#### The Fifth Sunday of Easter – May 15, 2022

Solemn High Mass | *Eleven in the Morning* 5749 North Kenmore Avenue www.atonementchicago.org | 773.271.2727 Email: office@atonementchicago.org

#### WELCOME!

Welcome to the Church of the Atonement. We are so glad that you have come to worship with us today. We invite you to participate fully in today's service, and we offer this leaflet to help you do so. If the Episcopal liturgy is new to you, we hope that you will follow along with the suggested congregational actions (sitting, kneeling, standing), ask for help if you need it, and participate to the extent you feel comfortable. Very soon you will find that the rhythm of this worship will become your own. If you are a visitor to Atonement, we invite you to sign our guest book at the back of the church and to please introduce yourself to one of the priests following the service. You are most welcome to visit us on any day and every day. If you are looking for a parish home, we hope that you will find one here.

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#### Our Celebrant today is Father Gary Lawler

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Voluntary	Pastorale	Gabriel Rheinberger			
Opening Hymn		Old rooth			

Opening Hymn 377

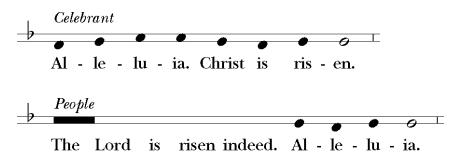
Old 100th

At the conclusion of the hymn, the People are sprinkled with Holy Water as a reminder of their Baptism. The People make the sign of the cross.

#### **Vidi Aquam** (*Cantor*)

I saw water flowing forth from the temple. I saw water from the right side, and all those to whom this water flows, all people thereby are made whole. O give praise to the Lord our God, who is gracious. Alleluia.

# The Opening Acclamation



*Celebrant* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

Kyrie (Choir)

Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison.

Lord have mercy upon us. Christ have mercy upon us. Lord have mercy upon us.

Gloria (Choir)

Censing of the Altar.

Glory be to God on high, and in earth peace, good will toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee for Thy great glory, O Lord God, Heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesu Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For Thou only art Holy; Thou only art the Lord; Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most High in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

# The Collect

- CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLet us pray: Almighty God, whom truly
- *Celebrant* Let us pray: Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, 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.**

# The Liturgy of the Word

#### **The First Reading** (please sit)

#### Acts 11:1-18

Now the apostles and the believers who were in Judea heard that the Gentiles had also accepted the word of God. So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcised believers criticized him, saying, "Why did you go to uncircumcised men and eat with them?" Then Peter began to explain it to them, step by step, saying, "I was in the city of Joppa praying, and in a trance I saw a vision. There was something like a large sheet coming down from heaven, being lowered by its four corners; and it came close to me. As I looked at it closely I saw four-footed animals, beasts of prey, reptiles, and birds of the air. I also heard a voice saying to me, 'Get up, Peter; kill and eat.' But I replied, 'By no means, Lord; for nothing profane or unclean has ever entered my mouth.' But a second time the voice answered from heaven, 'What God has made clean, you must not call profane.' This happened three times; then everything was pulled up again to heaven. At that very moment three men, sent to me from Caesarea, arrived at the house where we were. The Spirit told me to go with them and not to make a distinction between them and us. These six brothers also accompanied me, and we entered the man's house. He told us how he had seen the angel standing in his house and saying, 'Send to Joppa and bring Simon, who is called Peter; he will give you a message by which you and your entire household will be saved.' And as I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell upon them just as it had upon us at the beginning. And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said, 'John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.' If then God gave them the same gift that he gave us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I that I could hinder God?" When they heard this, they were silenced. And they praised God, saying, "Then God has given even to the Gentiles the repentance that leads to life."

Reader	The Word of the Lord.
People	Thanks be to God.

The Psalm (Choir)

1	Hallelujah!
	Praise the LORD from the heavens; *
	praise him in the heights.
2	Praise him, all you angels of his; *
	praise him, all his host.
3	Praise him, sun and moon; *
	praise him, all you shining stars.
4	Praise him, heaven of heavens, *
	and you waters above the heavens.
5	Let them praise the Name of the Lord; *
	for he commanded, and they were created.
6	He made them stand fast for ever and ever; *
	he gave them a law which shall not pass away.
7	Praise the LORD from the earth, *
-	you sea-monsters and all deeps;

Psalm 148

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0	Eine and hail an ann and fan *
8	Fire and hail, snow and fog, *
	tempestuous wind, doing his will;
9	Mountains and all hills, *
	fruit trees and all cedars;
10	Wild beasts and all cattle, *
	creeping things and winged birds;
11	Kings of the earth and all peoples, *
	princes and all rulers of the world;
12	Young men and maidens, *
	old and young together.
13	Let them praise the Name of the Lord, *
	for his Name only is exalted,
	his splendor is over earth and heaven.
14	He has raised up strength for his people
	and praise for all his loyal servants, *
	the children of Israel, a people who are near him.
	Hallelujah!

# The Second Reading

I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them as their God; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away." And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life."

