

# FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 28, 2024

## Entrance Hymn

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus #949

## Responsorial Psalm #1074

Psalm 22: I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people.

## Communion Hymns

I Receive the Living God #916

I Will Be the Vine #872

Alleluia No. 1 #524

## Closing Hymn

Sing with All the Saints in Glory #539

## Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord. You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, In the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God,  
the Father Almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
He descended into hell;  
on the third day He rose again from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Holy Catholic Church,  
the communion of Saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting.  
Amen.

## Readings

#1074

First Reading:  
Acts 9:26-31

Second Reading:  
1 John 3:18-24

Gospel:  
John 15:1-8

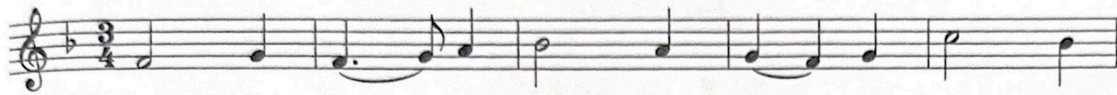


## St. Michael the Archangel

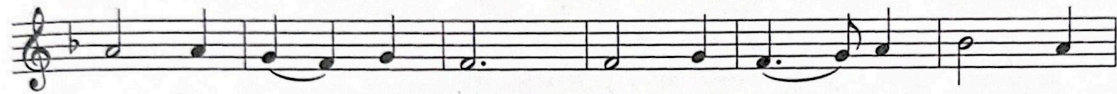
St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.  
Amen.

# Opening Hymn

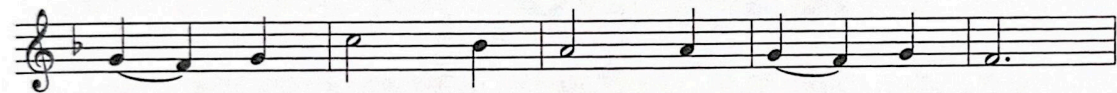
## Alleluia! Sing to Jesus! 949



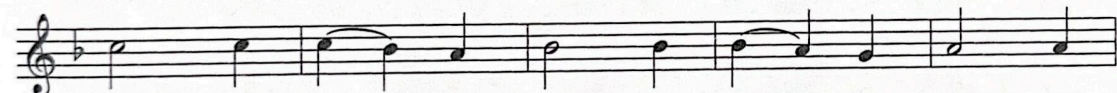
1. Al - le - lu - ia! Sing to Je - sus! His the  
2. Al - le - lu - ia! Not as or - phans Are we  
3. Al - le - lu - ia! Bread of an - gels, Here on the  
4. Al - le - lu - ia! King e - ter - nal, You the



scep - ter, his the throne. Al - le - lu - ia! His the  
left in sor - row now; Al - le - lu - ia! He is  
earth our food, our stay! Al - le - lu - ia! Here the  
Lord of lords we own; Al - le - lu - ia! Born of



tri - umph, His the vic - to - ry a - lone.  
near us; Faith be - lieves, nor ques - tions how.  
sin - ful Flee to you from day to day.  
Mar - y, Earth your foot - stool, heav'n your throne.



Hark! The songs of peace - ful Zi - on Thun - der  
Though the cloud from sight re - ceived him When the  
In - ter - ces - sor, friend of sin - ners, Earth's re -  
You with - in the veil have en - tered, Robed in



like a might - y flood: "Je - sus out of ev - 'ry  
for - ty days were o'er, Shall our hearts for - get his  
deem - er, plead for me, Where the songs of all the  
flesh, our great high priest; Here on earth both priest and



na - tion Has re - deemed us by his blood."  
prom - ise: "I am with you ev - er - more?"  
sin - less Sweep a - cross the crys - tal sea.  
vic - tim In the eu - cha - ris - tic feast.

# First Reading

Acts 9:26-31

When Saul arrived in Jerusalem he tried to join the disciples, but they were all afraid of him, not believing that he was a disciple. Then Barnabas took charge of him and brought him to the apostles, and he reported to them how he had seen the Lord, and that he had spoken to him, and how in Damascus he had spoken out boldly in the name of Jesus. He moved about freely with them in Jerusalem, and spoke out boldly in the name of the Lord. He also spoke and debated with the Hellenists, but they tried to kill him. And when the brothers learned of this, they took him down to Caesarea and sent him on his way to Tarsus.

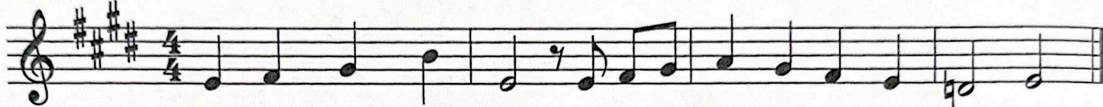
The church throughout all Judea, Galilee, and Samaria was at peace. It was being built up and walked in the fear of the Lord, and with the consolation of the Holy Spirit it grew in numbers.

