

### GOD'S OVERFLOWING KINDNESS

The superabundance of God's kindness ties all of today's readings together. Especially when life overwhelms us, the Lord provides all we need, and then some. In the Acts of the Apostles, Peter takes the lead when facing the Sanhedrin. We might expect the man who denied Jesus to crumble under the imposing glare of the high priest. Instead, the Holy Spirit helps him testify to his faith in Jesus Christ. What Peter had lacked before, courage and conviction, God provides in abundance. Similarly, today's Gospel shows Jesus providing a surplus of fish for the disciples. They have no luck fishing until the Lord intercedes. Jesus supplies an almost ridiculous number of fish, and he cooks it for them, too. As our reading from Revelation affirms, the overflowing riches of God require constant praise. Countless creatures—"everything in the universe"—cry out to honor the Lord, forever and ever. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Brought before the Sanhedrin, the apostles give witness to Jesus Christ. (Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41).

**Psalm** — I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me (Psalm 30).

**Second Reading** — In his vision John sees all in heaven and on earth give honor and glory to the one on the throne and to the Lamb (Revelation 5:11-14).

**Gospel** — Jesus appears to the disciples by the sea of Tiberias (John 21:1-19 [1-14]).

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29
- Tuesday: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14
- Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
- Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51
- Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
- Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69
- Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52; Ps 100:1-3, 5; Rv 7:9, 14b-17; Jn 10:27-30



### PRAYER OF THE WEEK

May your people exult for-ever, O God, in renewed youthfulness of spirit, so that, rejoicing now in the restored glory of our adoption, we may look forward in confident hope to the rejoicing of the day of resurrection. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

#### Reflection question:

What does it mean to me to have hope in the Resurrection?

#### WEEKDAY MASS UPDATE;

*Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, May 2-6, our daily mass will begin at 8:30am. Father Miguel will be attending the yearly Priests' conference.*

### MASSES FOR THE WEEK - MISAS DE LA SEMANA

#### Saturday

**4:30pm:** John Melhaff+

**6:30pm/Spanish:** Mario Rosales+

#### Sunday

**8:00am:** Alicia Andes+, Alcides de Melo+, Antonio & Lourdes Rego+

**10:00am:** Tony Mello+, John & Rose Rocha+, Bill Griffin+

**11:30am/Charley Mosqueda+,**

**Francisco Mosqueda+, Antonio Rincon+**

**8:30am/(M): All Souls+**

**8:30am/(T): All Souls+**

**8:30am/(W): All Souls+**

**8:30am/(Thurs): All Souls+**

**8:30am/(F): All Souls+**

#### Religious Education News:

Registration for all families will begin June 13<sup>th</sup>, thru July 25<sup>th</sup>, during office hours, (10am-2pm.)

#### Documents required:

Birth certificate if not baptized/for those receiving First Eucharist, Baptismal & First Eucharist Certificates, for those receiving Confirmation.

**Fee: One child \$50.00**

**Two children \$75.00**

**3 or more Children \$100.00**

Our parish observes **First Saturdays Devotion**, also called the Act of Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary on the first Saturday of each month at 9am in Rm 4.



There is a recitation of the holy rosary and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. In addition, immediately following on May 7th, the **Daughters of Isabella** will be offering a mini retreat called "A Walk With Mary" which focuses on the early life of Mary and her life as she followed her beloved Son's ministry. It will run from approximately 10am to 12noon in rms 1 & 2 and will be completed on June 4th, again after the devotional prayers. Please join us. Both the devotional prayers and mini retreat are bilingual.

Two \$500 Scholarships in memory of deceased **Knights of St. Christopher's Council, No. 9836**. To qualify, an applicant must be one or both of the following: The son or daughter of a registered and practicing member of the St. Christopher Parish, or be a son or daughter of a deceased registered member of St. Christopher Parish. Applications may be picked up at St. Christopher's Church Office during office hours, and must submit a completed application (including all required information) to the Parish Office no Later than **3:00PM on Thursday, May 19, 2022**



**World Day of Prayer** will be observed on Sunday, May 8, 2022 also known as "**Good Shepherd Sunday**". Please pray that young men and women hear and respond

generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood, or religious life.

**Tercer Domingo de Pascua**  
**1º de mayo de 2022**

#### LECTURAS DE HOY

**Primera Lectura** — Llevados ante el sanedrín, los apóstoles dieron testimonio de Jesucristo (Hch 5:27-32, 40b-41).

**Salmo** — Te ensalzaré, Señor, porque me has librado (Salmo 30 [29]).

**Segunda Lectura** — En su visión Juan ve todo en el cielo y en la tierra rindiendo honores y gloria al que está en el trono y al Cordero (Apocalipsis 5:11-14).

**Evangelio** — Jesús se aparece a los discípulos cerca del mar de Tiberíades (Juan 21:1-19 [1-14]).

#### LA BONDAD DESBORDANTE DE DIOS

La superabundancia de la bondad de Dios une todas las lecturas de hoy. Especialmente cuando la vida nos abruma, el Señor nos proporciona todo lo que necesitamos, y más. En los Hechos de los Apóstoles, Pedro toma la iniciativa cuando se enfrenta al Sanedrín. Nosotros podríamos esperar que el hombre que negó a Jesús se desmoronará bajo la imponente mirada del sumo sacerdote. En cambio, el Espíritu Santo le ayuda a dar testimonio de su fe en Jesucristo. Lo que a Pedro le había faltado antes, valor y convicción, Dios se lo proporciona en abundancia. Del mismo modo, el Evangelio de hoy muestra a Jesús proporcionando un excedente de peces a los discípulos. Ellos no tienen suerte pescando sino hasta que el Señor intercede. Jesús les proporciona una cantidad casi exorbitante de peces, y además les cocina algunos. Como afirma nuestra lectura del libro del Apocalipsis, las desbordantes riquezas de Dios requieren una alabanza constante. Innumerables criaturas, "todo en el universo", clama para honrar al Señor, por los siglos de los siglos. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

#### LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hch 6:8-15; Sal 119 (118):23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29

Martes: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Sal 19 (18):2-5; Jn 14:6-14

Miércoles: Hch 8:1b-8; Sal 66 (65):1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40

Jueves: Hch 8:26-40; Sal 66 (65):8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51

Viernes: Hch 9:1-20; Sal 117 (116):1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59

Sábado: Hch 9:31-42; Sal 116 (115):12-17; Jn 6:60-69

Domingo: Hch 13:14, 43-52; Sal 100 (99):1-3, 5; Ap 7:9, 14b-17; Jn 10:27-30

#### Noticias de la Doctrina:

La registración empieza el 13 de Junio a Julio 25, durante las horas de la oficina, (10am-2pm.)

#### Los documentos que necesitan:

Acta de nacimiento si no están bautizados.

Certificado de bautizo si están bautizados, certificados de Bautizo y Primera Comunión para los de Confirmación.

**Un niño \$50.00**

**Dos niños \$75.00**

**3 niños o mas \$100.00**