

Alleluia!



Christ is risen!

5th Sunday in Easter Season

May 10, 2020

interactive worship ~ Deaf

10amEDT, 9amCDT, 7amPDT

**Deaf Episcopal
churches and ministries together
during coronatide**

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Easter Acclamation

(We use it the whole 50 days of Easter Season!)

Priest Alleluia! Christ risen – PAH!

People **The Lord risen – PAH! Alleluia!**

~The Rev. Laurence Wainwright-Maks
Diocese of Rochester



Hymn of Praise:

**In Christ
there is
no East or West**

~signed by Ginny Lindsey

Collect (prayer) for this week



Priest The Lord be with you.

People **Also with you.**

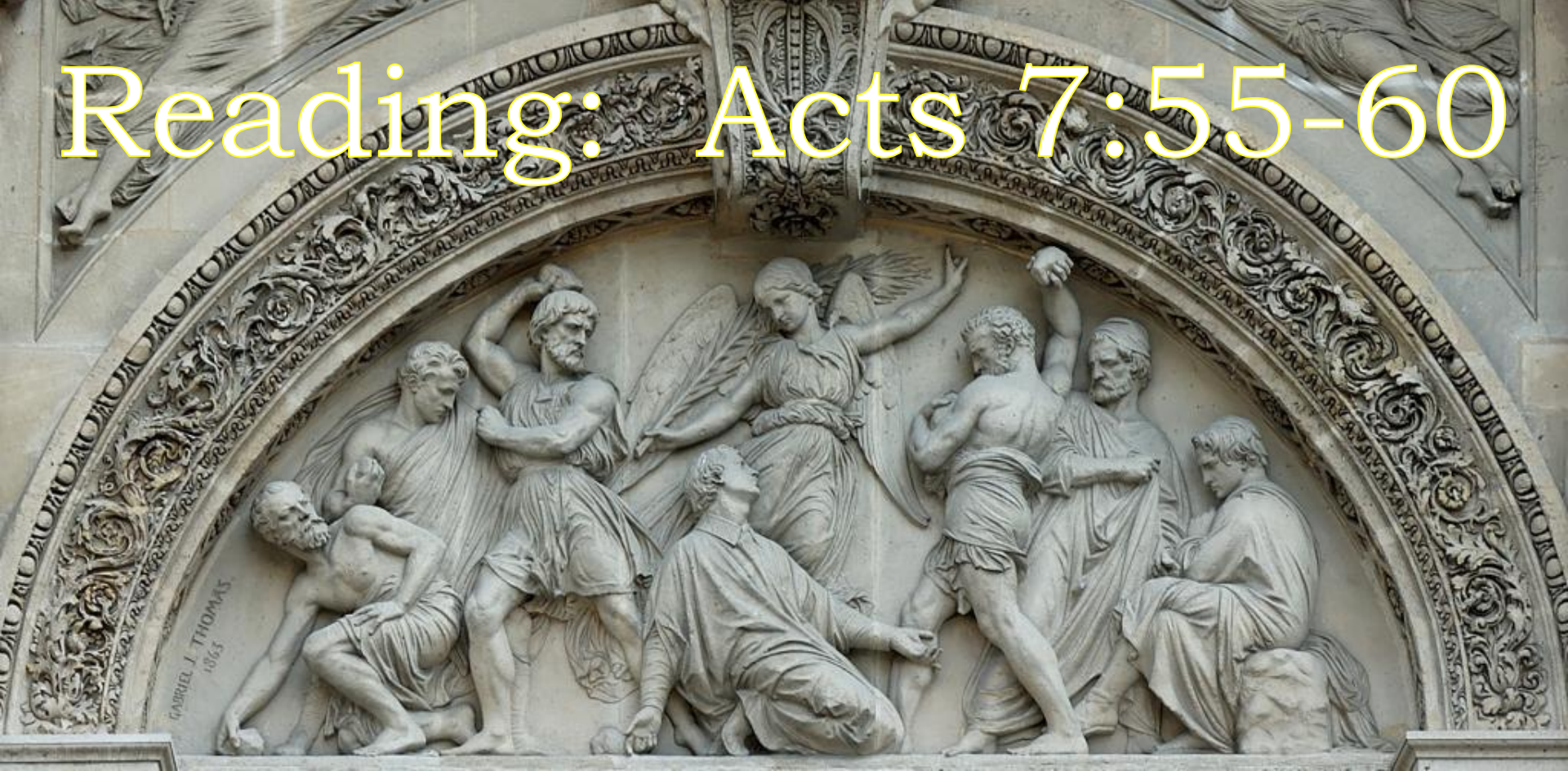
Priest Let us pray.

