Morning Prayer from St Columba, Collingtree. 4th April 2021.

Greeting

Alleluia! Christ is Risen.

He has risen indeed, Alleluia!

Song

See what a morning...

Prayers of Penitence

Christ our Passover lamb has been sacrificed for us. Let us therefore rejoice by putting away all malice and evil and confessing our sins with a sincere and true heart.

So let us confess our sins to Almighty God.

Lord God, we have sinned against you;

We have done evil in your sight.

We are sorry and repent.

Have mercy on us according to your love.

Wash away our wrongdoing and cleanse us from our sin.

Renew a right spirit within us and restore to us the joy of your salvation, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Declaration of Forgiveness

As far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us. Psalm 103.12

Collect

God of glory, by the raising of your Son you have broken the chains of death and hell: fill your Church with faith and hope; for a new day has dawned and the way to life stands open in our Saviour Jesus Christ.

The Easter Anthem

- 1 For Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed: ◆ therefore let us keep the Festival,
- 2 not with the old bread leavened with malice and wickedness: ◆ but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

1 Corinthians 5. 7b, 8

- 3 For we know that since Christ was raised from the dead, he cannot die again: ◆ death no longer has mastery over him.
- 4 The death he died, he died to sin once for all: ◆ but the life he lives, he lives to God.
- 5 In the same way, count yourselves dead to sin: ◆ but alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Romans 6. 9-11 6

- 6 But Christ has indeed been raised from the dead: ◆ the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.
- 7 For since death came through a man: the resurrection of the dead comes also through a man;
- 8 for as in Adam all die: ◆
 even so in Christ all will be made alive.

1 Corinthians 15. 20-22

Reading

John 20 v 1 - 8

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Talk.

Hymn/Song

Beautiful Saviour

'The Lord's Prayer'

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

Our Father in heaven,

Hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,

Your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

Give us today 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 the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

Lord in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

Hymn

Thine be the Glory

Closing prayer

God the Father, by whose glory Christ was raised from the dead, strengthen you to walk with him in the Risen life; and the blessing of God; the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, rest upon us now and always. Amen.