy upon us.

PEOPLE Christ, have mercy upon us.

OFFICIANT Lord, have mercy upon us.

SONG OF PRAISE

Lord I Need You

Lord I come, I confess. Bowing here, I find my rest. And without You, I fall apart. You're the one that guides my heart.

Chorus

Lord, I need you, oh, I need You. Every hour I need You. My one defense, my righteousness; Oh, God, how I need You.

Where sin runs deep, Your grace is more. Where grace is found is where You are.

And where You are, Lord, I am free. Holiness is Christ in me.

Where You are, Lord, I am free. Holiness is Christ in me. *Chorus*

Bridge

So, teach my song to rise to You when temptation comes my way. And when I cannot stand, I'll fall on You. Jesus, You're my hope and stay. And when I cannot stand, I'll fall on You. Jesus, You're my hope and stay.

Chorus

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

BCP Pg. 612

The Officiant says to the People

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Officiant Let us pray.

The Officiant prays

Almighty God, you gave your only Son to be for us both a sacrifice for sin and an example of godly living: Give us grace thankfully to receive his inestimable benefits, and daily to follow the blessed steps of his most holy life; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

PLEASE BE SEATED

THE LESSON

The Reader says

A Reading from **Micah 4:1-5** (ESV)

Pew Bible Pg. 778

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

PLEASE STAND

THE GOSPEL

The Deacon or Priest reads the Gospel, first saying

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

PEOPLE Glory to you, Lord Christ.

John 20:24-31 (ESV)

Pew Bible Pg. 907

After the Gospel, the Reader says

Reader The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

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PLEASE STAND

THE NICENE CREED

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All stand to recite the Nicene Creed, the Officiant first saying

Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

The Officiant and People

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, 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.

PLEASE KNEEL

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

BCP Pg. 128

The Leader and People responsively

Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, "hear our prayer."

For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God. Lord, in your mercy: **Hear our prayer.**

For Archbishop Foley and Bishop Paul, and for all the clergy and people of our Province and Parish. Lord, in your mercy: **Hear our prayer.**

For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others. Lord, in your mercy: **Hear our prayer.**

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith.

Lord, in your mercy: Hear our prayer.

For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service.

Lord, in your mercy: Hear our prayer.

For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity. Lord, in your mercy: **Hear our prayer.**

For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, in thanksgiving let us pray. Lord, in your mercy: **Hear our prayer.**

The Officiant concludes.

Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Officiant then says

Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

Officiant and People

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.

The 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.**

PLEASE STAND

THE PEACE

BCP Pg. 131

Officiant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

PEOPLE And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

— Prayer For Birthdays —

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase.

Bless and guide them, wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Officiant Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and

the victory, and the majesty:

PEOPLE For everything in heaven and on earth is yours;

Officiant Yours is the Kingdom, O Lord,

PEOPLE And you are exalted as Head above all.
Officiant All things come from you, O Lord,

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

Offerings will be collected in the basket at the front of the aisles on your way to Communion. You may also give online at **ChristChurchPlano.org/Give** or by Text to Give at **972-960-3129**. Learn more about tithes and offerings on page 2 of this bulletin.

PREPARATORY SONG

Come People Of The Risen King

Come people of the Risen King, who delight to bring Him praise; Come all, and tune your hearts to sing to the Morning Star of grace. From the shifting shadows of the earth, we will lift our eyes to Him, Where steady arms of mercy reach, to gather children in.

Chorus

Rejoice, rejoice! Let ev'ry tongue rejoice! One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice! Come those whose joy is morning sun, and those weeping through the night; Come those who tell of battles won, and those struggling in the fight. For His perfect love will never change, and His mercies never cease, But follow us through all our days, with the certain hope of peace.

Chorus

Rejoice, rejoice! Let ev'ry tongue rejoice! One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice!

Come young and old from every land, men and women of the faith; Come those with full or empty hands find the riches of His grace. Over all the world, His people sing—shore to shore we hear them call The truth that cries through every age, "Our God is all in all." *Chorus*

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THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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The People remain standing. The Celebrant faces them and says

The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

PEOPLE We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Celebrant proceeds

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

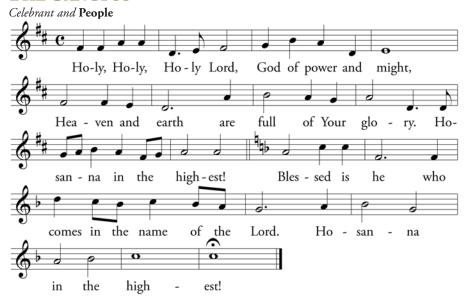
The Celebrant says the Proper Preface for Easter

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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 offered for us, and has taken away the sin of the world; who by his death has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again 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:

THE SANCTUS



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THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

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The People kneel. Then the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation. By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your will, he stretched out his arms upon the Cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet. As our great high priest, he ascended to your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

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

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for 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 in 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, and we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy Sacrament, and be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us and we in him. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us with all your saints into the joy of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

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 LORD'S PRAYER

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The Celebrant continues

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

The Celebrant and People together pray

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, forever and ever. Amen.

THE FRACTION

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The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread then says

CELEBRANT Alleluia. Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed,

once for all upon the cross.

PEOPLE Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

BCP Pg. 136

Facing the People, the 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.

COMMUNION MUSIC

God Be In My Head

Words from Sarum Primer (1514); Music by K. Lee Scott Christ Church Singers

God be in my head, and in my understanding; God be in mine eyes, and in my looking; God be in my mouth, and in my speaking; God be in my heart, and in my thinking; God be at mine end, and my departing. Amen.