Almighty God, knowing YOU truly is everlasting life: Grant us perfectly to know YOUR Son Jesus Christ as **the way, the truth, and the life**, so that we may steadfastly follow His steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ YOUR Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with YOU, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Collect, Fifth Sunday of Easter, Book of Common Prayer, p.225.

~The Rev. Laurence Wainwright-Maks, Dio ROC

Reading: Acts 7:55-60



Stephen, the first deacon, becomes a martyr. He bravely declares his faith, and commends his spirit to God as he is killed.

Saul (who later becomes St. Paul)
holds the coats of the people who throw the stones to kill him.

~ full text signed by Ricardo Lopez

Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16

people copy ANTIPHON: **My spirit I offer ↗ ↗ YOU accept.**

¹ Lord, I trust YOU. I run to YOU for protection.
Please never let me feel shame.

Rescue me because YOU're truly righteous.

² Happen I pray, look: Me save quick.

³ Become strong for me, like rock fort.

YOU're like a rock mountain-cliff, like a castle.

Like I'm inside the tower safe, looking out & around calm.

Lead me, happen other people notice & honor YOU.

⁴ My enemies — they want me trap. But YOU give ↘ ↘_{me} strength free.

⁵ My spirit I offer ↗ ↗ YOU accept. — why? I trust YOU.

Already YOU, Lord redeem me. YOURSELF God full Truth & honesty.

¹⁵ My life, my days, YOU hold & care.

Please protect me from my enemies — persecuting me.

¹⁶ I serve YOU, belong to YOU.

Look at me & let YOUR face shine, smile at me.

Save me — why? YOU're full of loving-kindness.

people copy ANTIPHON: **My spirit I offer ↗ ↗ YOU accept**

~signed by Walter Rohlin



Gospel: John 14:1-14

Including these famous sayings of Jesus:

“Do not let your hearts be troubled.
Believe in God, believe also in me.
In my Father’s house there are many
dwelling places. ...

“I am the way, and the truth, and the life. ...
If you know me,
you will know my Father also...”

~full text signed by The Rev. Dr. Deacon Gene Bourquin



Reflection & Discussion: The Ministry of Deacons

Deaf Ministry Deacons

The Rev. Dr. Deacon Gene Bourquin, Diocese of New York &
The Rev. Deacon Suzanne Johnston, Diocese of Rochester

discuss:

1. What are the special roles & responsibilities of deacons?
How is this ministry different from the ministry of Lay People & Priests?
2. Why did you feel a call to diaconal ministry and what was your journey like?

The Rev. Laurence Wainwright-Maks, Dio Rochester (priest)

The Apostles' Creed

signed together

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again.

