

# + Taizé Thursday +

**Eastertide + 2 May 2024**

**Welcome!** We are so pleased that you are here for this period of simple, meditative prayer in the Taizé tradition.

In our prayer together this evening—through the words and music and silence—you are invited into *stillness*, where you can listen for the voice of God.

**CHRIST** is always the true center and focus of Taizé reflection—including and especially today, in this joyous, glorious season of Eastertide.



1. **Preparation & Collect**

2. **Opening Song: *Laudate Dominum***

Laudate Dominum, laudate Dominum  
Omnes gentes—Alleluia!

3. **Psalmody: *Psalm 96***

4. **Song: *O Christe Domine Jesu***

O Christe Domine Jesu, O Christe Domine Jesu!

5. **Gospel: *John 15. 9-17***

6. **Song: *Let Us Praise Your Name***

Let us praise your name, God our Saviour,  
Alleluia, alleluia! (2x)

Praise and bless your name, God our Saviour,  
Praise and bless your name, alleluia!

Let us praise your name, God our Saviour,  
Alleluia, alleluia!

7. **Eastertide Reflection: *Paula Gooder***

8. **Silence:** a few minutes of silent reflection

9. **Litany / Intercessions**

10. **Prayer of God's Reign**

11. **Benediction & Charge**

12. **Concluding Song: *Bless the Lord***

Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's holy name.  
Bless the Lord, my soul, Who leads me into life.