# Responsorial Psalm

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Psalm 22:26b-27, 28 and 30, 31-32*

*Or: Alleluia.*



I will praise you, Lord, in the as-sembly of your peo-ple.

My vows I will pay before those who  
fear him.

The poor shall eat and shall have  
their fill.

They shall praise the LORD, those who  
seek him.

May their hearts live on forever and  
ever! *R.*

All the earth shall remember and return  
to the LORD,  
all families of the nations worship  
before him.

They shall worship him, all the mighty  
of the earth;

before him shall bow all who go  
down to the dust. *R.*

And my soul shall live for him, my  
descendants serve him.

They shall tell of the LORD to  
generations yet to come,  
declare his saving justice to peoples  
yet unborn:

“These are the things the LORD  
has done.” *R.*

# Second Reading

1 Jn 3:18-24

Children, let us love not in word or speech  
but in deed and truth.  
Now this is how we shall know that we belong to the truth  
and reassure our hearts before him  
in whatever our hearts condemn,  
for God is greater than our hearts and knows everything.  
Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us,  
we have confidence in God  
and receive from him whatever we ask,  
because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him.  
And his commandment is this:  
we should believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ,  
and love one another just as he commanded us.  
Those who keep his commandments remain in him, and he in them,  
and the way we know that he remains in us  
is from the Spirit he gave us.

# Gospel

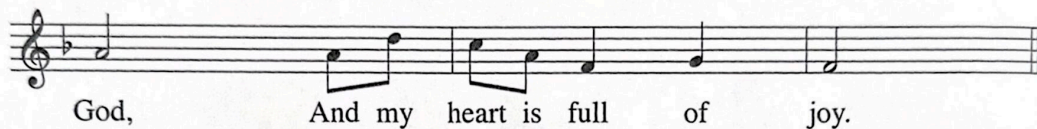
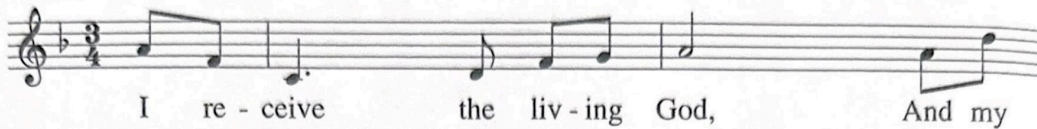
Jn 15:1-8

Jesus said to his disciples:  
"I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine grower.  
He takes away every branch in me that does not bear fruit,  
and every one that does he prunes so that it bears more fruit.  
You are already pruned because of the word that I spoke to you.  
Remain in me, as I remain in you.  
Just as a branch cannot bear fruit on its own  
unless it remains on the vine,  
so neither can you unless you remain in me.  
I am the vine, you are the branches.  
Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit,  
because without me you can do nothing.  
Anyone who does not remain in me  
will be thrown out like a branch and wither;  
people will gather them and throw them into a fire  
and they will be burned.  
If you remain in me and my words remain in you,  
ask for whatever you want and it will be done for you.  
By this is my Father glorified,  
that you bear much fruit and become my disciples."

# Communion Hymns

## 916 I Receive the Living God

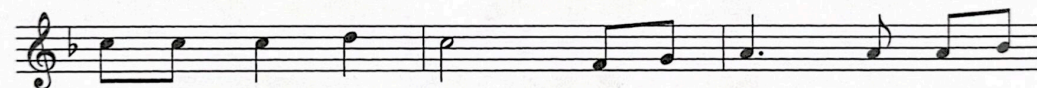
Refrain



Verses



- |             |       |   |    |     |        |            |      |
|-------------|-------|---|----|-----|--------|------------|------|
| 1. Je - sus | says: | I | am | the | Bread  | Sent       | to   |
| 2. Je - sus | says: | I | am | the | Vine,  | Far        | from |
| 3. Je - sus | says: | I | am | the | Way,   | And        | my   |
| 4. Je - sus | says: | I | am | the | Truth. | If         | you  |
| 5. Je - sus | says: | I | am | the | Life,  | Raised     | in   |
| 6. Je - sus | says: | I | am | the | Day,   | Shin - ing |      |



you from God Most High.	Take and eat,	and you will
whom no life can grow.	If you join	your - self to
path is straight and true.	Fol - low me	to where I
fol - low close to me,	You will know	me in your
tri - umph from the dead.	As one Bod - y	now re -
bright - ly through your night.	Wel - come me,	and you will

D.C.



live;	You need nev - er	fear	to	die.
me,	A rich har - vest	you	will	know.
lead;	There my Fa - ther	waits	for	you.
heart,	And my word will	make	you	free.
main,	Mem - bers joined to	me,	the	Head.
walk	By the Spir - it's	guid - ing		light.

7. Jesus says: I am the Love  
Which can bind you close to me.  
Those who know this gift I bring  
Will find true community.

# 872 I Will Be the Vine

## Refrain

I will be the vine and you will be the branch-es. All

you who live in me will nev - er, nev - er die.

