



THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER 2018

Sunday, April 15 Third Sunday of Easter

8:30 **BW** Parishioners and Friends of St. Rose

10:30 **BW** Jerry Stoeckle from Carol Wessel

12:00 **BW** Susan Castleberry from Hap

Monday, April 16

12:10 John Ianello from Anthony Ricciardi

Tuesday, April 17

12:10 M. Martin from Elizabeth O'Neill

Wednesday April 18

12:10 Poor Souls in Purgatory from the Sieber Family

Thursday, April 19

12:10 Special Intention for Storm Thompson from Carol and Larry

Friday, April 20

12:10 Alois Wedekind from the Mohr Family

Saturday, April 21

Saint Anselm, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

12:10 Elisabeth Kurzhels from the Family

BW 7:00 Gus Juengling from Patty and Barry Savage

Sunday, April 22 Fourth Sunday of Easter

8:30 **BW** Parishioners and Friends of St. Rose

10:30 **BW** Tom Neyer

12:00 **DE** Special Intention for the Helmut Roehrig Family from Mary

From the Pastor's Desk

On April 8th **Adam Lawson Green** was welcomed into the Catholic Church and Christian Community through the sacrament of Baptism. **Dawn Michele Green and Earl Bradley Green** were welcomed into the Catholic Church and Christian Community through the sacrament of Baptism, Confirmation and First Eucharist.

In the charity of your prayers please pray for the soul of **W. Reif Uihlein** whose funeral was this past week here at St. Rose Church.

St. Vincent DePaul Society has a Celebration of Service celebration every year honoring someone from the local community. This year they are honoring Fr. Barry. This is a benefit for the Society.

If you are interested in attending on May 8th at the Cintas Center, you can purchase tickets at SVDPcincinnati.org/COS or call Casey White @513-562-8841 Ext. 011.

Sunday, April 15th 7PM Chapel of St. Gregory the Great at Mt. St. Mary's Seminary.

Come sing the hymns, psalms and canticles of Evening Prayer and enjoy festival Easter music performed by the Athenaeum Chorale and Cincinnati Brassworks. Prelude and meditation music for the evening will include works by Palestrina, Victoria, and Martinson. There is no admission charge. All are welcome. 6616 Beechmont Avenue, Cincinnati, Oh 45230.

The CMA (Catholic Ministries Appeal) goal for St. Rose Church is \$33,853.00. As of today we have \$33,560.00. If you have not made your gift we ask you to do so in order that we may meet our goal.

This week, we are taking up **The Catholic Relief Services Collection** to respond to **Jesus in disguise**. This collection helps six Catholic agencies to provide relief and support to struggling communities and to work toward peace and reconciliation among our marginalized brothers and sisters here and around the world. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection. Learn more at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

The Cincinnati Catholic Men's Conference: Attention men, fathers and sons! The Cincinnati Catholic Men's Conference is almost here and makes a perfect opportunity for a day of faith, inspiration and bonding. We are expecting a HUGE turnout, get complete information on the conference and purchase tickets at www.CincinnatiMensConference.com. Get your ticket today for Saturday, April 28th, 2018 at the Taft Theatre. Featured Speakers: 1)Fr. Mitch Pacwa of EWTN 2)Fr. Larry Richards, Found of Reason For Hope Foundation 3) Coach Gerry Faust, former head football coach of Moeller High and University of ND and more.

You are invited to join Fr. Barry for a **10-day trip to Italy** next fall, October 2-12, 2018 for five days in Florence and five days in Rome with side trips. If you are interested in an itinerary, call the office at 513-871-1162.

