Easter Sunday, 2023

Dear Friends,

It is a joy to welcome you to St. James Cathedral on this Easter of 2023. I do so in the name of our Archbishop, Paul D. Etienne, as well as in my own. Of all the times we gather as Christian believers, none is more important than Easter — the greatest of all our feasts. Easter celebrates the Mystery that is the very foundation of our Christian faith, for, as St. Paul wrote, “If Christ has not risen, our faith is in vain” (1 Cor. 15:14). But Christ has risen, and your presence here in the Cathedral today both affirms and celebrates that most amazing and enduring of all realities! While we do not see him, we know he lives, and we know that he is in our midst breathing life and hope into us, walking alongside us on our pilgrimage of faith, our journey toward the Kingdom of God.

I have no way of knowing what is in your heart as you come here on this Easter Sunday. For some, I am sure, there is joy and a keen sense of hope for the future as Spring with its promise of new life is bursting forth all around us. For others, there may be the burden of pain and sadness that comes from a serious illness, a family crisis, the loss of a job, or the death of a loved one. And there is not one of us who is not keenly and painfully aware of the war being waged against Ukraine, and of the unspeakable atrocities taking place there — and in other war-torn places - at this very moment. How much we, and our world, are in need of Easter peace and hope. Our celebration of Christ risen from the dead offers us just that.

My hope and my prayer is that you will find here at St. James Cathedral something to comfort you, challenge you, and lift you up. We live in a world that, while incredibly beautiful, is also seriously flawed. Death and life are never very far away from us, are they? But Easter boldly proclaims that death is not the end of the story. Easter proclaims for all to hear that Life will get the last word, not death!

If you are a visitor to the Cathedral, please know that we warmly welcome you and hope that you will return soon — maybe even to become part of our amazing and vibrant community of faith. The doors are open! And if you are already part of the parish family of St. James, I take this opportunity to thank you for all the ways in which you make the Risen Jesus present in this parish and in this city day after day: through your prayer, your faith, and your love that overflow in unselfish service to the poor and in outspoken advocacy on their behalf.

May the blessings of the Risen Lord Jesus be yours in abundance!

Father Michael G. Ryan
ORDER OF CELEBRATION

The Resurrection of the Lord

The Introductory Rites

PRELUDE

Praeludium and Fugue in G Major, BWV 541
Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750)

ENTRANCE

Surrexit Christus hodie, alleluia

PENITENTIAL ACT

New Plainsong Mass
David Hurd (b. 1950)
GLORIA

GUIDA IN EXCELSIS DEO!
Glory to God in the highest,
We praise you, we bless you,
we glorify you, we give you thanks.

GLORIFICAMUS TE.
Lord God, heavenly King,
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
you take away the sins of the world,
you take away the sins of the world,
You are seated at the right hand of the Father,

QUONIAM TU SOLUS SANCTUS.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
with the Holy Spirit,

Amen.

COLLECT (OPENING PRAYER)

The Liturgy of the Word.

FIRST READING

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

SECOND READING

EASTER SEQUENCE

Christians, to the Paschal victim
Offer your thankful praises!
A Lamb the sheep redeemeth:
Christ, who only is sinless,
Reconcilest sinners to the Father.
Death and life have contended in that combat stupendous.
The Prince of life, who died, reigns immortal.
Speak, Mary, declaring What thou sawest, wayfaring.

ALLELUIA

chant/Melchior Vulpius (1570–1615)
GOSPEL

John 20:1-9
or Matthew 28:1-10

HOMILY

Archbishop Paul D. Etienne (Noon)
Father Michael G. Ryan (all other Masses)

RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL PROMISES

To each question all respond, I do!

SPRINKLING WITH BAPTISMAL WATER


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

I saw water flowing from the right side of the temple, ALLELUIA!
And it brought to people everywhere God’s life and his salvation, ALLELUIA!
And the people sang in joyful praise: ALLELUIA!

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Jacques Berthier (1923–1994)

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

Offertory (10:00 & Noon)  “Voskreseniye Hristovo videvshie” from All-Night Vigil, op. 37
Sergei Rachmaninoff (1873-1943)

Having beheld the resurrection of Christ, let us worship the holy Lord Jesus, the only Sinless One.
We venerate Thy Cross, O Christ, and we hymn and glorify Thy holy resurrection,
for Thou art our God, and we know no other than Thee; we call on Thy name.
Come, all you faithful, let us venerate Christ’s holy resurrection.
For behold, through the cross joy has come into all the world.
Ever blessing the Lord, let us praise His resurrection,
for by enduring the cross for us, He has destroyed death by death.

Hail thee, Festival day

SALVE FESTE DIES
Please kneel following the Lamb of God and remain kneeling until it is time for your row to go forward for Holy Communion.

Distribution of Holy Communion

NOTE ON RECEIVING COMMUNION: The Eucharistic bread and wine given during Mass has great significance for Catholics: they are the body and blood of Christ, our Lord and God. We invite those who do not share our Catholic faith to come forward with arms crossed and ask the priest or lay minister for a blessing, or simply to be seated at this time.