I will be the sign, I will of - fer man - y chanc-es; so

live, oh live in me and you shall have new life.

## Verses 1, 2

1. Re - main in me, as I re-main in  
2. As the Fa - ther loved me, so have I loved

you. You may ask what you will, ask what you  
you. Re - main in my love, re - main in my

will, and you shall re - ceive.  
love, and I will give you life. D.C.

## Verse 3

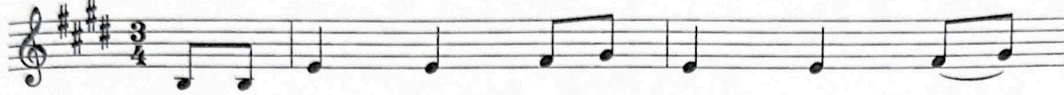
3. If you are my friends, you will live my com -

mands. There is no great-er love, no great-er

love than to lay down your life for your friends. D.C.

# Alleluia No. 1 524

## Refrain



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, give

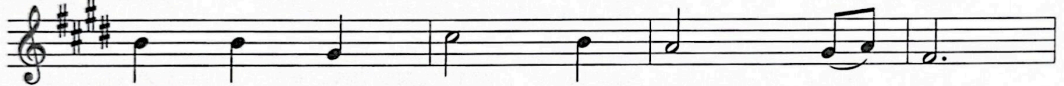


thanks to the ris - en Lord. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -

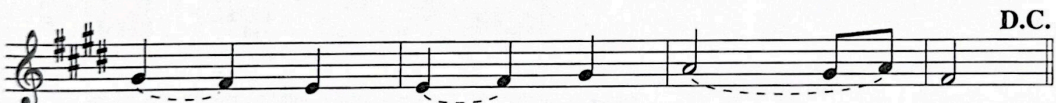


lu - ia, give praise to his Name.

## Verses



1. Je - sus is Lord of all the earth.  
2. Spread the good news o'er all the earth:  
3. We have been cru - ci - fied with Christ.  
4. God has pro - claimed his gra - cious gift:  
5. Come, let us praise the liv - ing God,



D.C.  
He is the King of cre - a - tion.  
Je - sus has died and has ris - en.  
Now we shall live for ev - er.  
Life e - ter - nal for all who be - lieve.  
Joy - ful - ly sing to our Sav - ior.

# Closing Hymn

## 539 Sing with All the Saints in Glory / Canten con Gloriosos Fieles



1. Sing with all the saints in glo - ry, Sing the res - ur -  
 2. O what glo - ry, far ex - ceed - ing All that eye has  
 3. Life e - ter - nal! heav'n re - joic - es: Je - sus lives who  
 1. *Can - ten con glo - rio - sos fie - les Him - nos de re -*  
 2. *¡Oh! qué glo - ria tan ex - cel - sa, Im - po - si - ble*  
 3. *Vi - da e - ter - na, ex - cla - ma el cie - lo; Vi - ve Cris - to*



rec - tion song! Death and sor - row, earth's dark sto - ry,  
 yet per - ceived! Ho - liest hearts, for a - ges plead - ing,  
 once was dead. Shout with joy, O death - less voic - es!  
 1. *su - rrec - ción. Muer - te y due - lo, tris - te his - to - ria,*  
 2. *con - ce - bir. Los más pu - ros co - ra - zo - nes*  
 3. *que mu - rió. ¡Gri - ten, vo - ces in - mor - ta - les!*



To the for - mer days be - long. All a - round the  
 Nev - er that full joy con - ceived. God has prom - ised,  
 Child of God, lift up your head! Pa - tri - archs from  
 1. *Pe - nas del pa - sa - do son. Nu - bes ne - gras*  
 2. *No es - pe - ra - ron re - ci - bir. Dios pro - me - te,*  
 3. *Al - cen ros - tros ha - cia Dios. Los pa - triar - cas*



clouds are break - ing, Soon the storms of time shall cease; In God's  
 Christ pre - pares it, There on high our wel - come waits. Ev - 'ry  
 dis - tant a - ges, Saints all long - ing for their heav'n, Proph - ets,  
 1. *se di - si - pan, La tor - men - ta ce - sa ya. Des - per -*  
 2. *Cris - to o - fre - ce El ban - que - te ce - les - tial. Pa - ra*  
 3. *del pa - sa - do, Los que es - pe - ran ce - le - brar, To - dos*



like - ness we a - wak - en, Know - ing ev - er - last - ing peace.  
 hum - ble spir - it shares it; Christ has passed the e - ter - nal gates.  
 psalm - ists, seers, and sag - es, All a - wait the glo - ry giv'n.  
 1. *tan - do en suj - ma - gen, Dios la e - ter - na paz nos da,*  
 2. *to - dos los hu - mil - des, Vi - da en Cris - to es e - ter - nal.*  
 3. *sa - bios y pro - fe - tas Glo - ria an - he - lan sin ce - sar.*