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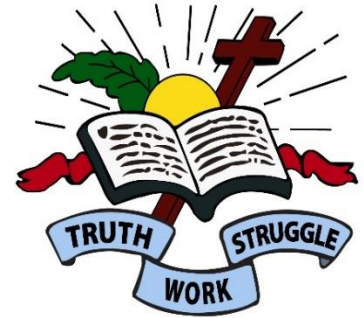
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## EASTER SUNDAY – ALLELUIA!

### About Today's Bible Readings

Jesus lives! The fact of his resurrection has set the world and its values upside down. (1 Corinthians).

Death is no longer the end but the beginning of a life that never ends (John).

Life has become a multi-dimensional experience in which believers share by faith in a ancient Passover; in which believers share daily the many great and small passages from death to life and look ahead to the ultimate passing over from time into the timelessness of eternity (Acts).

**Responsorial Psalm:**  
118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23

**R: This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.**

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### ENTRANCE RITE (Traditional CFR-RSV Psalm 139:18, 5b-6a; 118:1-2)

*V. I have risen: I am with you once more; you placed your hand on me to keep me safe. How great is the depth of your wisdom. Alleluia.*

**R. O Lord, you have probed me and you know me; you know when I sit and when I stand. Alleluia.**

*V. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.*

**R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen!**

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### SEQUENCE - Victimæ paschali laudes

Christians, to the Paschal Victim Offer your thankful praises! A Lamb the sheep redeems; Christ, who only is sinless, Reconciles sinners to the Father. Death and life have contended in that combat stupendous: The Prince of life, who died, reigns immortal. Speak, Mary, declaring What you saw, wayfaring. "The tomb of Christ, who is living, The glory of Jesus' resurrection; bright angels attesting, The shroud and napkin resting. Yes, Christ my hope is arisen; to Galilee he goes before you." Christ indeed from death is risen, our new life obtaining. Have mercy, victor King, ever reigning! Amen. Alleluia.

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### ALLELUIA (1 Corinthians 5:7b-8a, c)

*V. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.*

*R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.*

*V. For our paschal lamb, Christ, has been sacrificed.*

*Therefore let us feast with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.*

*R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.*

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### The Gospel (JOHN 20:1-9)

On the first day of the week, Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark, and saw the stone removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them, "They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don't know where they put him." So Peter and the other disciple went out and came to the tomb. They both ran, but the other disciple ran faster than Peter and arrived at the tomb first; he bent down and saw the burial cloths there, but did not go in. When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place. Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. For they did not yet understand the Scripture that he had to rise from the dead.

**This is the Gospel of the Lord!**

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# Worship Services

**TODAY – March 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Easter Sunday**

**Solemnity of The Resurrection  
of Our Lord – Procession**

9:00 AM – Deacon's Service  
of Worship and Reception of  
The Holy Eucharist.

**SUNDAY – April 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Second Sunday of Easter  
(Low Sunday)**

9:00 AM – Deacon's Service  
of Worship and Reception of  
The Holy Eucharist.

**Adoration of the Most  
Blessed Sacrament after the  
Service.**

## Easter Dinner

Next Sunday, April 3, 2016 we will  
be observing our annual traditional  
Easter Dinner in the Fellowship Hall  
at 3:00 PM.

**Tickets are:**

**Adults - \$12 & Children  
under 12 - \$3**

I sincerely hope that everyone will be  
able to attend and join with us as we  
enjoy good food and Christian  
fellowship.

## Committee Meeting

The next regular meeting of the  
Parish Committee will be held on  
Sunday, April 10, 2016 in the  
Fellowship Hall following the 9:00  
AM Deacon's Service. All committee  
members should plan to attend.

## Food Drive

During this season of repentance  
and reflection, I urge you to donate  
non-perishable food items by leaving  
them in the box which is marked for  
this purpose in the narthex. All  
donations will be distributed to those  
members of our community who are  
less blessed than ourselves. Thank  
you and God bless you.

## INTENTIONS:

**My Brothers and Sisters:** Our prayers are needed: For the increase in  
men called to the priesthood and diaconate of the Polish National Catholic  
Church; For the health and growth of our Parish; For all of the sick and  
homebound members of our Parish; For the health of Claire Armstrong,  
Raymond Priestler, Bob Rush, Bernice Muha, Stella Surma, Stanley  
Sostak, Rose Kubik, Janet Caruso, Victor McAlanis, Walter Schilling, Phillip  
Kuhn, Marie and Nunzie Sospetti, Robert Paterson, Dennis Wunderlich,  
David Wunderlich, Michael Havrilla, Gerry Brunson, Frank Fisher, Bob  
Piechota, Dane Smith, Berne Bloom, Father Fred Mechowski, Henry  
Nalepa and Anthony Tonzini. **Our Father...**

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## Processional Hymn #127

**Please kneel as the Blessed Sacrament passes your pew.**

Come, rejoice, our Lord is risen!  
Come, sing out the proclamation!  
Come, sing of his resurrection!  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Lo, our heav'nly King comes to us,  
As a flow'r arrayed so beauteous,  
Over death he reigns victorious.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

All the powers of hell are broken,  
All the foes of God are fallen,  
Yet us he has not forsaken,  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Three days in the tomb he lay there;  
The fate of mankind he would bear  
That his life all mankind may share.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

They who dwelt in sin's deep crevice,  
When at last they saw their savior,  
Called to Him in deepest sorrow.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

At Hell's portal they cried to Him,  
"Son of God, O King Almighty,  
Save us from Hell's awful forces.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Waiting in anticipation,  
Great their joy and their elation,  
When at last they saw salvation  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

*Where it is the custom to stop the procession as the celebrant arrives at each corner of  
the church, the following is intoned by the celebrant and is continued by the choir and  
congregation. All REMAIN STANDING during its intonation. The procession then  
resumes and the processional hymn is continued.*

V. *Through thy holy resurrection,*

R. **Christ, our Lord, Son of God,  
forgive us all our transgressions.  
For now thou hast risen from the dead;  
life eternal has begun, and death's battle  
Thou hast won, through thy holy strength,  
O Lord.**

***The remainder of today's Hymns will be announced from the altar.***