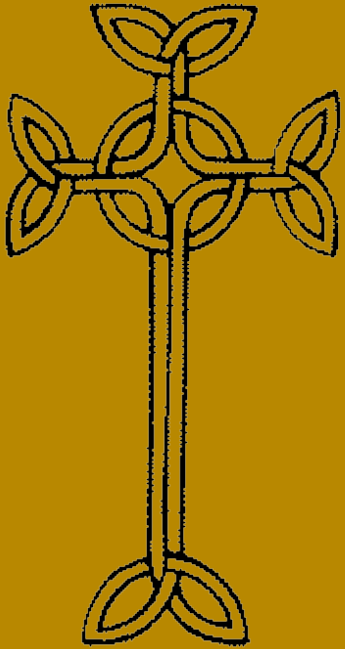
He ascended into heaven,

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

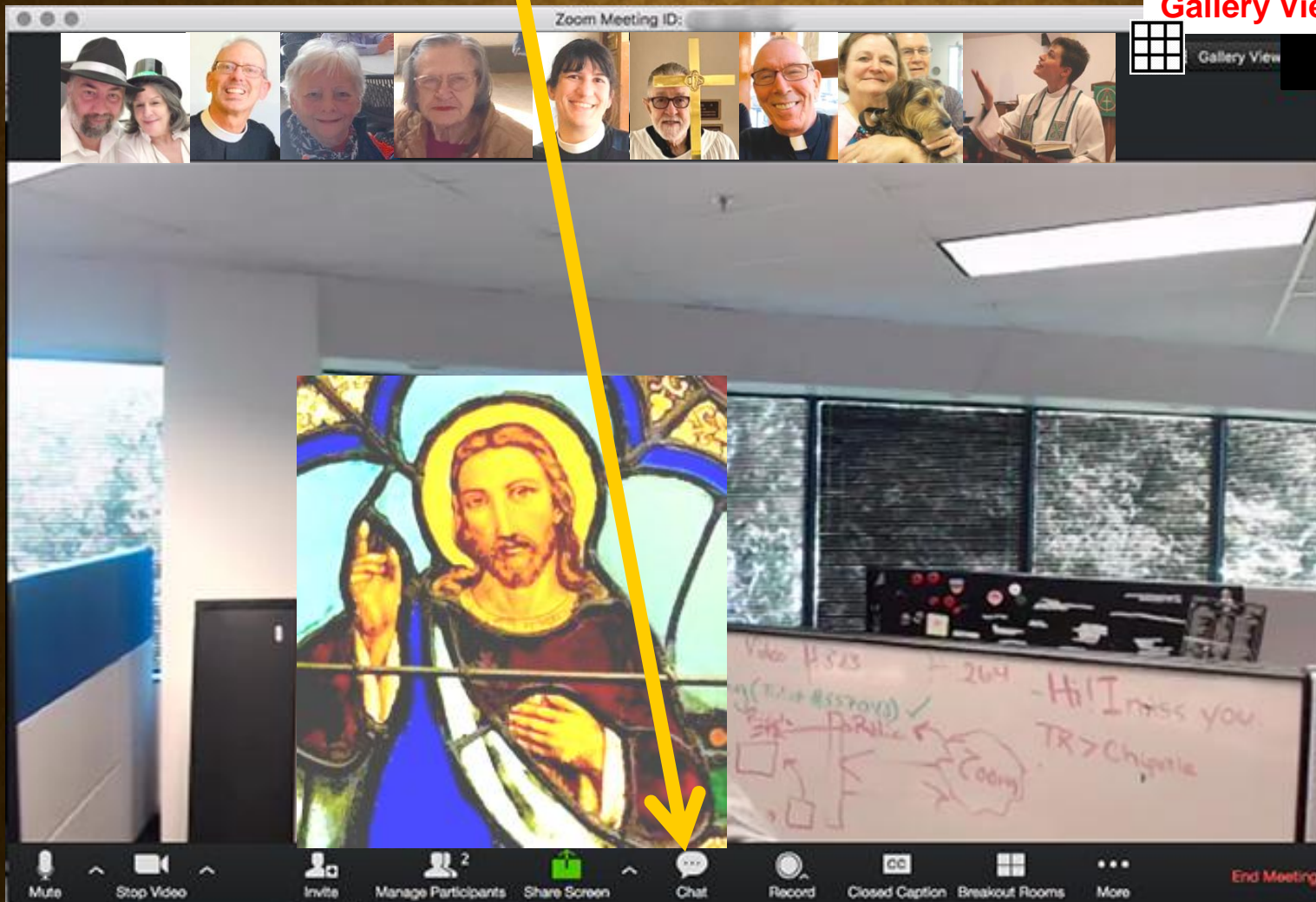
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

~signing led by
Ron Selinger



Prepare for Prayers of the People

Please open **“Chat”** to share prayers.



