Acts 10:34-43

³⁴Then Peter began to speak to them: 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, 35but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. ³⁶You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. ³⁷That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: 38how 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. ³⁹We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; 40 but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, 41not 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. ⁴²He 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. 43All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.

Mark 16:1-8

⁶When the sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. ²And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. ³They had been saying to one another, 'Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?' ⁴When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. ⁵As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. ⁶But he said to them, 'Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. ⁷But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you.' ⁸So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

Christ the Lord is Risen Today

- **1** Christ the Lord is risen today! Alleluia! Earth and heaven in chorus say; Alleluia! Raise your joys and triumphs high; Alleluia! Death in vain forbids Him rise; Alleluia! Sing, O heavens, and earth reply, Alleluia!
- 3 Lives again our glorious King; Alleluia! Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia! Jesus died, our souls to save; Alleluia! Where your victory, O grave? Alleluia!
- 2 Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia! Fought the fight, the battle won; Alleluia! Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia!
- 4 Hail the Lord of earth and heaven! Alleluia! Praise to You by both be given; Alleluia! Every knee to You shall bow, Alleluia! Risen Christ, triumphant now. Alleluia!

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

- **1** There's a wideness in God's mercy, Like the wideness of the sea. There's a kindness in God's justice, Which is more than liberty. There is no place where earth's sorrows Are more felt than up in heaven; There is no place where earth's failings Have such kindly judgment given.
- 2 For the love of God is broader than the measures of the mind; And the heart of the Eternal Is most wonderfully kind. If our love were but more faithful, We would gladly trust God's Word; And our lives reflect thanksgiving For the goodness of our Lord

The Day of Resurrection!

- **1** The day of resurrection! Earth, tell it out abroad; The Passover of gladness, The Passover of God. From death to life eternal, From this world to the sky, Our Christ hath brought us over, With hymns of victory.
- 2 Our hearts be pure from evil, That we may see aright The Lord in rays eternal Of resurrection light; And listening to his accents, May hear, so calm and plain, His own "All hail!" and, hearing, May raise the victor strain.

3 Now let the heavens be joyful! Let earth the song begin! Let the round world keep triumph, And all that is therein! Let all things seen and unseen Their notes in gladness blend, For Christ the Lord is risen, Our joy that hath no end.