



CHRIST
CHURCH
OF ARLINGTON

April 5, 2026

Easter

God Welcomes Us

* Call to Worship

Based on 1 Tim. 3:16

Leader: Great indeed, we confess, is the mystery of godliness:

ALL: He was manifested in the flesh, vindicated by the Spirit, seen by angels, proclaimed among the nations, believed on in the world, taken up in glory.

Leader: He is risen!

ALL: He is risen indeed!

* Prayer of Invocation

Leader: Glorious Lord of life, by the mighty resurrection of Your Son You overcame the old order of sin and death to make all things new in Him. Grant that we who celebrate with joy Christ's rising from the dead may be raised from the death of sin to the life of righteousness, through Him who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

ALL: Amen.

* Song of Praise

Christ the Lord Is Ris'n Today

* *Please stand (if possible)*

God Restores Us

Prayer of Confession

A Prayer of Samuel Johnson

ALL: Merciful God, you are full of compassion, patient, and overflowing with mercy. Lead me in repentance, that I may flee from sin and guilt and flee to you with a broken spirit and a contrite heart. Merciful Lord, visit, comfort, and relieve me. Increase my knowledge of your Word and confidence in your mercy, and in the world to come give me life eternal. Strengthen me against sin, and empower me to perform every duty, that I may serve you in whatever station in life you have called me; for the sake of our Lord and Savior, your Son Jesus Christ. Amen.

Silent Confession of Sin

* Assurance of Forgiveness

From 1 Peter 1:18-21

Leader: You were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot.

ALL: He was foreknown before the foundation of the world but was made manifest in the last times for the sake of us who through him are believers in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that our faith and hope are in God.

* Song of Adoration

Worship Christ the Risen King

Confession of Faith

The Westminster Shorter Catechism Q&A #28

Leader: What is Christ's exaltation?

ALL: Christ's exaltation consists in His rising again from the dead on the third day, in ascending into heaven, in sitting at the right hand of God the Father, and in coming to judge the world at the last day.

Pastoral Prayer

Congregational Prayer

ALL: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

God Nourishes Us

Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 15:3-7 (p. 961)

Leader: The grass withers and the flower fades,

ALL: but the Word of our God will stand forever.

* Song of Preparation

Eternal Weight of Glory

Sermon

"The Power of the Risen Lord"

James 5:7-17 (p. 1013)

Rev. Billy Boyce

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Prayer of Humble Access for Holy Communion

ALL: We do not presume to come to this, your table, O Merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy even as to gather up the crumbs from under your table. But you are the same Lord, whose eternal nature is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, that by faith in your dear son, Jesus Christ, our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, so that we evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Presentation of Communion Elements

Minister: Behold! The gifts of God for the people of God! Hallelujah!

People: Hallelujah!

Words of Institution

Song of Communion

See What a Morning

Distribution of the Bread and Cup

Minister: When we eat this meal we are reminded that we are not our own,

ALL: But together belong to Christ, and in Christ belong to one another.

Minister: The bread that we break is a sharing in the body of Christ.

ALL: And we who are many are one in Him! *(partake of the bread together)*

Minister: The cup that we drink is a sharing in the blood of Christ.

ALL: And we who are many are one in Him! *(partake of the cup together)*

* Doxology

He Is Risen

* Benediction

Sermon Notes

1. Jesus is _____

2. Jesus is _____

3. Jesus is _____

Announcements

*CCA Scripture Reading this Week
1 Kings 9-13; Psalm 72*

Sunday School

Sunday School for all ages will resume next week.

Women's Bible Studies

Both Monday and Tuesday studies are off this coming week (April 6 & 7). For more information, please reach out to Melynda.

Native Plant Talk

Join us this Saturday, April 11th at 2PM, as our next-door neighbor and trained biologist Libby Lyons shares gardening tips and resources on native plants. This free event is a great opportunity to learn more about creation-care as well as meet some of our neighbors. RSVP using the link in our Friday announcements.

April Sunday Supper

This month's Sunday Supper will be on April 12th, 5:30-7PM in the Chapel. We'll be continuing our elder-led discussions on the Five Discourses of St. Matthew. More information can be found in our Friday announcements.

CCA Men's Retreat - April 18, 9AM-1PM

Our men's retreat, "Holy and Honorable: Living Lives of Godly Men," is coming up Saturday, April 18th, 9AM-1PM. RSVP via the link in our Friday announcements.

CCA Women's Weekend - April 24-25

Join your CCA sisters for fellowship and encouragement at Friday night fun gatherings out and Saturday teaching, prayer, and small groups downstairs in the Chapel. Check our Friday announcements for an RSVP link!

Men's Discipleship and Leadership Training

The next men's discipleship gathering will be on Sunday, May 3rd, 6-8PM in the Chapel. For discussion materials or more info, contact Elder Paul or Pastor Billy.

Welcome to CCA!

Thank you for joining us in worship this morning. We pray that you encounter God's glory and experience his great love for you in Christ today.

Please join us for refreshments after the service. If you have any questions about the service, please contact any of our leaders.

Children: We invite children of all ages to join us throughout the worship service. If nursery care is desired, our nursery is available for children three and under. Kids' worship activity bags and kids' bulletins are also available in the narthex.

Communion: We welcome all baptized believers, who have made a public profession of faith in Jesus Christ, to join us in our celebration of the Lord's Supper. We offer wine (clear cups) and juice (purple cups), our bread is gluten-free, and we take the elements together once all have been served.

Giving: We give ourselves and our loyalty to the Lord every Sunday, as an act of worship and sacrifice of praise. If you are also led to give a financial gift to the church, you can do so using the envelopes and offering box in the back of the sanctuary, or online at ccapca.org/give.

Who We Are

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