

BASILICA OF THE NATIONAL SHRINE  
OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION



EVENING PRAYER

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

3 MAY 2026

4:00 P.M.



# ORDER OF CEREMONY

## INTRODUCTORY RITE

### PROCESSION

*All stand.*

### INTRODUCTORY VERSE

*All sign themselves in the form of the cross.*

*Presider:*

O God, ✠ come to my as - sist - ance.

*Assembly:*

Lord, make haste to help me.

*All:*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir - it:

as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ev - er. A - men.

Al - le - lu - ia.

# HYMN



1. Good Christ-ians all, re-joice and sing! Now is the  
2. The Lord of Life is ris'n for ay: Bring flow'rs of  
3. Praise we in songs of vic-to-ry That Love, that  
4. Thy name we bless, O ris-en Lord, And sing to -



tri-umph of our King: To all the world glad  
song to strew his way; Let all man-kind re-  
Life, which can-not die, And sing with hearts up-  
day with one ac-cord The life laid down, the



news we bring: Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia!  
joice and say: Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia!  
lift-ed high: Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia!  
life re-stored: Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia!

# PSALMODY

*All sit.*

## PSALM 110:1–5, 7

Antiphon: The Lord is risen and is seated at the right hand of God, alleluia.



(Schola) The Lord's revelation to my Master:  
"Sit on my right:  
your foes I will put beneath your feet."

(All) The Lord will wield from Zion  
your scepter of power:  
rule in the midst of all your foes.

(Schola) A prince from the day of your birth  
on the holy mountains;  
from the womb before the dawn I begot you.

(All) The Lord has sworn an oath he will not change.  
"You are a priest for ever,  
a priest like Melchizedek of old."

(Schola) The Master standing at your right hand  
will shatter kings in the day of his great wrath.

(All) He shall drink from the stream by the wayside  
and therefore he shall lift up his head.

(All) Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Antiphon: The Lord is risen and is seated at the right hand of God, alleluia.

## PSALM 114

Antiphon: He has rescued us from the power of darkness  
and has brought us into the kingdom of his Son, alleluia.



(Schola) When Israel came *forth* from Egypt,  
Jacob's sons from an *alien* people,  
Judah became *the* Lord's temple,  
Israel *became* his kingdom.

(All) The sea fled *at* the sight:  
the Jordan turned back *on* its course,  
the mountains *leapt* like rams  
and the hills like *yearling* sheep.

(Schola) Why was it, sea, *that* you fled,  
that you turned back, Jordan, *on* your course?  
Mountains, that you *leapt* like rams,  
hills, like *yearling* sheep?

(All) Tremble, O earth, *before* the Lord,  
in the presence of the *God* of Jacob,  
who turns the rock *into* a pool  
and flint into a *spring* of water.

(All) Glory to the Father, and *to* the Son,  
and to the *Holy* Spirit:  
as it was in the *beginning*, is now,  
and will be for *ever*. Amen.

Antiphon: He has rescued us from the power of darkness  
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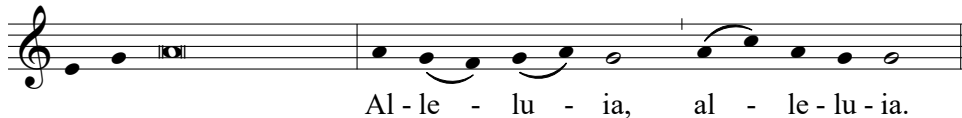


READING

Hebrews 10:12–14

Jesus offered one sacrifice for sins and took his seat forever at the right hand of God; now he waits until his enemies are placed beneath his feet. By one offering he has forever perfected those who are being sanctified.

RESPONSORY



Cantor: The Lord is risen, alleluia, alleluia.

**All: The Lord is risen, alleluia, alleluia.**

Cantor: He has appeared to Simon,

**All: alleluia, alleluia.**

Cantor: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:

**All: The Lord is risen, alleluia, alleluia.**

MAGNIFICAT

Luke 1:46–55

*All stand.*

Antiphon: I give you a new commandment:  
love one another as I have loved you, says the Lord, alleluia.



(Cantor) Magnificat ✠  
(All) anima mea Dominum:

(Schola) et exsultavit spiritus meus  
in Deo salutari meo.

