April 8, 2018     10:30 AM
Second Sunday of Easter
The Holy Eucharist Rite II

The Rev. Leslie J. Hague is the celebrant and preacher today.

VOLUNTARY         At Easter-tide, Op. 182     Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 212     Awake, arise, lift up your voice     Richmond

THE WORD OF GOD

OPENING ACCLAMATION     (please stand)
Celebrant        Alleluia. Christ has risen.
People           The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

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.

A SONG OF PRAISE     Glory to God
Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY
Celebrant     The Lord be with you.
People                And also with you.
Celebrant      Let us pray.
Almighty and everlasting God, who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Now the whole group of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one claimed private ownership of any possessions, but everything they owned was held in common. With great power the apostles gave their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all. There was not a needy person among them, for as many as owned lands or houses sold them and brought the proceeds of what was sold. They laid it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to each as any had need.

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

PSALM 133

1 Oh, how good and pleasant it is, *
when brethren live together in unity!

2 It is like fine oil upon the head *
that runs down up on the beard,

†3 Upon the beard of Aaron, *
and runs down upon the collar of his robe.

4 It is like the dew of Hermon *
that falls upon the hills of Zion.

5 For there the LORD has endowed the blessing: *
— life for evermore.
A READING FROM 1 JOHN 1:1-2:2
We declare to you what was from the beginning, what we have heard, what we have seen with our eyes, what we have looked at and touched with our hands, concerning the word of life-- this life was revealed, and we have seen it and testify to it, and declare to you the eternal life that was with the Father and was revealed to us-- we declare to you what we have seen and heard so that you also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ. We are writing these things so that our joy may be complete. This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in him there is no darkness at all. If we say that we have fellowship with him while we are walking in darkness, we lie and do not do what is true; but if we walk in the light as he himself is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us. My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

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

SEQUENCE HYMN 206 Alleluia! O Sons and daughters, let us sing O filii et filiae
verses 2 & 4: treble voices only
verses 3 & 5: baritone voices only

THE GOSPEL OF OUR LORD ACCORDING TO JOHN
Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 20:19-31.
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When it was evening on the day of Resurrection, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark
of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe."
A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."
Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

The Rev. Leslie J. Hague

A quiet time for reflection follows the sermon.

All standing

THE NICENE CREED

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:
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;
his 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.
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Celebrant Through the incarnation, death and resurrection of Jesus, God brings a new gift of peace into the world. Let us offer our prayers with thankful hope, saying: God has ordained the blessing; life forevermore.

Intercessor Breathe your Holy Spirit upon your Church, O Gracious One, that we may be of one heart and soul, live together in unity, and bring the light of your reconciling gospel of forgiveness and peace to the whole world. God has ordained the blessing;

People life forevermore.

Intercessor Inspire the leaders of our nation and all in authority throughout the world with the breath of your peace, that they may share their possessions with the poor and bring justice and comfort to all who live in fear or need. God has ordained the blessing;

People life forevermore.

Intercessor Be present to any who huddle fearfully behind closed and locked doors and let the healing touch of the wounded Jesus come to comfort all who suffer anywhere on the earth. God has ordained the blessing;

People life forevermore.

Intercessor Let this community walk in your light and do our work of reconciliation, revealing the eternal life that was with the Father and has been revealed to us. God has ordained the blessing;

People life forevermore.

Intercessor Hear the cries of all who grieve like Thomas and of all who suffer from any form of anguish, illness or hurt, especially those for whom we pray; for those on our All Saints prayer list; for Father Dave and Richard, who will receive communion at home this week; and for others we may wish to name, either silently or aloud.

(Pause for quiet reflection)
Complete our joy as we offer our words of thanksgiving to you, especially Mother Leslie, our rector, for her dedicated and spiritual commitment to All Saints; for those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week; and for others we may wish to name, either silently or aloud.

(Pause for quiet reflection)
Receive into your eternal life all who have died, especially those we name either silently or aloud.

(Pause for quiet reflection)
God has ordained the blessing;

People life forevermore.
Oh, how good and pleasant it is, when kindred live together in unity: Fill your people with the breath of your Holy Spirit, O God, and bring us the assurance of forgiveness, that we may be enlivened to participate in Christ’s work of reconciliation on behalf of all the world, and share in his eternal life, here and now, and forevermore. Amen.

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

THE HOLY COMMUNION
The Holy Eucharist, Prayer D

OFFERTORY ANTHEM
Hallelujah arr. Shawn Kirchner (b. 1970)
from Heavenly Home: Three American Songs
Hallelujah, hallelujah! And let this feeble body fail, and let it faint or die;
My soul shall quit this mournful vale, and soar to worlds on high;
And I’ll sing hallelujah, and you’ll sing hallelujah,
And we’ll all sing hallelujah, when we arrive at home.
O what are all my suff rings here, if Lord, Thou count me meet,
With that enraptured host to appear, and worship at Thy feet!
And I’ll sing hallelujah, and you’ll sing hallelujah,
And we’ll all sing hallelujah, when we arrive at home.
Give joy or grief, give ease or pain, take life or friends away,
But let me find them all again in that eternal day.
And I’ll sing hallelujah, and you’ll sing hallelujah,
And we’ll all sing hallelujah, when we arrive at home.
in praise of Christ, our risen Lord; new life to all he doth afford. Alleluia!

