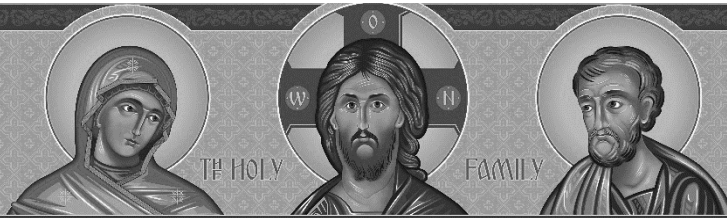


Holy
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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER – YEAR B – 14th APRIL 2024

FIRST READING : Acts 3:13-15,17-19

Peter said to the people: 'You are Israelites, and it is the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, the God of our ancestors, who has glorified his servant Jesus, the same Jesus you handed over and then disowned in the presence of Pilate after Pilate had decided to release him. It was you who accused the Holy One, the Just One, you who demanded the reprieve of a murderer while you killed the prince of life. God, however, raised him from the dead, and to that fact we are the witnesses. 'Now I know, brothers, that neither you nor your leaders had any idea what you were really doing; this was the way God carried out what he had foretold, when he said through all his prophets that his Christ would suffer. Now you must repent and turn to God, so that your sins may be wiped out.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM : Psalm 4:2,4,7,9



℟: *Lord, let your face shine on us-*.

When I call, answer me, O God of justice; from anguish you released me, have mercy and hear me! ℟

It is the Lord who grants favours to those whom he loves; the Lord hears me whenever I call him. ℟

'What can bring us happiness?' many say. Lift up the light of your face on us O Lord. ℟:

I will lie down in peace and sleep comes at once, for you alone Lord make me dwell in safety. ℟

SECOND READING : 1 John 2:1-5

I am writing this, my children, to stop you sinning; but if anyone should sin, we have our advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ, who is just; he is the sacrifice that takes our sins away, and not only ours, but the whole world's. We can be sure that we know God only by keeping his commandments. Anyone who says, 'I know him', and does not keep his commandments, is a liar, refusing to admit the truth. But when anyone does obey what he has said, God's love comes to perfection in him.

GOSPEL : Luke 24:35-48

The disciples told their story of what had happened on the road and how they had recognised Jesus at the breaking of bread.

They were still talking about all this when Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you!' In a state of alarm and fright, they thought they were seeing a ghost. But he said, 'Why are you so agitated, and why are these doubts rising in your hearts? Look at my hands and feet; yes, it is I indeed. Touch me and see for yourselves; a ghost has no flesh and bones as you can see I have.' And as he said this he showed them his hands and feet. Their joy was so great that they still could not believe it, and they stood there dumbfounded; so he said to them, 'Have you anything here to eat?' And they offered him a piece of grilled fish, which he took and ate before their eyes. Then he told them, 'This is what I meant when I said, while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses, in the Prophets and in the Psalms has to be fulfilled.' He then opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, 'So you see how it is written that the Christ would suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that, in his name, repentance for the forgiveness of sins would be preached to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses to this.'

NEW ADULT FORMATION SERIES: Thursday Evenings, 7-9pm...

THE MASS EXPLAINED

A new Thursday-Evening Formation-Series on the Mass. Join us as we walk through the parts of the Mass and study their biblical foundations. Give your cell-number to Office (Ellen) to be added to the notification list.

A. **P** A-ter noster, qui es in cæ-lis: sancti-fi-cé-tur
no-men tu-um; advé-ni- at regnum tu-um; fi- at vo-lún-
tas tu- a, sic-ut in cæ-lo, et in terra. Panem nostrum
co-ti-di- á-num da no-bis hó-di- e; et dimítte no-bis
dé-bi-ta nostra, sic-ut et nos di-mít-timus de-bi-tó-ri-bus
nostris; et ne nos indú-cas in tenta-ti- ó-nem; sed
lí-be-ra nos a ma- lo.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

Thine be the glory, risen,
conquering Son; endless is the victory,
thou o'er death hast won; angels in
bright raiment rolled the stone away,
kept the folded grave clothes where thy
body lay.

*Thine be the glory, risen conquering Son,
Endless is the vict'ry, thou o'er death hast
won.*

Lo! Jesus meets us,
risen from the tomb;
Lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and
gloom; let the Church with gladness,
hymns of triumph sing; for her Lord
now liveth, death hath lost its sting.
*Thine be the glory, risen conquering Son,
Endless is the vict'ry, thou o'er death hast
won.*

No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince
of life; life is naught without thee; aid us
in our strife; make us more than
conquerors, through thy deathless love:
bring us safe through Jordan to thy
home above.
*Thine be the glory, risen conquering Son,
Endless is the vict'ry, thou o'er death hast
won.*

OFFERTORY HYMN:

Bring all ye dear bought nations, bring,
your richest praises to your King.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

That spotless Lamb who more than due,
paid for His and those sheep you,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

That guiltless Son who bought your
peace, and made his Father's anger
cease. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Then life and death together fought,
each to a strange extreme were
brought, Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

I saw the tomb of my dear Lord, I saw
Himself and Him adored. Alleluia!
Alleluia!

