

MUSIC BULLETIN

St. Peter Canisius International Catholic Parish

Easter Vigil, April 4th, 2026

EASTER PROCLAMATION (EXULTET)

Rejoice, heavenly powers! Sing choirs of angels! Exult, all creation around God's throne! Jesus Christ, Our King, is risen! Sound the trumpet of salvation!

Rejoice, O earth, in shining splendor, radiant in the brightness of your King!

Christ has conquered! Glory fills you! Darkness vanishes forever!

Rejoice, O Mother Church! Exult, in glory! The risen Savior shines upon you! Let this place resound with joy Echoing the mighty song of all God's people!

Priest : The Lord be with you

Answer : And with your spirit

Priest : Lift up you hearts

Answer : We lift them up to the Lord

Priest : Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

Answer : It is right and just

It is truly right that with full hearts and minds and voices we should praise the unseen God, the all powerful Father, and His only Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

For Christ has ransomed us with His blood, and paid for us the price of Adam's sin to our eternal Father! This is our Passover feast, when Christ the true Lamb, is slain, whose blood consecrates the homes of all believers.

This is the night when first you saved our fathers: you freed the people of Israel from their slavery and let them dry-shod through the sea. This is the night when Christians everywhere, washed clean of sin and freed from all defilement, are restored to grace and grow together in holiness. This is the night when Jesus Christ broke the chains of death and rose triumphant from the grave.

Father, how wonderful your care for us! How boundless your merciful love! To ransom a slave you gave away your son. O happy fault, O necessary sin of Adam, which gained for us so great a Redeemer! The power of this holy night dispels all evil, washes guilt away, restores lost innocence, and brings mourners joy. Night truly blessed when heaven is wedded to earth and man is reconciled with God!

Therefore, heavenly Father, in the joy of this night, receive our evening sacrifice of praise, your Church's solemn offering.

Accept this Easter candle. May it always dispel the darkness of this night! May the Morning Star which never sets find this flame still burning: Christ, that Morning Star, who come back from the dead, and shed His peaceful light on all mankind, your Son who lives and reigns forever and ever.

GLORIA

*Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth (2x)

Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glory. * Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us. * You are seated at the right hand of the Father, receive our prayer *. For you alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord, You alone are the most high, Jesus Christ with the Holy Spirit. In the glory of God, the Father. Glory to God in the highest and peace to his people on earth. Amen, Amen, Amen!

SPRINKLING WITH BAPTISMAL WATER & OFFERTORY

REJOICE IN THE LORD ALWAYS

Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say, Rejoice.

Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say, again I say Rejoice.

And again I say Rejoice

Be careful for nothing, but in Ev'rything by prayer and supplication with thanks giving, let your request be known unto God.

And the peace of God which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say, Rejoice.

Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say, again I say Rejoice.

And again I say Rejoice. Amen

THE HEAVENS ARE DECLARING

1. The heav'ns are declaring the Lord's endless glory. Through all the earth His praise is found. The seas reecho the marvelous story, O man, repeat that glorious sound. The starry host He orders and measures, He fills the morning's golden springs: He wakes the sun from His night curtained slumbers, O man, adore the King of Kings; O man, adore the King of Kings.
2. What power and splendor, and wisdom and order, In nature's mighty plan unroll'd! Through space and time to infinity's border, what wonders vast and manifold. The earth is His, and the heav'ns o'er it bending. The Maker in his works behold! He is, and will be, Through ages unending, A God of strength and love untold. A God of strength and love untold

ALLELUIA GIVE THANKS TO THE RISEN LORD

*Ref. Alleluia, Alleluia, give thanks to the Risen Lord
Alleluia, Alleluia, give praise to His Name*

1. Jesus is Lord of all the earth, He is the King of creation
2. Spread the Good News o'er all the earth, Jesus has died and has risen
3. We have been crucified with Christ, now we shall live forever

JESUS CHRIST IS RISEN TODAY

1. Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia! Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia! Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia! Suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!
2. 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!
3. But the pains which he endured, Alleluia! Our salvation have procured; Alleluia! Now above the sky he's king, Alleluia! Where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!

GRACE ALONE

Every promise we can make. Every prayer and step of faith
Every difference we can make Is only by His grace
Every mountain we will climb Every ray of hope we shine
Every blessing left behind Is only by His grace

***Ref. Grace alone Which God supplies Strength unknown He will provide
Christ in us Our cornerstone We will go forth in grace alone***

Every soul we long to reach Every heart we hope to teach
Everywhere we share His peace Is only by His grace
Every loving word we say Every tear we wipe away
Every sorrow turned to praise Is only by His grace ***Ref.***

SANCTUS ~ Mozart

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt Caeli, et terra
Pleni sunt gloria tua. Hosanna, in excelsis. Hosanna, in excelsis, Hosanna in excelsis,
in excelsis. Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in excelsis. Hosanna in excelsis

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION ~ Heritage Mass

When we eat this bread and drink this cup. We proclaim Your death O Lord, until
You come again

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name, Thy Kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into
temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power
and the glory, forever. Amen.

AGNUS DEI ~ Heritage Mass

Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us
Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us
Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, grant us peace

COMMUNION HYMN

AGNUS DEI (HOW GREAT THOU ART)

Alleluia Alleluia For the Lord God Almighty reigns

Alleluia Alleluia

Holy Holy Are You Lord God Almighty

Worthy is the Lamb Worthy is the Lamb.

You are Holy Holy. Are You Lord God Almighty

Worthy is the Lamb Worthy is the Lamb

Oh Lord, my God. When I, in awesome wonder. Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made. I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder. Thy power throughout the universe displayed

Then sings my soul, my Savior God to Thee. How great Thou art, how great Thou art

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Holy Holy Are You Lord God Almighty

Worthy is the Lamb. Worthy is the Lamb.

Holy Holy Are You Lord God Almighty

Worthy is the Lamb. Worthy is the Lamb. How great Thou art.

Worthy is the Lamb. Amen

MY TRIBUTE

How can I say thanks for the things You have done for me?

Things so undeserved. Yet You gave to prove Your love for me;

The voices of a million angels could not express my gratitude.

All that I am, and ever hope to be; I owe it all to Thee.

Ref. To God be the glory, to God be the glory, to God be the glory for the things He has done. With His blood He has saved me; with His power He has raised me; To God be the glory for the things He has done.

Just let me live my life. Let it be pleasing, Lord to Thee;

And if I gain any praise, let it go to Calvary.

With His blood He has saved me; with His power He has raised me; To God be the glory for the things He has done. Ref.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

HALLELUJAH CHORUS

Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

For the Lord God omnipotent reigneth,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

For the lord God omnipotent reigneth,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah!
For the lord God omnipotent reigneth,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
(Hallelujah)

The kingdom of this world is become the Kingdom of our Lord
and of His Christ, and of His Christ;
(and He shall reign for ever and ever)
[King of Kings, forever and ever,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah!
and Lord of Lords, forever and ever,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah!] 2X

King of Kings, forever and ever, Hallelujah, Hallelujah!
and Lord of Lords, King of Kings, and Lord of Lords,
[and He shall reign] 3x
and He shall reign forever and ever,

King of Kings, forever and ever, and Lord of Lords, Hallelujah, Hallelujah!
and He shall reign forever, forever and ever.

King of Kings, and Lord of Lords, King of Kings, and Lord of Lords,
and He shall reign forever and ever,
King of Kings, and Lord of Lords,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah!