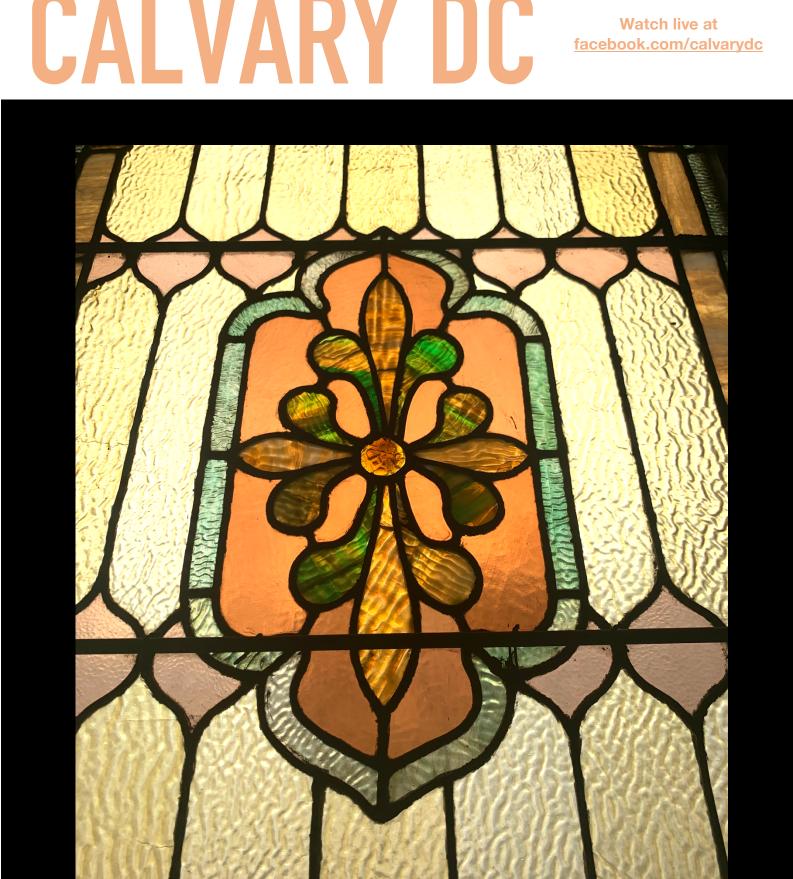
EASTER SUNDAY IN-PERSON WORSHIP

17 de abríl / April 17, 2022 | 10:30 a.m.



Alabando | Worshipping

Música | Prelude

When I Survey The Wondrous Cross

Earl Hargrove, organ

La Bienvenida | Welcome

*Cántico de Alabanza | Song of Praise

Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia! Earth and heaven in chorus say, Alleluia! Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia! Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply, Alleluia!

Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia! Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia! Death in vain forbids him rise, Alleluia! Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia!

Cristo nuestro salvador, ¡Aleluya! De la muerte vencedor, ¡Aleluya! Pronto vamos sin cesar, ¡Aleluya! Tus loores a cantar, ¡Aleluya!

Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia! Following our exalted Head, Alleluia! Made like him, like him we rise, Alleluia! Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!

*Palabras de Alabanza | Call to Worship

Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed! Cristo resucitó! ¡Aleluya, gloria a Dios!

Exhale. Go ahead, exhale. Breathe out. Let go. On this Easter Sunday, allow your souls to be replenished. Take in the joy. Take in peace. Take in the togetherness. Take what you need.

Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed! Cristo resucitó! ¡Aleluya, gloria a Dios!

*Congregation stands. La congregación se pone de pie. Para traducción del servicio en español, por favor hablar con un ujier. Pastor Maria

Christ the Lord is Risen Today

EASTER HYMN Earl Hargrove, organ Chris Urquiaga, piano

Celia Thomas, Deacon

Wonder. Wonder, and imagine, and reflect, and guestion, and listen. Listen deeply to the words and the songs. Listen deeply to the Holy Spirit. And hear the words that God has for you.

Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed! Cristo resucitó! ¡Aleluya, gloria a Dios!

We emerge from the long days of Lent; our journey through the wilderness. And we acknowledge that there is a darkness that seems to loom in this world. And we remember that nestled within the great mystery of the Resurrection is a great light. Search for that light, that hope on this day.

Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed! Cristo resucitó! ¡Aleluya, gloria a Dios!

So, we come into this space, this sacred space, and we bring ourselves; our whole selves. We encourage you to embrace your body and we invite you to use your body to give God a hand clap of praise, to sing, to jump around, to dance, to celebrate. And, as we celebrate the Risen Savior, we invite you to bring your full selves into worship because Christ is risen!

Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed! Cristo resucitó! ¡Aleluya, gloria a Dios!

Ashley Johnson, Easter Liturgical Resources from Africana Writers, edited by Safiya Fosua, 2020.

*La Paz de Cristo | Passing the Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you. And also with you. La paz del Señor sea contigo. Y contigo también.

