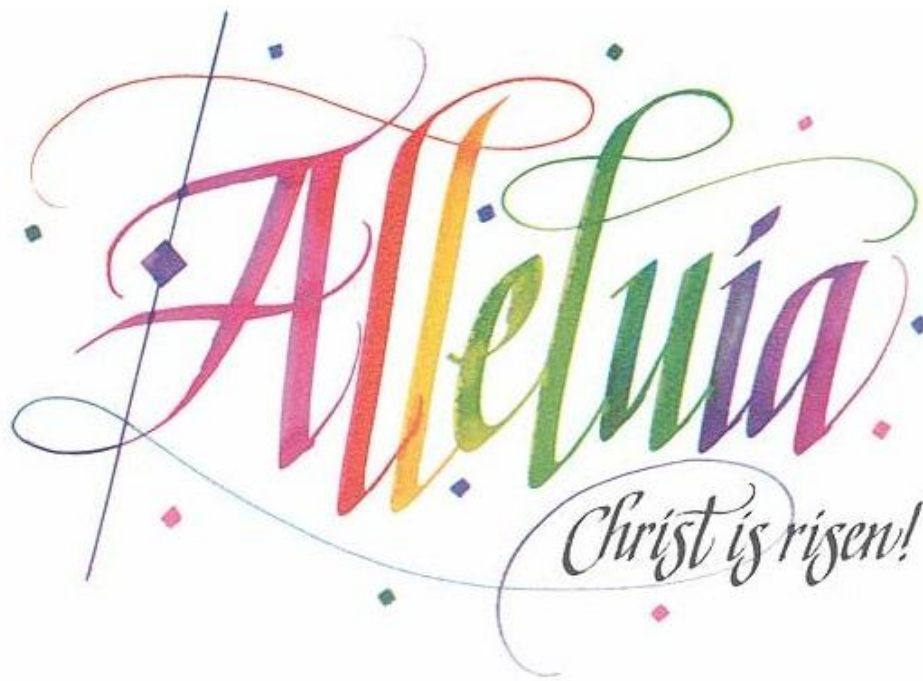


FOURTH SUNDAY of EASTER

April 26/27, 2026



10:30 a.m. – Fr. Paul

St. Michael Poplar Springs

Mount Airy, MD

10:30 a.m. in church will be live-streamed.

Prelude

SUNDAY

“Come Follow Me Forever”

Michael Haydn

Arr: Patrick M. Liegergen

Text: © 2001, GIA Publications, Inc.
Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260

Gathering Song SUNDAY MASSES “Alleluia, Alleluia”

Breaking Bread Book, Number 191

HYMN TO JOY

Text: Christopher Wordsworth, 1807-1885, alt. Music: Ludwig van Beethoven, 1770-1827; adapt. by Edward Hodges, 1796-1867. All rights reserved. Used with permission. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260



1. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Hearts to heav'n and
2. Now the i - ron bars are bro - ken, Christ from death to
3. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Glo - ry be to



1. voic - es raise; Sing to God a hymn of glad - ness,
2. life is born, Glo - rious life, and life im - mor - tal,
3. God on high; Al - le - lu - ia to the Sav - ior,



1. Sing to God a hymn of praise. He who on the
2. On this res - ur - rec - tion morn; Christ has tri - umphed,
3. Who has won the vic - to - ry; Al - le - lu - ia



1. cross as Sav - ior For the world's sal - va - tion bled, Je - sus
2. and we con - quer By his might - y en - ter - prise, We with
3. to the Spir - it, Font of love and sanc - ti - ty; Al - le -



1. Christ, the King of Glo - ry, Now is ris - en from the dead.
2. him to life e - ter - nal By his res - ur - rec - tion rise.
3. lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! To the Tri - une Maj - es - ty.

Greeting

Sign of the Cross

Penitential Act

Gloria

“Glory to God” from *Mass of Christ the Savior*

Dan Schutte

Text © 2010, ICEL. All rights reserved. Used with permission.

Music ©2007, 2009, Daniel L. Schutte, Published by OCP.

All rights reserved. Used with permission. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260

