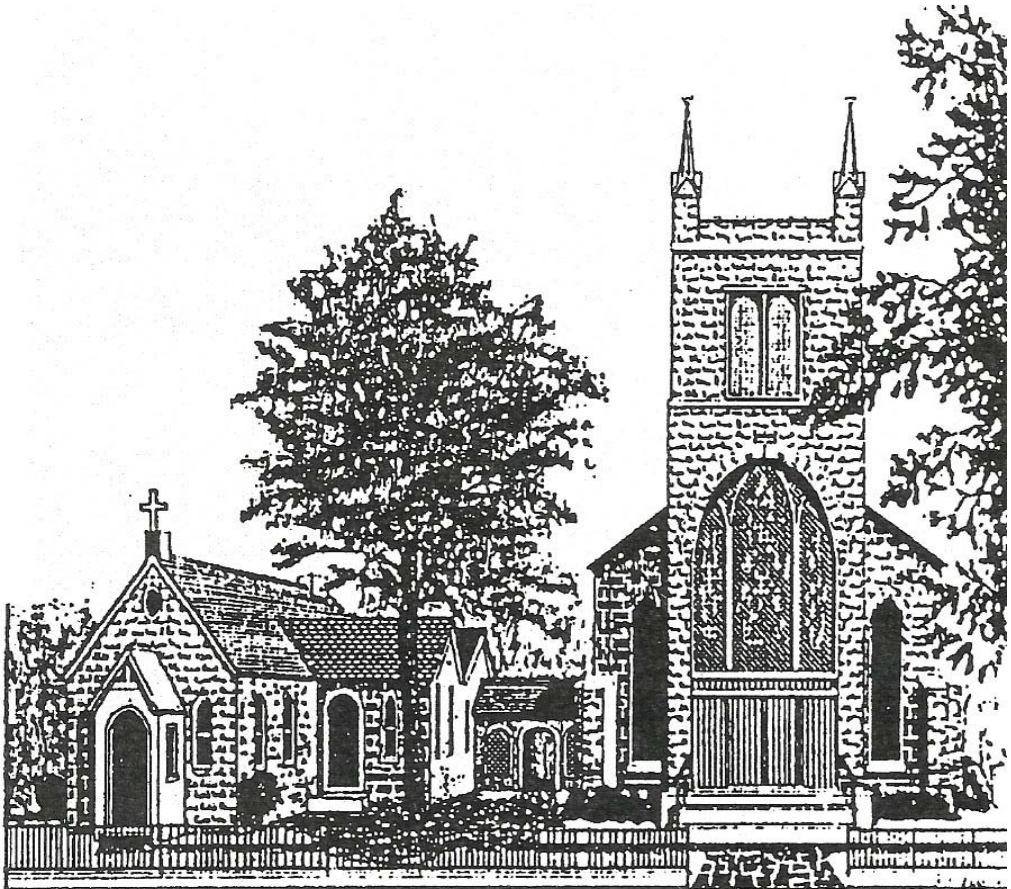


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**The Fourth Sunday of Easter**

**April 29, 2012**  
**Order of Service**  
**8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.**

**Holy Eucharist – Rite I**  
**8:00 a.m.**

**The Word of God**

<b>Opening Acclamation</b>	<b>BCP-323</b>
<b>Collect for Purity</b>	<b>BCP-323</b>
<b>Lord, have mercy upon us.</b>	<b>BCP-324</b>

**The Collect of the Day**

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

**Acts 4:5-12**

<b>Psalm 23</b>	<i>Dominus regit me</i>	<b>BCP-612</b>
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**1 John 3:16-24**

**The Gospel (please stand) John 10:11-18**

<b>Sermon</b>	<b>The Rev. Steven E. Carroll</b>
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<b>The Nicene Creed</b>	<b>BCP-326</b>
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<b>The Prayers of the People</b>	<b>BCP-328</b>
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<b>Confession/Absolution</b>	<b>BCP-330/332</b>
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<b>The Peace</b>	<b>BCP-332</b>
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**THE HOLY COMMUNION**

