

THE MINISTERS OF
Shrewsbury Parish Church

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The Very Reverend Henry M. Sabetti,
Rector/Dean of Northern Convocation
The Reverend Stephan Klingelhofer, Priest Associate
The Reverend Marguerite Samuels, Deacon
The Right Reverend James J. Shand, Visiting Bishop

The Vestry:

Mrs. Jane Cropper 27, Mrs. Kelly Schelts 27, Mr. James Stevenson 27,
Mrs. Katie Hughes 28, Mr. Bob & Mrs. June O'Connell 28,
Mrs. Kathy Bacastow 29,
Mrs. Debra Geng 29 and Ms. Kimberly Fox 29

WELCOME TO
*Shrewsbury
Parish*

THE SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

April 5, 2026



Welcome

Welcome to Shrewsbury Parish Episcopal Church! We are honored by your presence today for worship and invite you and your family into the life and ministry of this historic and active parish.

Here are a few items that will assist you with navigating our service:

- Please sanitize your hands upon entry to the church.
- Facemasks are optional.
- Please receive a service bulletin from an usher. You may take it home or return it following the service to the basket in the narthex.
- At both services, please follow along in *The Book of Common Prayer*, which can be found in the pew rack in front of you.
- At the 10:00 am Rite II service hymns can be found in *The Hymnal 1982* and at times in separate handouts.
- Please join in singing at the 10:00 am service.
- Restrooms are available in the Parish Hall.

If you need anything or have a question, please ask an usher or another parishioner.

We are here to help you feel comfortable.

Holy Communion

ALL persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion in this church.

There are no exceptions. YOU are welcome to God's table.

Please come to the altar rail and either stand or kneel for the reception of communion. The priest will place the bread in your hand and the chalice will be offered by the Lay Eucharistic Minister. You may take a sip or intinct, that is dip the bread into the chalice before consuming it. If you have mobility issues, please notify the usher and the priest will be happy to bring communion to you in your pew.

~Following the service, please join us in the Parish Hall for a time of hospitality. Coffee, tea, water and snacks are available.

Pastoral Care and Prayer Requests

Should you wish to speak with a priest or have a pastoral emergency, please contact the Rector, Fr. Henry Sabetti at 301-418-0908.

Please direct any prayer requests to the Rector or to place a name on the Parish Prayer List contact the Parish Administrator at 410-348-5944 or shrewsburychurch@gmail.com

The Service is being *Livestreamed* each Sunday at 10:00 am on our Facebook Page.

Praise God from whom ALL blessings flow!

Shrewsbury Parish Prayer List - April 2026

Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:

We give thanks for the witness of God's people and ministry at Bayleigh Chase. For their Deacon, Sherry Snyder, and all caretakers that minister to the residents and staff.

Parish Cycle of Prayer:

Harriet & John Silcox, Thomas Sinnott & Ileana Lindstrom and Benjamin Smoot & Debbie Murray

Parish Ministry Cycle of Prayer:

For a blessed and joyous Easter Season

Prayers For:

Vaccus Afentoulis, Mark Barto, The Beasley Family, The Rev. Warren Beaven, The Rev. Nora Becker, Karen Boulden, Jan Brandon, Gail Carter, Melissa Casadonti, Patricia Craven, Steve Cropper, Lee Davis, The Rev. Clarie Nevin-Field, Linda Fonseca, Linda Hall, Charlie Hawkins, Eileen Hoban, William Irish, Ray Jovanovich, Susan Karbaum, Vernon Miller, David Murphy, Bob O'Connell, Carmen Parks, Laurie Pearn, Amie Price, Pamela Ann Quarstein, Patrick Randolph, Joe Riding, Don Redman, Barbara Rein, Denise Roberts, Peggy Samuels, Kiera Seyd, Raina Seyd, Holden Slaight, Benjamin Smoot, Faith Spear, Kate Terry, Kathy Terry, Mike Terry, Michelle and Trey Timmons, Anne Van Horn, Kirk Wade, Lori Watson, Chris Wallman, Dan Walsh, David Welch, Abiah, Eleni, Joshua, John, Judge and Marianne

Those serving in the Armed Forces:

Jonathan Campbell, Jonathan Conner, Jeff Gross, Jr., Tracy Lee Fauteux II, Collin Jones, George Jones and Jack Mecca

ONLINE *giving* 

April 5, 2026
Easter

Altar Guild: All Teams
Ushers: John Silcox, Peter Thayer
6:30 a.m. Sunrise Holy Eucharist (Outdoor Chapel)
Greeters: Joy Mayfield, Kelly Schelts
LEM/Acolyte: James Stevenson
7:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I
Greeters: Lucinda McCartan, Joy Mayfield
LEM: Mary Lou Pagella
Acolyte: James Stevenson
8:45 a.m. Coffee & Conversation
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II
Greeters: Kim Fox, Gregory Fox, Debra Geng
LEM: Pam Quarstein
OT Reader: Mike Philipp
Acolyte: Adeline Pechin

The Parish Office will be closed tomorrow on Easter Monday.

