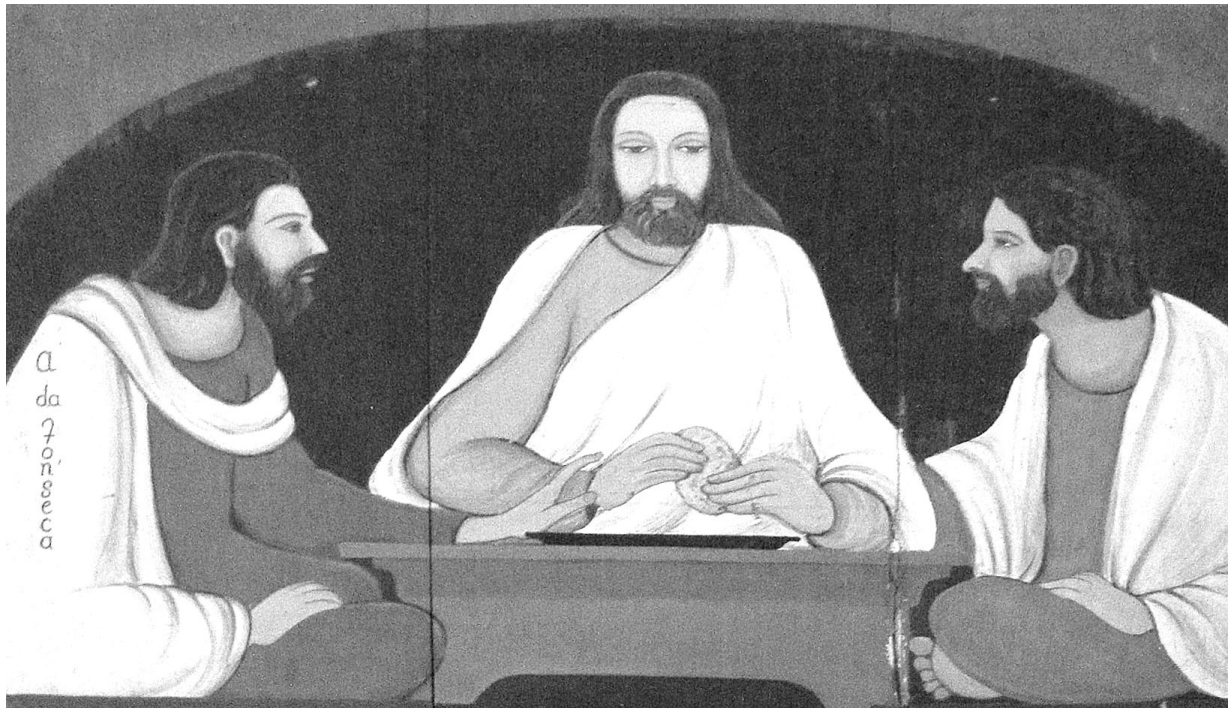




# ST. MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS

11:00 AM HOLY EUCHARIST



Breaking Bread, Rowan Christa Prema Seva Ashram, Pune, India

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER  
APRIL 23, 2023

## SERVING AT 11:00 AM TODAY

Presider & Preacher	The Rev. Sherman Hesselgrave
Musicians	St. Michael's Singers Hannah Brewer, Music Director/Organist Brian Fairbanks, Choir Director
Crucifer	Tim Shields
Eucharistic minister	Tim Shields, Lynda Moses
Lectors	Virginia Malone, Michael Sagun
Ushers	Paula Raines, John Davis
Altar Guild	Carolyn Eaton, Sigrid Huston Georg Ann Flagg, Carol Gordon
Bread	Brian Fairbanks
Coffee Hosts	McLaughlin Family, Lynn Baker

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*St Michael & All Angels Episcopal Church acknowledges the gifts of sacred music written by African Americans, indigenous peoples and all people of color. This music enriches our liturgies, and we are grateful for these musicians. Music of oppressed cultures has been appropriated by the dominant culture without an appreciation of the pain and suffering experienced by its creators. We repent and commit to the work of racial justice and ending racism.*

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# THE COMMUNITY GATHERS FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

*For the beauty of the earth*

arr. Joel Raney (b. 1956)

HYMN

For the beauty of the earth

Dix

1. For the beau - ty of the earth, for the beau - ty of the skies,  
2. For the beau - ty of each hour of the day and of the night,  
3. For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and mind's de - light,  
4. For the joy of hu - man love, bro - ther, sis - ter, par - ent, child,  
5. For the Church which ev - er - more lift - eth ho - ly hands a - bove,  
6. For each per - fect gift of thine to the world so free - ly given,

for the love which from our birth o - ver and a - round us lies,  
hill and vale and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light,  
for the mys - tic har - mo - ny link - ing sense to sound and sight,  
friends on earth and friends a - bove, for all gen - tle thoughts and mild,  
of - fering up on ev - ery shore thy pure sac - ri - fice of love,  
faith and hope and love di - vine, peace on earth and joy in heaven,

Christ our God, to thee we raise this our hymn of grate - ful praise.