*Respondemos Juntos | Responding Together

Make us one, Lord, make us one; Holy Spirit, make us one. Let your love flow so the world will know we are one in you. Haznos uno, uno en ti. Haznos uno, Señor, en ti. Y que el mundo vea en nuestro amor que somos uno en ti.

Make Us One | Haznos Uno

Celia Thomas, Deacon

Escuchando I Listening

Tiempo con los Niños I Time with Children

Alelu, Alelu, Alelu, Aleluya! Gloria a Dios!

Alelu, Alelu, Alelu, Aleluya! Gloria a Dios!

Gloria a Dios, Aleluya! Gloria a Dios, Aleluya! Gloria a Dios, Aleluya! Gloria a Dios!

La Ofrenda I Giving to Calvary

Please visit <u>http://www.calvarydc.org/give</u>. Each Sunday, we have the opportunity to engage in a spiritual practice tracing back to the early church. As followers of Jesus began re-imagining their allegiance to God and not Caesar, they also chose to share their money, time, and resources in ways that disrupted systems of power and violence around them. As a community of faith shaped by this intention as we strive to be radically inclusive, progressive, and multicultural, we pray that our commitments might free you to give to this place both joyfully and intentionally.

Oración | Prayers of the People

Música | Scripture Refrain

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Cristo vive, Cristo vive!

I will praise you, I will praise you! Celia Thomas, Deacon

ALLELUIA Chris Urquiaga, piano



Pastor Maria

Mateo | Matthew 28: 1-10

Rev. Edgar Palacios, Liturgist Translated by Wilda C. Gafney in A Women's Lectionary for the Whole Church

Pasado el sábado, al amanecer del primer día de la semana, María Magdalena y la otra María fueron a ver el sepulcro. ¡Y mira! Hubo un gran terremoto, porque un mensajero de Dios, descendiendo del cielo, vino y removió la piedra y se sentó sobre ella. Su apariencia era como un relámpago, y su ropa blanca como la nieve. Por miedo al mensajero, los guardias temblaron y quedaron como muertos. Pero el mensajero respondió a las mujeres y dijo: "No temáis; Sé que todas ustedes buscan a Jesús que fue crucificado. Él no está aquí; porque ha resucitado, tal como dijo. Venid, ved el lugar donde yacía. Entonces id pronto y decid a sus discípulos: Ha resucitado de entre los muertos, y mirad, va delante de vosotras a Galilea; allí lo veréis. Este es mi mensaje para ti. Entonces las mujeres salieron rápidamente del sepulcro con temor y gran alegría y corrieron a dar la noticia a sus discípulos. Entonces, de repente, Jesús las encontró y les dijo: "¡Shalom!" Y ellas se acercaron a él, lo agarraron de los pies y se postraron adorándolo. Entonces Jesús les ayudó, "No temáis; id y decid a mis hermanas y hermanos que vayan a Galilea; allí me verán.

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After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Madgalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. And look! There was a great earthquake, for a messenger of God, descending from heaven, came and rolled away the stone and sat upon it. Its appearance was like lightning, and its clothing white as snow. For fear of the messenger the guards shook and were as though dead. But the messenger responded to the women and said, "Fear not; I know that you all are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, just as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, "He has been raised from the dead, and see, he is on to Galilee ahead of you; there you will see him." This is my message for you. So the women left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy and ran to tell his disciples the news. Then all of a sudden Jesus met them and said, "Shalom!" And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and bowed down worshipping him. Then Jesus said to them, "Fear not; go and tell my sisters and brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

Creciendo I Growing

Música Especial | Special Music

Joyful, Joyful, Lord We Adore Thee arr. Mervyn Warren Desmond Thompson, soloist

Joyful, joyful, Lord we adore Thee God of glory, Lord of Light, Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee Hail Thee as the sun above. Melt the clouds of sin and sadness Drive the dark of doubt away Giver of immortal gladness Fill us with the light of day... Sermón | Sermon

*Himno | Departing Hymn

Lift High the Cross CRUCIFER

Earl Hargrove, organ Chris Urquiaga, piano

Refrain— Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim, till all the world adore Your sacred name.

Come, Christians, follow where our Savior trod, our Friend and Brother, Christ, the Child of God. *Refrain.*

Thy kingdom come, that earth's despair may cease, Beneath the shadow of its healing peace. *Refrain.*

So shall our song of Love unending be, Praise to the Crucified, who sets us free. *Refrain.*

The departing hymn is in remembrance of our beloved Paul Rosstead (June 30, 1954 - April 13, 2020.)

*La Bendición | Benediction

Música | Postlude

Toccata in F Major C.M. Widor (abridged) Earl Hargrove, organ

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Contact the Deacon of the Week, Celia Thomas, <u>celiath222@gmail.com</u> with your cares and concerns.



Pastor Sally

Pastor Maria

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPECIAL EASTER COFFEE HOUR— Join us downstairs in the narthex and outdoor front steps as we share Easter joy! Children (and all children-at-heart,) be sure and grab a baggie of multi-colored chalk to decorate our sidewalk!