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Type prayers here.

click ↑ chat

Prayers of the People

- ❖ We pray for people sad, sick, scared, broke or any kind of trouble. *(pause & remember who)*
- ❖ For our local communities, nation and world; for our leaders, all people working harder now, and people who can't work. *(pause & remember)*
- ❖ For God's Church all over the world and all our blessings, we thank YOU, Lord. *(pause & remember)*
- ❖ For people recently died & all people grieving. *(pause & remember who)*



The intercessor signs prayer requests from Chat, then leads the closing:

*Together: Prayers we typed, prayers we thought,
prayers touch-heart, all lifted ↗ (to YOU,) Lord.*

~intercessor the Rev. Deacon Suzanne Johnston

The Lord's Prayer

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.



Icon: The Sinai Christ (ca. 600 AD)
St. Catherine's Monastery in Egypt

~signing led by The Rev. Richard Mahaffy

A Collect (prayer) for Sundays

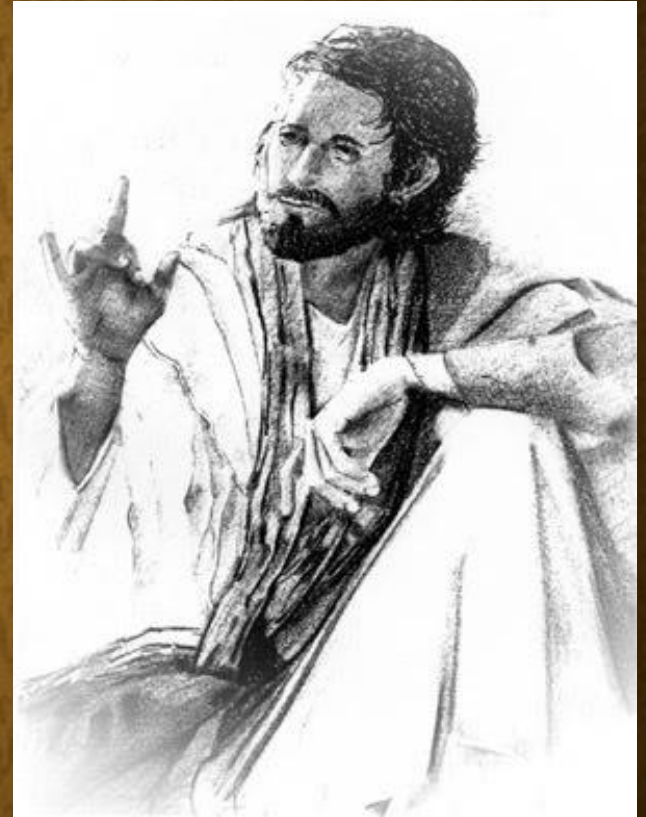
O God, YOU make us glad
with the weekly remembrance
of the glorious resurrection
of YOUR Son our Lord:

Give us this day such blessing
through our worship of YOU,
that the week to come
may be spent pleasing YOU;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*



~signing led by The Rev. Laurence Wainwright-Maks

Blessing of Peace



chosen & signed by the Rev. Laurence Wainwright-Maks



Dismissal

(best signed by a deacon)

Deacon Alleluia! Go in peace
to love & serve the Lord.

People **Thanks, God! Alleluia!**

~ the Rev. Deacon Suzanne Johnston

*The people share the Lord's peace
and may stay for coffee hour chat.*

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Today's Worship Leaders

Officiant & Preacher:	The Rev. Laurence Wainwright-Maks, ROC
Hymn signer:	Mrs. Ginny Lindsey, St. Barnabas
Lectors:	Mr. Ricardo Lopez, St. Barnabas Mr. Walter Rohlin, Rochester The Rev. Dr. Deacon Gene Bourquin, NYC
Creed Leader:	Mr. Ron Selinger, St. Thomas
Prayer Leader:	The Rev. Deacon Suzanne Johnston, ROC
Lord's Prayer Leader:	The Rev. Dick Mahaffy, Diocese SW Florida
Dismissal:	The Rev. Deacon Suzanne Johnston, ROC
Zoom Usher:	The Rev. Libby Bagioni, St. Barnabas
Tech Verger:	Mr. Scott Mady, St. Thomas
Coffee Hour Host:	The Rev. Laurence Wainwright-Maks, ROC