



ST FRANCIS XAVIER'S CATHEDRAL

ADELAIDE

Easter Sunday

11am Mass

20th April 2025

Entrance Hymn: Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia!
Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia!
Suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia!
Unto Christ, our heavenly king, Alleluia!
Who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!
Sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!

But the pains which he endured, Alleluia!
Our salvation have procured; Alleluia!
Now exalted he is King, Alleluia!
and the angels ever sing. Alleluia!

Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!
Praise eternal as his love; Alleluia!
Praise him now might confess, Alleluia!
Father, Son, and Spirit blest. Alleluia!

By: Latin carol, 14th cent.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 117:1-2, 16-17, 22-23. R. v.24

(R.) This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad.

Sequence

Christians, to the Paschal Victim offer sacrifice and praise.
The sheep are ransomed by the Lamb; and Christ, the undefiled,
hath sinners to his Father reconciled.
Death with life contended: combat strangely ended! Life's own Champion, slain,
yet lives to reign. Tell us, Mary: say what thou didst see upon the way. The tomb

the Living did enclose; I saw Christ's glory as he rose!
The angels there attesting; shroud with grave-clothes resting.
Christ, my hope, has risen: he goes before you into Galilee.
That Christ is truly risen from the dead we know. Victorious king, thy mercy show!

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! Christ has become our paschal sacrifice; let us feast with joy in the Lord. Alleluia

Offertory Hymn: Lord We Gather Today

Lord, we gather today
In Your house, we kneel down and pray
We ask for your mercy as we open our hearts
To receive Your forgiveness O Lord

Lord, we lift up to You
All these gifts we offer for Your glory
We will eat this living bread,
We will drink this saving cup
And feel your presence O Lord

As we offer this bread and as we bring You this wine
Bless them Lord Jesus, feed us now, give us life
Send us Your Spirit, the source of our lives
And together we will serve You with love

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Communion Hymn: Behold the Lamb

See Him there, the great I Am
A crown of thorns upon His head
The Father's heart displayed for us
Oh God, we thank You for the cross
Lifted up on Calvary's hill
We cursed Your name and even still
You bore our shame and paid the cost
Oh God, we thank You for the cross

Behold the Lamb

The story of redemption written on His hands

Jesus, You will reign forevermore

The victory is Yours

We sing Your praise

Endless hallelujahs to Your holy name

Jesus, You will reign forevermore

The victory is Yours

Offer up this sacrifice

For every sin, our Savior died

The Lord of Life can't be contained

Our God has risen from the grave

Our God has risen from the grave

When the age of death is done

We'll see Your face, bright as the sun

We'll bow before the King of Kings

Oh God, forever we will sing

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Communion Hymn: One Bread One Body

One bread, one body, one Lord of all,

one cup of blessing which we bless.

And we, though many throughout the
earth, we are one body in this one Lord.

Gentile or Jew, servant or free

woman or man no more.

Many the gifts, many the works;

one in the Lord of all.

Grain for the fields, scattered and grown;

gathered to one, for all.

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Communion Hymn: Risen

When darkness veiled the sky the day that Jesus died
In agony upon the bitter cross
They took His body down and laid it in a tomb
His friends believed that everything was lost.
But when the third day came, the darkness turned to light
For Mary heard her name and saw the living Christ.

Risen to set the captives free
Risen to ransom you and me
to bind up every broken heart
to conquer death and sin.
Risen to bring us home again.

And in that barren place the world forever changed
For hope was born when Jesus rose that day
And still His wounded hands reveal the love He has
For every fallen soul He came to save
And He will come again, and one by one we'll rise
To praise His holy name and see the living Christ

Alleluia, He lives
Alleluia, He is

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Recessional Hymn: Jesus is Risen

1. Jesus is risen! Let us sing! Praise to the everliving King!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise him in song, ye Seraphim! Praise him with
joy, ye Cherubim! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

2. On this most holy day of days, Let us together sing his praise!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Raise joyful voices to the sky! Sing out, ye heavens,
in reply: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

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