OFFERTORY HYMN 205
Good Christians all, rejoice and sing! Gelobt sei Gott
verses 1-3

The people remain standing.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING
Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People 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.
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,

*Celebrant and People*

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,**
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
**Hosanna in the highest.**
**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**
**Hosanna in the highest.**

*The people stand or kneel.*

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.
Celebrant and People

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

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.

Remember Presiding Bishop Michael; our bishop Peter; Mother Leslie, Father David, Father Carl, Father Todd, Deacon Jon and all who minister in your Church.

Remember all your people of All Saints Episcopal Church and those who seek your truth. Remember all who have died in the peace of Christ, and those whose faith is known to you alone; bring them into the place of eternal joy and light.

And grant that we may find our inheritance with the ever-blessed Virgin Mary, with patriarchs, prophets, apostles, and martyrs 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. AMEN.

THE LORD’S PRAYER

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

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.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

FRACTION ANTHEM

Celebrant and People

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
Prayer Partners during Communion
(Prayer Partners are available near the pulpit during Communion. All wishing to have special supportive prayers for yourself or others are encouraged to approach the prayer partner during communion time.)

COMMUNION MOTET  Sicut cervus  Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina (c. 1525 – 1594)  
Translation from Latin: Psalm 42 BCP page 643  
As the deer longs for the water-brooks, so longs my soul for you, O God.

COMMUNION HYMN 209  We walk by faith, and not by sight  St. Botolph

POST COMMUNION PRAYER
Celebrant  Let us pray.
Celebrant and 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.

SENDING FORTH OF THE LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS
Priest  N. (and N.) we send you out to share Communion this week with N. (and N.)
People  May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of Christ’s presence.
Priest  May those who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged in that community we have together in our Lord Jesus Christ.  Amen.

THE BLESSING
The Bishop, when present, or the Priest, may bless the people.

RECESSIONAL HYMN 210  The day of resurrection!  Ellacombe

The Deacon, or the Celebrant, dismisses them with these words
Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia!
People  Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

VOLUNTARY  Festal Flourish  Gordon Jacob (1895-1984)

Please join us for coffee and fellowship in the Jensen Courtyard.
A CHRISTIAN RESPONSE TO GUN VIOLENCE:  
A COURSE FROM CHURCHNEXT

Saturday, April 14 at 10:00 AM  
Neaverson Chapel

From ChurchNext: “Every 7-8 years, one million Americans are killed or injured by firearms in a country that has nearly more guns than people...These facts are of grave concern to most Christians, including Episcopal Bishops and theologians Eugene Sutton and Ian Douglas who believe Christians can do more. These bishops are founding members of Bishops United Against Gun Violence and have spoken and written extensively on this subject.”

I invite you to join me in a morning of prayer, conversation, and reflection on Saturday, April 14 from 10:00 AM-12:30 PM in Neaverson Chapel at All Saints Episcopal Church.  

Videos include:

“The Unholy Trinity” and “Violence and the Bible” with the Rt. Rev. Eugene Sutton, Bishop of Maryland

“A Theology of Violence” and “Christian Responsibility” with the Rt. Rev. Ian Douglas, Bishop of Connecticut

After each video, we will have time for reflection and conversation around the topics of violence and social justice. We will close with worship and prayer.

As ChurchNext notes, “This class is ideal for those who are looking for ways to think more deeply about this pressing social issue.” ChurchNext provides online, video courses taught by expert teachers across a wide range of Christian disciplines.
The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Dorothy M. Klausing, Loving mother, grandmother and friend. Forever in our hearts, Robert L. Sites and Family.

“Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and everyone that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God.” 1 John 4:7

The Sanctuary Candle this week is given to the Glory of God and in thanksgiving for a blessed Easter by the people of All Saints.

CELEBRATIONS  April 8 – 14
Anniversaries  Tony Cocove and Jim Lynch
Lloyd and Jean Meisels
Jim Rothbeg and Bob Scott

WHAT’S HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS

**Monday—Friday**  Easier Softer Way (AA Meeting)  8:00 am  Neaverson
**Mon. 4/9**  Monday Night EFM  6:30 pm  River Room
**Wed. 4/11**  Holy Eucharist with Healing Prayers  12:05 pm  St. Luke’s
Deadline for Ecomm and Bulletin  12:00 pm
**Thurs. 4/12**  Vespers (Evening Prayer)  6:30 pm  St. Luke’s
Concert: Jane Andersen & Byron Wilson  7:30 pm
**Sat. 4/14**  Christian Response to Gun Violence  10:00 am  Neaverson
RiverSounds: Seraphic Fire Concert  7:30 pm

**It is never too late!**
We are still welcoming all UTO donations.....
Blue Boxes, envelopes, checks, cash.
All are appreciated!
All Saints will be hosting several families from the community the week of April 30th through May 3rd. These families have found themselves at a difficult time in their lives, particularly being without a safe and permanent place to live. All Saints is part of an ecumenical network of churches in Broward County. These churches provide week-long stays until family shelter space or other temporary housing becomes available. During the week, volunteers play an essential role in providing Christian hospitality while these families are guests of the All Saints community. Individuals or families prepare a meal and visit with our guest families. Each evening, two overnight hosts spend the night providing a safe place to sleep. With All Saints’ helping hands, these families are supported during this vulnerable time in a loving community of faith. Many of our volunteers have expressed what a rewarding experience they have after spending time with these families who are in true need of our hospitality. We are coordinating volunteers to bring evening meals to feed the families at 5:15 pm and hosts to be on-site overnight with the families from 7 pm until 7 am in the church sanctuary. As a faith community, All Saints provides a safe place to sleep, dinner, breakfast, a bagged lunch, shower and laundry facilities. For more information or to volunteer, contact Gregg Geenty-Prudhomme 434-249-7030. gregg.geentyprudhomme@gm.slc.edu

Hebrews 13:2

Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that, some have entertained angels without knowing it.
Dear Jubilee Nation,

Your help is needed! Our shelves are bare and our pantry boxes are becoming lighter and lighter.

In 2016, Jubilee received approximately 19,000 lbs of canned and dry goods from the Letter Carrier's Food Drive. In 2017, that dropped drastically to a mere 10,000 lbs. We are now feeling the grave impact of that reduction in donations, and this year's drive is still several weeks away (May 12th).

Under our current schedule of services, we distribute pantry food to households of two or more every seven days and households of one every fourteen days. In order to continue our robust distribution, we urgently need your help to refill our shelves with canned and dry goods.

**Please note that we have an overabundance of canned green beans. However, other than green beans, we are in need of all food items (i.e. soup, canned corn, canned carrots, tuna fish, canned tomato sauce, canned ravioli, canned fruit, canned or dried beans, rice, instant potatoes, pasta, cereal, oatmeal, cereal bars, peanut better and jelly).**

Donations can be dropped off at any time Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Please call in advance if you would like to drop off outside of that time frame.

Any and all help would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your time and consideration!

Sincerely,
LeAnna Vasquez
Executive Director

Visit our website!

954-920-0106
WEDNESDAY HEALING PRAYER WITH EUCHARIST
Wednesday, April 11      12:05 p.m. St. Luke's Chapel
(use side door by the Jensen Courtyard)
Many are asked to remember others, especially for healing, in our prayers. All are
invited to join together at this service for a healing laying-on-of-hands, anointing,
and prayer for others or our selves. These prayers become our Eucharistic offering as
we celebrate together in our lovely St Luke's Chapel.
THIS WEEK IS THE COMMEMORATION OF GEORGE AUGUSTUS SELWYN
First Bishop of New Zealand

Vespers (Evening Prayers) at All Saints
Every Thursday Evening at 6:30 pm
in St. Luke’s Chapel
"Be still, then, and know
that I am God."
Psalm 46:11

VESPERTS (EVENING PRAYERS—RITE I) AT ALL SAINTS
Every Thursday Evening at 6:30 pm
Vespers will be in St. Luke’s Chapel
Vespers is a wonderful and deeply spiritual liturgy of prayer which is the
penultimate of the ancient daily Christian “Prayer Hours.” Vespers offers us an
opportunity for thanksgiving for the good in the day, to let go of the stresses of
work and life; and to turn all things earthly, over to God near the end of the day.
THURSDAY, APRIL 12
COMMEMORATION OF ADONIRAM JUDSON
Foreign Missionary
All Saints Popcorn Theology presents
“Saved”
Sunday, April 15th at 3:00 pm in the Neaverson Chapel

Join us for popcorn and drinks as we watch and discuss the movie.

♦ What does it mean to be saved?
♦ What does it mean for Christian witness in a world of hypocrisy?
♦ How do you witness in the world?
Discipleship: Following Jesus Together

Join us Saturday April 21st for a lunch conference on Discipleship. We will explore the concept of how we follow Jesus together in our local community and throughout our city.

When: Saturday, April 21st. 11:30am-4:30pm

Cost: $20 (includes lunch)

Where: Neaverson Chapel

About the guest presenters:

Joe and Keijo Bollinger work with Cru CITY. They met in Orlando, FL in 2008 when they were both serving with missions organizations there.

Together with their 4 children, God has called them to build a community where we help followers of Jesus grow in their faith and where those who still don’t know Him are able to observe and have opportunities to follow Jesus too. “We welcome relationships where God’s truths can be explored, celebrated and practiced together. This kind of attention to individual people is at the heart of discipleship and this is how we spend the majority of our time.”

As part of a team of about twenty five other missionaries all doing discipleship in different demographics of Orlando for the good of the city. “We wonder what will happen as we trust God and engage the people closest to us to see the good plans God has for them and the city come to life.”

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