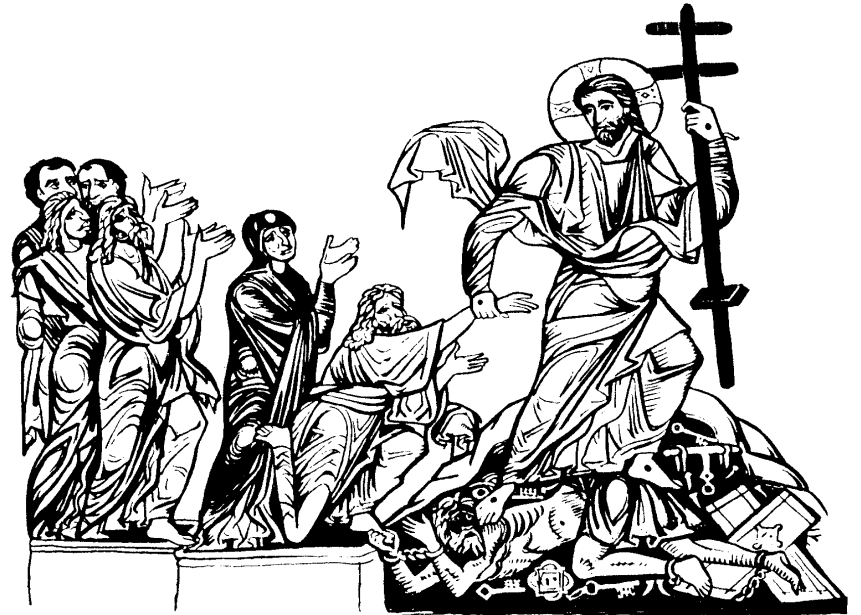


## The Sunday of the Resurrection, or Easter



### INTROIT

*Resurrexi* (Psalm 139)

**I**AM risen and present with thee, alleluia: Thou hast laid thine hand upon me, alleluia. Such knowledge is too wonderful and excellent for me, Alleulia, alleluia. O Lord, thou hast searched me out and known me: Thou knowest my downsitting and mine uprising.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end, Amen  
I am risen and present with thee, alleluia: Thou hast laid thine hand upon me, alleluia. Such knowledge is too wonderful and excellent for me, Alleulia, alleluia.

### THE COLLECT

**A**LMIGHTY God, who through thine only-begotten Son Jesus Christ hast overcome death, and opened unto us the gate of everlasting life; We humbly beseech thee that, as by thy special grace preventing us thou dost put into our minds good desires, so by thy continual help we may bring the same to good effect; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost ever, one God, world without end. Amen.



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THE EPISTLE  
*Colossians 3.1– 4*

**B**RETHREN: IF ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth. For ye are dead, and your life is hid with Christ in God. When Christ, who is our life, shall appear, then shall ye also appear with him in glory.

GRADUAL, ALLELUIA AND SEQUENCE  
*(Psalm 118)*

**T**his is the day which the Lord hath made: We will rejoice and be glad in it. To give thanks unto the Lord, for he is gracious: And his mercy endureth for ever. Alleluia, alleluia.  
Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us. Alleluia

Victimae Paschali

**C**HRISTIANS to the Paschal Victim offer your thankful praises.  
A Lamb the sheep redeemeth:  
Christ who only is sinless, reconcileth sinners to the Father.  
Death and life have contended the battle stupendous:  
The prince of life who died reigns eternal.  
Speak Mary, declaring what thou sawest wayfaring:  
The tomb of Christ, who is living: the glory of Jesu's resurrection:  
Bright Angels attesting, the shroud and napkin resting.  
Yea, Christ my hope is arisen: to Galilee he goes before you  
Christ indeed from death is risen, our new life obtaining:  
Have mercy, victor King, ever reigning. Amen, Alleluia.

The Continuation of THE HOLY GOSPEL according to John  
*John 20.1-- 10*

**A**T that time: On the first day of the week cometh Mary Magdalene early, when it was yet dark, unto the sepulchre, and seeth the stone taken away from the sepulchre. Then she runneth, and cometh to Simon Peter, and to the other disciple, whom Jesus loved, and saith unto them, They have taken away the Lord out of the sepulchre, and we know not where they have laid him. Peter therefore went forth, and that other disciple, and came to the sepulchre. So they ran both together: and the other disciple did outrun Peter, and came first to the sepulchre. And he stooping down, and looking in, saw the linen clothes lying; yet went he not in.

Then cometh Simon Peter following him, and went into the sepulchre, and seeth the linen clothes lie, and the napkin, that was about his head, not lying with the linen clothes, but wrapped together in a place by itself. Then went in also that other disciple, which came first to the sepulchre, and he saw, and believed. For as yet they knew not the scripture, that he must rise again from the dead. Then the disciples went away again unto their own home.

The Creed is said.

OFFERTORY

**T**HE earth trembled and was still, when God arose to judgement, Alleluia

SECRET

**W**E beseech thee, O Lord, mercifully to accept the prayers and oblations of thy people: that this beginning of thy Paschal Mysteries may by the operation of thy grace be unto us a wholesome medicine unto everlasting life. Through Jesus Christ our Lord Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, God, throughout all ages, world without end. Amen

COMMUNION  
*I Corinthians 5*

**C**HRIST our Passover is sacrificed for us, alleluia: therefore let us keep the feast with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

POSTCOMMUNION

**W**e beseech thee, O Lord, pour into our hearts the love of thy Holy Spirit: that as thou hast now fulfilled us with this Paschal Sacrament, so thou wouldest make us to continue in all godly concord. Through Jesus Christ our Lord Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

Priest: Depart in peace, alleluia, alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God, alleluia, alleluia.

And thus is said the Dismissal until Saturday in Easter Week inclusive.