I saw the shroud and saw the sheet, that
bound His head and wrapt His feet.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

I heard the angels witness bear, "Jesus
is risen, He's not here. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Go tell His followers they shall see, your
Hope and theirs in Galilee."
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

We, Lord, with faithful heart and voice,
on this Thy rising day rejoice.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
O Thou whose pow'r o'er came the
grave, by grace and love us sinners save,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

COMMUNION HYMN:**CHORUS:**

*By Your kingly power O risen Lord, all that
Adam lost is now restored,
in Your resurrection be adored.*

Sing the joyful Easter cry,
sound it to the souls in prison,
shout our triumph to the sky,
Sing Christ risen, Sing Christ risen.

Sing the joyful Easter cry,
let all times and peoples listen,
death has no more victory.
Sing Christ risen, Sing Christ risen.

Death has lost and life has won,
every newborn child we christen,
now becomes the Father's Son.
Sing Christ risen, Sing Christ risen.

*God loved the world so much
He gave His only Son that who
Believes in Him shall never die
but have Eternal life.*

God sent His Son into the world not to
condemn the world but that the world
might be saved through him.

Through Him, God reconciled all things
On earth and in the heav'ns,
By making peace by His blood outpoured.

May God give knowledge of His will,
And you with wisdom's understanding fill,
That you bear lasting fruit.

RECESSIONAL HYMN:

This joyful Eastertide,
away with sin and sorrow!
My love, the Crucified.
hath sprung to life this morrow.
Had Christ that once was slain
n'er burst His three day prison
our faith had been in vain,
but now is Christ arisen,
arisen, arisen, ARISEN!

My flesh in hope shall rest,
and for a season slumber,
till trump' from east to west,
shall raise the dead in number.
Had Christ that once was slain
n'er burst His three day prison
our faith had been in vain,
but now is Christ arisen,
arisen, arisen, ARISEN!

The temple now restored,
and from its side a river.
The Crucified is Lord,
salvation to deliver.
Had Christ that once was slain
N'er burst His three day prison
our faith had been in vain,
but now is Christ arisen,
arisen, arisen, ARISEN!

For death and life have fought,
with life though slain, the winner
My life by Blood He bought,
while I was yet a sinner.

Had Christ that once was slain
N'er burst His three day prison
our faith had been in vain,
but now is Christ arisen,
arisen, arisen, ARISEN!

NEXT SUNDAY:**21st April 2024**

Fourth Sunday of Easter (Yr B)
Acts 4:8-12; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18;

LITURGY ROSTER

Readers: J. Brodie, C. Tagiilima
Prayers of the Faithful: S. Shaw
Offertory: Tovio Family
Special Ministers: P. Tagiilima

CHURCH CLEANING*La'akulu Family***SUNDAY CUP OF TEA ROSTER***School Holidays***ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK****14 April:** Selevaine Malcon**15 April:** James Shaw**16 April:** Fr Frank McHale, Patrick Jury**17 April:** John Brown, Vice Mihotich**18 April:** Siu Shiwa Subermani**19 April:** Jack Bugler**20 April:** Davina Paterson**PARISH FINANCES**

Parish	\$3,054.93
Priests	\$1,527.47
Total AP's and Cash	\$4,582.40

HOLY FAMILY PARISH NOTICES

Pledge Envelopes and Receipts – There
are still envelopes waiting to be collected.
The receipts will be sent by email and
posted on **Sunday 21st April**. If you have
changed your email address, please let
Ellen know in the Office on 8346677 or
hfparish@xtra.co.nz

**Catechetical Programme: Baptism
Preparation Classes for older Children (7
years and older)** start 4th May at 4pm in
the St Joseph Centre. Please register with
the Parish Office - hfparish@xtra.co.nz or
098346677.

Cup of tea for next Sunday 21 April 2024.
If your family or group, would like to
volunteer. Please contact Ellen.

*Thank you to all who participated in the
recent 40 Days for Life vigil, attended the
Candlelight Vigils, and those of you who pray
daily for an end to abortion in our
nation. May God bless each of you for your
love and care for the babies, their mothers
and fathers and for seeking the conversion of
those who participate in and promote this
great evil. Michelle Kaufman and Simon
Archer, FLI*

**Church Carpark – Please do not park
on the grass or the driveway at the
front of the Church. There is plenty of
parking behind the Church.**