

Nau mai, haere mai. Our liturgy begins on page 476 of
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The choir is having a well-deserved break today.
Our presiding priest and preacher is
The Reverend Helen Jacobi.

Alleluia! Christ is risen.
He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Processional Hymn: *Common Praise* 140
'Christ is alive! Let Christians sing.'

Collect:

Eternal God,
through the resurrection of your Son,
help us to face the future
with courage and assurance,
knowing that nothing in death or life
can ever separate us from your love.
This we ask through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

First Reading: Acts 2:14a, 22–32

Psalm 16 (*we respond with the second half of the verse*)

Preserve me O God:

for in you I have taken refuge.

I have said to the Lord, 'You are my God:

from you alone comes all my prosperity.'

All my delight is in the faithful who dwell in the land:

and in those who excel in virtue.

But as for those who run after other gods:

their troubles shall be multiplied.

Offerings of blood I will not offer to those gods:

nor will I take their names upon my lips.

You Lord are my allotted portion and my cup:

you yourself have cast my lot.

My boundaries enclose a pleasant land:

indeed I have a noble heritage.

I will thank you O Lord for giving me counsel:

at night also you teach my heart.

I keep you always before me:

you are on my right hand, therefore I shall not fall.

So my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices:

my body also shall rest in safety.

For you will not give me up to the power of death:

nor suffer your beloved to see the Abyss.

You will show me the path of life,

in your presence is the fulness of joy:

and from your right hand flow delights for evermore.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:3-9

Gospel Hymn: *Common Praise* 174

'Breathe on me breath of God'

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Offertory Hymn: *Common Praise* 305

'I come with joy, a child of God'

- *Prayer ministry is available at the 10am Eucharist in the Resurrection Chapel during the communion time.*
- *Communion is offered in both kinds (bread and wine) though feel free to receive only the bread.*
- *We do not, for health reasons, dip the bread in the wine. This makes it safer for us all.*
- *Gluten free wafers are available from the person administering the bread.*

Recessional Hymn: *Common Praise* 157

'The day of resurrection'

- *We invite you to stay for **morning tea** after the service.*

There is no Evensong today.

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP
THIS COMING WEEK**

Tuesday to Friday: 9am, Morning Prayer in the Resurrection Chapel

Tuesday: 10.30am, Eucharist in the Resurrection Chapel,
followed by morning tea.



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O God,

it is your will to hold both heaven and earth
in a single peace.

Let the design of your great love
shine on the waste of our wraths and sorrows,
and give peace to your Church,
peace among nations,
peace in our homes, and peace in our hearts.