<b>Eucharistic Prayer I</b>	<b>BCP-333</b>
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<b>The Lord's Prayer</b>	<b>BCP-336</b>
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**All Baptized Christians are Welcome to Receive Communion.**

<b>Post-Communion Prayer</b>	<b>BCP-339</b>
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<b>The Blessing and Dismissal</b>	<b>BCP-339</b>
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**Holy Eucharist – Rite II**  
**10:30 a.m.**

**The Word of God**

**Prelude** *Psalm Prelude III on Psalm 23:4*

*Herbert Howells*

**Opening Salutation**

**BCP-355**

**Processional Hymn**

***“When Morning Gilds the Sky”***  
**Laudes Domini**

**H-427**

**Gloria in Excelsis**

William Mathias **S-278**

**The Collect of the Day**

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**Acts 4:5-12**

The day after they had arrested Peter and John for teaching about Jesus and the resurrection, the rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. This Jesus is

the stone that was rejected by you, the builders;  
it has become the cornerstone.'

There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

(Anglican Chant sung by choir)

Edward Cuthbert Bairstow

- 1 The LORD is my shepherd; \*  
I shall not be in want.
- 2 **He makes me lie down in green pastures \*  
and leads me beside still waters.**
- 3 He revives my soul \*  
and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.
- 4 **Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
I shall fear no evil; \*  
for you are with me;  
your rod and your staff, they comfort me.**
- 5 You spread a table before me in the presence of those  
who trouble me; \*  
you have anointed my head with oil,  
and my cup is running over.
- 6 **Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days  
of my life, \*  
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.**

**1 John 3:16-24**

We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us-- and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help?

Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him.

And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

**Gradual Hymn “The King of Love My Shepherd Is” (v. 1-3) H-645  
St. Columba**

**The Gospel (please stand) John 10:11-18**

Jesus said, "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away-- and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father."

**Sermon**

**The Rev. Steven E. Carroll**

**JUNIOR CHORISTERS ANTHEM**

*Feed My Lambs*

Natalie Sleeth

Feed My lambs, tend My sheep, over all a vigil keep;  
In My name, lead them forth gently as a shepherd.  
When they wander, when they stray, their protector be.  
As ye do unto My flock, thus ye do to me.  
Unto all who lose the way Hope and comfort be.  
As ye do unto My flock, thus ye do to Me.  
Feed My lambs, tend My sheep, over all a vigil keep;  
In My name, lead them forth gently, gently  
as a loving shepherd of the Lord.

**The Nicene Creed**

**BCP-358**

**Prayers of the People (Form 4)**

**BCP-388**

**The Peace**

**BCP-360**

**Announcements**

**THE HOLY COMMUNION**

**Anthem**     *The Lord My Faithful Shepherd Is , BWV 112*

Johann Sebastian Bach

The Lord my faithful shepherd is, and me he safely guideth.  
I shall not want, for I am his, who all things good provideth;  
I follow him, I hear his voice, in him, my Lord, I do rejoice;  
Blest am I in his keeping.

Thy grace and mercy all my days be with me, failing never,  
And I shall dwell and sing thy praise within God's house forever.  
In Christian love I now reside, and after death in heaven abide  
With Christ, my Lord and Savior.

**Presentation**

tune: Lasst Uns Erfreuen

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
Praise God, all creatures here below.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Praise God above, ye heav'n ly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Alleluia!***

**Eucharistic Prayer A  
Sanctus (sung)**

BCP-361  
Setting by Richard Proulx     S-125

**Acclamation**

William Clisham

Insert

**Amen  
The Lord's Prayer  
The Breaking of the Bread**

McNeil Robinson     S-146  
BCP-364  
BCP-364

**Fraction**     ***"Christ Our Passover"***  
***"Be Known to Us, Lord Jesus"***

David Hurd     S-154  
Gary James     WLP-875

*All Baptized Christians are Welcome to Receive Communion.*

**Communion Motet***Very Bread, Good Shepherd, Tend Us*

Charles L. Talmadge

Very Bread, good Shepherd, tend us, Jesus, of thy love befriend us,  
 Thou refresh us, thou defend us, thine eternal goodness send us  
 in the land of life to see.

