

Today, April 23 2023 The Third Sunday of Easter

9:00 AM Rite II

Celebrant: Rev. Roger White

Organist: Jon Lafleur

Singers: Donna Castaner

Worship Assistance:

Usher: William Trowbridge

Lector and Intercessor: Cathy Casey

Minister of Communion: Liza Smith

Altar: Liza Smith

Hospitality: Jon Lafleur

Parish Prayer List

Bill, Donny, Nancy Briggs, Alex Fagan, John Fagan, Doris Higgins,
Rindy Higgins, Eric Griesemer, Françoise Kelz,
Eileen Mulligan, Wendy Grace Rossi, Joyce Weegar

ECCT 2023 Prayer Cycle: St. Mark's, New Canaan; Christ Church, New Haven, St. James', New Haven; St. Paul & St. James, New Haven. Parishes in transition, transition teams and interim clergy.

Welcome today, Rev. Roger White, formerly with St. Andrew's, in Kent for 34 years!



The Altar Flowers which adorn the Sanctuary,
are given to the glory of God and
in loving memory of Lauren Welsh by The Altar Guild.



**To all who may be visiting with us this morning, we are honored by your presence,
and we invite you to join us in sharing and receiving Communion.
The offering of the cup is for dipping of the wafer only.**

9:00 AM

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Rite Two

The Greeting and Opening

Organ Prelude: *Basse de trompette* *Corrette*
Trust in Jesus *Haan*
Opening Hymn: *Awake, Arise, Lift Up Your Voice* Hymnal 212
Opening Greeting Book of Common Prayer 355
Gloria (said) BCP 356
Collect for the Day Insert

The Lessons and Sermon

First Reading: Acts 2:14a,36-41 Insert
Psalm Psalm 116:1-3, 10-17 Insert
Epistle: 1 Peter 1:17-23 Insert
Gospel Hymn: *The Day of Resurrection* Hymnal 210
Gospel: Luke 24:13-35 Insert
Sermon *Rev. Roger White*
Music Meditation: *Siciliano* *John Stanley*
The Nicene Creed BCP 358
Prayers of the People Form III BCP 387
Sharing of God's Peace: The peace of the Lord be always with you.
And also, with you.

The Holy Communion

Offertory Hymn: *This Is the Feast of Victory* Hymnal 417
Offering of Gifts-*Doxology (verse 3)* Hymnal 380
The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharist Prayer A BCP 361
Sanctus: *Holy, holy, holy, Lord, God of power and might* Hymnal S-130
The Lord's Prayer BCP 364
The Breaking of the Bread BCP 364
The Sharing of Communion BCP 365
Communion Hymn: *I Know That My Redeemer Liveth* *Handel*
Post Communion Prayer BCP 365
Blessing
Recessional Hymn: *We Know That Christ Is Raised and Dies No More* Hymnal 296
Dismissal Response: Alleluia, Alleluia. Go in peace to love and serve the Lord
Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia
Organ Postlude: *Jig Fugue* *Buxtehude*

SUNDAY NIGHTS- AA MEETINGS MENS GROUP- 7:30-8:30 PM
TUESDAY & THURSDAY-AA SHARON HAPPY HOUR-5:30-6:30 PM

CRAZY CRAFTERS CONTINUES ON 1ST AND 3RD TUESDAYS at 3:00-4:30 PM. The next one is May 2nd.

YOGA-In Parish Hall-Saturday at 10:00 AM, Monday at 4:30 PM. Instructor: Nancy Causey njcausey48@gmail.com for info to join.

HOSPITALITY- Working on volunteers for May. Please take a Sunday on our calendar.

PARISH PRAYER LIST

If there is someone you would like us to pray for that is ill or troubled in some way, please let us know if they would like to be included on our list.



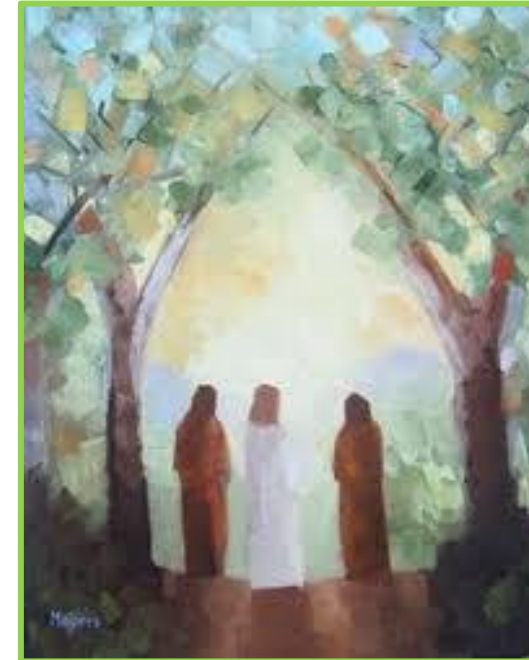
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The Holy Eucharist

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Mission Statement

We are called to be one with God and each other by living the Gospel with love and compassion.