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*The Mission of St. Luke's Episcopal Church is to Spread the Word
and share the love of God with all people*



THE SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION DAY

**The Seventh Sunday of Easter
(The Sunday after Ascension Day)**

The Holy Eucharist: Rite II

May 17, 2026

10:00AM

The Rev. Raphiell Ashford, Rector
Mr. Ezra Blackwell, Interim Supply Organist

Vestry Theme for 2026

Reset to the New Normal: The Work Continues

Mission Statement

The mission of St. Luke's Episcopal Church is to spread the Word and share the love of God with all.

Vision Statement

{To become} a vibrant self-sustaining institution that serves and respects the spiritual, social, and physical needs of our community and congregation, while preserving the history of the church.

Quiet Please: Please be mindful of others as you enter the church before the service. Upon entering the nave, there should be a period of quiet and reverence as many parishioners are in prayer and or meditation.

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The Collect for Purity

Celebrant 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.*

Gloria S·278

William Mathias

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

**The people sit.*

The Lesson

Acts 1:6-14

Lector A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles

When the apostles had come together, they asked Jesus, “Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?” He replied, “It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. They said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go

into heaven.” Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a sabbath day’s journey away. When they had entered the city, they went to the room upstairs where they were staying, Peter, and John, and James, and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of James. All these were constantly devoting themselves to prayer, together with certain women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, as well as his brothers.

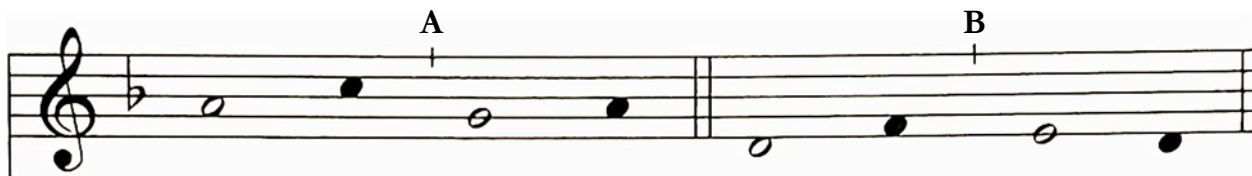
[Silence]

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 68:1-10, 33-36 Exsurgat Deus

**The antiphon is sung first by the Cantor and then by all; thereafter where indicated.*

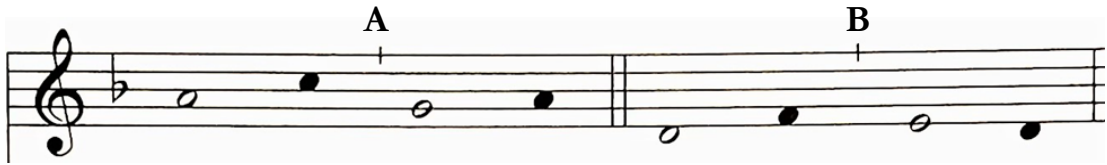


A1 Let God arise, and let his enemies be scattered; *
let those who hate him flee before him.

B2 Let them vanish like smoke when the wind drives it away; *
as the wax melts at the fire, so let the wicked perish at the presence of God.

B3 But let the righteous be glad and rejoice before God; *
let them also be merry and joyful.

{Antiphon}



A4 Sing to God, sing praises to his Name;
exalt him who rides upon the heavens; *

YAHWEH is his Name, rejoice before him!

B5 Father of orphans, defender of widows, *

God in his holy habitation!

B6 God gives the solitary a home and brings forth prisoners into freedom; *
but the rebels shall live in dry places. {Antiphon}

7 O God, when you went forth before your people, *
when you marched through the wilderness,

8 The earth shook, and the skies poured down rain,
at the presence of God, the God of Sinai, *
at the presence of God, the God of Israel. {Antiphon}

9 You sent a gracious rain, O God, upon your inheritance; *
you refreshed the land when it was weary.

10 Your people found their home in it; *
in your goodness, O God, you have made provision for the poor.
{Antiphon}

A34 He rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens; *
he sends forth his voice, his mighty voice.

B35 Ascribe power to God; *
his majesty is over Israel;
his strength is in the skies.

