

# 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter

St. Michael Church

April 18, 2021

Prelude Music                      Yours Today                      Cooney

Gathering Hymn                      All Things New                      Cooney



Sing a new song! Re-joice!                      The dawn is break-ing,



the earth is wak-ing,                      its dreams come true. And do you



hear the voice,                      dark-ness sur-pris - ing,                      sing in its



ris - ing: "See, I am mak - ing all things new!"



Whom shall we live for?                      Whose might-y hand  
Who found us wan-der-ers,                      and made us in - to one?



made the moon, the sun and stars on high?  
Who is ev - er near with strength to save?



Who made a way for us through wa - ter and the sand,  
Whose love a-dopt - ed us as daugh-ters and as sons,



brought us out of slav - er - y and                      fed us from the sky?  
fam - 'ly to the First-born who is                      ris - en from the grave?



**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**  
**Gospel Acclamation**  
**Gospel Reading**  
**Homily**

1 John 2:1-5a  
Easter Alleluia  
Luke 24:35-48

Cooney

**Profession of Faith**

*Apostles' Creed*

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;  
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting. Amen.

**Universal Prayer**

**Preparation of Gifts**

Now the Green Blade Rises

Kosche



*Sanctus*

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

*The Mystery of Faith*

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,  
we pro-claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

*Great Amen*

A - men, a - men, a - men, a -  
men. A - men, a - men, a - men, a - men.

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**The Lord's Prayer**

**Sign of Peace**

**Lamb of God**

Holy Cross Mass

Isele

**Prayer for Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,  
    come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

**Communion Procession**

Make of Our Hands a Throne

Warner

Make of our hands a throne to hold the bread of heav-en,  
make of our hearts a home to hold the ver - y wine of  
life, in this mys-t'ry, Lord, make us one with you.

Refrain based on *Mystagogical Catechesis* vs. 21, Cyril of Jerusalem

1. (*Ps 34*) Taste of this goodness! and feast at this banquet;  
how blest the faithful who find shelter in God!  
Look to your Maker, be radiant with glory,  
for those who love the Lord are saved from their fears. *Refrain*

2. (*Ps 65*) You keep your promise, O God, our Savior,  
hope of the distant isles and all of the earth.  
You crown us with goodness, your fields decked with harvest.  
Your valleys clothed in wheat resound with your joy! *Refrain*
  
3. (*Ps 78*) From clouds above us you send down your blessings,  
the bread of heaven and the water of life!  
You rain down your bounty and kiss us with manna,  
bread of the angels for our food and our feast. *Refrain*
  
4. (*Ps 145*) With patient yearning, we look to you in hunger,  
and through the length of days you feed all your flock.  
Your hands, with abundance, are wide with your promise,  
You grant the longings of a people in need! *Refrain*
  
5. (*Didache*) This bread now broken, once grain upon the hillside,  
is brought together and transformed in our midst.  
So may all your people be gathered together,  
from ev'ry land into the kingdom of love! *Refrain*

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### Prayer after Communion

### Final Blessing & Dismissal

#### Closing Hymn

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

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Christ the Lord is ris'n today, Alleluia!  
All on earth with angels say: Alleluia!  
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!  
Sing, O heav'ns; and, earth, reply: Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious king, Alleluia!  
Where, O death, is now your sting? Alleluia!  
Once he died our souls to save, Alleluia!  
Where your victory, O grave? Alleluia!

Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!  
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!  
Death in vain forbids him rise, Alleluia!  
Christ has opened paradise. Alleluia!

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