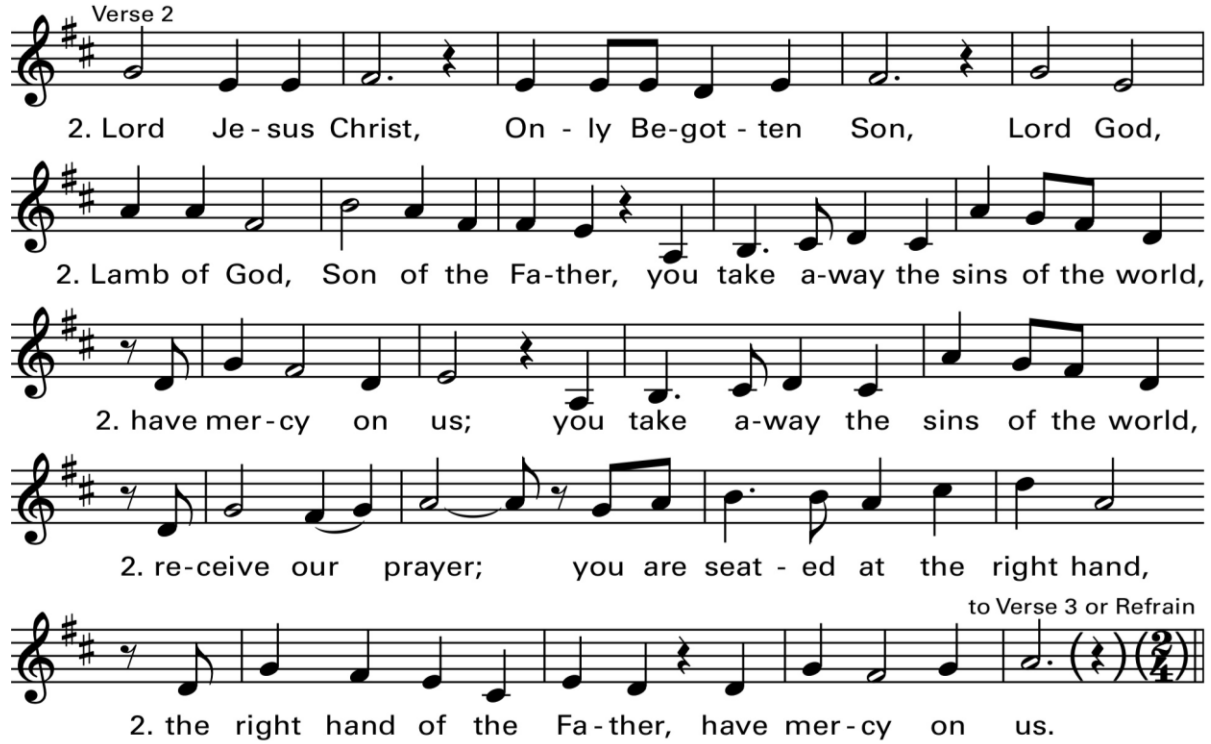
Refrain

Glo-ry to God. Glo-ry to God. Glo-ry to God in the high -
est, and on earth peace, on earth peace to peo-ple of good
will. will. A - men. A - men.

Verse 1

1. We praise you, we bless you, we a - dore you, we
glo-ri - fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo-ry,
1. Lord God, heav'n - ly King, O God, al - might - y Fa - ther.


Verse 2



2. Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God,
2. Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a - way the sins of the world,
2. have mer - cy on us; you take a - way the sins of the world,
2. re - ceive our prayer; you are seat - ed at the right hand,
2. the right hand of the Fa - ther, have mer - cy on us.

to Verse 3 or Refrain

Verse 3



3. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,
3. you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly
3. Spir - it, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther.

to Coda ⊕ or Refrain

Collect

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Song for CLOW Dismissal-10:30

“The Word of God”

M.D. Ridge and Timothy R. Smith

© 2014 World Library Publications, Inc.

All rights reserved. Used with permission. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260

REFRAIN



Chil-dren, as you go to hear the word of God,
Children Pray for us who go to hear the word of God:



may your ears be o-pened; may you see God's light.
pray our hearts be o-pened; pray we see God's light.



May the word of God be with you all your days: may it
Pray the word of God be with us all our days: may it



Last time (☺) To Verses
find a home in your hearts. _____
find a home in our hearts. _____

First Reading

Acts of the Apostles 2: 14a, 36 - 41

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 23:

“The Lord Is My Shepherd; There Is Nothing I Shall Want”

Sarah Hart

Text © 1969, 1981, 1997, ICEL. All rights reserved. Used with permission.

Music © 2016, Sarah Hart. Published by OCP. All rights reserved.

All rights reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260



The Lord is my shep-herd; there is noth-ing I shall want.



The Lord is my shep-herd; there is noth-ing I shall want.

Second Reading

1 Peter 2: 20b - 25

Gospel Acclamation

Eastertide Gospel Acclamation

from The Lyric Gospel Acclamations O FILII ET FILIAE, Tony Alonso

Tune: © 2024, GIA Publications, Inc. Text: Some Alleluia Vss. © 1969, 1981, 1997 ICEL. Some Alleluia Vss. © 2001, 1998, 1997, 1986, 1970 CCD. Used with permission. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260

Al-le-lu-ia, al - le - lu-ia. Al-le-lu - ia.