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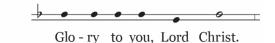
# **The Holy Gospel** (please stand)

Cantor	Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
People	Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
Cantor	Christ being raised from the dead dieth no more; death hath no more
	dominion over him.
People	Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
Deacon	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

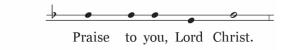
Revelation 21:1-6

John 13:31-35



At the last supper, when Judas had gone out, Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, 'Where I am going, you cannot come.' I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

*Deacon* The Gospel of the Lord.



### The Sermon

People

People

Brother Ronald A. Fox, BSG

Nicene Creed (please stand)

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation **he came down from heaven:** (bow) by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### The Prayers of the People

*People* **Hear our prayer.** 

# The Peace

Celebrant	The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People	And also with you.

# The Holy Communion

**Offertory Proper** *(Cantor)* Tone II O be joyful in God all ye lands; sing praises unto the honor of his Name; O come hither and hearken all ye that fear God, and I will tell you what things he hath done for my soul, alleluia.

Offertory AnthemI give you a new commandmentJohn SheppardI give you a new commandment: that ye love one another e'en as I have loved you. By thisall men shall know that ye are my disciples.

# Offertory Hymn 657

Celebrant • • • • . . 0 with you. The Lord be And al - so with you. Celebrant People Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord. Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. People . . . . . . It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Great Thanksgiving (please stand)

Hyfrydol

*Celebrant* It is truly right to glorify you, Father, and to give you thanks; for you alone are God, living and true, dwelling in light inaccessible from before time and for ever. Fountain of life and source of all goodness, you made all things and fill them with your blessing; you created them to rejoice in the splendor of your radiance. Countless throngs of angels stand before you to serve you night and day; and, beholding the glory of your presence, they offer you unceasing praise. Joining with them, and giving voice to every creature under heaven, we acclaim you, and glorify your Name, as we sing,

### Sanctus & Benedictus (Choir)

Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts, heaven and earth are full of Thy glory: Glory be to Thee, O Lord most high. Amen. Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

*Celebrant* We acclaim you, holy Lord, glorious in power. Your mighty works reveal your wisdom and love. You formed us in your own image, giving the whole world into our care, so that, in obedience to you, our Creator, we might rule and serve all your creatures. When our disobedience took us far from you, you did not abandon us to the power of death. In your mercy you came to our help, so that in seeking you we might find you. Again and again you called us into covenant with you, and through the prophets you taught us to hope for salvation.

Father, you loved the world so much that in the fullness of time you sent your only Son to be our Savior. Incarnate by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, he lived as one of us, yet without sin. To the poor he proclaimed the good news of salvation; to prisoners, freedom; to the sorrowful, joy. To fulfill your purpose he gave himself up to death; and, rising from the grave, destroyed death, and made the whole creation new.

And, that we might live no longer for ourselves, but for him who died and rose for us, he sent the Holy Spirit, his own first gift for those who believe, to complete his work in the world, and to bring to fulfillment the sanctification of all.

When the hour had come for him to be glorified by you, his heavenly Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end; at supper with them he took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Father, we now celebrate this memorial of our redemption. Recalling Christ's death and his descent among the dead, proclaiming his resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting his coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

People We praise you, we bless you, we give thanks to you, and we pray to you, Lord our God.

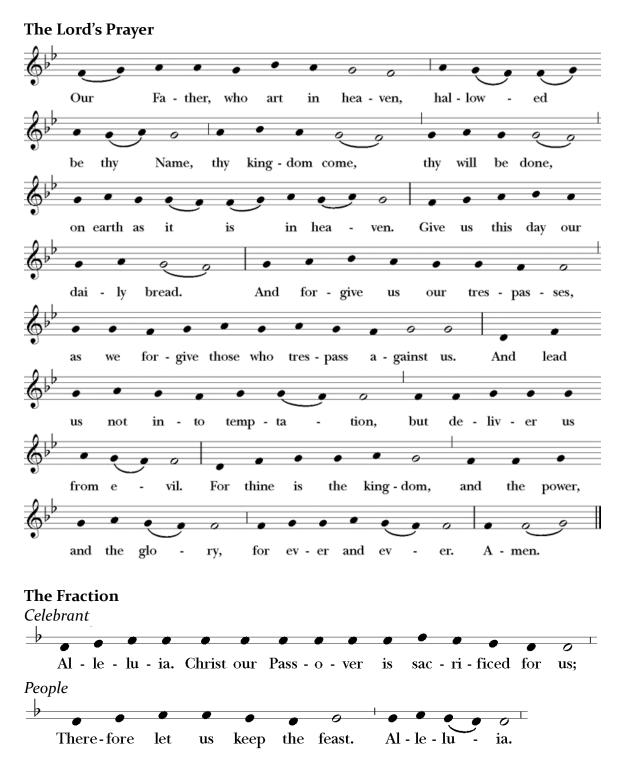
*Celebrant* Lord, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us, and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation, the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ.

Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit, a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Name.

Remember, Lord, your one holy catholic and apostolic Church, redeemed by the blood of your Christ. Reveal its unity, guard its faith, and preserve it in peace.

