# The Order for the Administration of Holy Communion



Ten O'clock in the Morning Second Sunday of Easter, 2025

Saint Gabriel's Episcopal Church Marion, Massachusetts

# WELCOME

Here for the first time? We're glad you have joined us! You're welcome here just as you are.

# The Episcopal Church

Our denomination is part of the global Anglican Communion, and is part of a tradition of reformed Catholicism. We follow the teachings of Jesus Christ, and trace our origins back Christ, his disciples, and the early church through Apostolic Succession. We affirm that God is only known in the three persons of the Trinity — the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost as expressed in the Apostle's, Nicene, and Athanasian Creeds. As part of our Anglican heritage we believe in the centrality of Holy Scripture, tradition, and reason in our worship and life of faith. The Holy Eucharist is the heart of our faith communities.

## Who We Are

Saint Gabriel's Episcopal Parish welcomes all people and meets everyone where they are on their spiritual journeys with Christ. We try our best to be a community of faith celebrating and sharing Christ's love with each-other, our communities, and the world. There are many ministries and programs here which help all better know Christ. The Parish is open and affirming, and welcomes all from within the LGBTQ+ community and beyond to participate fully.

# The Liturgy & Books

Worship in the Episcopal Church is drawn from both contemporary and ancient sources, and is aided by books and a bulletin. *The Book of Common Prayer* is the red book, the Hymnal is the blue one. The Mass settings (Kyrie, Sanctus, Lord's Prayer, & Agnus Dei) are found on the card hanging in the pew.

# Nursery & Church School

Free nursery care is available during the Liturgy for children under age four. Youth Formation (Church School) and is available for all children and youth ages 4 and up from Sept - June starting at 9:30AM. An Usher can help you and your family locate both spaces.

# Membership

Interested in becoming an official member of the Parish? Just speak with the Rector, it's a very simple process!

PRELUDE

Christ Is Arisen

William Wehmeyer

When the prelude begins please practice silence and ready your heart for worship.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN Jesus Lives! Thy terrors now #195 Mowsley

#### SALUTATION

*Celebrant* Alleluia! Christ is risen! *People The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!* 

#### COLLECT FOR PURITY

*Celebrant* 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 our Lord. *Amen.* 

The SUMMARY of the LAW

A New Zealand Prayer Book

Hear the teaching of Christ: You shall love the Lord your God With all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength. This is the first commandment. And the second is this: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. *People* Spirit of God, search our hearts.

#### KYRIE CONFESSION

Lord Jesus, you raise us to new life. Lord, have mercy. All *Lord, have mercy.* Lord Jesus, you forgive us our sins. Christ, have mercy. All *Christ, have mercy.* Lord Jesus, you feed us with the living bread. Lord, have mercy. All *Lord, have mercy.* 

After the confession the priest declares the Absolution on the people and reads the comfortable words.

#### Song of Praise

Laudate Dominium

See Pew card

The COLLECT of the DAY

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you. *People:* **And also with you.** *Celebrant:* Let us pray. *The celebrant prays the Collect*  Almighty and everlasting God, who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; 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

## The PSALM

Read responsively by whole verse

- 14 The Lord is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation.
- 15 There is a sound of exultation and victory in the tents of the righteous:
- 16 "The right hand of the Lord has triumphed! the right hand of the Lord is exalted! the right hand of the Lord has triumphed!"
- 17 I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord.
- 18 The Lord has punished me sorely, but he did not hand me over to death.
- 19 Open for me the gates of righteousness; I will enter them; I will offer thanks to the Lord.
- 20 "This is the gate of the Lord; he who is righteous may enter."
- 21 I will give thanks to you, for you answered me and have become my salvation.
- 22 The same stone which the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23 This is the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes.

24 On this day the Lord has acted; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

25 Hosannah, Lord, hosannah! Lord, send us now success

26 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord; we bless you from the house of the Lord.

27 God is the Lord; he has shined upon us; form a procession with branches up to the horns of the altar.

28 "You are my God, and I will thank you; you are my God, and I will exalt you."

29 Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his mercy endures for ever.

Acts 5:27-32 Bible, p. 94

Psalm 118:14-29 Confitemini Domino



The choir sings verse 1; Refrain sung by all.

*Celebrant:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ cording to John. *People: Glory to You, Lord Christ.* 

The GOSPEL The Deacon proclaims the Gospel John 20:19-31 Bible, p. 88

*Deacon:* The Gospel of the Lord. *People Praise be you, Lord Christ.* 

SUNG RESPONSE Celtic Alleluia repeated. The choir sings verse 2; Refrain sung by all.

