



The Cathedral of the Incarnation

Garden City, New York

5 May 2024 at 11:15 AM

Choral Mass

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

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VOLUNTARY: *Communion*

Louis Vierne
(1870 – 1937)

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 409

Creation

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Presider Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS, S 278 (*sung by ALL*)

William Mathias
(1934 – 1992)

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE FIRST LESSON

Acts 10:44-48

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 66

Sung by the Choir/chant by Ivor Atkins

- 1 Sing to the LORD a new song, *
for he has done marvelous things.
- 2 With his right hand and his holy arm *
has he won for himself the victory.
- 3 The LORD has made known his victory; *
his righteousness has he openly shown in the sight of the nations.
- 4 He remembers his mercy and faithfulness to the house of Israel, *
and all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.
- 5 Shout with joy to the LORD, all you lands; *
lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing.
- 6 Sing to the LORD with the harp, *
with the harp and the voice of song.
- 7 With trumpets and the sound of the horn *
shout with joy before the King, the LORD.
- 8 Let the sea make a noise and all that is in it, *
the lands and those who dwell therein.
- 9 Let the rivers clap their hands, *
and let the hills ring out with joy before the LORD,
when he comes to judge the earth.
- 10 In righteousness shall he judge the world *
and the peoples with equity.

THE EPISTLE

I John 5:1-6

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN 379

Abbot's Leigh

THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 15:9-17

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

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

Jesus said to his disciples, "As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

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

THE SERMON

The Very Reverend Canon Mark Kowalewski,
Vicar – Incarnation Chapel

THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Reader Let us pray to the Lord,
People **hear us, Lord of glory.**

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY ANTHEM: *If ye love me*

Philip Wilby
(b. 1949)

If ye love me, keep my commandments, and I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another comforter, that he may bide with you for ever, e'en the spirit of truth. And ye know him, for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you. I will not leave you comfortless. I will come to you.

heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho -
 san - na in the high-est, ho - san - na in the high-est.
 Blest is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
 san - na in the high-est, ho - san-na in the high-est.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER A

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Kyiv Chant

Christ has died, Christ is ri - sen, Christ will come a - gain.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

AGNUS DEI, *Berkeley Missa Brevis*

Gerald Near
(b. 1942)

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

All baptized persons are invited to receive Holy Communion in the Episcopal Church. Persons who do not wish to receive Communion may come forward and receive a blessing. If you would like to receive gluten-free Eucharist, please tell the priest when you come forward.

COMMUNION MOTET: *The Angel cried out*

Roman Hurko

(b. 1962)

The angel cried out to the Lady full of grace, "O Pure Virgin, rejoice, again I say rejoice, your Son has risen from His three days in the tomb; and with Himself He has raised all the dead. Rejoice, all you people!" Shine, O new Jerusalem: the glory of the Lord has shone on you. Exult now and be glad, O Zion! Be radiant, O most Holy Mother, in the resurrection of your Son.

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER *(said by ALL)*

Presider Let us pray:

People **Eternal God, heavenly Father, you graciously accept us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you feed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

THE EASTER BLESSING

Presider The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well-pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

People **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN 194

St. Albinus

THE DISMISSAL

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.

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

VOLUNTARY: *Suite Modale - Koraal*

Flor Peeters
(1903 - 1986)

You are invited to join us for ***Cathedral Connect*** in the Undercroft immediately following this Mass, for coffee, conversation and fellowship.

Announcements

Please note that there is no daily mass the week of May 6.

Dean's Forum – Today, Bishop Philip Wright, 14th Bishop of the Diocese of Belize, will reflect on the rich tradition of Anglican Church of the West Indies, and share insights from his recent time in our own cathedral community.

Choral Evensong for Eastertide today at 4:00 PM. Join us for this special service featuring the Cathedral Choirs singing music of Herbert Murrill, Charles Stanford and Joanna Forbes L'Estrange. Evensong will be preceded by Cathedral Connect at 3:00 in the undercroft.

The Cathedral INNcarnation Ministry – Today, our Cathedral Youth will collect and sort much needed items for the families of The INN. Our INNcarnation Ministry volunteers will also be sorting and sharing stories from their time volunteering at The INN Boutique. Please bring the following donations to Mercer School: Children's clothing - toddler through teenagers (gently used or new), Children's shoes - toddler through teenagers (gently used or new), Children's New Flip Flops for summer, Towels (gently used), or Toiletries (new or unused; travel size and full sized). Thank you in advance!

Grief Support Group – Every other Sunday from 2-3:30pm at See House. The Grief Support Group offers a different quality of support and connection that comes from being with people who have also experienced a loss. The group meets every other Sunday at See House (36 Cathedral Ave, Garden City NY -- large brick building). Upcoming dates are: **Today, May 5**, May 19 and June 2.

Special Sunday Event Featuring Fr. John Dear – Join us for a special Sunday event featuring renowned peace activist and author, Fr. John Dear. Fr. John will deliver sermons at 8am, 9:15am, and 11:15am masses on **Sunday, May 12**, followed by a talk at 10am on his groundbreaking new book, "The Gospel of Peace: A Commentary on Matthew, Mark, and Luke from the Perspective of Nonviolence."

Cornelia Clinch Stewart Scholarship Fund – The Cathedral Chapter announces the Cornelia Clinch Stewart Scholarship Fund, a new scholarship offered by The Cathedral of the Incarnation. This scholarship is dedicated to supporting students in Grades 1-12 residing in Kings, Queens, Nassau, or Suffolk Counties, New York, who aspire to attend Episcopal primary or secondary schools within or outside the Diocese. We encourage interested candidates to visit www.incarnationgc.org/clinchfund for detailed information and to commence the application process.

Cathedral Council Elections – The Cathedral Council is elected by the congregation and as leaders they play an important role in the life of the congregation. Each year,

three members are elected to one four-year term. Together with the Dean, Clergy, and professional staff, they help shape the focus of our common life. Voting will take place at the annual meeting on **Sunday, May 19** when we will all come together for one Sunday service at 10am. Check our eNews to read about our 2024 Council Nominees!

CSA Farm Share 2024 Season – The Hawthorne Valley Farm is happy to return to the Cathedral of the Incarnation this summer, the first Thursday of June. The Farm has a 350–member CSA and supplies organic and Biodynamic® produce to the New York City communities of Garden City, Inwood, and Riverdale. Over 40 varieties of vegetables are grown on 16+ acres, and fruit shares from local farmers are also available. Join our CSA farm share in Garden City by checking our eNews.

Cathedral Connect is our ministry of welcome and connection at the cathedral. Newcomers and long-time members alike are encouraged to contact Fr. Dan Ade at dade@IncarnationGC.org if they are interested in learning more about life at the cathedral.

Celebrations Ministry – As part of Cathedral Connect, we are looking for volunteers to join our 'Celebrations' ministry. We will be sending hand-written greeting cards to celebrate events including key milestone anniversaries of baptisms or confirmations, children's birthdays and Christmas. Please contact vergers@incarnationgc.org if you have any questions or would like to participate.

For further information, please sign up for our eNews every Friday morning at incarnationgc.org/connect/e-news or email us at Cathedral@IncarnationGC.org

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WEEKDAY LITURGIES AT CATHEDRAL OF THE INCARNATION

TUESDAY - THURSDAY Eucharist at 12:00 in the Cathedral



*From the Brooklyn Bridge to Montauk Point
A house of prayer for Long Island*