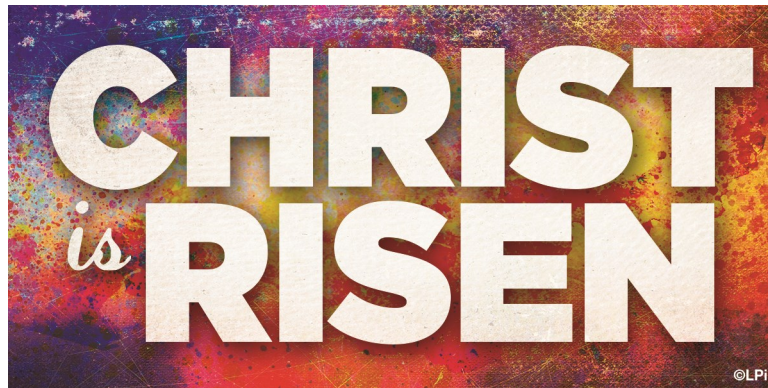


## ANNOUNCEMENTS

***Strategic Plan for Sacred Heart School:*** A strategic plan is a road map for the future of our Catholic school ministry at Sacred Heart. Within our plan we will develop targeted goals and initiatives to foster quality and sustainability of Sacred Heart Catholic School (Elementary and High School). The plan will be constructed 5-10 year vision for our future. We will seek corporate feedback from parents, benefactors, staff members, and others. We are looking for a group of dedicated people to represent those who make up Sacred Heart School Community. Parents, alumni, teachers, parishioners, and community members. We would like representation from all the parishes represented in our school in the PineBelt Area. If you want to be a part of helping to write this strategic plan, please contact Dr. Elizabeth Yankay, Ms. Vicki Flanagan, or Fr. Ken Ramon-Landry as soon as possible. We will contact you as soon as selections are made and supply materials to study during the summer in preparation for meeting in August.

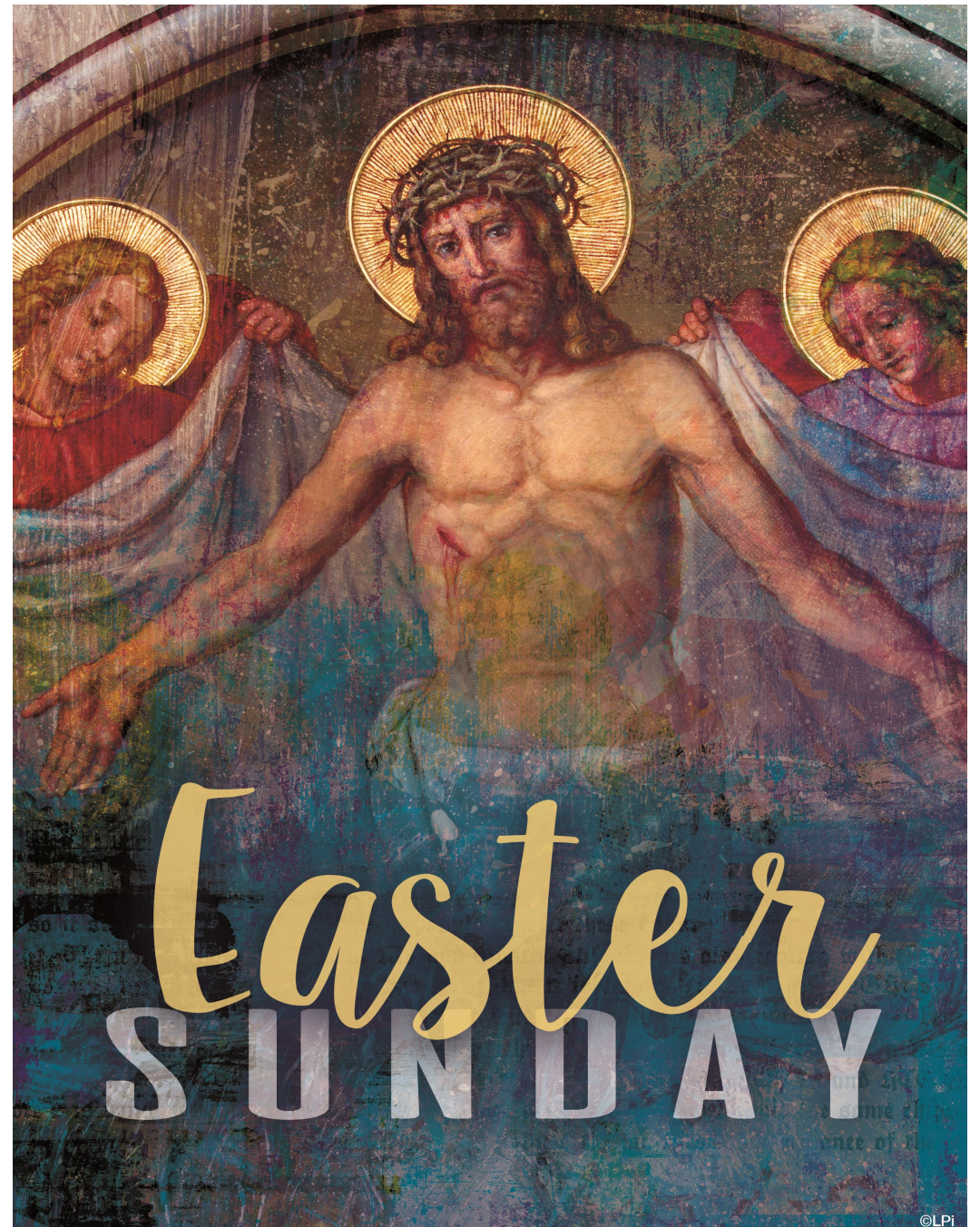
***PLEASE JOIN US AFTER MASS FOR OUR EASTER EGG HUNT AND 3RD SUNDAY CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST.***