Words: Folliot Sandford Pierpoint (1864); Music: Dix

## EASTER ACCLAMATION

*Presider* Alleluia! Christ is risen.

*People* **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

## COLLECT FOR PURITY

*Presider* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ. **Amen.**



1 Let all things now liv - ing a song of thanks - giv - ing to  
2 God rules all the forc - es: the stars in their cours - es and



God the cre - a - tor tri - um - phant - ly raise,  
sun in its or - bit o - be - dient - ly shine;



who fash - ioned and made us, pro - tect - ed and stayed us, who  
the hills and the moun - tains, the riv - ers and foun - tains, the



still guides us on to the end of our days.  
deeps of the o - cean pro - claim God di - vine.



God's ban - ners are o'er us, God's light goes be -  
We too should be voic - ing our love and re -



fore us, a pil - lar of fire shin - ing forth in the night,  
joic - ing; with glad ad - o - ra - tion a song let us raise



till shad - ows have van - ished and dark - ness is ban - ished, as  
till all things now liv - ing u - nite in thanks - giv - ing: "To



for - ward we trav - el from light in - to light.  
God in the high - est, ho - san - na and praise!"

Words: Katherine Kay Davis, alt.; music: Welsh folk tune.

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

from *Prayers for an Inclusive Church*

*Presider* God be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Presider* Let us pray.

*People* **Lord of the gathering feast, you walk with us on the shadowed road: burn our hearts with scripture's open flame; unveil our darkened eyes as bread is torn and shared and from the broken fragments bless a people for yourself; through Jesus Christ, the host of the world. Amen.**

THE FIRST READING Acts 2:14a, 36-41 read by Virginia Malone

A summary of the preaching and other activities of the early Christian community in Jerusalem.

*The reader concludes* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 116:1-3, 10-17

Anglican Chant Setting by William Crotch (1775-1847)

Organ: Choir first, then All: after Gabriel Fauré

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

- 1 I love the Lord, because God has heard the voice of my supplication, \*  
because God has inclined God's ear to me whenever I called upon the Lord.
- 2 The cords of death entangled me; the grip of the grave took hold of me; \*  
I came to grief and sorrow.
- †3 Then I called upon the Name of the Lord: \*  
"O Lord, I pray you, save my life." REFRAIN
- 10 How shall I repay the Lord \*  
for all the good things God has done for me?
- 11 I will lift up the cup of salvation \*  
and call upon the Name of the Lord. REFRAIN
- 12 I will fulfill my vows to the Lord \*  
in the presence of all God's people.
- 13 Precious in the sight of the Lord \*  
is the death of God's servants. REFRAIN
- 14 O Lord, I am your servant; \*  
I am your servant and the child of your handmaid; you have freed me from my bonds.
- 15 I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving \*  
and call upon the Name of the Lord. REFRAIN
- 16 I will fulfill my vows to the Lord \*  
in the presence of all God's people.
- 17 In the courts of the Lord's house, \*  
in the midst of you, O Jerusalem. Hallelujah! REFRAIN

THE SECOND READING "The Peace of Wild Things" by Wendell Berry read by Michael Sagun

*The reader concludes* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

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

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

## GOSPEL: Luke 24:13-35

The story of how two disciples were met by a stranger on the road to Emmaus. That evening, as he breaks bread with them, they know the stranger to be Jesus.

*At the announcement of the Gospel, the People respond*      **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

*The reader concludes*      The Gospel of the Lord.