Upon returning to your seat, please kneel or be seated.
COMMUNION

Christ, our Paschal Lamb, has been sacrificed, alleluia; therefore, let us keep the feast by sharing the unleavened bread of uprightness and truth, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Pascha nostrum
chant, Mode I

My Hope is arisen
Peter Latona (b. 1968)

HYMN OF PRAISE

The day of resurrection
ELLACOMBE, arr. Richard Webster (b. 1948)

1. The day of resurrection! Earth, tell it out abroad;
2. Our hearts be pure from evil, that we may see a right
3. Now let the heav'ns be joyful, let earth her song begin,

The Pass-over of gladness, the Pass-over of God.
The Lord in rays eternal of resurrection light;
The round world keep high triumph, and all that is there-in;

From death to life eternal, from earth unto the sky,
And, listening to his accents, may hear so calm and plain
Let all things seen and unseen their notes together blend,

Our Christ has brought us over with hymns of victory.
His own “All hail!” and, hearing, may raise the victor strain.
For Christ the Lord is risen, our joy that hath no end.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SOLEMN BLESSING OF EASTER

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

Toccata in D Major
Marcel Lanquetuit (1894–1985)

“Final” from Symphony No. 1
Louis Vierne (1870–1937)

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CELEBRATIONS of the SACRAMENTS

MARRIAGE
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WELCOME, VISITORS! If you are a visitor to the Cathedral, we want you to know how welcome you are – whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world, or simply from another parish here in the Archdiocese.

The Resurrection of the Lord
April 9, 2023

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Our services provided the critical assistance she needed to become a US citizen. With the stability and peace of mind that citizenship provides, she can now focus on her health and building a better life here with her children. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a US citizen, we can help. Information, Patrick Suhrbier, psuhrbier@stjames-cathedral.org or Laura Murton lmurton@stjames-cathedral.org, 206-382-4511.

TURNING THE TIDE FOR ECOLOGY: 2023 EARTH DAY SUMMIT
Seattle University, Saturday, April 22, 9am-4pm. Join Catholics from across Western Washington for this year’s environmental justice summit. The day will include keynotes on integral ecology and salmon recovery, Mass, panel on climate action, discernment, group reflection and action. All are welcome to this free event. Register by April 17, https://ipjc.org/turning-the-tide-for-ecology-registration. Co-sponsored by the St. James Care for Creation committee.

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Jesus is risen! Life has overcome death! What are the signs of resurrection that you can see around? Celebrate the gift of God's creation and thank the Lord for our salvation by praying the Laudato Si’ Chaplet outside, available at https://laudatosimovement.org/download/ls-chaplet/.
CRS RICE BOWL REFLECTION Throughout our Lenten journey, we have remembered our sisters and brothers throughout the world, and yes, in our own community, who carry heavy crosses of hunger, homelessness, loneliness, and fear. During this final week of Lent, we have walked with Christ from his triumphal entry into Jerusalem to his final meal with his closest friends and ultimately to his death on the cross. Now, it is Easter, a time of joy and celebration. But we must never forget that as members of God’s one human family, it is our responsibility to share that joy with all of God’s human family. Please turn in your Rice Bowl, if you have not already done so, read about the works of Catholic Relief Services on their website (www.crs.org) and consider joining CRS as they build a powerful movement to transform our world so that all of our global family can live in dignity and reach their God-given potential.

FLORAL OFFERINGS AT THE ALTAR resume after Easter with open dates on the weekends of June 11, June 25, July 9, and July 16. If you would like to offer flowers in memory of a loved one, or in celebration of an anniversary or an answered prayer, contact Maggie Corrigan, 206-622-3559 or mcorrigan@stjames-cathedral.org.

LUCKY MEDICINE BOOK READING Monday, May 8, 6:30pm-8pm in the Pastoral Outreach Center (907 Columbia St.) The St. James Racial Solidarity team welcomes Cathedral parishioner Lester Thompson to read excerpts from his memoir, to share deeper reflections on racism and faith, and to sign copies of his book, which are available in the Cathedral Bookstore. Information, Patrick Barredo, pbarredo@stjames-cathedral.org.

WELCOME BACKPACKS We are called to accompany, celebrate, support, and embrace refugees. Innmigrant Assistance is preparing to welcome migrants arriving in Seattle from the US-Mexico border. Our new volunteer Respite Team will support these individuals in addressing their immediate and short-term needs during their first three months here. Can you help us provide each adult with a welcome backpack? You can find our wish list at: https://www.target.com/gift-registry/gift/sjia-welcome-backpacks. New items only, please. Information, Erica de Klerk, edeklerk@stjames-cathedral.org or 206.382.4511.

FAITH FRIENDS IS AN INCLUSION MINISTRY serving children and teens from across the Archdiocese of Seattle. We are a unique blend of our Faith Mentor and Children’s Faith Formation program, and provide Sacramental Preparation, as well as opportunities for friendship with other youth. Information, Jennifer Wong, 206-619-0816, faithfriends@stjames-cathedral.org or www.faithfriendsstjames.org.

