Morning Prayer: Rite Two

Opening Sentences

On this day the Lord has acted; we will rejoice and be glad in it. *Psalm 118:24*

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. *Colossians 3:1*

Christ has entered, not into a sanctuary made with hands, a copy of the true one, but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. *Hebrews 9:24*

Confession of Sin

The Officiant says to the people

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Officiant and People together

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Priest says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

The Invitatory and Psalter

Officiant	Lord, open our lips.
People	And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Officiant and People

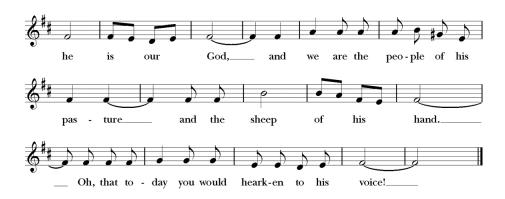
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

From Easter Day until the Ascension

Alleluia. The Lord is risen indeed: Come let us adore him. Alleluia.



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The Psalm

At the end of the Psalms is sung or said

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: * as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

The Lessons

First Reading (separate sheet)

A reading from _____.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the people.AnswerThanks be to God.

Canticle

The First Song of Isaiah



- 1 Surely, it is God who saves me; * I will trust in him and not be a fraid.
- 2 For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure de fense, * and he will be my Savior.
- 3 Therefore you shall draw water with re'joicing * -'from the'springs of sal'vation.
- 4 And on that 'day you shall'say, * Give thanks to the 'Lord and 'call upon his 'Name;
- 5 Make his deeds known a'mong the'peoples; * see that they re'member that his'Name is ex'alted.
- 6 Sing the praises of the Lord, for he has done great things, * and this is known in all the world.
- 7 Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy, *

for the great one in the midst of you is the 'Holy' One of 'Israel. (Gloria Patri may be added omitted)

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, *

and to the Holy Spirit:

As it was in the be¹ginning, is¹now, * and¹will be for ever. A¹men.

Second Reading (separate sheet)

Reader: A Reading from _____.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the people. Thanks be to God.

Canticle

Response

A Song of Creation



- I The Cosmic Order
- Glorify the Lord, you angels and all'powers of the Lord, *
 O heavens and all'waters a bove the heavens.
- 4 Sun and moon and stars of the sky, glorify the Lord, * praise him and highly ex alt him for ever.
- 5 Glorify the Lord, every shower of rain and fall of dew, * all winds and fire and heat.
- 6 Winter and summer, glorify the Lord, * praise him and highly exalt him for ever.
- 7 Glorify the Lord, O'chill and'cold, * drops of 'dew and'flakes of 'snow.
- 8 Frost and cold, ice and sleet, glorify the Lord, * praise him and highly exalt him for ever.
- Glorify the Lord, O'nights and days, *
 O shining light and en folding dark.
- 10 Storm clouds and thunderbolts, glorify the Lord, * praise him and highly ex'alt him for ever.

Third Reading (separate sheet)

Reader:	A Reading from the Gospel according to
Response	Hear what the Spirit is saying to the people. Thanks be to God.

Sermon

The Rev. Canon Lisa Fry

The Apostles' Creed

Officiant and People together, all standing

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.

The Prayers

Officiant	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.
Officiant	Let us pray.

Officiant and People

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.

Then follows the Suffrages

Suffrages

- V. Show us your mercy, O Lord;
- R. And grant us your salvation.
- V. Clothe your ministers with righteousness;
- R. Let your people sing with joy.
- V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;
- R. For only in you can we live in safety.
- V. Lord, keep this nation under your care;
- R. And guide us in the way of justice and truth.
- V. Let your way be known upon earth;
- R. Your saving health among all nations.
- V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;
- R. Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.
- V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;
- R. And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.

The Collect of the Day (separate sheet)

A Collect 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 in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

A Collect for Peace

O God, the author of peace and lover of concord, to know you is eternal life and to serve you is perfect freedom: Defend us, your humble servants, in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in your defense, may not fear the power of any adversaries; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

A Collect for Grace

Lord God, almighty and everlasting Father, you have brought us in safety to this new day: Preserve us with your mighty power, that we may not fall into sin, nor be overcome by adversity; and in all we do, direct us to the fulfilling of your purpose; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

A Collect for Guidance

Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being: We humbly pray you so to guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Then, unless the Eucharist or a form of general intercession is to follow, a prayer for mission is added

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. **Amen.** God of the present moment, God who in Jesus stills the storm and soothes the frantic heart; bring hope and courage to all who wait or work in uncertainty. Bring hope that you will make us the equal of whatever lies ahead. Bring us courage to endure what cannot be avoided, for your will is health and wholeness; you are God, and we need you. **Amen.**

- Adapted from New Zealand Prayer Book, p. 765 -

Prayers and intercessions for those in our community. Please add your own, either aloud or silently. You may also add them to the comments.

A General Thanksgiving

Officiant and People together

Accept, O Lord, our thanks and praise for all that you have done for us. We thank you for the splendor of the whole creation, for the beauty of this world, for the wonder of life, and for the mystery of love.

We thank you for the blessing of family and friends, and for the loving care which surrounds us on every side.

We thank you for setting us at tasks which demand our best efforts, and for leading us to accomplishments which satisfy and delight us.

We thank you also for those disappointments and failures that lead us to acknowledge our dependence on you alone.

Above all, we thank you for your Son Jesus Christ; for the truth of his Word and the example of his life; for his steadfast

obedience, by which he overcame temptation; for his dying, through which he overcame death; and for his rising to life again, in which we are raised to the life of your kingdom.

Grant us the gift of your Spirit, that we may know him and make him known; and through him, at all times and in all places, may give thanks to you in all things. Amen.

Blessing

Then may be said

Officiant:Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.People:Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

LITURGICAL NOTES:

Singing a Chant: POINTING GLOSSARY