

St. Philip the Apostle Catholic Church

April 24 & 25, 2021

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Gathering "Let Easter Alleluias Fill This Place"

Let Easter alleluias fill this place
for God has sanctified the human race,
fulfilling all the pledges of His grace,
Alleluia!

Why seek the Living One among the dead?
The Lord was raised in glory as He said.
That we might follow where our Master led,
Alleluia!

Gloria

"Glory to God"

Reading from Acts 4: 8-12

Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said:
"Leaders of the people and elders:
If we are being examined today about a good deed done to a cripple,
namely, by what means he was saved,
then all of you and all the people of Israel should know
that it was in the name of Jesus Christ the Nazorean
whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead;
in his name this man stands before you healed.
He is the stone rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone.
There is no salvation through anyone else,
nor is there any other name under heaven
given to the human race by which we are to be saved."

Responsorial Psalm (118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29)

"The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone."

Reading from 1 John 3: 1-2

See what love the Father has bestowed on us
that we may be called the children of God.

Yet so we are.

The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him.

Beloved, we are God's children now;
what we shall be has not yet been revealed.

We do know that when it is revealed we shall be like him,
for we shall see him as he is.

Alleluia and Acclamation (John 10:14)

***"I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;
I know my sheep, and mine know me."***

Gospel Reading from John 10: 11-18

Jesus said:

"I am the good shepherd.

A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.

A hired man, who is not a shepherd and whose sheep are not his own,
sees a wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away,
and the wolf catches and scatters them.

This is because he works for pay and has no concern for the sheep.

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.

I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold.

These also I must lead, and they will hear my voice, and there will be one flock, one
shepherd.

This is why the Father loves me,
because I lay down my life in order to take it up again.

No one takes it from me, but I lay it down on my own.
I have power to lay it down, and power to take it up again.

This command I have received from my Father."

Homily

Presentation of Gifts "My Shepherd Will Supply My Need"

My Shepherd, you supply my need, most holy is your name;
In pastures fresh you make me feed, beside the living stream.
You bring my wand'ring spirit back, when I forsake your ways;
You lead me, for your mercy's sake, in paths of truth and grace.

When through the shades of death I walk, your presence is my stay;
One word of your supporting breath drives all my fears away.
Your hand in sight of all my foes, does still my table spread;
My cup with Blessings overflows, your oil anoints my head.

Your sure provisions gracious God attend me all my days;
Oh, may your house be my abode, and all my work be praise.
Here would I find a settled rest, while others go and come;
No more a stranger, nor a guest, but like a child at home.

Sanctus
"Holy, Holy, Holy"

Memorial Acclamation
"We proclaim your death, O Lord"

The Great Amen

Agnus Dei
"Lamb of God"

Communion "Let The Hungry Come To Me"

Isaiah 55

1. Let the hungry come to me, the poor be fed.
Let the thirsty come and drink, share my wine and bread.
Though you have no money, come to me and eat.
Drink the cup I offer; feed on finest wheat!

John 6

2. I myself am living bread; feed on me and live.
In this cup my blood for you; drink the wine I give.
All who eat my body, all who drink my blood,
shall have joy forever, share the life of God.

Rev 19 & 21

3. Here among you shall I dwell, making all things new.
You shall be my very own, I, your God with you.
Blest are you invited to my wedding feast.
You shall live forever, all your joys increased.

Exodus 16

4. Nourished by the Word of God, now we eat the bread.
With the gift of God's own life hungry hearts are fed.
Manna in the desert, in our darkest night
food for pilgrim people, pledge of glory bright!

1 Cor. 11

5. Many grains become one loaf, many grapes, the wine.
So shall we one body be, who together dine.
As the bread is broken, as the wine is shared:
so must we be given, caring as Christ cared.

Luke 24

6. Risen Savior, walk with us, lead us by the hand.
Heal our blinded eyes and hearts; help us understand.
Lord, make known your presence at this table blest.
Stay with us forever, God, our host and guest!

Recessional "Let Easter Alleluias Fill this Place"

The stone and soldiers kept their watch in vain,
And Christ, once raised, shall never die again.
All praise and honor to the Lamb once slain,
Alleluia!

Come quickly, Jesus, prove your promise true.
Bring all creation into life anew:
a living sacrifice of praise to You,
Alleluia!