

## The Lessons

### Acts 16:9-15

During the night Paul had a vision: there stood a man of Macedonia pleading with him and saying, "Come over to Macedonia and help us." When he had seen the vision, we immediately tried to cross over to Macedonia, being convinced that God had called us to proclaim the good news to them. We set sail from Troas and took a straight course to Samothrace, the following day to Neapolis, and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city for some days. On the sabbath day we went outside the gate by the river, where we supposed there was a place of prayer; and we sat down and spoke to the women who had gathered there. A certain woman named Lydia, a worshiper of God, was listening to us; she was from the city of Thyatira and a dealer in purple cloth. The Lord opened her heart to listen eagerly to what was said by Paul. When she and her household were baptized, she urged us, saying, "If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come and stay at my home." And she prevailed upon us. The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 93 *8:00 a.m. all say 10:00 a.m. all sing*



- 1 The LORD is King; he has put on splendid **apparel**; \*  
the LORD has put on his apparel and girded himself with **strength**.
- 2 He has made the whole world so **sure** \* that it cannot be **moved**;
- 3 Ever since the world began, your throne has been **established**; \*  
you are from ever**lasting**.
- 4 The waters have lifted up, O LORD, the waters have lifted up their **voice**; \*  
the waters have lifted up their pounding **waves**.
- 5 Mightier than the sound of many waters, mightier than the breakers of the **sea**, \*  
mightier is the LORD who dwells on **high**.
- 6 Your testimonies are very **sure**, \*  
and holiness adorns your house, O LORD, for ever and for ever**more**.

### Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5

In the spirit the angel carried me away to a great, high mountain and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God. I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb. And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God is its light, and its lamp is the Lamb. The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it. Its gates will never be shut by day-- and there will be no night there. People will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations. But nothing unclean will enter it, nor anyone who practices abomination or falsehood, but only those who are written in the Lamb's book of life. Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, bright as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb through the middle of the

street of the city. On either side of the river is the tree of life with its twelve kinds of fruit, producing its fruit each month; and the leaves of the tree are for the healing of the nations. Nothing accursed will be found there any more. But the throne of God and of the Lamb will be in it, and his servants will worship him; they will see his face, and his name will be on their foreheads. And there will be no more night; they need no light of lamp or sun, for the Lord God will be their light, and they will reign forever and ever. The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

### 10:00 a.m. Hymn Shall we gather at the water

1. Shall we gath - er at the riv - er, Where bright an - gel feet have trod; \_\_\_  
2. On the mar - gin of the riv - er, Wash - ing up its sil - ver spray; \_\_\_  
3. Ere we reach the shin - ing riv - er, Lay we ev - 'ry bur - den down; \_\_\_  
4. Soon we'll reach the shin - ing riv - er, Soon our pil - grim - age will cease; \_\_\_

1. With its crys - tal tide for - ev - er Flow - ing by the throne of God? \_\_\_  
2. We will walk and wor - ship ev - er, All the hap - py gold - en day. \_\_\_  
3. Grace our spir - its will de - liv - er, And pro - vide a robe and crown. \_\_\_  
4. Soon our hap - py hearts will quiv - er With the mel - o - dy of peace. \_\_\_

Yes, we'll gath - er at the riv - er, The beau - ti - ful, the beau - ti - ful riv - er;

Gath - er with the saints at the riv - er That flows by the throne of God.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to John.  
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

**John 5:1-9** After Jesus healed the son of the official in Capernaum, there was a festival of the Jews, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. Now in Jerusalem by the Sheep Gate there is a pool, called in Hebrew Beth-zatha, which has five porticoes. In these lay many invalids-- blind, lame, and paralyzed. One man was there who had been ill for thirty-eight years. When Jesus saw him lying there and knew that he had been there a long time, he said to him, "Do you want to be made well?" The sick man answered him, "Sir, I

have no one to put me into the pool when the water is stirred up; and while I am making my way, someone else steps down ahead of me." Jesus said to him, "Stand up, take your mat and walk." At once the man was made well, and he took up his mat and began to walk. Now that day was a sabbath.  
*All reply Praise to you Lord Christ.*

