
Third Sunday of Easter

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Collect

O God, your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread. Open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in his redeeming work, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

A Reading from the Book of Acts

Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd, "Let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified." Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, "Brothers, what should we do?" Peter said to them, "Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him." And he testified with many other arguments and exhorted them, saying, "Save yourselves from this corrupt generation." So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added.

Acts 2:14a, 36-41

Psalm

Refrain I will lift up the cup of salvation. I love the Lord, because he has heard the voice of my supplication, because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him. The cords of death entangled me; the grip of the grave took hold of me; I came to grief and sorrow. Then I called upon the name of the Lord: "O Lord, I pray you, save my life." R How shall I repay the Lord for all the good things he has done for me? I will lift up the cup of salvation and call upon the name of the Lord. R I will fulfil my vows to the Lord in the presence of

all his people. Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his servants. R O Lord, I am your servant; I am your servant and the child of your handmaid; you have freed me from my bonds. I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving and call upon the name of the Lord. R I will fulfil my vows to the Lord in the presence of all his people. In the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem. Hallelujah! R

Psalm 116:1-3, 10-17

A Reading from the First Letter of Peter

If you invoke as Father the one who judges all people impartially according to their deeds, live in reverent fear during the time of your exile. You know that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your ancestors, not with perishable things like silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without defect or blemish. He was destined before the foundation of the world, but was revealed at the end of the ages for your sake. Through him you have come to trust in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are set on God. Now that you have purified your souls by your obedience to the truth so that you have genuine mutual love, love one another deeply from the heart. You have been born anew, not of perishable but of imperishable seed, through the living and enduring word of God.

1 Peter 1:17-23

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

Now on that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, but their eyes were kept from

recognizing him. And he said to them, "What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?" They stood still, looking sad. Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, "Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?" He asked them, "What things?" They replied, "The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things took place. Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see him." Then he said to them, "Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?" Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures. As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. But they urged him strongly, saying,

"Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over." So he went in to stay with them. When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him; and he vanished from their sight. They said to each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?" That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. They were saying, "The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!" Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

Luke 24:13-35

Prayer over the Gifts

Creator of all, you wash away our sins in water, 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.

Prayer after Communion

Author of life divine, in the breaking of bread we know the risen Lord. Feed us always in these mysteries, that we may show your glory to all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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復活後第三主日

特禱

神よ、祝福されたみ子は、パンを裂くみ姿のうちに、ご自身を弟子たちにしめされました。み恵みによって、わたしたちの信仰の目が開かれ、醜いすべてのみ業のうちに主を見出すことができますように、父と聖霊とともに一体であって世々に生き支配しておられる主イエス、キリストによってお願いいたします。

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第一日課 使徒言行録 2: 14a, 36-41

ペトロは十一人と共に立って、声を張り上げ、話し始めた。だから、イスラエルの全家は、はっきり知らなくてはなりません。あなたがたが十字架につけて殺したイエスを、神は主とし、またメシアとなされたのです。」人々はこれを聞いて大いに心を打たれ、ペトロとほかの使徒たちに、「兄弟たち、わたしたちはどうしたらよいのですか」と言った。すると、ペトロは彼らに言った。「悔い改めなさい。めいめい、イエス・キリストの名によって洗礼を受け、罪を赦していただきなさい。そうすれば、賜物として聖霊を受けます。この約束は、あなたがたにも、あなたがたの子供にも、遠くにいるすべての人にも、つまり、わたしたちの神である主が招いてくださる者ならだれにでも、与えられているものなのです。」ペトロは、このほかにもいろいろ話をして、力強く証しをし、「邪悪なこの時代から救われなさい」と勧めていた。ペトロの言葉を受け入れた人々は洗礼を受け、その日に三千人ほどが仲間に加わった。

第二日課 ペトロへの手紙 1: 17-23

また、あなたがたは、人それぞれの行いに応じて公平に裁かれる方を、「父」と呼びかけているのですから、この地上に仮住まいする間、その方を畏れて生活すべきです。知ってのとおり、あなたがたが先祖伝来のむなし生活から贖われたのは、金や銀のような朽ち果てるものにはならず、きずや汚れのない小羊のようなキリストの尊い血によるのです。

キリストは、天地創造の前からあらかじめ知られていましたが、この終わりの時代に、あなたがたのために現れてくださいました。あなたがたは、キリストを死着の中から復活させて栄光をお与えになった神を、キリストによって信じています。従って、あなたがたの信仰と希望とは神にかかっているのです。あなたがたは、真理を受け入れて、魂を清め、偽りのない兄弟愛を抱くようになったのですから、清い心で深く愛し合いなさい。あなたがたは、朽ちる種からではなく、朽ちない種から、すなわち、神の変わる事のない生きた言葉によって新たに生まれたのです

福音書 ルカによる福音書 24: 13-35

ちょうどこの日、二人の弟子が、エルサレムから六十スタディオン離れたエマオという村へ向かって歩きながら、この一切の出来事について話し合っていた。話し合い論じ合っていると、イエス御自身が近づいて来て、一緒に歩き始められた。しかし、二人の目は遮られていて、イエスだとは分からなかった。イエスは、「歩きながら、やり取りしているその話は、何のことですか」と言われた。二人は暗い顔をして立ち止まった。その一人のクレオパという人が答えた。「エルサレムに滞在していながら、この数日そこで起こったことを、あなただけにご存じなかったのですか。」イエスが、「どんなことですか」と言われると、二人は言った。「ナザレのイエスのことです。この方は、神と民全体の前で、行いにも言葉にも力のある預言者でした。それなのに、わたしたちの祭司長たちや議員たちは、死刑にするため引き渡して、十字架につけてしまったのです。わたしたちは、あの方こそイスラエルを解放してくださると望みをかけていました。しかも、そのことがあってから、もう今日で三日目になります。ところが、仲間の婦人たちがわたしたちを驚かせました。婦人たちは朝早く墓へ行きましたが、遺体を見つげずに戻って来ました。そして、天使たちが現れ、『イエスは生きておられる』と告げたと云うのです。仲間の者が何人か墓へ行って見たのですが、婦人たちが言ったとおりで、あの方は見当たりませんでした。」そこで、イエスは言われた。「ああ、物分

かりが驚く、心が鈍く預言者たちの言ったことすべてを信じられない者たち、メシアはこういう苦しみを受けて、榮光に入るはずだったのではないか。」そして、モーセとすべての預言者から始めて、聖書全体にわたり、御自分について書かれていることを説明された。一行は自指す村に近づいたが、イエスはなおも先へ行こうとされる様子だった。二人が、「一緒にお泊まりください。そろそろ夕方になりますし、もう日も傾いていますから」と言って、無理に引き止めたので、イエスは共に泊まるため家に入られた。一緒に食卓の席に着いたとき、イエスはパンを取り、賛美の祈りを唱え、パンを裂いてお渡しになった。すると、二人の目が開け、イエスだと分かったが、その姿は見えなくなった。二人は、「道で話しておられるとき、また聖書を説明してくださったとき、わたしたちの心は燃えていたではないか」と語り合った。そして、時を移さず出発して、エルサレムに戻ってみると、十一人とその仲間が集まって、本当に主は復活して、シモンに現れたと言っていた。二人も、道で起こったことや、パンを裂いてくださったときにイエスだと分かった次第を話した。

奉獻感謝の祈り

すべての創造者である主よ、あなたは私達の罪を洗い流し、聖霊による復活とキリストの血による救いをお与えくださいました。私達が復活の喜びに預り、内にある命の賜物を常に覚える事が出来ますように。生きておられる主イエスキリストの御名によって
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