

# Christ Lutheran Church

Order of Service: Matins - p. 109  
Rogate, The Sixth Sunday of Easter  
*Christian Prayer*  
17 May 2020

## 1. Confession of Sin

### 2. A Hymn

#381 – Come, My Soul, with All Thy Care

### 3. The Versicles

#### The Collect of the Day

O God, from whom all good things do come, grant to us, Your humble servants, that by Your holy inspiration we may think on those things that are right and by Your merciful guiding may perform the same: through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one true God, now and forever. Amen.

#### The Epistle Lesson

James 1:22–27

Be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man who looks intently at his natural face in a mirror. For he looks at himself and goes away and at once forgets what he was like. But the one who looks into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and perseveres, being no hearer who forgets but a doer who acts, he will be blessed in his doing.

If anyone thinks he is religious and does not bridle his tongue but deceives his heart, this person's religion is worthless. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unstained from the world.

#### The Gradual

Christ, who has redeemed us with His blood

**Has risen and appeared to us.**

If I am lifted up from the earth

**I will draw all peoples to Myself.**

I came forth from the Father and have come into the world.

**Again, I leave the world and go to the Father.**

Hallelujah! Christ, our Passover is sacrificed for us.

**Therefore let us keep the feast. Hallelujah!**

## The Holy Gospel

St. John 16:23–30

[Jesus said] “In that day you will ask nothing of Me. Truly, truly, I say to you, whatever you ask of the Father in My name, He will give it to you. Until now you have asked nothing in My name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full.

“I have said these things to you in figures of speech. The hour is coming when I will no longer speak to you in figures of speech but will tell you plainly about the Father. In that day you will ask in My name, and I do not say to you that I will ask the Father on your behalf; for the Father Himself loves you, because you have loved Me and have believed that I came from God. I came from the Father and have come into the world, and now I am leaving the world and going to the Father.”

His disciples said, “Ah, now You are speaking plainly and not using figurative speech! Now we know that You know all things and do not need anyone to question You; this is why we believe that You came from God.”

### 8. A Hymn

#382 – Lord, Teach Us How to Pray Aright

### 9. The Sermon

### 11. The Creed

### 12. The Prayers, beginning with the Kyrie

### 13. The Lord's Prayer

*For the Lord's Prayer we will sing*  
*Hymn #394*

### 14. The Collect

### 15. The Benedicamus

### 16. The Benediction