JOIN THE CATHEDRAL GARDEN TEAM! The St. James Cathedral Kitchen Garden, which provides fresh produce for the weeknight meals served at Cathedral Hall, needs volunteers to help with planting, weeding, maintenance, pruning and harvesting. The garden is located on the corner of Madison and Terry. Information: Kathy Dugaw, kadugaw@gmail.com.

APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR THE RAINBOW SCHOOLS St James Cathedral helps support registered parishioners with children in one of the Rainbow Schools: St. George, St. Joseph, St. Therese, and Holy Family Bilingual School. To apply, please contact Theresa Van de Ven at tvandeven@stjames-cathedral.org or at 206-219-5822. The deadline for complete application packets is April 30, 2023.

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THE ORDER OF MALTA is a lay religious order headquartered at the Cathedral. Its members provide financial and volunteer support to five charities in the Seattle area, including the Mental Health Ministry and Solanus Casey Center. The Order of Malta welcomes new members. Information, Tom Matthews, thomasjmatthews@icloud.com.

PREPARING FOR FIRST COMMUNION The Archdiocese of Seattle mandates a 2 year preparation period for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion. This normally begins when a child starts 1st Grade, and continues into 2nd Grade. Some children start a year later (2nd and 3rd Grades). If your child will be in 1st or 2nd Grade this fall, please sign them up in August, 2023 for Sacramental Preparation beginning this September. Information, Theresa Van de Ven, 206-219-5822 or tvandeven@stjames-cathedral.org.

YOUTH PREPARATION FOR CONFIRMATION The Archdiocese of Seattle changed the age of Confirmation in 2019. Candidates for Confirmation are now typically in 7th or 8th Grade. Confirmation in 2023 will be held on Sunday, May 28, 2023 at 10:30am. If your child will be in one of these grades this fall, please sign them up in August, 2023 for classes beginning in September. Information, Theresa Van de Ven, 206-219-5822 or tvandeven@stjames-cathedral.org.

CHILDREN’S FAITH FORMATION St. James Cathedral provides the Children’s Faith Formation program from September to June for children ages 4-11, and Confirmation (for children in 7th and 8th Grade). Classes take place on Sunday from approximately 11:10am to 12:10pm. Information, Theresa Van de Ven at 206-219-5822 or tvandeven@stjames-cathedral.org.

SCAM ALERT! Cybercrime is hitting faith communities nationwide. If you receive a message from Father Ryan (or other Cathedral staff) from a @gmail address asking for help or requesting you to purchase a gift card, please delete it. It is a scam! This email scam is happening across the country. When in doubt, contact the parish office to verify the legitimacy of any request you receive from the parish. Thank you!
We Are All Witnesses
Exploring the Acts of the Apostles

DR. JOHN A. SIMPSON, PRESENTER

Thursday evenings,
April 20, 27
May 4, 11, 18, 25
7:00pm, Cathedral Place

Awe came upon everyone, and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles.
(Acts 2:43)

Come explore the exploits and adventures of the pioneers in Christian Faith and get a glimpse of the great moments and celebrated personalities of the early Church.

All are welcome.
Registration required.
Information and registration, 206-219-5822
jsimpson@stjames-cathedral.org

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Are you grieving the death of someone close to you?
Grief and loss can have a significant impact on our lives long after the death of the person we love.
The grieving process has no timeline and is unique to each individual, but meeting with others who are going through a similar experience can provide support and help us cope.

You are invited to join this 8-week grief support group facilitated by St. James Cathedral Staff Anisa Ralls.

Information and registration, Anisa Ralls, 206-382-4269 or aralls@stjames-cathedral.org
The St. James Care For Creation Committee invites you to celebrate Earth Day!

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Saturday, April 22, 2023
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Seattle University
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Join the Creation Care Network for its annual environmental justice summit! The day will provide space to ground our collective work spiritually, discern how the Spirit is calling us to build reciprocity with the Earth, and act together for climate justice!

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ELECTRONICS RECYCLING DRIVE
in partnership with 1 Green Planet
April 22-23 in Cathedral Hall
912 Columbia Street

Bring your recyclable items, working or not.

Visit www.1GreenPlanet.com for a full list of acceptable items.

“Say no to an ephemeral, superficial and throwaway culture, a culture that assumes that you are incapable of taking on responsibility and facing the great challenges of life!” - Pope Francis

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- Panel on climate action
- Group reflections on environmental justice
- And more!

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On behalf of our partners at Catholic 
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Services, thank you to the people of St. James 
Cathedral for your ardent and compassionate 
response to the needs of our low-income and 
unhoused sisters and brothers.

During the Covid-19 pandemic, so many of you 
graciously shared your donations of casseroles, 
sandwiches, fresh fruit, homemade baked 
goods, and non-perishable foods, in addition to 
your generous monetary support. One of the 
blessings of the pandemic has been that more 
clients of Catholic Housing Services have been 
able to move into their own permanent homes, 
because they were able to interact more intently 
with CHS staff.

Thank you for taking care of some of the most 
vulnerable people in our region!