Thou, who all things canst and knowest, who on earth such food  
 bestowest,

Grant us with thy saints, though lowest, where the heavenly feast thou  
 showest,

Fellow heirs and guests to be. (St. Thomas Aquinas, 1263)

**Post Communion Prayer****BCP-366****The Blessing****BCP-366****Recessional Hymn “Hallelujah! We Sing Your Praises”****WLP-784****Hallelujah! Pelo Tsa Rona****The Dismissal****BCP-366****Postlude***Voluntary in D Minor*

Maurice Greene

**The altar flowers today are given by Marion Morris Finlaw to the  
 Glory of God and in loving memory of her siblings: Hazel Morris,  
 Myranna Morris, and Edwin Morris.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**MUSIC IN THE LITURGY:** Today is the Fourth Sunday of Easter, often called “Good Shepherd Sunday” because all the lessons and Psalm focus on that theme. And so, all of the music in today’s liturgy is selected to reflect on that theme as well. The **Junior Choristers’ Anthem** is intended to serve as an exhortation following the Sermon for us all to follow Christ’s lead, and be shepherds to God’s flock. It was composed by Natalie Sleeth (1930-1992), an American composer of hymns and anthems, especially for children’s voices. The **Offering Anthem** consists of two movements from Cantata 112 by Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750), and based on a chorale which is a metrical paraphrase of Psalm 23, the Psalm appointed for today. The **Communion Motet**, by Charles Talmadge (b. 1952), an American organist and composer, is a setting of a Communion text by St. Thomas Aquinas which refers to Jesus both as “Very Bread” and “Good Shepherd”. The **Organ Prelude** by Herbert Howells (1892-1983), an English composer and teacher known for his large output of Anglican Church music, is Howells’ musical interpretation of the darkest verse from Psalm 23, and was composed shortly after the death of his daughter, Ursula. **The Postlude** by Dr. Maurice Greene (1696-1755), a Baroque

English composer, organist and “Master of the King’s Musick”, is typical of English Organ voluntaries; it is in two movements, the first slow, the second faster.

**FUTURE SPECIAL MUSIC LITURGY:** On Sunday, June 17, the St. John’s Choir will sing the *Missa Brevis in D*, (K.194) by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart within the framework of the 10:30 AM Holy Eucharist. Mozart composed this “short Mass” for choir, four soloists, 2 violins, cello and organ. As at Easter for brass players, we are in need of patronage to hire three string players for this event at \$200 per player. If you are able to assist us in this special liturgical/musical venture, please see Minister of Music, Bill Clisham, for details.

**Needed: Two drivers to drive a van and a car to the Newark NJ Airport for Fr. Rick Cromwell and his family who are relocating to Hawaii. If you can help, you must be at St. George’s Rectory in Pennsville at 2:00 A.M. on Wednesday, May 2. You will bring the cars back to Pennsville and there is a modest stipend available.**

**It is traditional to hold classes to prepare both adults and teens for confirmation and to provide a forum for persons interested in what the Episcopal Church believes and teaches. If you are questioning, seeking, interested in joining, or ready to make an “affirmation of faith”. Classes will begin in May.**

**On Thursday, May 3, be a part of the National Day of Prayer Meeting at 6 pm at the Old Court House in Salem.**

**On Friday, May 4, at 12 noon at the Broadway United Methodist Church, Salem, the May Friendship Day of Church Women United, Inc. is having an event “Sights and Sounds of Harmony – Listening to My Sisters”. Tickets are \$6 each....see Marcie Frame for free tickets provided by our ECW.**

**On Saturday, May 5, at 10:00 a.M., Sally Maurer will be ordained Deacon. The Ordination will take place at Trinity Cathedral in Trenton. Parishioners from St. John’s are cordially invited to attend. Sally will begin her assignment as Deacon at St. John’s on June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Come and join in the Celebration!**

### **2012 Altar Flowers**

Thank you to everyone who is currently participating in St. John’s tradition of requesting flowers “in memory of loved ones” or “in thanksgiving for a special occasion.”