B36 How wonderful is God in his holy places! *
the God of Israel giving strength and power to his people!
Blessed be God! {Antiphon}

The Epistle 1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11

Lector: A Reading from the First Letter of Peter

Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that is taking place among you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. But rejoice insofar as you are sharing Christ's sufferings, so that you may also be glad and shout for joy when his glory is revealed. If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the spirit of glory, which is the Spirit of God, is resting on you. Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, so that he may exalt you in due time. Cast all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you. Discipline yourselves, keep alert. Like a roaring lion your adversary the devil prowls around, looking for someone to devour. Resist him, steadfast in your faith, for you know that your brothers and sisters in all the world are undergoing the same kinds of suffering. And after you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, support, strengthen, and establish you. To him be the power forever and ever. Amen.

[Silence]

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Sequence Hymn H • 495 “Hail Thou Once Despised Jesus” *In Babilone*

The Easter Gospel Acclamation

*Sung first by the Cantor; then by all.

Adapt. from an Alleluia for Easter Day
Setting by Chaz Bowers



*“Christ, our paschal lamb, has been sacrificed
Let us then feast with joy in the Lord.” (I Cor. 5:7)*

The Holy Gospel

John 17:1-11

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ ☩ according to John

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus looked up to heaven and said, “Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed. “I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one.”

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

The Rev. Raphiell Ashford

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

✠ “and the life of the world to come. Amen.”

The Prayers of the People **Form VI**

BCP 389

✠ “We pray for all who have died ...”

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Welcome/Announcements/Birthdays & Anniversaries



THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory Anthem “All Peoples, Clap Your Hands”

Chris de Silva

Based on Psalm 47, adapt. CdS

Words and Music by
Chris de Silva

All peo-ples, clap your hands, cry out with shouts of
joy! For the Lord has gone up and he sits up-on a
throne. All na-tions, clap your hands, sing praise to God; sing
praise! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

At the Presentation of Alms

**All standing*

“Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow” *Lasst uns erfreuen*



Praise God from whom all bless-ings flow, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
Praise him all crea-tures here be - low:



lu - ia! Praise him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost:



lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

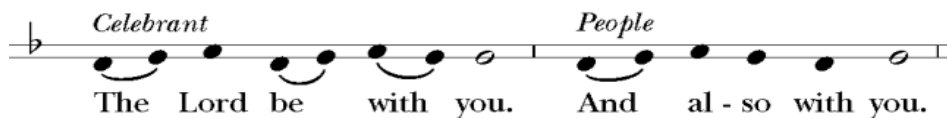
The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer “A”

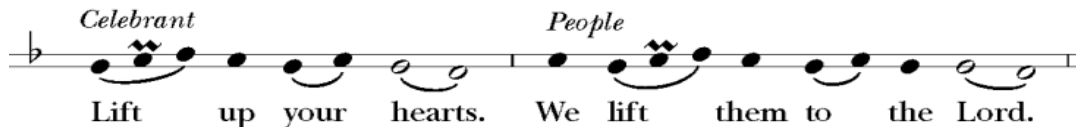
BCP 361

**The people remain standing.*

Sursum corda



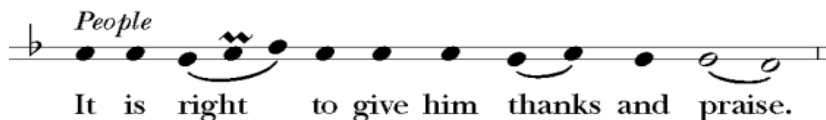
The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.



Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.



Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



It is right to give him thanks and praise.

**The Celebrant proceeds*

Sanctus et Benedictus

Setting: William Mathias

Ho - ly, ho - ly,
ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

**The people may kneel or sit.*

The Prayer of Consecration

BCP 362

“Do this in remembrance of me”

✠ (on the second time of the ringing of the bells.)

The Memorial Acclamation

Clarence J. Rivers

**Priest sings the Introduction*

There-fore we pro - claim_ the mys - ter - y of faith; _____
Christ_____ has died._____ Christ_____ is
ris - en._____ Christ will come a - gain al - le - lu - ia!_____

(At the invoking of the Holy Spirit) -- ✠ Sanctify us also that we ...