*People*      **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*repeat Alleluia*

SERMON      *Receive, Bless, Break, Share*

The Rev. Sherman Hesselgrave

## AN AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**You, O God, are supreme and holy. You create our world and give us life. Your purpose overarches everything we do. You have always been with us. You are God.**

**You, O God, are infinitely generous, good beyond all measure. You came to us before we came to you. You have revealed and proved your love for us in Jesus Christ, who lived and died and rose again. You are with us now. You are God.**

**You, O God, are Holy Spirit. You empower us to be your gospel in the world. You reconcile and heal; you overcome death. You are our God. We worship you.**



## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*Presider* O God, your Son remained with his disciples after his resurrection, teaching them to love all people as neighbors. As his disciples in this age, we offer our prayers on behalf of the universe in which we are privileged to live and our neighbors with whom we share it.

In the name of the Risen Christ,

**Hear us, God of new life and hope.**

*Leader* We pray for the Universal Church, its members and its mission, remembering especially The Church of the Province of Uganda, the clergy and people of St Mary's, Gardiner/Reedsport, and Bishop Akiyama; we pray for all ecumenical dialogue, that we may continue to discover new ways of seeing our oneness in Christ; and for fresh expressions of church and Christian community.

*(Silence)* *In the silences, other intercessions or petitions may be added.*

In the name of the Risen Christ,

**Hear us, God of new life and hope.**

*Leader* We pray for the nation and all in authority; for President Biden and the members of Congress; for the Courts, and for the fair administration of justice across the land; for Governors Kotek and Inslee, and the local leaders in our states.

*(Silence)*

In the name of the Risen Christ,

**Hear us, God of new life and hope.**

*Leader* We pray for the welfare of the world; for the courage to address income inequality and economic injustice; for exploited workers and victims of wage theft; on this Sunday nearest Earth Day, we pray for all whose water is contaminated and unsafe for consumption.

*(Silence)*

In the name of the Risen Christ,

**Hear us, God of new life and hope.**

*Leader* We pray for the concerns of our community; for the Transition Committee and the parish staff, as they prepare for new leadership; for new immigrants who are being integrated into a new country and community; for all who are learning languages to better bridge the cultures.

*(Silence)*

In the name of the Risen Christ,

**Hear us, God of new life and hope.**

*Leader* We pray for all those who suffer and for those in any trouble; for anyone in the hospital, and for those living with mental illness; for any who are estranged from family; for loved ones in care homes and for those in hospice.

*(Silence)*

In the name of the Risen Christ,

**Hear us, God of new life and hope.**

*Leader* We pray for those who have departed this life, especially, Colleen Green, the mother of Helen Crandell; and those whom we name silently or aloud...

*(Silence)*

Rest eternal grant them, and in the name of the Risen Christ,  
**Hear us, God of new life and hope.**

*Presider* Open our hearts to your power moving around us and between us and within us, until your glory is revealed in our love of both friend and enemy, in communities transformed by justice and compassion, and in the healing of all that is broken. **Amen**

## THE PEACE

*Presider* The peace of Christ be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

## A WORD OF WELCOME, BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

### A PRAYER FOR BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

**O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### INVITATION TO COMMUNION

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*Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome to receive communion at this table. If you'd like to receive the bread, please extend your hands out. If you need a gluten free wafer, please let us know as you receive. If you'd like to come forward, but prefer a blessing in place of the bread or the wine, please cross your arms across your chest.  
If you wish to use intinction please ask for a wafer.*

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## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### AT THE OFFERTORY

Cantate Domino canticum novum,  
laus ejus in Ecclesia Sanctorum.  
Laetetur Israel in eo, qui fecit eum,  
et filii Sion, exultent in rege suo.

### *Cantate Domino*

*Sing ye to the Lord a new song:  
let his praise be in the church of the saints.  
Let Israel rejoice in him that made him:  
and let the children of Sion be joyful in their king.*

Giuseppe Pitoni (1657-1743)

—Psalm 149



*Presider*    *People*  
The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

*Presider*    *People*  
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

*Presider*  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People*  
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

*Presider* We praise you, God of freedom, for you breathed life into the void and showed yourself as the one who loves in freedom. From the nothingness of slavery you called a people into being and led them to springs of life; the presence of your glory went with shattered exiles into strange and distant lands and gathered from the valley of despair the flesh and blood of living hope. In Jesus, you confronted the powers that killed and oppressed, you spoke to those considered dead, and helped them stand again; he taught us to die that we might live. He gave himself for us, tortured and forsaken, but he could not be confined by death; in the garden he speaks our name, in the breaking of the bread he shows himself among us; by the lakeside, in the new day, he calls us to take up his work.

