

I am the good shepherd,
and I know mine
and mine know me,
just as the Father knows me
and I know the Father;
and I will lay down my life
for the sheep.

JOHN 10:14-15



The People of God, called to form the Christian Community of . . .

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THE SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND MINISTRY TO THE SICK & ELDERLY

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is a sacrament of healing, expressing love of God and our Church for the sick, our shut-ins and the elderly. Please call for more information.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday, Evening: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm

Weekdays: Monday through Friday: 7:15 am, 9:00 am

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturday: 3:30 - 4:00 pm Other times by appointment.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call for further information.

THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

The Sacrament of Matrimony is celebrated for parishioners. The couple are to contact the priest at least **six (6) months** prior to the ceremony. Please call for more information

FOURTH SUNDAY OF
EASTER

APRIL 25, 2021

Masses for the Week

SATURDAY

5:00 The deceased members of the Kirsch & Scerbak families req. by Gabby Scerbak

SUNDAY

8:00 Maribeth Groth req. by Kathleen Groth
10:00 Bernie Farrell req. by the Farrell family
12:00 Bob Sorrentino req. by Eleanor Sorrentino

MONDAY

7:15 Lilla Sosi req. by Pina Demers
9:00 Renato G. Buhain req. by the Gayanelo family

TUESDAY

7:15 The Transfiguration Parishioners
9:00 Domenico Rivero req. by Carolyn Walters

WEDNESDAY

7:15 Maribeth Groth req. by Kathleen Groth
9:00 Benado Tran Quang Tinh req. by Lois Duggan

THURSDAY

7:15 A Special Intention
9:00 Nancy Sicardo req. by the Falcone family

FRIDAY

7:15 A Special Intention
9:00 Anna Scacco req. by the Falcone family

SATURDAY

8:00 Hilda Thompson req. by Ed & Barabra McEneny
5:00 Thomas Lauro req. by Pete & Sue Delmonico

SUNDAY

8:00 John Kraft req. by Tracy & Donald Smith
10:00 Milagros Sarni req. by the Ramirez family



The Sanctuary candle burning in the Church this week is for the 50th Anniversary of Joseph & Mary Ann Rella

The Sanctuary candle burning in the Chapel this week is in memory of Mary Kunert req. by Kyle Broadway

The Shrine candle is burning this week is for all those fighting for justice.

Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 25, 2021

See what love
the Father has bestowed on us
that we may be called the children of God.
— 1 John 3:1

Readings for the Week

Sunday: **Fourth Sunday of Easter; World Day of Prayer for Vocations**
Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29;
1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: **St. Peter Chanel; St. Louis Grignon de Montfort**
Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8;
Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: **St. Catherine of Siena**
Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27;
Jn 13:16-20

Friday: **St. Pius V; National Arbor Day**
Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: **St. Joseph the Worker; First Saturday**
Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14
or (for the memorial) Gn 1:26 — 2:3 or
Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90:2-4, 12-14,
16; Mt 13:54-58

Sunday: **Fifth Sunday of Easter**
Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-28, 30-32;
1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

RESPONDING TO THE CALL

Do we truly know the voice of Christ? Do we truly respond to the voice of our shepherd with our own distinctive voice? How often we attempt to imitate those around us, appropriating the response of another member of the flock to Christ. Perhaps we need to balance the image of being sheep of one flock with the image from the second reading, which tells us that we are all children of God. What child has precisely the same interaction with parents as his or her siblings? Instead, they frequently do and say things to distinguish themselves in the eyes of their parents.

Whether we use the image of children or of sheep to understand our relationship with Christ, we believe that we are all known and called by name. With this great gift comes a responsibility: to respond to the call with our own distinctive voice, to take time to discern exactly what our call is, to determine precisely what the will of the Father is for each of us. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

ON WEALTH

Nothing is more fallacious than wealth. It is a hostile comrade, a domestic enemy.—St. John Chrysostom

THE GLORY OF GOD

The glory of God is humanity fully alive.
—St. Irenaeus



APRIL 20, 2021

"The death of George Floyd highlighted and amplified the deep need to see the sacredness in all people, but especially those who have been historically oppressed. Whatever the stage of human life, it not only matters, it is sacred."