The Great Amen

*The Priest intones the first "Amen."

AMEN

Two staves of musical notation in G major and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and repetitive, consisting of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are: A - men, a - men, a - men.

Music: *Jubilation Mass*, James Chepponis, © 1999, GIA Publications, Inc.

The Lord's Prayer (*Pater Noster*)

BCP 364

The Breaking of the Bread (The Fraction)

*A period of brief silence is kept.

The Fraction Anthem

"Be Known to Us, Lord Jesus" Setting: Mode 6 melody

This setting is not used in Lent.

Antiphon: Cantor; then All

Single staff of musical notation in G major and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and repetitive, consisting of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are: Be known to us, Lord Je - sus, in the break - ing of the bread.

Cantor

Single staff of musical notation in G major and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and repetitive, consisting of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are: 1. The bread which we break, al - le - lu - ia,

Single staff of musical notation in G major and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and repetitive, consisting of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are: is the com - mun - ion of the bo - dy of Christ. [Ant.]

Cantor

Single staff of musical notation in G major and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and repetitive, consisting of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are: 2. One bo - dy are we, al - le - lu - ia,

Single staff of musical notation in G major and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and repetitive, consisting of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are: for though man - y we share one bread. [Ant.]

Agnus Dei

Celebrant: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:

People: Have mercy upon us.

Celebrant: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:

People: Have mercy upon us.

Celebrant: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:

People: Grant us thy peace.

Priest “The Gifts of God ✠ for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.”

The Music at Communion

H • 307 “Lord, Enthroned in Heavenly Splendor” *Bryn Calfaria*

H • 315 “Thou, Who At Thy First Eucharist Didst Pray” *Song 1*

L • 183 “God Will Take Care of You” W. Stillman Martin

The Post-Communion Prayer

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. *Amen.*

The Four-fold Easter Blessing

May Almighty God, who has redeemed us and made us his children through the resurrection of his Son our Lord, bestow upon you the riches of his blessing. *Amen.*

May God who through the water of baptism has raised us from sin into newness of life, make you holy and worthy to be united with Christ for ever. *Amen.*

May God, who has brought us out of bondage to sin into true and lasting freedom in the Redeemer, bring you to your eternal inheritance. *Amen.*

And the blessing of God Almighty, ✠ Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen.*

The Post Communion Hymn L • 185 “Blessed Quietness” W.S. Marshall

Hymn in Procession H • 494 “Crown Him with Many Crowns” *Diademata*

The Dismissal w/Alleluias

Priest Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Postlude

“Toccata in C”

Jan Pieterszoon Swelinck

Regina Coeli (The Queen of Heaven) ✠

V. Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia.

R. For He whom you did merit to bear, alleluia.

V. Has risen, as he said, alleluia.

R. Pray for us to God, alleluia.

V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.

R. For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.

Let us pray.

O God, who gave joy to the world through the resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*It is the custom of this parish to remain seated in prayer and reflection during the Organ Postlude. If you need to leave, please do so quietly.

PARISH FELLOWSHIP is sponsored by the Men's Club.

