

MORNING PRAYER

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

APRIL 11, 2021 | 10:00 AM

PRELUDE

SONATA No. 6 IN D MINOR, OP. 65 No. 6
III. FUGA: SOSTENUTO E LEGATO IV. FINALE: ANDANTE

FELIX MENDELSSOHN

THE GOSPEL: JOHN 20:19-31

Please stand for the reading of the Gospel, as you are able.

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe." A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

THE SERMON

THE RT. REV. DIANA AKIYAMA
BISHOP OF OREGON

HYMN

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WE WALK BY FAITH, AND NOT BY SIGHT

INTERCESSIONS

ANTHEM

THOU WILT KEEP HIM IN PERFECT PEACE

SAMUEL SEBASTIAN WESLEY

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

FUGUE IN G MINOR, BWV 542/II

J.S. BACH

HYMN
All Sing

WE WALK BY FAITH, AND NOT BY SIGHT

1 We walk by faith, and not by sight; no
2 We may not touch his hands and side, nor
3 Help then, O Lord, our un - be - lief; and
4 that, when our life of faith is done, in

gra - cious words we hear from him who spoke as
fol - low where he trod; but in his prom - ise
may our faith a - bound, to call on you when
realms of clear - er light we may be - hold you

none e'er spoke; but we be - lieve him near.
we re - jice, and cry, "My Lord and God!"
you are near, and seek where you are found:
as you are, with full and end - less sight.

PARTICIPANTS IN THE SERVICE

Preacher	The Rt. Rev. Diana Akiyama, Bishop of Oregon
Assisting	The Rev. Anne Emry, The Rev. Andy McQuery
Lector	Charles Deister
Cantor	Nicholas Ertsgaard
Choir	Trinity Section Leaders
Organ	Zachary Duell