Therefore, with all who lost faith, all who walked away in sadness, with the women at the tomb, and the men who hid in fear, we confess ourselves surprised by the suddenness of dawn, and join the undying song of heaven:

SANCTUS

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of  
pow - er and might, — hea - ven and earth are full of your  
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high -

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est. Blest is the one who comes in the name of the

Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Setting: Calvin Hampton

*Presider* We ask that your Holy Spirit will fall upon us and upon these gifts, that these fragile, earthly things may be to us the body and blood of our Savior, Jesus Christ; who, on the night he was betrayed, gathered with his friends for a meal that tasted of freedom.

Calling them to his table, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and said: 'This is my body, which is given for you. Do this to remember me.'

In the same way after supper, he took the cup, saying: 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, whenever you drink it, to remember me.' As on that night, so here and now he offers himself in touch and taste beyond all words can hold.

Great is the mystery of faith:

*Presider and People:*

**Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

*Presider* Therefore, we come to him in whom all is created in heaven and on earth, whose cross and resurrection make all things new. We offer this to you asking you to smile upon the gift we bring, for you alone are the Giver and Christ is the gift through which we live once and for all.

Through him who was emptied to bear your fullness we make our prayer with all created life to the glory of the God who fills all in all now and for ever.

*All* **AMEN.**

# THE LORD'S PRAYER

*Presider* As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now sing,

Our Fa-ther in heav-en hal-low-ed be your name, your  
king-dom come, your will be done, on earth as in heav-en. Give us to-day our dai-ly bread. For  
give us our sins as we for-give those who sin a-gainst us. Save us from the time of tri-al and de-  
liv-er us from e-vil. For the king-dom, the power, and the glo-ry are yours,  
now and for-ev-er. A-men.

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# THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

*The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.*

# AT THE FRACTION

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -  
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Christ our Pass - o - ver is  
sac - ri - ficed for us; There-fore let us keep the feast.  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Setting: Gerald Near

*Presider* The gifts of God for the People of God.

# THE COMMUNION OF GOD'S PEOPLE

## AT THE COMMUNION

### COMMUNION ANTHEM

*O sacrum convivium*

William Byrd (1543-1623)

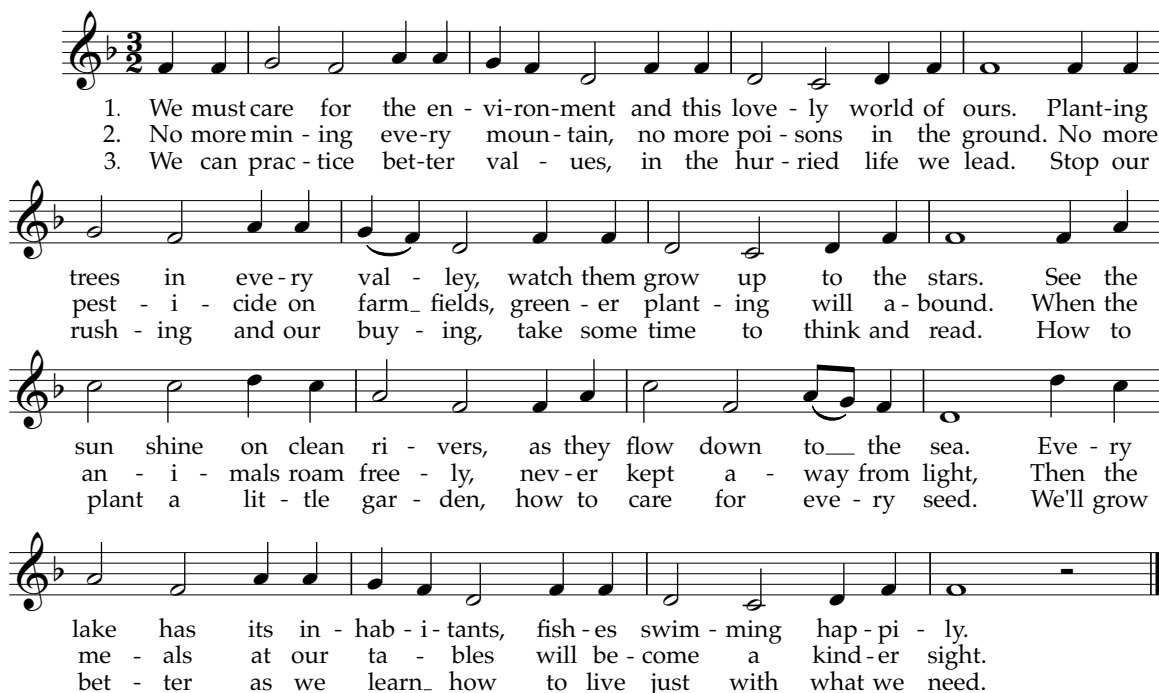
O sacrum convivium in quo Christus sumitur:  
recolitur memoria passionis ejus:  
mens impletur gratia:  
et futurae gloriae nobis pignus datur. Alleluia.

