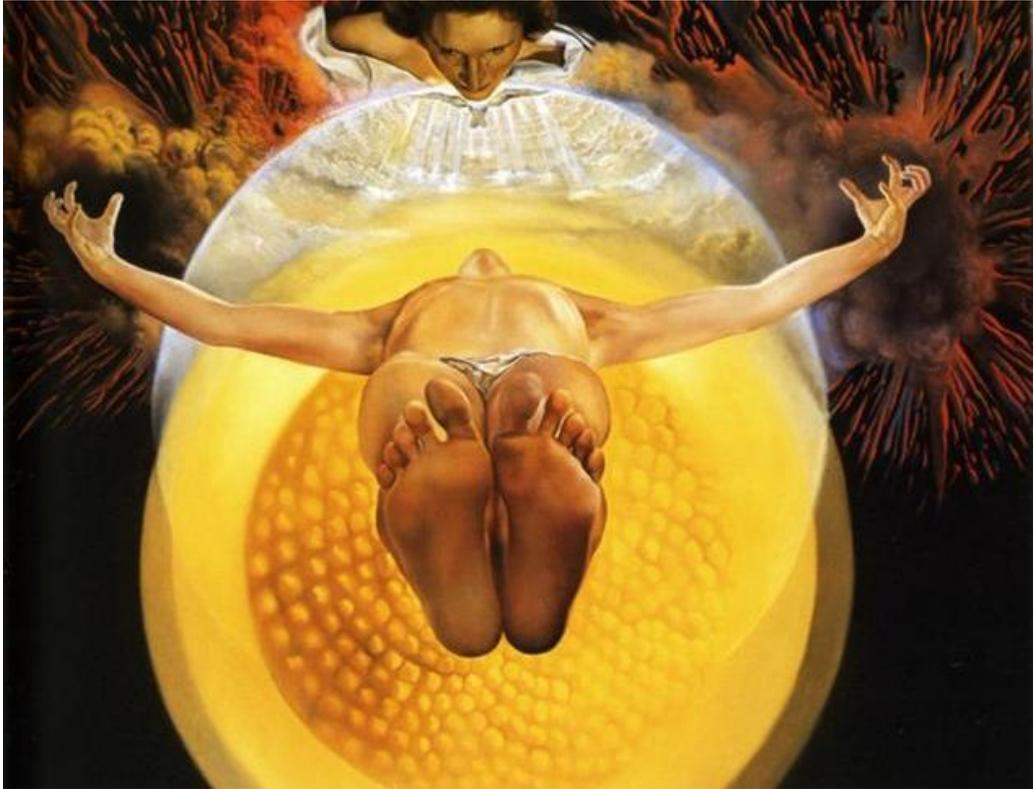


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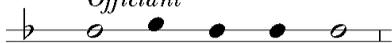
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*"Ascension" by Salvador Dali*

## Morning Prayer Seventh Sunday of Easter May 24, 2020

*Officiant*



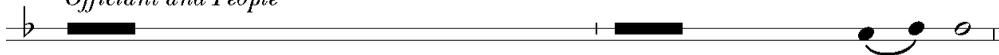
Lord, o - pen our lips.

*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.



1 Sing, ye faith - ful, sing with glad - ness, wake your no - blest,  
 2 Sing how he came forth from hea - ven, bowed him - self to  
 3 So, he tast - ed death for mor - tals, he, of hu - man -  
 4 Now on high, yet ev - er with us, from his Fa - ther's



sweet - est strain, with the prais - es of your Sa - vior  
 Beth - lehem's cave, stooped to wear the ser - vant's ves - ture,  
 kind the head, sin - less one, a - mong the sin - ful,  
 throne the Son rules and guides the world he ran - somed,



let his house res - ound a - gain; him let all your  
 bore the pain, the cross, the grave, passed with - in the  
 Prince of life, a - mong the dead; thus he wrought the  
 till the ap - point - ed work be done, till he see, re -



mu - sic hon - or, and your songs ex - alt his reign.  
 gates of dark - ness, thence his ban - ished ones to save.  
 full re - demp - tion, and the cap - tor cap - tive led.  
 newed and per - fect, all things gath - ered in - to one.