Gospel

John 10: 1 – 10

Homily

Nicene Creed

**I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day**

**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.
I 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 adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

Universal Prayer

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts

“Rest Now in Me”

Tony Alonso

MUS Only

Tune: © 2005, GIA Publications, Inc. Text: Based on Matthew 11:25-30; © 2005, GIA Publications, Inc.
Used with permission. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260

Verse Response

4 *Solo* *All*

Rest now in me, rest now in me.

Solo: Oh, let all who have ears hear now the mysteries of the kingdom! *(To Refrain)*

Refrain

Come to me, all you who la - bor and
I will give you rest! Take my yoke up -
on you and learn from me for I am meek and
hum-ble of heart. Rest now in me,
for my yoke is ea - sy
and my bur - den light.

Eucharistic Prayer

Acclamations from MASS OF CHRIST THE SAVIOR

Dan Schutte

Text © 2010, ICEL. All rights reserved. Used with permission. Music © 2007, 2009, Daniel L. Schutte.

Published by OCP. All rights reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260.

“Holy, Holy”

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and
 earth are full, are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na! Ho -
 san - na! Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is
 he who comes, who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

“Memorial Acclamation”

Save us, save us, Sav-ior of the world, for by your
 Cross and Res - ur - rec - tion you have set us free.

“Great Amen”

A - men. A - men. A - men.

Communion Rite

The Lord’s Prayer

Sign of Peace

The Lamb of God

Acclamation from MASS OF CHRIST THE SAVIOR

Dan Schutte

Text © 2010, ICEL. All rights reserved. Used with permission. Music © 2007, 2009, Daniel L. Schutte.
 Published by OCP. All rights reserved.
 Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260.

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the
world, have mer-cy on us. world, grant us peace.

COMMUNION PROCESSION

Communion Antiphon

“4th Sunday of Easter”

Steve Angrisano, Sarah Hart, and Curtis Stephen

Text: ©2010, ICEL. All rights reserved. Used with permission.
© 2020, Steve Angrisano, Sarah hart, and Curtis Stephan. Published by OCP.
All rights reserved. Used with permission. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260

The Good Shep - herd has ris - en, who laid down his life for his
sheep and will-ing - ly died for his flock, al - le - lu - ia.

Communion Song SUNDAY

“Shepherd Me, O God”

Marty Haugen

Breaking Bread, Number 520

Tune: © 1986, GIA Publications, Inc. Text: Psalm 23; adapt. by Marty Haugen; © 1986, GIA Publications, Inc.
All rights reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260

Shep-herd me, O God, be - yond my wants, be -
yond my fears, from death in - to life.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Prayer after Communion

Prayer for Vocations

Loving and Generous God,
it is You who call us by name
and ask us to follow You.

Help us to grow in the Love
and Service of our Church
as we experience it today,
and give us the energy and courage of Your Spirit to shape its future.

Grant us faith-filled leaders,
who will embrace Christ's mission
of love and justice.

Bless the Parish of St. Michael
Poplar Springs, by raising up dedicated and generous leaders
from our families and friends
who will serve Your people as Sisters, Priests, Brothers, Deacons,
and Lay Ministers.

Inspire us to know You better
and open our hearts
to hear Your call.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Dismissal

SUNDAY

“Hallelujah Is Our Song”

Sarah Hart, Sarah Kroger, Josh Blakesley, Trey Heffinger

Breaking Bread Book, number 174

© 2012, Meaux Jeux Music, Tunes From The Basement, River Oaks Music Company, Sarah Hart, all administered at CapitolCMGPublishing.com, Fiat Music, LLC, and Joshua Blakesley. Published by Spirit & Song®, a division of OCP. All rights reserved. Used with permission. All rights reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-727260

Musical notation for the first line of the verses, starting with a treble clef, a key signature of two flats, and a 3/4 time signature.

1. What hope we have, e - ven in the long - est
2. What peace we have, e - ven in this wound - ed
3. What joy we have, for the stone is rolled a -
4. What hope we have, e - ven in the long - est

Musical notation for the second line of the verses.

1. night, for the light will o - ver - come.
2. world where the bat - tle rag - es on.
3. way and the tomb holds noth - ing now.
4. night, for the light will o - ver - come.

Musical notation for the third line of the verses.

1. We will not fear, ♯ for we know the
2. We will not fear, ♯ for we know who
3. No sting of death, no pow - er o - ver
4. And we shall live; ♯ sin - ners, we will

Musical notation for the fourth line of the verses, ending with a double bar line and a repeat sign.

1. sun will rise.
2. heals our souls.
3. sin or grave.
4. rise to saints. } Hal - le - lu - jah is our song.

1st time to Verse 2

Musical notation for the first line of the refrain.

Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! He is ris - en

Musical notation for the second line of the refrain.

o - ver all. Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le -

Musical notation for the third line of the refrain.

lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah is our song.