

Glory to God, whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus,
for ever and ever. Amen.

The Blessing

Hymn: 212

Richmond

The Dismissal

Priest: Go forth in the name of Christ.

All: Thanks be to God.

PLEASE BE SEATED AND REMAIN QUIET FOR THE POSTLUDE

Piano Postlude: Prelude No. 9 in E-major BWV 854 J. S. Bach
(from the Well-Tempered Clavier, Book One)

Those Who Have Asked For Prayers

Arcelia, Phyllis, Montelle, Tannis, William, Vanesta, Marcelle, Morgan, Joseph, Thomas, Matthew, Ken, Cuthbert, Belinda, Jim, Louise, Dorothy, Christine, Nolan, Beckie, Adonica, Atiba, Lovena, Pamela, Leonie, Richard, Anne, Tracey, John, Charles, Evernese, George, Hazene, Donald

Please welcome our guest pianist

Edmee Nataprawira is a young and aspiring musician with a wide range of musical interests. Her first explorations of music began at the piano, where she continues to flourish under the direction of Carla Hartsfield. Edmee has achieved



certificates of distinction in piano, history, and theory from the Royal Conservatory of Music in Toronto.

She is currently working towards her diploma in piano performance, and has also performed with cello and voice.

Upcoming Events and Announcements

Welcome to everyone here today. Please join us after mass for refreshments and conversation in the parish hall

Intercessions List: A list of intercessions is available each Sunday on the small table at the entrance. Please feel free to add petitions and names of those you would like prayed for during mass.

Next Sunday Acts 3.12–19 Ps 4 1 John 3.1–7 Luke 24.36b–48

Feasts and Commemorations this week

Monday: Mollie Brant

Tuesday: Anselm, Archbishop and Doctor

Blessing of the new Petrof Grand Piano will take place during today's 11 am mass. Please take the time to join us in the parish hall for a reception and to meet **Sharon Heaton** who so generously donated this wonderful gift to the parish.

Vestment restoration fund: anyone wishing to donate to the restoration of the SSJD altar frontal please see Fr. Hoopes. Any amount would be appreciated.

Sunday breakfast: We are always looking for volunteers: please speak with Fr. David Hoopes

Concerts a Midday begin May 23rd with the Ton Beau String Quartet. Don't miss this wonderful series and bring your friends. **Please consider becoming a patron of Music at St. Stephen's Concerts.** See John Gardham. Donations are tax deductible.

CHURCH OF ST. STEPHEN IN-THE-FIELDS

103 Bellevue Avenue, Toronto, Ontario M5T 2N8

Sung Eucharist: Sunday @ 11 o'clock am

Said Eucharist: Wednesday @ Noon

Bible Study & Meditation: Tuesdays @ 7:30pm

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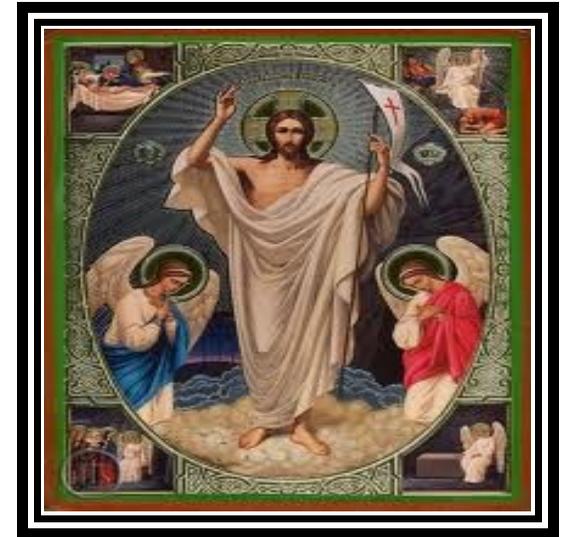
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Christus Resurrexit

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Octave Day of Easter

April 15th, 2012

SUNG EUCHARIST AT 11 O'CLOCK

Have you believed, Thomas, because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet believe. John 20.29

Organ Prelude:

V: Christ is Risen! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

R: He is Risen indeed! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

V: May His grace and peace be with us all. Alleluia!

R: May He fill our hearts with joy. Alleluia!

Priest: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with be with you all.

Response: And also with you.

Priest: Almighty God,

All: to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. 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: *BAS page 186 (see separate sheet)* *Scottish Chant*

Collect: *page 336*

Liturgy of the word

(a period of silence is observed after each reading)

Old Testament Lesson

Acts 4:32-35

PSALM 133 *Ecce, quam bonum* *Tone I.1*

BEHOLD, how good and joyful a thing **it** is / for brethren to dwell toge-**ther** in u-**nity**!

2 It is like the precious oil upon the head, that ran down unto **the** beard, / even unto Aaron's beard, and went down to the collar **of** his clö-thing;

3 Like as the dew of **Her**-mon, / which falleth upon the **hills** of Sî-on.

4 For there the LORD promised his **ble**-ssing, / even **life** for ë-vermore.

The Epistle

1 John 1:1-2:2

Gradual Hymn: 209 *St. Botolph*

The Holy Gospel

(please stand)

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John

All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

John 20:19-31

Priest: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily: The Reverend Fr. D.B. Hoopes

Priest: Let us confess our faith, as we say,

The Nicene Creed *page 188*

The Intercessions

(names and prayers may be added to the list at the entrance)

V: Rest Eternal Grant Unto Them O Lord.

R: And Let Light Perpetual Shine Upon Them

V: May they rest in peace and rise in Glory

R: AMEN

Confession and Absolution

Priest: Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Most merciful God,

ALL: we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

Priest: Almighty God have mercy upon you, † pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN

The laying on of hands

(please come forward if you desire a blessing)

Blessing of the Grand Piano

(following the blessing the piano will be inaugurated by Edmee Nataprawira)

Arabesque no. 1" *Claude Debussy*

(from Deux Arabesques)

Announcements

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you

All: And also with you

Offertory Hymn: 206 *O filii et filiae*

Prayer over the gifts: *BAS page 337*

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise

Proper Preface: *Of Easter* *page 254*

Eucharistic Prayer: 3 *page 198*

Sanctus: *(separate sheet)* *Scottish Chant*

Lord's Prayer: *(BAS page 918)* *McNeil Robinson*

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant :Lord, we died with you on the cross.

All: Now we are raised to new life.

Celebrant: We were buried in your tomb.

All: Now we share in your resurrection.

Celebrant: Live in us, that we may live in you.

Pascha nostrum: *(Separate sheet)* *Scottish Chant*

(All baptized Christians are welcome at the altar. We receive communion standing or kneeling as you feel comfortable and ask that you please not lean on the rail)

Communion Music: 'Here I am to Worship' *Michael Smith*
(please feel free to join in the chorus)

(please stand for the prayer after communion)

Prayer after Communion: *page 337*