And grant that we may find our inheritance with the Blessed Virgin Mary, with patriarchs, prophets, apostles, martyrs, Gregory the Great, and all the saints who have found favor with you in ages past. We praise you in union with them and give you glory through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and for ever.

*Celebrant* And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say;



# Agnus Dei (Choir)

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

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# The Invitation

Celebrant Behold the Lamb of God; behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb. Lord, I am not worthy that you should come under my roof, People

but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed. Everyone is welcome to come forward at this time. All baptized Christians are invited to

receive Communion, which will be offered in one kind only. If you are not baptized, or if you prefer, you may receive a blessing from the Priest. To receive a blessing, simply cross your arms over your chest. If you would like to be baptized, please speak with a Priest after the Mass. Gluten-free hosts are always available.

**Communion Proper** (Cantor) I am the true vine, ye are the branches; He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit, alleluia, alleluia.

**Communion Anthem** *If ye love me* Thomas Tallis If ye love me, keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another comforter, that he may 'bide with you forever; E'en the spirit of truth.

# **Communion Hymn 314**

# **Post Communion Prayer** (please kneel)

Celebrant Let us pray.

People Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

# The Blessing

# **The Dismissal** (please stand)

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia. Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia. People

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# Regina Coeli (sung to the tune Easter Hymn)



CelebrantRejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.PeopleFor the Lord is risen indeed, alleluia.

*Celebrant* Let us pray: O God, who, by the Resurrection of thy Son, Jesus Christ, didst vouchsafe to give gladness unto the world: grant, we beseech thee, that we, being holpen by the Virgin Mary, his Mother, may attain unto the joys of everlasting life; through the same Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

**Closing Hymn 390** 

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Voluntary	Rhapsody No. 1									Herbert Howells
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# Schedule

SUNDAY WORSHIP

Low Mass Sunday 8 a.m.

Sung Mass Sunday 9 a.m.

**Solemn High Mass** Sunday 11 a.m.

WEEKDAY & SATURDAY WORSHIP

#### Low Mass

Monday 7:30 a.m. Tuesday 12 noon Wednesday 7:30 a.m. Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Thursday 12 noon Friday 7:30 a.m.

Healing Mass Saturday 10 a.m.

The Holy Rosary Saturday 9:30 a.m.

Choral Evensong Wednesday 7 p.m. when scheduled

#### ONLINE WORSHIP

Morning Prayer Daily 8:30 a.m. on Facebook

# Evening Prayer

Tuesday 6:30 p.m. on Zoom

# Announcements

#### **Rector search begins**

The search for a new rector has begun as we select a search committee. We've attached a form you can use to nominate yourself to be considered for that committee, and printed forms will be available at the back of the sanctuary. Please submit your form to let us know **by Sun., May 22** if you'd like to considered.

Our regular schedule of Sunday and weekday Masses continues with the help of our dedicated assisting clergy. We are very fortunate to have them in our congregation. You'll see many familiar faces at the altar this month, and we hope that they'll provide continuity through this stage of the transition.

#### Forum: The Path of a Pilgrim

Please join us for this week's parish forum at **10 a.m. today** in the gymnasium featuring Richard Kieckhefer speaking on pilgrimage. He will talk about his own experience walking the Camino to Santiago de Compostela, and will compare that pilgrimage with the more modern pilgrimage to Lourdes, and he will reflect more generally on what pilgrimage means for Christian spirituality.

#### Volunteers sought for garden clean-up

Join us for Garden Clean-Up Day on **Sat., May 21 at 10 a.m.** In loving memory of our late usher and friend Hector Hernandez, a group of Hector's friends and volunteers from Atonement will spruce up the grounds around the church, parish house and rectory. Everyone is welcome to help! If you have your own gardening tools, please bring them with you.

#### Save the date: A Plan for Life & Gratitude

Join the Endowment Guild on **Sat., Jun. 4 at 11 a.m.** for lunch and conversation about living a full life of abundance, including how to prepare for healthcare emergencies and getting your legal household in order in case someone is injured, dying, or becoming incapacitated. It is the ultimate act of love for those who care for us to have a plan and for having some peace of mind as we go about our busy days.

#### Save the date: EfM reunion

All current students and all EfM graduates are invited to a potluck reunion to be held in Montgomery Hall after services on **Jun. 12**. Email invitations will be coming soon.



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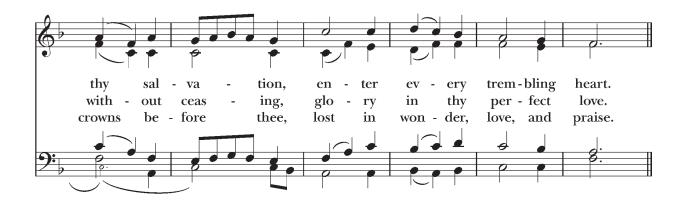
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The Hymnal 1982 – #377 All people that on earth do dwell (Old 100th)



The Hymnal 1982 – # 657 Love divine, all loves excelling (Hyfrydol)





The Hymnal 1982 – #314\_Humbly I adore thee, Verity unseen (Adoro devote)

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The Hymnal 1982 – #390 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation (Lobe den Herren)