



# St James Cathedral

CHICAGO



*"A Shepherd with His Flock" by Nico Pirosmiani*

## Morning Prayer Fourth Sunday of Easter May 3, 2020

*Officiant*

Lord, o - pen our lips.

*People*

And our mouth shall pro - claim your praise.

*Officiant and People*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spi - rit:

As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. A - men.

*The choir sings*

HYMN

1 The King of love my shep - herd is, whose good - ness  
 2 Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow, my ran - somed  
 \* 3 Per - verse and fool - ish oft I strayed, but yet in  
 \* 4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill with thee, dear  
 5 Thou spread'st a ta - ble in my sight; thy unc - tion  
 6 And so through all the length of days thy good - ness

1 fail - eth nev - er; I noth - ing lack if  
 2 soul he lead - eth, and where the ver - dant  
 3 love he sought me, and on his shoul - der  
 4 Lord, be - side me; thy rod and staff my  
 5 grace be - stow - eth; and oh, what trans - port  
 6 fail - eth nev - er: Good Shep - herd, may I

1 I am his, and he is mine for ev - er.  
 2 pas - tures grow, with food ce - les - tial feed - eth.  
 3 gent - ly laid, and home, re - joic - ing, brought me.  
 4 com - fort still, thy cross be - fore to guide me.  
 5 of de - light from thy pure chal - ice flow - eth!  
 6 sing thy praise with - in thy house for ev - er.

Words: Henry Williams Baker (1821 - 1877); para. of Psalm 23

Music: St. Columba, Irish melody; harm. Hymnal 1982

## FIRST READING

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles (2:42-47)

Those who had been baptized devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles. All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need. Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.

*read by Beau Butts*

*The choir & choristers sing*

PSALM 23

Henry Walford Davies (1869-1941)

The Lord is my shepherd;  
I shall not be in want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures  
and leads me beside still waters.

He revives my soul  
and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.

Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil;  
for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me;  
you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is running over.

Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,  
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

## SECOND READING

A Reading from the Gospel according to John (10:1-10)

Jesus said, "Very truly, I tell you, anyone who does not enter the sheepfold by the gate but climbs in by another way is a thief and a bandit. The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep hear his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has brought out all his own, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. They will not follow a stranger, but they will run from him because they do not know the voice of strangers." Jesus used this figure of speech with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them.

So again Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep. All who came before me are thieves and bandits; but the sheep did not listen to them. I am the gate. Whoever enters by me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture. The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly."

*read by Alba Munge*

## SERMON

The Rev. Canon Lisa Hackney-James  
*Sub-Dean of the Cathedral*

*The choir sings*

## ANTHEM

*"Loving Shepherd of thy Sheep"*

John Rutter (b. 1945)

Loving Shepherd of thy sheep, keep thy lamb, in safety keep;  
nothing can thy power withstand, none can pluck me from thy hand.  
I would praise thee every day, gladly all thy will obey,  
like thy blessed ones above happy in thy precious love.  
Loving Shepherd, ever near, teach thy lamb thy voice to hear;  
suffer not my steps to stray from the straight and narrow way.  
Where thou leadest I would go, walking in thy steps below,  
till before my Father's throne I shall know as I am known.

# The Prayers

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people; Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

*The Curate offers prayers for the needs of the world and the church.*

*The choir sings*

HYMN

Hymnal 334

1 Praise the Lord, rise up re - joic - ing, wor - ship, thanks, de -  
2 Scat - tered flock, one shep - herd shar - ing, lost and lone - ly,  
3 Sins for - giv - en, wrongs for - giv - ing, we go forth a -

vo - tion voic - ing; glo - ry be to God on high!  
one voice hear - ing, ears at - ten - tive to your word;  
lert and liv - ing in your Spi - rit, strong and free.

Christ, your cross and pas - sion shar - ing, by this Eu - cha -  
 by your Blood new life re - ceiv - ing, in your Bo - dy,  
 Part - ners in your new cre - a - tion, seek - ing peace in

rist de - clar - ing yours the fi - nal vic - to - ry.  
 firm be - liev - ing, we are yours, and you the Lord.  
 ev - ery na - tion, may we faith - ful fol - lowers be.

Words: Howard Charles Adie Gaunt (1902-1983), alt.

Music: *Alles ist an Gottes Segen*, melody att. Johann Balthasar König (1691-1758), alt. harm. Johann Löhner (1645-1705) after chorale ver. Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

## BLESSING

*The Dean prays for God's blessing on the people.*

*The Organ Scholar plays*

**VOLUNTARY**

Fugue on the Name of Alain, Op. 7

Maurice Duruflé (1902-1986)

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## MUSIC NOTE

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*The Preces were recorded on March 19, 2020. The first hymn and anthem were recorded virtually for this service. The psalm and closing hymn were recorded in the service on May 12, 2019. The Voluntary was recorded live in concert at Boe Chapel, St. Olaf College on April 4, 2016.*

A recording of this service is available at [www.SaintJamesCathedral.org](http://www.SaintJamesCathedral.org) and SoundCloud. The service was led by the cathedral clergy, with music provided by members of the cathedral choir and music staff. The broadcast was edited by Paul Bieschke and produced by Robert Black.

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