SERVANTS FOR THE LORD

The Old Testament Lector

Amy Hussman

The Gospel Book Bearer

DeNell Hickman

Intercessor

Cynthia Parker Reed

Thurifer & Boat Bearer

Levi Johnson, III

Oblation Bearers

Karen & Chris Castelli

The Epistoler

Errol Porter

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Herman Hickman

Eucharistic Minister

Corliss Wise

Crucifer

Herman Hickman

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Videographer

Gary Bowden

INTERCESSIONS



- **Parishioners:** Charles W. Blakely, Gary Bowden, John Bowden, Christina Caldwell, Damion Cokley, Jackson Cokley, Patricia Cokley, Byron Eaddy, Gloria Eaddy, Eddie Glenn, Cynthia Goines, Robert Green, Yvonne Hall, Daryl Hammonds, Jr., Desmond Hammonds, Valencia Hammonds, Tarnez Hickman, Justin Hickmon, La'Toya Hickmon, Levi Johnson, Sr., James McLemore, Gwendolyn Meadows, Carmen Murray, Jay'ceon Quattlebaum, Malik Quattlebaum, Joseph Ray, Reginald Reed, Cassandra Sims, William Smith, Jr., Ronald Turner, Dorothy Walker
- **Family & Friends:** Ingrid Dowdell, Ernestine Grant, Gerald L. McNair, Elsie Mitchell, Katherine Robinson, Mattie Anderson-Roberson, Theodora Washington, Mattie Lee Ray
- **Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** Church of the Ascension, Seneca
- **Birthdays:** Cynthia Parker Reed
- **Anniversaries:** St. Luke's Episcopal Church
- **Births:**
- **Deaths:**
- **Traveling Mercies:** Gwendolyn Spann, Barbara Simmons, Paulette Parker-Smith, Peyton Parker-Smith, Cynthia Parker Reed

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECTOR'S SABBATICAL LUNCHEON...A "Sabbatical Luncheon" for the Rector will be held in Griffin Hall on Sunday, May 24th (The Day of Pentecost) at 12 noon to collect a free will offering to help him with miscellaneous sabbatical expenses (unplanned incidentals that might incur during his sabbatical leave June through August 2026). A basket will be located at Griffin Hall for you to place funds. Envelopes will be available, if needed.

In addition, the Rector & several parishioners from the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd will join us for the luncheon. If you have any questions regarding the luncheon, please address them to the Senior & Junior Warden.

THE DEADLINE TO RSVP FOR THE LUNCHEON IS TODAY.

SAFE CHURCH TRAINING... All persons in leadership & volunteer positions in the Church must be certified in Safe Church Training. The online training is offered for free courtesy of the Diocese. An email will be sent to those persons who are in need of the training. **The diocesan office will contact those who have registered but have not completed the training.**

ST. LUKE'S ENDOWMENT FUND... Please consider giving a donation on your birthday and/or anniversary of \$1 per year. Donations to the Endowment Fund will help to secure the future of St. Luke's. Your donations are needed and appreciated.

155th CHURCH ANNIVERSARY/ST LUKE'S DAY... Our beloved parish will be 155 years old on May 21st. We will observe this anniversary on the Feast of Saint Luke Sunday, October 18th. Each parishioner is asked to give \$155 in celebration for the anniversary.

SERVANTS FOR THE LORD... If you have a desire to serve in the Church in a certain capacity, please contact the Rector. If you are not sure what you calling is, contact the Rector for a one on one so that the two of you might discover your gifts and talents.

SECURITY.... Parishioners, the importance of security cannot be taken lightly. Please consider giving a donation for Security so that we may be proactive ant not reactive.

ST. LUKE'S CHORAL SCHOLARS & BLAKELY-ROBINSON MUSIC FUND... Your contributions are always appreciated and needed more than ever. Contributions to these funds help to secure choristers & instrumentalists for our Sunday services as well as special services: funerals, weddings, etc. It is because of your continued generous contributions that we are able present glorious choral & instrumental music to the glory of God. **Please consider contributing towards this fund**

CONFIRMATION DRIVE: Starting June 1st – June 30th, we will have our annual Confirmation Drive. Each parishioner is asked to pay \$1 for each year of their confirmation. A list will be posted in the Narthex and in Griffin Hall. The proceeds of the drive will go towards funding the choir.

MAY 2026 CALENDAR OF SERVICES/MEETINGS/EVENTS

MAY	SERVICE/MEETING/EVENT	TIME & PLACE
17 th (Sunday)	The Seventh Sunday of Easter (The Sunday after Ascension Day) The Holy Eucharist: Rite II	10:00am Nave
18 th (Monday)	Rector's Day Off (Sabbath)	
19 th (Tuesday)	Finance Committee	4:00pm-5:15pm Griffin Hall
	Vestry Meeting	6:00pm-7:15pm Griffin Hall
20 th (Wednesday)	Quilters & Crafters	10:30am-1:00pm Griffin Hall
	Choir Rehearsal	6:00pm
21 st (Thursday)	The 155 th Anniversary of the Founding of St. Luke's Parish	
	Fresh Start Ministry	9:00am-12:00noon The O'Neal Center
22 nd (Friday)	Parish Office Closed	
	Rector's Spirituality Day: Sermon Prep, Spiritual Direction, etc.	
23 rd (Saturday)	4 th Saturday Feeding	12:00noon-1:00pm Griffin Hall @ the entrance door
24 th (Sunday)	The Day of Pentecost: Whitsunday The Holy Eucharist: Rite II *Wear red or something red	10:00am Nave
	Rector's Sabbatical Luncheon Guests: Rector & Parishioners from the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd	12:00 noon Griffin Hall
25 th (Monday)	Rector's Day Off (Sabbath)	
	Memorial Day/ Parish Office Closed	