There are still several Sundays open in 2012.

If any of the dates listed below have a special significance for you, please call DeeAnn Harris (935-3214) or the Parish Office (935-1798) to sign-up with your dedication.



**Open Dates:** July 1 & 15; Aug 12; Sept 30; Oct 7 & 14.

**Remember to save your soda tabs and put them in the jars in the Parish Hall for Ronald McDonald House.**

**Thank you for your generous donations of food to stock our Food Pantry. With the warmer weather, we get a lot of requests for juice [maybe some powdered drink mixes?]. And we still need fruit, canned meats, mac&cheese, Ramen noodles, canned and microwaveable entrees, and peanut butter. All donations are needed and much appreciated.**

**ATTENDANCE**

	<b>March 25</b>	<b>April 1</b>	<b>April 8</b>	<b>April 15</b>	<b>April 22</b>
<b>8:00 am</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>		<b>17</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>37</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>56</b>

**April 22                      Pledges \$893.27                                      Loose Offerings    \$39.50**

**Counters this week and next week:**

**4/29 TBD                      5/6    Ron and Bud Magill**

**This Week's Parish Calendar –The Third Sunday of Easter**

- Sun, 4/29                      8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I;**  
**9:00 am Choir Rehearsal;**  
**9:15-10:15 Sunday School and Adult Forum;**  
**10:30 am Holy Eucharist Rite II;**  
**12:00-12:40 pm Last Junior Choristers Rehearsal**  
**Fellowship Hour.**
- Tue, 5/1                      9:00 Quilters;**  
**9-3 UAC**  
**5:30-6:30 Yoga;**  
**6:45 pm Ringers;**  
**8:00 pm NA.**
- Wed, 5/2                      10-12 CIAC;**  
**Noon Eucharist and Healing Service**  
**in the Chapel;**  
**12:30-2 YSC**  
**5:00-7:00 pm Family Support Organization;**  
**8:00 pm AA.**

**Fri, 5/4  
Sat, 5/5**

**Noon Broadway UMe Church, Church Women United.  
Sally Maurer, Deacon Ordination, Trenton.**

**We appreciate the Participants in Today's Services:**

**8:00 a.m.**

<b>Presiding &amp; Preaching</b>	<b>The Rev. Steven E. Carroll</b>
<b>Celebrants</b>	<b>The People of St. John's</b>
<b>Chalicer, Lector, Prayers of the People</b>	<b>Jim Davis</b>

**10:30 a.m.**

<b>Presiding &amp; Preaching</b>	<b>The Rev. Steven E. Carroll</b>
<b>Assisting</b>	<b>Donna Donohue</b>
<b>Celebrants</b>	<b>The People of St. John's</b>
<b>Minister of Music</b>	<b>Bill Clisham</b>
<b>Chalicer</b>	<b>George Neff</b>
<b>Lector</b>	<b>Nate Gable</b>
<b>Prayers of the People</b>	<b>Nate Gable</b>
<b>Acolyte Guild</b>	<b>Bob Donohue-Crucifer</b>
	<b>David Miller-Acolyte</b>
	<b>TBD-Acolyte</b>
<b>Oblations</b>	<b>Marcie Frame and Betty Wismer</b>
<b>Altar Guild</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>Ushers</b>	<b>David and Celeste Willis</b>
<b>Lock-Up Duty</b>	<b>George Neff</b>

**MONTHLY PRAYERS FOR DECEASED**

<b>Jeanette Cava</b>	<b>Sept 2011</b>
<b>Chrystal P. Diggs</b>	<b>June 2011</b>
<b>Robert H. (Bob) Grant</b>	<b>Nov 2011</b>
<b>Kevin Buckley</b>	<b>Jan 2012</b>
<b>Geraldine (Gerri) Burt</b>	<b>March 2012</b>
<b>Charles M. (Mike) Miller, Jr.</b>	<b>March 2012</b>
<b>Eunice Miller</b>	<b>April 2012</b>
<b>Mary Anne Mecum</b>	<b>April 2012</b>

## **PRAYERS**

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