Lectors/Lay Distributors for April 21st and April 22nd

7:00 Rich Creighton, M. Luehrmann, Mike Gregorio, W. Russ, Joe Keller

8:30 Jon Hemmer, Matt Howland, Tom Perrino, Michael Trotta, Lenny Diaspro

10:30 Michael Alfieri, Roland Becker, Timothy McMahon, Bob Sheil, Joe Sonnefeld

12:00 Pat Burke, John Flick, Patrick Homan,, Shawn Gillette

...But they were startled and terrified and thought that they were seeing a ghost. Then he said to them, "Why are you troubled? And why do questions arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me and see, because a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you can see I have." And as he said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While they were still incredulous for joy and were amazed, he asked them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of baked fish; he took it and ate it in front of them.

Luke

Next Sunday's Readings

Acts 4:8-12

1John 3:1-2

John 10:11-18

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Opening Prayer

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, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Reflecting on Living the Gospel

The student teacher was eager to receive some comments after his first experience in the classroom. The mentor offered a gentle critique: "When some students don't understand the lesson, it isn't enough simply to repeat it more loudly." The student teacher's experience can be our own. My explanation was so good! They'll understand it if I repeat it again. But instead of repeating something over and over, more loudly each time, it might be good to try another example or another explanation instead.

Now that we are in the third week of Easter, we hear yet another story of a resurrection appearance of Jesus. There are a number of different Easter stories that appeal to us on a variety of levels. Initially, the story was the finding of the empty tomb. Then, we had a story of the appearance of Jesus to the disciples without Thomas, followed by one with Thomas. Thomas says he will not believe unless he probes the nail marks. Now we have another story where the risen Jesus eats a meal. He is said to have flesh and bones. He is not a ghost. His eating baked fish virtually confirms that. If we didn't understand with the empty tomb, if we didn't understand when Jesus appeared even to Thomas, now there is another appearance where he graphically demonstrates that he is present among them. Of course, each of the three stories we are referring to are from different gospel writers: the empty tomb (Mark), the appearance to Thomas (John), and now the risen Jesus eating fish (Luke). But these texts are given to us on successive Sundays to confirm for us that Jesus truly rose from the dead.

Closing Prayer

Father of life, hear our Easter prayers. In our work to make these prayers a reality, may your love be perfected in us—love revealed in the resurrection of your Christ, in whose name we offer these prayers. Amen.

For Reflection:

- When was the last time I confronted my own "ignorance" about something or someone?

Suggestions for group and individual use:

1. Pray aloud the opening prayer (in The Roman Missal called the "collect");
2. One person read aloud the gospel;
3. Each read prayerfully "Reflecting on Living the Gospel" and spend some time in personal prayer;
4. Share together responses to "For Reflection";
5. Pray the "Closing Prayer."

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Gospel Luke 24:35-48

The two disciples recounted what had taken place on the way, and how Jesus was made known to them in the breaking of bread.

While they were still speaking about this, he stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you."

But they were startled and terrified and thought that they were seeing a ghost. Then he said to them, "Why are you troubled? And why do questions arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself.

Touch me and see, because a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you can see I have."

And as he said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While they were still incredulous for joy and were amazed, he asked them, "Have you anything here to eat?"

They gave him a piece of baked fish; he took it and ate it in front of them.

He said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the law of Moses and in the prophets and psalms must be fulfilled."



Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures. And he said to them, "Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things."

Readings for the week:

3rd Sunday of Easter Acts 8:13-15, 17-19 Ps 42, 4, 7-8, 9 1 John 2:1-5a Luke 24:35-48	Monday Acts 6:8-15 Ps 118:23-24, 25-27, 28-30 John 6:22-29	Tuesday Acts 7:51-8:3a Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b, 8a, 17 and 21ab John 6:50-55	Wednesday Acts 8:1b-8 Ps 68:1-3a, 4, 5, 6-7a John 6:55-60	Thursday Acts 8:26-40 Ps 68:8-9, 15-17, 20 John 6:44-51	Friday Acts 9:1-20 Ps 117:1bc, 2 John 6:52-59	Saturday Acts 9:31-42 Ps 118:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 John 6:50-60	4th Sunday of Easter Acts 4:8-12 Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 25, 28, 29 1 John 3:1-2 John 10:11-18
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