Bishop Shelton J. Fabre

Chairman, Ad Hoc Committee
Against Racism

Archbishop Paul S. Coakley

Chairman, Committee on Domestic
Justice & Human Development

Fourth Sunday of Easter TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

There are few openings for “Shepherds” in the classified ads today, but few occupations are as dear to the Christian heart. Most of us tenderly place shepherds by our Christmas cribs, name the Twenty-third Psalm as our favorite, and recognize “Good Shepherd” as a title of Jesus. Bishops carry a staff, called a crozier, modeled after the shepherd’s walking staff. Long before Christian artists painted Jesus on the cross, they traced on the walls of their worship places images of a strong young shepherd, shouldering a lost sheep and bringing it to safety. Springtime is the season of lambing, a time when the shepherd not only learns the faces of the new arrivals, but also when the newborn sheep become attuned to the voice of the shepherd. This is exactly what we do as a community in Easter as we shelter and guide the newly received Christians, and also put our Lenten muscles to good use: listening more attentively to God’s Word, and responding with springtime vigor to God’s call.

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The Little Ones

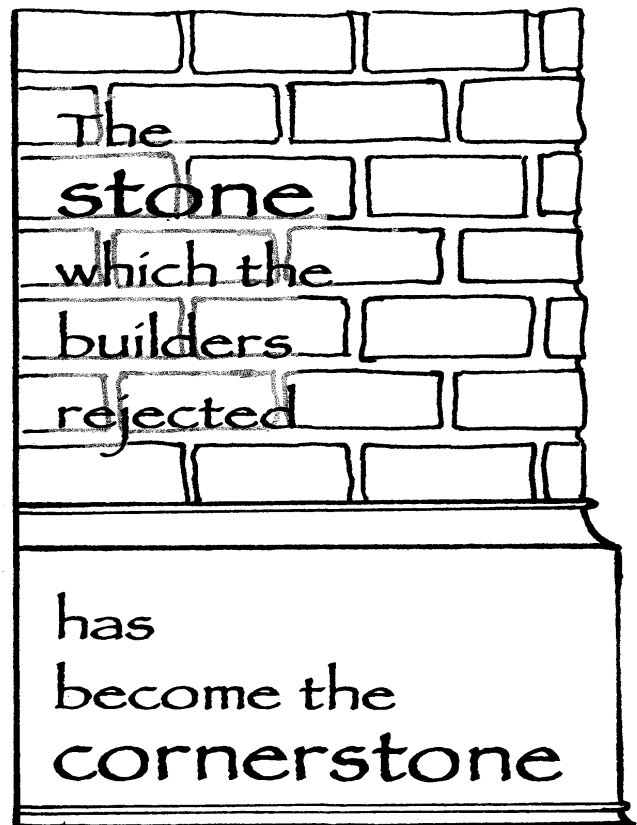
Jim Burrows



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FEAST OF FAITH

The Gospel Reading

The climax of the Liturgy of the Word comes with the proclamation of the Gospel. Everything tells us that something important is happening. We stand. We sing special acclamations. Servers with candles and sometimes incense lead the deacon or priest to the ambo, where the reading is proclaimed from a special book.

All of the readings are important, but the liturgy directs special attention to the Gospel for a reason. “[A]mong all the inspired writings, even among those of the New Testament, the Gospels have a special place, and rightly so, because they are our principal source for the life and teaching of the Incarnate Word, our Saviour” (*Dei Verbum*, the Dogmatic Constitution on Divine Revelation of the Second Vatican Council, 18). In the Gospels, the narrative of Christ’s saving life, death, and resurrection continues to be proclaimed in our midst.

Our Sunday Lectionary is structured so as to allow us to hear as much of the Gospels as possible. The readings are arranged in a three-year cycle. In Year A, the Gospel readings are taken mainly from Matthew; in Year B, from Mark and John; and in Year C, from Luke. In this way, over the course of three years, we hear a substantial portion of all four Gospels.

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Please Pray for:

Our Military:

Anthony Correia, Nick O’Kelly

Our Essential Workers

Especially healthcare workers working on the front line of the pandemic.

Our Sick:

Anne Duggan Baker, Justin Baker,
Edward Belliveau,
Sr. Gema Abigail Belloso
Gary Cherico, Pam Cicalo,
Gerry Credendino, Pat DiMuro,
Annmarie Ellinghouse,
Francia Hermenegildo, Jim Kane,
James Keely, Nancy Larrabee,
Wendy Lisette Lopez,
Michael Mahoney,
Viktor & Valentine Podoprigrorov,
Joan Rand, Frances Rea,
Carolyn Roberts, Mary Therese Nguyen
Thi Lan Anh (Fr. Huy's mother),
Chris Vanzo,
Luciano & Maria Volpacchio,
John Walsh, Anna Zambeletti,
all those who are suffering from serious illnesses, especially the corona virus.

Our twinned parish in Soyapango

Our Deceased:

Sarah Bradley, Milagros Sarni,
Ann Walsh, Fred Welsh