The SERMON

The Rev'd Kristine Holmes, Deacon

SILENCE for REFLECTION (a minute of silence is held)

The NICENE CREED Please stand

The Book of Common Prayer, p. 358

The PRAYERS of the PEOPLE The Priest adds a concluding collect. Form IV, p. 388

The PEACE

CelebrantAlleluia. Christ has been raised from the dead!The Peace of the Lord be always with you.AllAnd also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

### THE LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY INVITATION

The ushers will bring the collection plate to the end of each pew for in-person offerings.

#### OFFERTORY ANTHEM O For the Wings of a Dove Bernie Klim, tenor

O for the wings of a dove! Far away would I rove. In the wilderness build me a nest, and remain there forever at rest.

#### DOXOLOGY HYMN

#380 v 3 Old 100th

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow

#### *Celebrant* All things come of thee, O Lord. *People* And of thine own we have given thee.

PRAYER at the PREPARATION of the TABLE The Church of England

Creator of all, you wash away our sins, you give us new birth by the Spirit, and redeem us in the blood of Christ. As we celebrate the resurrection, renew your gift of life within us. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord. Amen.

People Blessed be God for ever.

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER D

The Book of Common Prayer, page 372

SANCTUS

The LORD'S PRAYER

*Celebrant:* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us. *All: Therefore let us keep the feast! Alleluia!* 

### AGNUS DEI

S165 See Pew Card

S128 See Pew Card

S 119 See Pew Card

## INVITATION TO COMMUNION

*Celebrant:* As all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. Behold The Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb.

ALL baptized persons (regardless of denomination) can receive Holy Communion. To receive gluten free bread cross your palms upside down. Please drink from the common cup at the rail. A cup for the dipping of bread is available outside the rail. Cross arms over your chest to receive a blessing.

Draw nigh and take the Body of the Lord

After receiving communion all are invited to sit silently and contemplate the real presence of Christ received through the bread and the wine.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER *Remain seated* The Church of England

Celebrant Let us pray.

All God of Life, who for our redemption gave your onlybegotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection have delivered us from the power of our enemy: grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The EASTER BLESSING Please stand

RECESSIONAL HYMN

#209 St. Botolph

We walk by faith, and not by sight

The DISMISSAL

Deacon Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. Alleluia! Alleluia!
People Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

POSTLUDE

Lasst Uns Erfreuen

Robert Groves

The flowers on the altar are given in loving memory of Louis Coffin Sr., Jean Dunnington Cullen, Daniel Drusdow and Eleanor Duursema Drusdow by Danielle & Louis Coffin

Clergy & Staff

Rector: The Rev. Fr. Eric E. Fialho; Deacon: The Rev. Kristine Holmes; Verger: Mr. Kevin Miller; Dir. of Music: Mr. David N. Burnham

Assisting At Today's Liturgy

Ushers: Russ Barre; Louis Coffin; Chalice Bearer: Suzy Titus; Lector: Mary Wilson; Altar Guild: Kathy Reed & Vanessa Neely

Weekly Reminder		
Sun 27 <sup>th</sup>	5:00 p.m.	Evensong
Tues 29 <sup>th</sup>	12:30 p.m.	ē
Wed 30 <sup>th</sup>	× *	Women's Bible Study
wed 50		Anglican Rosary
	6:00 p.m.	6 ,
Thurs 1 <sup>st</sup>	*	Men's Breakfast Group
		Choir Rehearsal
Sat 3rd	*	NBSO Concert Series
Sun 4 <sup>th</sup>	1	Rite I Chapel Service
		Rite II Church Service
9am Morning Prayer held Monday – Thursday.		
Noon Low Mass held every Monday, Tuesday & Thursday.		

#### Parish Prayer List For Healing:

Ryan Conant, Howard Carter Davis, Marisa & Anthony Eilers, Cynthia Evans, Rob Hiller, Bernie Klim, Sr., Mary Moller, Jimmy O'Maiza, Melissa Parsons, Cathy Roberts, Ben Smith, Adam Stauff, Diana Tottenham, Nash Waterman, Brodie Yeaw, Carol Zefeber, Karen Silva, Michelle, Kathy Feeney, James Good, Tori, Matt, Beau, Danny Miller, Patricia Leite, Donna Duddy, Jim Feeney, Maria Stanley, Matthew Stanley & Family, Bernie Klim, Jr., Betty Savery, Maria & Adriano Lima, Don & Genie Rice, Philip Lukoff, Heather Bradley, Tom Bibeau, Nancy Griswold, Jane Lonsdale, Catriana Hall

#### Men & Women serving in our Armed Services:

Ben Hall, Ned Havel, James Kinney, Andriy Noble & Patrick O'Brien

