

Deacon's Beacons

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“Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified.” Acts 2:36

This is the first speech of Peter following the Pentecost event. He now boldly proclaims the divinity of Jesus. One could look at this passage and surmise, as the priest Arius did, that Jesus only became divine at His Resurrection. But the Church, through the guidance of the Holy Spirit and in deference to many other Scriptural references, proclaimed that Jesus was always Divine and took upon Himself a human nature, which was joined to His Divine Nature mysteriously in what is technically called the Hypostatic Union. That is our true and certain faith.

Resurrexit sicut dixit!

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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