Words: John Ellerton (1826-1893), alt.

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## FIRST READING

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles (1:6-14)

When the apostles had come together, they asked Jesus, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?" He replied, "It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a

cloud took him out of their sight. While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. They said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a sabbath day's journey away. When they had entered the city, they went to the room upstairs where they were staying, Peter, and John, and James, and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of James. All these were constantly devoting themselves to prayer, together with certain women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, as well as his brothers.

*read by Anne Cothran*

*The choir sings*

## **PSALM 99**

W. H. Longhurst (1819-1904)

The Lord is King; let the people tremble;  
he is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth shake.

The Lord is great in Zion;  
he is high above all peoples.

Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome;  
he is the Holy One.

"O mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity;  
you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."

Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and fall down before his footstool;  
he is the Holy One.

Moses and Aaron among his priests,  
and Samuel among those who call upon his Name,  
they called upon the Lord, and he answered them.

He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud;  
they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.

"O Lord our God, you answered them indeed;  
you were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their evil deeds."

Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God  
and worship him upon his holy hill;  
for the Lord our God is the Holy One.

## SECOND READING

A Reading from the Gospel according to John (17:1-11)

Jesus looked up to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed.

"I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one."

*read by Anya Kleymenova*

## SERMON

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

*The choir sings*

## ANTHEM

*"Look There! The Christ!"*

William Albright (1944-1998)

Look there! The Christ, our Brother, comes resplendent from the gallows tree and what he brings in his hurt hands is life on life for you and me.

Joy! Joy! Joy to the heart and all in this good day's dawning! (2x)

Good Jesus Christ inside his pain looked down Golgotha's stony slope and let the blood flow from his flesh to fill the springs of living hope.

Joy! Joy! Joy to the heart...

Good Jesus Christ, our Brother, died in darkest hurt upon the tree to offer us the worlds of light that live inside the Trinity.

Joy! Joy!...

Look there! The Christ, our Brother, comes resplendent from the gallows tree and what he brings in his hurt hands is life on life for you and me.

Joy! Joy!...

## The Prayers

### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. **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



1. Christ tri-umph-ant, ev - er reign-ing, Sav - ior, Mas - ter, King!
2. Word in - car - nate, truth re-veal - ing, Son of Man on earth!
3. Suffer - ing ser - vant, scorned, ill-treat - ed, vic - tim cru - ci - fied!
4. Priest - ly king, en - throned for ev - er high in heaven a - bove!
5. So, our hearts and voic - es rais - ing through the a - ges long,



1. Lord of heaven, our lives sus - tain - ing, hear us as we sing:
2. power and ma - jes - ty con - ceal - ing by your hum - ble birth:
3. death is through the cross de - feat - ed, sin - ners jus - ti - fied:
4. sin and death and hell shall nev - er stif - le hymns of love:
5. cease - less - ly u - pon you gaz - ing, this shall be our song:



*Yours the glo - ry and the crown, the high re - no - wn, the e - ter - nal name.*

Words: Michael Seward (1932–2015)

Music: *Guiting Power*, John Barnard (b. 1948)

## BLESSING

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

*The Director of Music plays*

## VOLUNTARY

Finale from Symphony I

Louis Vierne (1870–1937)

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## MUSIC NOTE

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*The choir recorded the first hymn and anthem virtually for this service. Psalm 99 was recorded on February 23, 2020, and "Christ triumphant" was recorded on November 24, 2019. The voluntary was recorded live for broadcast on WFMT on June 8, 2019 at St. John Cantius Church in Chicago as part of a concert to raise funds for the rebuilding of Notre Dame.*

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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