April 12, 2026
The Second Sunday Of Easter

Altar Guild: Team 4
Ushers: Barbara Lloyd, Lisa Raffetto
7:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist Rite I
Lem: Carol Niemand
Acolyte: James Stevenson
8:45 A.M. Adult Spiritual Formation
10:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist Rite II
LEM & OT Reader: Kelly Schelts
Acolyte: Adeline Pechin

GOOD MORNING & WELCOME TO

Shrewsbury Parish

THE SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

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The Easter Lilies are given to the Glory of God by:

Ms. Sue Coleman

In loving memory of my sister, Patricia Driscoll Fisher

Mrs. Sharon Debnam

In loving memory of George R Debnam

Mrs. Debi Geng & Family

In loving memory of Dr. Norman R and Mabel Ellis

The Very Reverend Henry & Mrs. Lisa Sabetti

*In loving memory of our parents, Ellen Griffin and Jeff Galloway
In honor of the people of Shrewsbury Parish and Friends of Bill W.*

The Reverend Deacon Marguerite Samuels

*In loving memory of Mary Marshall, Captain Edward &
Anna Holdstock, Anna Jane Collins, John & Catherine Collins
and Larry Samuels*

April 5, 2026
Easter Sunday
6:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II
Jesus Is Risen

Opening Acclamation for Easter	BCP 355
The Collect for Purity	BCP 355
The Gloria	BCP 356
The Collect of the Day	BCP 170
The First Lesson	Acts 10:34-43
The Psalm	Psalm 118:1-2,14-24
The Epistle	Colossians 3:1-4
The Gospel	John 20:1-18
The Homily	The Very Reverend Henry M. Sabetti
The Renewal of Baptismal Vows	BCP 304
The Prayers of the People Form III	BCP 387
The Passing of the Peace	
Announcements and Blessings	
The Doxology (Sung)	
The Holy Communion	BCP 361
<i>All are welcome to receive the Body and Blood of Christ</i>	
Post Communion Prayer	BCP 365
The Blessing	
The Dismissal	BCP 366

The Epistle

Colossians 3:1-4

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

The Gospel

John 20:1-18

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping?" She said to them, "They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him." When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?" Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away." Jesus said to her, "Mary!" She turned and said to him in Hebrew, "Rabbouni!" (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, "Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.'" Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, "I have seen the Lord"; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

The Response
Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

April 5, 2026
Easter Sunday
7:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I
Jesus Is Risen

- 1 Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; *
his mercy endures for ever.
- 2 Let Israel now proclaim, *
"His mercy endures for ever."
- 14 The LORD is my strength and my song, *
and he has become my salvation.
- 15 There is a sound of exultation and victory *
in the tents of the righteous:
- 16 "The right hand of the LORD has triumphed! *
the right hand of the LORD is exalted!
the right hand of the LORD has triumphed!"
- 17 I shall not die, but live, *
and declare the works of the LORD.
- 18 The LORD has punished me sorely, *
but he did not hand me over to death.
- 19 Open for me the gates of righteousness; *
I will enter them;
I will offer thanks to the LORD.
- 20 "This is the gate of the LORD; *
he who is righteous may enter."
- 21 I will give thanks to you, for you answered me *
and have become my salvation.
- 22 The same stone which the builders rejected *
has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23 This is the LORD's doing, *
and it is marvelous in our eyes.
- 24 On this day the LORD has acted; *
we will rejoice and be glad in it.

(Silence is observed prior to worship)

Opening Acclamation for Easter	BCP 323
The Collect for Purity	BCP 323
Summary of the Law	BCP 324
The Gloria	BCP 324
The Collect of the Day	BCP 170
The Lessons (sitting)	
The First Lesson	Acts 10:34-43
The Psalter	Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24
The Epistle	Colossians 3:1-4
The Gospel	John 20:1-8
The Sermon	The Very Reverend M. Henry Sabetti
The Renewal of Baptismal Vows	BCP 304
The Prayers of the People	BCP 329
The Passing of the Peace	BCP 332
Greetings, Announcements and Blessings	
The Holy Communion <i>(All are welcome to receive the Body and Blood of Christ)</i>	
The Offertory and the Doxology	
Eucharistic Prayer II	BCP 340
Holy, Holy, Holy (<u>Sanctus</u>)	BCP 341
The Prayer of Consecration	BCP 342
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 336
The Breaking of the Bread	BCP 337
The Lamb of God	BCP 337
The Prayer of Humble Access	BCP 337
The Post Communion Prayer	BCP 339
The Blessing	BCP 339
The Dismissal	BCP 339

April 5, 2026
Easter Sunday
10:00 a.m. Eucharist Rite II
Jesus Is Risen

Processional Hymn	“Jesus Christ is Risen Today” Hymn 207
Opening Acclamation for Easter	BCP 355
The Collect for Purity	BCP 355
Hymn of Praise	“He is Risen” Hymn 180 (Omit *’s)
The Collect of the Day	BCP 222
The First Lesson	Acts 10:34-43
The Psalm	Psalm 118:1-2,14-24
The Epistle	Colossians 3:1-4
Gradual	“Alleluia, Alleluia” Hymn 178
The Gospel	John 20:1-18
The Sermon	The Very Reverend Henry M. Sabetti
The Renewal of Baptismal Vows	BCP 304
The Prayers of the People Form III	BCP 387
The Passing of the Peace	
Announcements and Blessings	
The Offertory Hymn	“We Know that Christ is Raised and Dies No More” Hymn 296
The Doxology	“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” Hymn 380 (v.3)
The Holy Communion	BCP 361
The Sanctus	S125
<i>All are welcome to receive the Body and Blood of Christ</i>	
Communion Hymn	“I Am the Bread of Life” Hymn 335
Post Communion Prayer	BCP 365
The Blessing	
The Recessional Hymn	“At the Lamb’s High Feast We Sing” Hymn 174
The Dismissal	BCP 366

The Collect

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The First Reading

Acts 10:34-43

Peter began to speak to Cornelius and the other Gentiles: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ--he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."