*O sacred banquet, wherein Christ is received;  
the memorial of his passion is renewed;  
the soul is filled with grace;  
and a pledge of future glory is given to us. Alleluia.*

### HYMN

#### Song for the Environment

Beech Spring



1. We must care for the en - vi - ron - ment and this love - ly world of ours. Plant - ing  
2. No more min - ing eve - ry moun - tain, no more poi - sons in the ground. No more  
3. We can prac - tice bet - ter val - ues, in the hur - ried life we lead. Stop our  
trees in eve - ry val - ley, watch them grow up to the stars. See the  
pest - i - cide on farm - fields, green - er plant - ing will a - bound. When the  
rush - ing and our buy - ing, take some time to think and read. How to  
sun shine on clean ri - vers, as they flow down to the sea. Eve - ry  
an - i - mals roam free - ly, nev - er kept a - way from light, Then the  
plant a lit - tle gar - den, how to care for eve - ry seed. We'll grow  
lake has its in - hab - i - tants, fish - es swim - ming hap - pi - ly.  
me - als at our ta - bles will be - come a kind - er sight.  
bet - ter as we learn how to live just with what we need.

*This hymn was written by Ethan Plecash (1996-2014) for Earth Day 2010  
at the Church of the Holy Trinity, Trinity Square, Toronto.*

### SENDING OUT OF EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

*Presider* In the name of this congregation we send you forth to share this Eucharist with *N*.

*All* **You carry the prayers of us all as you take this Sacrament of Christ's presence. May those who receive it be strengthened and encouraged in the life we find together in our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

### PRAYER FOR MISSION AND MINISTRY

*Presider* Let us pray.

*All* **God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world, and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

## BLESSING

May the living God remove the suffocating shroud that lies upon our world; may the risen Savior draw the sting of death, bringing all to life in him; may the flowing Spirit set us and all creation free and seal our hearts with faith; and the blessing of God...

## HYMN

### Touch the earth lightly

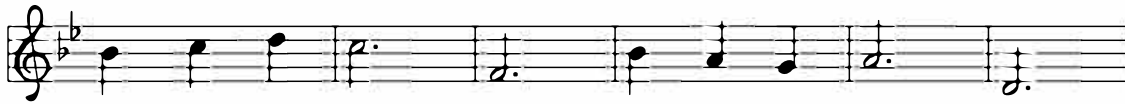
Tenderness



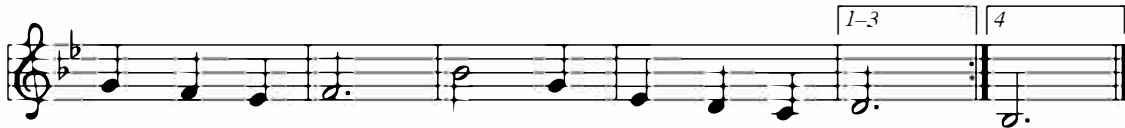
1 Touch the earth light - ly, use the earth gent - ly,  
2 We who en - dan - ger, who cre - ate hun - ger,  
3 Let there be green - ing, birth from the burn - ing,  
4 God of all liv - ing, God of all lov - ing,



nour - ish the life of the world in our care:  
a - gents of death for all crea - tures that live,  
wa - ter that bless - es, and air that is sweet,  
God of the seed - ling, the snow, and the sun,



gift of great won - der, ours to sur - rend - er,  
we who would fos - ter clouds of dis - as - ter—  
health in God's gar - den, hope in God's chil - dren,  
teach us, de - flect us, Christ re - con - nect us,



trust for the chil - dren to - mor - row will bear.  
God of our plan - et, fore - stall and for - give!  
re - gen - er - a - tion that peace will com - plete.  
us - ing us gent - ly, and mak - ing us one.