Gospel response *8:00 a.m. all say 10:00 a.m. all sing three times*  
**Christ is risen from the dead, trampling down death by death,  
and on those in the tombs bestowing life, bestowing life.**

## The Sermon

*The Rev. Jonathan Evans*

### All standing The Nicene Creed

*Prayer Book, page 358*

**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 worshipped 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 Form IV

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. *Silence*

Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

*Silence*

Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory. *Silence*

Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us. *Silence*

Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

*Silence*

Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom. *Silence*

Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

## The Peace *all stand*

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

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

*The ministers and people may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

## Announcements

## The Holy Communion

*8:00 a.m.* Offertory **603 When Christ was lifted from the earth**

*10:00 a.m.* Offertory The River of the Water of Life *Malcolm Archer*  
*I saw the river of the water of life, bright as a crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb through the middle of the street of the city, Alleluia. Let everyone who is thirsty come. Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift, Alleluia. Let anyone who is thirsty come to me, and let the one who believes in me drink. Out of the believer's heart shall flow rivers of living water.*

*10:00 a.m.* Presentation Hymn 205 vs. 4,5

**Your Name we bless, O risen Lord, and sing today with one accord  
the life laid down, the life restored: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

**To God the Father, God the Son, to God the Spirit, always One,  
we sing for life in us begun: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

## The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer A

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

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

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* **We lift them to the Lord.**

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

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

*Celebrant* It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere  
to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

*a Proper Preface is said here, and the Celebrant continues*

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and  
with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the  
glory of your Name:

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**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full  
of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the  
name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

*Remain standing or kneel*

*Celebrant* Holy and gracious Father:...

... Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith,

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

*The Celebrant continues* We celebrate the memorial of our redemption...

... all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

*People* **AMEN.**

## The Lord's Prayer

*People 8:00 a.m.*

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread.**

**And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
forever and ever. Amen.**

## The Breaking of the Bread

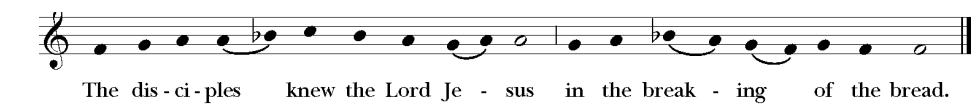
*Celebrant:* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

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

Fraction Anthem *10:00 a.m. all sing*

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*Cantor, then all sing the Antiphon*



*10:00 a.m.* Communion Music:

Handbells

Prelude and Dance *Judy Hunicutt*

Choir

A Gaelic Blessing *John Rutter*

**Hymn 603 When Christ was lifted from the earth**

**Hymn 490 I want to walk as a child of the light**

*After Communion, the people stand or kneel as the Celebrant says* Let us pray.

*Celebrant and People* **Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously  
accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you  
have fed 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.**

*A Eucharistic Visitor may be sent out using these words:*

*Celebrant* We send you forth bearing the Gifts of God that those to whom  
you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

*People* **We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one  
cup.**

## Easter Season Blessing

*10:00 a.m.* Hymn 494 **Crown him with many crowns**

## Dismissal

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

Postlude *please remain and sing* Hymn 719 **O beautiful for spacious skies**



# St. Boniface Episcopal Church

*On Siesta Key in Sarasota, Florida*

**May 26, 2019 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.**

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

### The Holy Eucharist – Rite II

Prelude

*Larry King*  
The Resurrection i. Lament, ii. The Rising, iii. The Ecstasy, iv. Reflection  
*Ernie Matijasic, organ*

## The Word of God

*10:00 a.m.* Hymn 214 **Hail the day that sees him rise**

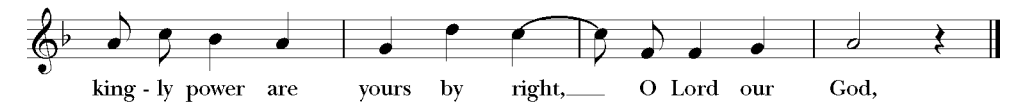
*The people standing, the Celebrant says,*  
Alleluia, Christ is risen.

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

**The Collect for Purity** *all say, Amen.*

**Song of Praise** *8:00 a.m. all say 10:00 a.m. all sing*

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### Repeat Antiphon



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## The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

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

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*Celebrant* 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.**