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It Was Finished Upon That Cross

How I love the voice of Jesus on the Cross of Calvary.

He declares His work is finished; He has spoken this hope to me.

Though the sun had ceased its shining, though the war appeared as lost,

Christ has triumphed over evil. It was finished upon that Cross.

Now the curse, it has been broken; Jesus paid the price for me. Full, the pardon He has offered. Great, the welcome that I receive. Boldy I approach my Father, clothed in Jesus' righteousness. There is no more guilt to carry. It was finished upon that Cross.

Death was once my great opponent, fear once had a hold on me. But the Son who died to save us rose that we would be free indeed.

Death was once my great opponent, fear once had a hold on me. But the Son who died to save us rose that we would be free indeed!

Yes, He rose that we would be free indeed!

Free from ev'ry plan of darkness, free to live and free to love.

Death is dead and Christ is risen. It was finished upon that Cross.

Onward to eternal glory, to my Savior and my God.

I rejoice in Jesus' vict'ry. It was finished upon that Cross.

It was finished upon that Cross.

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Above All

Above all powers, above all kings, Above all nature and all created things; Above all wisdom and all the ways of man, You were here before the world began.

Above all kingdoms, above all thrones, Above all wonders the world has ever known; Above all wealth and treasures of the earth, There's no way to measure what You're worth.

Chorus

Crucified, laid behind the stone;
You lived to die, rejected and alone;
Like a rose trampled on the ground,
You took the fall and thought of me above all.

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Have Faith In God

O Lord, you lead me by the still waters, quietly restoring my soul.
You speak words of wisdom, the promise of glory,
The pow'r of the presence of God.

Chorus

Have faith in God, let your hope rest on the faith

He has placed in your heart.

Never give up, never let go of the faith He has placed in your heart.

O Lord, you guide me through all the darkness, turning my night into day;
You'll never leave me, never forsake me,
The pow'r of the presence of God. *Chorus*

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Glorify Thy Name

Father, we love You, we worship and adore You, Glorify Thy name in all the earth. Glorify Thy name, glorify Thy name, Glorify Thy name in all the earth.

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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 for ever. Amen.

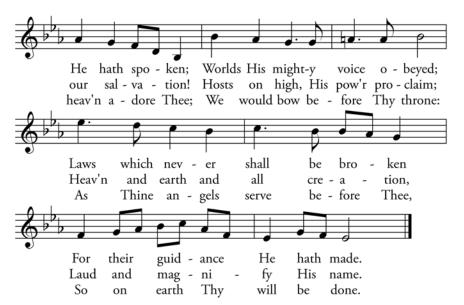
THE BLESSING

The Officiant gives the blessing

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; 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





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DISMISSAL

BCP Pg. 138

The People are dismissed with these words

Deacon Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

PEOPLE Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!



Spring Festival & Family Celebration

Wednesday, May 1 | 6 - 8 p.m.

Families and friends, join us in the courtyard and Fellowship Hall for our spring fellowship event with dinner, conversation, fun, and games for the whole family, including bounce houses and carnival-style activities.





Night at the Cathedral Seminar

Wednesday, May 8 | 6 - 8 p.m.

Register for this dinner seminar with guest speaker Dr. Stephen Presley and panel discussion with Dr. Alex Fogleman and Canon Dr. Jonathan Bailes.





Women's Night to Unwind

Thursday, May 16 | 6 - 8 p.m.

Register for our spring women's fellowship dinner. Monika Donison joins as our evening speaker and storyteller with a message about God's grace.





Colson Fellows Program

Informational Meeting: May 26, 12:30 p.m.

Christ Church hosts an in-depth Christian worldview training course, July 2024-May 2025. Register to learn more at our upcoming informational meeting.





Primetimers Luncheon

Thursday, April 18 | 12 - 1:30 p.m.

Join us for a \$10 catered lunch, fellowship with friends, and a gospel message by our featured speakers. Register online or use the QR code.





Invitation: Newcomer's Lunch

Sunday, April 28 | 12:30 - 2 p.m.

Register for Invitation. Meet clergy and staff, learn about the vision and values of Christ Church, and get involved in your discipleship and service.

EVENT CALENDAR

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14 Children's First Communion

9 & 11 a.m. 2nd graders join our Sanctuary services for Holy Communion.

18 Primetimers Luncheon

12 noon - 1:30 p.m. Register for our senior adult lunch and fellowship hour.

Invitation: Newcomer's Orientation to Christ Church
12:30 p.m. Register to learn about our vision and values and get involved.

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Christ Church Spring Festival & Family Celebration
6 - 8 p.m. Join us for food, games, music, and church-wide fellowship.

5 Family Ministry Stay & Play

12:30 - 2 p.m. Sunday School families, mingle over lunch after services.

6 Reading with the Saints

6:30 - 8 p.m. Register and discuss influential books in Christian history.

7 Women's Monthly Breakfast

9:30 - 10:30 a.m. Register and join us after Chapel for breakfast fellowship.

8 Night at the Cathedral: Engaging Culture

6 - 8 p.m. Dinner, guest speaker, and panel discussion on a vital topic.

11 Parents Night Out + Saturday Youth Night

5 - 7:30 p.m. Parents, register children of all ages and take a night off.

16 A Night to Unwind: Women's Dinner

6 - 8 p.m. Register for our spring fellowship dinner with Monika Donison.





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