A SPECIAL NOTE— Today's coffee hour surprise is given by Elaine and Bill Sarratt to the glory of God and with love in honor of their daughters, Pastors Maria and Sally, in celebration of our first in-person Easter since 2019. A special thanks to Blue Ribbon Floral for helping us spread a little Easter joy!

VIRTUAL QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING NEXT SUNDAY – Please mark your calendars for our quarterly business meeting **Sunday, April 24** following VIRTUAL worship on Zoom.

Worship at Calvary Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

Join us for our return to **In-Person Worship** at Calvary with a new virtual holiday rhythm!

In-Person Worship takes place every Sunday except on federal holiday weekends, which will remain virtual.*

Livestream available on all In-Person Sundays – <u>facebook.com/CalvaryDC</u>.

Join us from home on Zoom for Holiday Virtual Sundays – <u>bit.ly/ZoomCalvaryDC</u> or watch the livestream at link above.

*Holiday Virtual Calendar-

May 29, 2022 - Memorial Day June 19, 2022 - Juneteenth July 3, 2022 - July Fourth weekend September 4, 2022 - Labor Day Weekend October 9, 2022 - Indigenous Peoples Day November 27, 2022 - Thanksgiving December 25, 2022 - Christmas Day

The best way to stay connected and receive any updates or changes to this schedule is to visit <u>www.calvarydc.org</u> and sign up for our weekly newsletter.



OUR LABOR TOGETHER | A Mission Statement

We are a multi-racial, multi-ethnic community of Christ followers committed to the sacred work of anti-racism, social justice, and radical inclusion.

OUR BELOVEDNESS | A Values Statement

We affirm that God celebrates the creative diversity of God's kin-dom, loving people of every color, faith, nationality, immigration status, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, physical and cognitive ability, and economic status. It matters that people who have been historically marginalized by the Christian church in America see themselves listed here as God's beloved. In other words, *you* are our values statement.

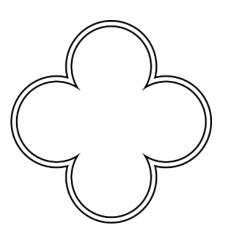
- We believe Black Lives Matter. Further still, Black Lives are precious and beloved by God. We are a church shaped by this profound theological statement. Until this is fully understood and expressed in the policies and practices of this nation's political and social life, it is essential for people of faith to keep saying, and living, this truth.
- We believe no human being is "illegal," and as a Sanctuary Church, we fully welcome and support people of all immigration statuses.
- We believe LGBTQ+ lives are sacred, beautiful, and ought to be fully included and affirmed in all aspects of congregational life and leadership.
- We celebrate that our worshipping life is multi-lingual and multi-dimensional, especially shaped by Latin American, particularly Salvadoran, traditions, and the Historic Black Church tradition.
- We value interfaith inclusion and welcome people of any and all faith traditions to find a home here.
- We value people for who they are and not for their role in an economy where wealth accumulates and people struggle to live.
- We acknowledge that we gather on the traditional land of the Piscataway, Anacostan, and Nacotchtank Peoples past and present, and honor with gratitude the land itself and the people who have stewarded it throughout the generations. We believe that the earth is sacred and that we must continue to learn how to be better caretakers of the land we inhabit.
- We value diverse theological voices which have long stood on the margins within the Christian tradition in America.

OUR HOLY IMAGINATION A Vision Statement

We believe that Jesus identifies particularly with oppressed and marginalized people and invites us into radically inclusive community. As a historically white church with the sacred gift of now being a multiracial Christian community, we hear the clarion call to engage in the active and disruptive work of anti-racism and decolonization, both within ourselves and in the world. Ultimately, we commit to this labor as a *joyful* act of discipleship that leads us ever deeper into the Gospel of liberation and life.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Carrie Dale, mother of Amy Dale; For peace to prevail in Ukraine; Rochelle Powell, Eva Powell's grandmother; Bradley Sims, friend of Carter Vaughn; Brian Cook, friend of the Kosmidis family; Shalom scholar, Karla Giron, and members of the Baptist Association of El Salvador; Javier Dario Galindo, Nathalie Galindo-Lee's brother; Paul Lansing; Joe and Shirley Taylor, Jessica Taylor's parents; Marlene Shambaugh, Courtney Miller's aunt; Each and every one of us, particuarly the most vulnerable among us as we face the effects of COVID-19 together; Luis Campos; Daniel Alcazar-Roman's uncle; Rena Jirack; Brian Scott, Yolanda Appiah-Kubi's brother and Salima Appiah-Duffell's uncle; Ruby Shepherd; Olive Tiller; Desmond Tio, friend of Karla Fahey; Harold Walker, Jackie Wright's stepfather; Peace in El Salvador, refugees, asylum seekers, and immigration reform; Victims of gun violence, racial reconciliation and justice everywhere; people targeted with hate crimes; Peace in our world, especially those impacted by war, violence, and government turmoil; Our collective response to resisting white supremacy. Victims of terror everywhere.



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