26 th (Tuesday)	Bylaws Committee	5:30pm-6:30pm Griffin Hall
	Buildings & Grounds	TBD
27 th (Wednesday)	Choir Rehearsal	6:00pm
28 th (Thursday)	Fresh Start Ministry	9:00am-12:00noon The O'Neal Center
	Rector meets w/Technology & Communication Chair	10:45am Griffin Hall
29 th (Friday)	Parish Office Closed	
	Rector's Spirituality Day: Sermon Prep, Spiritual Direction, etc.	
30 th (Saturday)		
31 st (Sunday)	The First Sunday after Pentecost (Trinity Sunday) The Holy Eucharist: Rite II Youth Sunday	10:00am Nave

MUSIC ACKNOWLEDGMENTS & PERMISSIONS FOR USE

Easter Gospel Acclamation

Chaz Bowers

Service music

Easter Opening Acclamation, *Sursum corda, Sanctus, &*

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The Memorial Acclamation

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The Great Amen

James Chepponis from *Jubilation Mass*

The Fraction Anthem

Setting: Mode 6 melody; adapt. Mason Martens

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LITURGICAL NOTES

THE SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION DAY

The Sunday after Ascension Day is the seventh Sunday of the Easter season (just as Pentecost Sunday is the eighth Sunday of Easter). The designation Sunday after Ascension Day is a change from the BCP 1979 back to the practice of earlier Anglican prayer books which sought to distinguish Ascensiontide (the ten-day period from Ascension Day to Pentecost) from the earlier part of the Easter season focused on Jesus' resurrection appearances on earth. The Collect this week with the petition "Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit" invites us into the experience of the first disciples who, according to Luke, watched Jesus ascend but then returned to Jerusalem to wait to be *clothed with power from on high* (Luke 24:49).

Ascensiontide refers to the ten-day period between the Feast of the Ascension and the Feast of Pentecost. The Sunday within that period may be referred to as the Seventh Sunday of Easter or the Sunday in Ascensiontide.

Ascension of Christ, The, or Ascension Day

The occasion on which the risen Christ is taken into heaven after appearing to his followers for forty days (Acts 1:1-11, Mk 16:19). The Ascension marks the conclusion of Jesus' post-resurrection appearances. It is the final elevation of his human nature to divine glory and the near presence of God. The Ascension is affirmed by the Nicene and Apostles' Creeds. The Ascension is celebrated on Ascension Day, the Thursday that is the fortieth day of the Easter season. It is a principal feast of the church year in the Episcopal Church.

In Western Christianity, the earliest possible date is 30 April (as in 1818 and 2285), the latest possible date is 3 June (as in 1943 and 2038). In the Catholic Church, the Ascension of the Lord is ranked as a Solemnity and is a Holy Day of Obligation. In the Lutheran Churches, the Feast of the Ascension is a feast. In the Anglican Communion, Ascension Day is a Principal Feast.

The three days before Ascension Thursday are sometimes referred to as the Rogation days, and the previous Sunday—the Sixth Sunday of Easter (or the Fifth Sunday *after* Easter)—as Rogation Sunday.

Ascension has a vigil and, since the 15th century, an octave, which is set apart for a novena of preparation for Pentecost. In the Book of Common Prayer of the Church of England the Sunday following Ascension Day is called the Sunday after the Ascension. For Anglo-Catholics Ascension Day is a double of the 1st class with a privileged octave of the third order.

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“The Episcopal Church is a secret too well kept. Many are starved for what we experience daily and too easily take for granted. Invite others to come to your parish to experience this joy.”

Louie Crew, author of *101 Reasons to be Episcopalian*