

Worship Aid for Fourth Sunday of Easter

Materials for those worshipping at home: please have a small bowl of water for the beginning of the Mass; also, as usual a small piece of bread and a bit of wine for communion.

During the Easter Season the presider begins the liturgy by calling to mind the blessing of the water at the Easter Vigil. Then we all bless ourselves with Holy Water in remembrance of our baptism.

GLORY TO GOD

GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST AND PEACE TO ALL
PEOPLE ON EARTH (2x)

LORD GOD HEAVENLY KING ALMIGHTY GOD
AMONG US
WE WORSHIP YOU WE GIVE YOU THANKS
WE PRAISE YOU FOR YOUR GLORY

LORD JESUS CHRIST, ONLY SON OF GOD
LORD GOD, LAMB OF GOD,
YOU TAKE AWAY THE SIN OF THE WORLD
HAVE MERCY ON US
YOU ARE SEATED AT GOD'S RIGHT HAND,
RECEIVE OUR PRAYER

FOR YOU ALONE ARE THE HOLY ONE
YOU ALONE ARE THE LORD
THE MOST HIGH JESUS CHRIST
WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT
IN THE GLORY OF GOD ALMIGHTY.

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OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSE:

BLESSED ARE WE

Psalm 33

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Bless - ed are we, be - lov - ed of God,
cho - sen as faith - ful peo - ple.

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HOMILY

CREED AND PRAYERS OF PETITION

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

SONG DURING PREPARATION OF THE TABLE

MAY YOU ALWAYS KNOW

MAY YOU ALWAYS KNOW I AM WITH YOU
MAY YOUR HEART REST SURE WITHOUT FEAR.
LET YOUR LIFE BE LIVED IN THE LOVE THAT YOU ARE.
ALWAYS KNOWING THAT I AM NEAR.

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Communion Song

BREAD AND WINE

(Ref) BREAD AND WINE IS MY GIFT TO YOU
LIFE AND LOVE IS THE KEY.
BODY AND BLOOD IS MY FOOD FOR YOU
TAKE IT AND REMEMBER ME.

1. REMEMBER MY BODY IT FALLS AND IT FALTERS
IT LIVES ON YOUR STREETS DOWN YOUR HALLS
ON YOUR ALTARS (to ref)
2. REMEMBER MY BODY IT HUNGERS AND THIRSTS
FIRST WILL BE LAST AND LAST WILL BE FIRST
THAT THEY ALL MAY BE ONE. (to ref)
3. REMEMBER MY BODY IT CRIES AND IT WHISPERS
LAY DOWN YOUR GIFTS AND GO ASK FOR YOUR
SISTERS
GREATER LOVE HATH NO ONE, I WILL LAY IT
DOWN
NO ONE TAKES MY LIFE FROM ME, I WILL LAY IT
DOWN. (to next verse)

THE WEIGHT OF RETENTION THE YOKE OF THE
NIGHT
LEARN OF ME PILGRIM MY BURDEN IS LIGHT (to
ref)
4. REMEMBER MY PROMISE I WILL BE YOUR GOD
YOU'LL WALK O'ER THE WATERS AND RED SEAS
DRY-SHOD
THROUGH THE RAGING WATERS – YOU SHALL
NOT BE DROWNED
NO ONE TAKES YOUR LIFE FROM YOU, YOU MAY
LAY IT DOWN. (to next verse)

I'LL BE WITH YOU ALL 'TIL THE ENDS OF THE EARTH
THE PAIN OF A MOTHER AWAITING YOUR BIRTH (to
ref)s

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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FINAL BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH

CLOSING SONG:

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today



1. Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day, Al - le - lu - ia!
2. Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!
3. But the pains which he en - dured, Al - le - lu - ia!
4. Sing we to our God a - bove, Al - le - lu - ia!



Our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!
Un - to Christ, our heav'n - ly King, Al - le - lu - ia!
Our sal - va - tion have pro - cured; Al - le - lu - ia!
Praise e - ter - nal as his love; Al - le - lu - ia!



Who did once up - on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia!
Who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!
Now a - bove the sky he's King, Al - le - lu - ia!
Praise him, now his might con - fess, Al - le - lu - ia!



Suf - fer to re - deem our loss. Al - le - lu - ia!
Sin - ners to re - deem and save. Al - le - lu - ia!
Where the an - gels ev - er sing. Al - le - lu - ia!
Fa - ther, Son, and Spir - it blest. Al - le - lu - ia!

Text: St. 1. *Surrexit Christus hodie*, Latin, 14th C.; para. in *Lyra Davidica*, 1708, alt.; st. 2, 3. *The Compleat Psalmist*, c.1750, alt.; st. 4. Charles Wesley, 1707-1788
Tune: EASTER HYMN, 77 77 with alleluias; *Lyra Davidica*, 1708