(All) Quia respexit humilitatem ancillae suæ:  
Ecce enim ex hoc beatam me dicent omnes generationes.

- (Schola) Quia fecit mihi magna qui potens est:  
et sanctum nomen eius.
- (All) Et misericordia eius a progenie in progenies  
timentibus eum.
- (Schola) Fecit potentiam in brachio suo:  
dispersit superbos mente cordis sui.
- (All) Deposuit potentes de sede  
et exaltavit humiles.
- (Schola) Esurientes implevit bonis:  
et divites dimisit inanes.
- (All) Suscepit, Israel puerum suum,  
recordatus misericordiae suae.
- (Schola) Sicut locutus est ad patres nostros,  
Abraham, et semini eius in saecula.
- (All) Gloria Patri et Filio,  
et Spiritui Sancto.  
Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper,  
et in saecula, saeculorum. Amen.

Antiphon: I give you a new commandment:  
love one another as I have loved you, says the Lord, alleluia.

## INTERCESSIONS

*All remain standing.*

Presider: With joy in our hearts, let us call upon Christ the Lord,  
who died and rose again, and lives always to intercede for us:

**All: Victorious King, hear our prayer.**

Lector: Light and salvation of all peoples,  
send into our hearts the fire of your Spirit,

**All: as we proclaim your resurrection.**

Lector: Let Israel recognize in you her longed-for Messiah,

**All: and the whole earth be filled with the knowledge of your glory.**

Lector: Keep us in the communion of your saints,

**All: and grant us rest from our labors in their company.**

Lector: You have triumphed over death, your enemy;  
destroy in us the power of death,

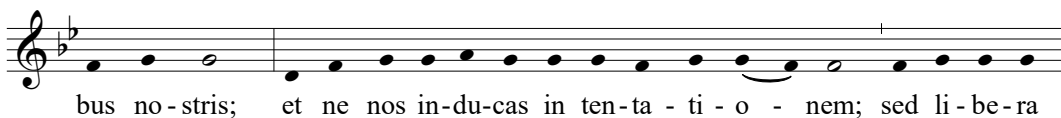
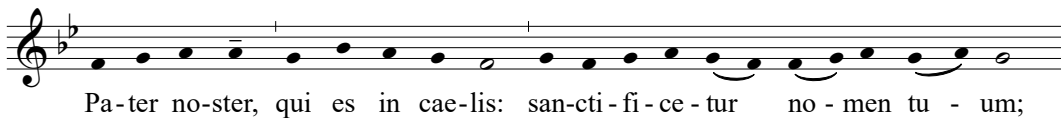
**All: that we may live only for you, victorious and immortal Lord.**

Lector: Savior Christ, you were obedient even to accepting death,  
and were raised up to the right hand of the Father,

**All: in your goodness welcome your brothers and sisters  
into the kingdom of your glory.**

## LORD'S PRAYER

Presider: Præceptis salutaribus moniti, et divina institutione formati, audemus dicere:



## PRAYER

Presider: Almighty ever-living God,  
constantly accomplish the Paschal Mystery within us,  
that those you were pleased to make new in Holy Baptism  
may, under your protective care, bear much fruit  
and come to the joys of life eternal.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever.

**All: Amen.**

Presider: The Lord be with you.

**All: And with your spirit.**

Presider: May almighty God bless you,  
the Father, and the Son, ✠ and the Holy Spirit.

**All: Amen.**

Presider: Go in peace.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

## MARIAN ANTIPHON



Re - gi - na cæ - li, læ - ta - re, al - le - lu - ia.



Qui - a quem me - ru - i - sti por - ta - re, al - le - lu - ia.



Re - sur - re - xit si - cut di - xit, al - le - lu - ia.



O - ra pro no - bis De - um, al - le - lu - ia.

*Queen of heaven, rejoice, alleluia.  
The Son you merited to bear, alleluia,  
Has risen as he said, alleluia.  
Pray to God for us, alleluia.*



## SUNG VESPERS AT THE BASILICA

*We invite you to join us in celebrating Sung Vespers*

**Sundays in Easter at 4:00 P.M.**

4:30 P.M. Mass following

10, 17, 24 May  
Great Upper Church

*All are welcome to this special celebration  
of Evening Prayer during the Season of Easter*

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