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## THE DISMISSAL

*Presider* Alleluia, Alleluia! Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People* **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!**

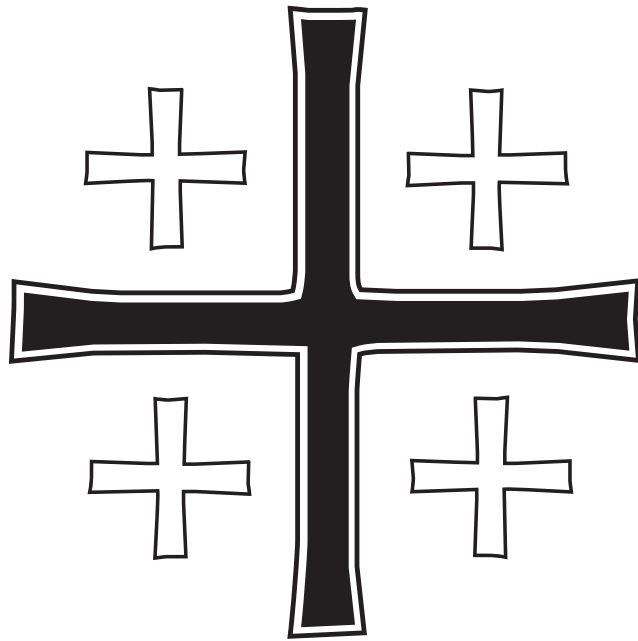
## POSTLUDE

*All things bright and beautiful*

arr. Lynette Maynard







# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Earth Day Creation Care forum today

The severity of the climate crisis tomorrow depends on what we do today. Today, April 23, St. Michael's Creation Care Team will sponsor an Earth Day forum to provide information on ways to deal with our rapidly changing environment.

From planting bee and butterfly gardens, to replacing natural gas appliances, to saving endangered species, we will have suggestions on ways you can make a difference. We will even give you *25 Steps Under \$25* that you can implement today. Please come to hear our speakers at 10:15 am in the Nativity Hall and pick up an abundance of information.

## Cake Auction on May 7

We're in the process of raising approximately \$20,000 to pay for the moving expenses of Scott+, our new rector, and his wife Tami. The moving van is making steady progress toward our goal, but we hope to collect several thousand dollars more in donations. One fun (and delicious) way to contribute is to participate as a baker or buyer in the Cake Auction on Sunday, May 7, between the 9:00 and 11:00 am services in the Nativity Hall. We have many gifted bakers in the congregation, and the proof will be in the many different baked-goods options available to bid on and/or buy outright. If you would like to contribute an item, please contact Paula Raines or any other member of Team L.I.F.E.

## Día de los Niños on April 30

Día de los Niños (Children's Day) is back! All St. Michael's children are invited to come and enjoy traditional carnival games, yummy treats and piñatas on Sunday, April 30, at 2:15 pm.

In 1925, International Children's Day was first recognized in Geneva during the World Conference on Child Welfare to commemorate and honor children throughout the world. Although the date varies from country to country, the typical date in Latin America for celebrating is April 30th. We hope you will bring your children so we can celebrate their importance as part of the St. Michael's family.

Día de los Niños is brought to you by the members of

the 1:00 pm service (Misa) and the IWC with support from the St. Michael's Youth Group. There is no cost to participate!

## Forward Day by Day booklets

The new *Forward Day by Day* prayer booklets for May through July are available now. You can pick one up during the week or on Sunday from just inside the courtyard doors, on the wood-slat board in the Gallery and in the Narthex.

## Parish Life Opportunities

The next Men's and Women's Breakfasts are coming up on the first Saturday in May (Men's) and the second Saturday (Women's). Both gatherings begin at approximately 9:00 am at Sam's Billiards in Hollywood, and no RSVP is necessary. On Wednesday, May 17, the Lunch Bunch will be happening at the lodge at Multnomah Falls. Please contact Paula Raines at [prrmelody@comcast.net](mailto:prrmelody@comcast.net) by May 10 if you're interested in attending.

## Upcoming Events

- April 23** Earth Day forum with Creation Care team (10:00 am)
- April 30** Sherman's last Sunday as interim rector; special reception (10:00 am)  
Día de los Niños celebrated at 2:15 pm
- May 7** Cake Auction to benefit new rector's moving fund (10:00 am)  
Guest preacher and presider at the 9:00 and 11:00 am services
- May 14** Guest preacher and presider at the 9:00 and 11:00 am services
- May 20** Diane Walker's 90th birthday celebration (all invited)
- May 21** The Rev. R. Scott Painter's first Sunday as rector, serving at all four services, plus special receptions
- May 28** The Day of Pentecost; choirs' last Sunday till after Labor Day
- June 2-3** Broadway Night
- June 17** Family Worship



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