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***HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH***

***April 21, 2019***







GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

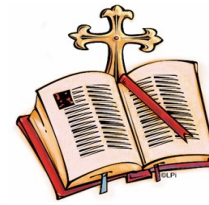
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Easter Sunday

Can you imagine that moment? Can you imagine the stomach drop with dizzying realization: "It's all true. All of it is true! The past three years weren't a dream that ended horribly wrong." Can you imagine all the doubts and despair of the past days chased away like smoke on the wind by a rolled up burial cloth? By an empty tomb?

It didn't start that way, of course. "'They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don't know where they put him.'" This frantic news from Mary Magdalene would have been another unexpected blow. After all that happened, now his body has been stolen? The love and devotion in Peter and John is apparent. They don't wait to collect more information or stop by the tomb when they have a chance. They run to the site. When is the last time you ran for something? This isn't a run for exercise, but a huffing and puffing bolt fueled by desperation. Can you imagine that moment? The fear pounding in their temples, matching their accelerated heart rate. Can you imagine the impatient affection of John, who outruns Peter but refuses to enter the tomb alone? And then, upon entry, "He saw and believed."

This is the drama of our great feast! The promise that seemed lost has been found. The dead are raised. Long before the Easter eggs and ham, we are invited to meditate on this divine reality. We are invited to feel the desperation and joy of that first Easter Sunday deep in our bones. Because it is not just Mary's story. It's not Peter and John's story. It's our story. From the greatest defeat can come the most awe-inspiring victory, and this is true not just for our God, but for each one of us. He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Liturgical Publications



Readings for the week of April 21, 2019

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 [24]/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or Lk 24:13-35

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22 [5b]/Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9 [3b]/Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9 [2ab]/Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118: 1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a [22]/Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21 [21a]/Mk 16:9-15

Next Sunday: Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31



April 21, 2019  
Elizabeth Perry  
April 23, 2019  
James Booth (healing)

Date	Commentator	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
APR 21	Charo	Shirley	Nikki, Arthur
APR 28	Dominique	Nikki	Arthur, Shirley
Alter Servers			
APR 21	AJ, Adam		
APR 28	Ameze, Raider		

