



GRACE CHURCH IN PROVIDENCE

*Welcome to "Voices of Grace",
our virtual worship experience that features parishioners
leading worship from their own homes.
We hope you join us from yours!
Wherever you are, we pray for your health and well-being.
God bless you!*

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May 10, 2020 ~ The Fifth Sunday of Easter
Voices of Grace "Virtual" Worship

CHORAL PRELUDE

LOCUS ISTE, a Deo factus est, inaestimabile sacramentum, irreprehensibilis est.

Translation: This place was made by God, a priceless sacrament; it is without reproach.

Sung by the Grace Church Choristers, recorded individually and compiled for today's service.

*Words: Gradual for the Anniversary of the Dedication of a Church
Music: David Halls (b.1963)*

HYMN 487



1 Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life: such a
2 Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength: such a
3 Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart: such a



way as gives us breath; such a truth as ends all
light as shows a feast; such a feast as mends in
joy as none can move; such a love as none can



strife; such a life as kill - eth death.
length; such a strength as makes _____ his guest.
part; such a heart as joys _____ in love.

*Words: George Herbert (1593-1633)
Music: The Call, Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)*

THE LESSONS

PSALM 31:1-5, 15-16

Said by all

Led by Duncan Cook

**In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge; let me never be put to shame; *
deliver me in your righteousness.**

Incline your ear to me; *

make haste to deliver me.

**Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe, for you are my crag and my stronghold; *
for the sake of your Name, lead me and guide me.**

**Take me out of the net that they have secretly set for me, *
for you are my tower of strength.**

Into your hands I commend my spirit, *

for you have redeemed me, O Lord, O God of truth.

My times are in your hand; *

rescue me from the hand of my enemies, and from those who persecute me.

Make your face to shine upon your servant, *

and in your loving-kindness save me."

THE LESSON

John 14:1-14

Read by Selina Olawoye

JESUS said, "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going." Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?" Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him." Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it."

People The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

THE HOMILY

The Rector

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Led by Lisa Gerlach

ANTHEM

JERUSALEM, Jerusalem, thou that killest the Prophets,
thou that stonest them which are sent unto thee;
how often would I have gathered unto me thy children, and ye would not!

Erin Preston, Soprano

Words: Matthew 23:37

Music: from Paulus Oratorio, Op. 36, Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

THE BLESSING

The Rector

~ PRAYER LIST ~

This week, we pray for *Sarah, Diana, Ruby, Lola, the family of Sister Mary Angelus, Jesse, Chris Yengbeh, Ricky & Patty Birkes, Maria Diamante, Bob Scanlan, Robert Cramer, Bob Nelson, Kenneth Scanlan, Jerry Clifford, all those caring for the sick, those seeking treatments and vaccines for the virus, and all those whose work places them in harm's way.* We also pray for those members of our church who are homebound.

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