

May 3, 2020

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Reflections for the Week -May 3, 2020

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. (Psalm 23).

Today's Readings

First Reading — All peoples called by God will receive the gift of the Spirit if they repent and are baptized (Acts 2:14a, 36-41).

Psalm — The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23).

Second Reading — Once we were like straying sheep; but now we have been returned to the shepherd, our guardian (1 Peter 2:20b-25).

Gospel — The shepherd leads the sheep out into pastures of abundant life (John 10:1-10).

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Readings for the Week

- Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4;
Jn 10:11-18
- Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7;
Jn 10:22-30
- Wednesday: Acts 12:24 -13:5a;
Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Jn 12:44-50
- Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22,
25, 27; Jn 13:16-20
- Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab;
Jn 14:1-6
- Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4;
Jn 14:7-14
- Sunday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19;
1 Pt 2:4-9; Jn 14:1-12

Please pray for our parishioners & extended family: Rest in Peace:

Judy Laxen, Dorle & Paul Gross, Josephine Small,
Martha Araj Ayoub & David Desch

For Healing:

Edith Bucoy, Pat Hoffman, Tom Johnson,
Annette Gabrielli, Maureen Francis,
Joe Humphreys, Mike Marty, Ethel Friedrichs,
Patrick Lee, Teresa Hyatt,
Estela Becerra, & Shirley Dela Cuz

...and a special reminder to pray for those we know now living in care facilities.

May 1st thru 7th, 2020 (Fri. thru Thur.)

Fri.	(RIP+)	12:10pm
Sat.	(RIP+)	4:15pm
Sun.	Carla Ernhart (RIP+ OF Covid-19 @54 Janice Mortenson 1st. Cousin)	9:30am
Sun.	(RIP+)	11:30am
Mon.	(RIP+)	12:10pm
Tues.	(RIP+)	12:10pm
Weds.	(RIP+)	12:10pm
Thurs.	(RIP+)	12:10pm

*Give the gift of a Mass Intention.
Intention for Birthdays, Memorials, RIP,
Blessings, Marriage, and Get Well.*

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Easter;
World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Tuesday: Cinco de Mayo

Thursday: National Day of Prayer

SAINTS PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES

May 3

Call Philip the gospel's "Answer Man." "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Nathaniel asked Philip, who had proclaimed Jesus "the one about whom Moses wrote in the law, and also the prophets" (John 1:45). Jesus asked Philip, "Where can we buy enough food for them to eat?" (John 6:5). Greeks brought Philip their request: "We would like to see Jesus" (John 12:21). Philip's answer to each question: bring people to Jesus! At the Last Supper, finally, Philip had a request of his own: "Show us the Father!" (John 14:8). Jesus had three last questions for Philip: "You still don't know me? How can you ask that? Don't you believe?" And an answer: "I am in the Father and the Father is in me" (John 14:10). Today's James is not John's brother, Zebedee's son, but, tradition says, author of the New Testament Letter of James, who died praying for his murderers in Jesus' words: "Forgive them, for they know not what they do." Few historical details for either saint, but lessons aplenty: Bring every question we have and everybody we meet to Jesus; be, as James' letter challenges, "doers of the word and not hearers only." (James 1:22).

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**Due to this Corona Virus
Precautions through out the San Francisco Area
we are Canceling the Following till
Further Notice:
Friday Night Bible Study During Lent
Saint John of God Lenten Retreat
Station of the Cross are Canceled
Coffee Hour on Sundays
Senior Open Hand Lunch Program
SJOG Office &
All Mass are Suspended till
Further Notice**

**EXPERIENCE THE SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION**

Saturdays from 3:15-3:45, Father Kabipi by Appointment.

Parish Livestreams of Liturgies & More
Jan Potts, Department of Communication
415-614-5638

pottsj@sfarch.orgsfarch.org/livestreams

Archbishop Cordileone celebrates nonpublic Mass in St. Mary's Cathedral daily (M-F) at 7:30am; on Saturdays at 8:00 am; & on Sundays at 11:00am or 1:00 pm Spanish). All Masses from the Cathedral are livestreamed. Each Mass can be experienced live online or viewed later (youtube.org/archdioceseofsanfrancisco/watch) Audio of the Archbishop's homilies is posted on the website (sfarch.org/homilies) and in our podcast. (archdiocesesf.libsyn.com).

Face Masks: Greetings Safety Coordinators,

I hope my email finds you all in good health and great spirits. Reminder: **San Mateo County Health Officer Dr. Scott Morrow** has issued a new order Requiring members of the public and workers at essential businesses to wear face coverings outside the home for certain activities and in places of business. The order has taken effect and will be in effect as of April 22, 2020 date. It will remain in effect until it is amended or superseded by the health officer. Please Wear Mask.



Due to this Corona Virus Precautions through out the San Francisco Area there will be no Coffee Hour until further Notice.

The Saint John of God Prayer

Dear God, through the intercession of St. John of God, patron of the poor and the sick, grant me the grace this day to greet every person that I meet with understanding and compassion. Reveal to me their needs and give me the means to inspire in my heart the humility and generosity of St. John so that I might be to them a revelation of God's Love. Amen.

Dear Friends, Job Opening

Principal Keyboard Musician

St John of God is looking for a part-time Principal Musician with keyboard & vocal skills. Responsible for leading the community & or accompanying the community for weekend services, Holy Days & other services (infrequent). Required are the ability to work independently in a self-motivated and self-directed manner working collaboratively with the Director of Parish Music Paul Riofski at: sjogmusic@aol.com . Please send resume to Fr. Kabipi at: akabipi@yahoo.com or to our Office at: stjohnofgod-sf@sbcglobal.net

Red Cross Needs

Blood Donations Urgently

800-733-2767—redcrossblood.org

During the COVID-19 pandemic, the Red Cross asks people to “roll up a sleeve” and donate blood to meet immediate needs and to replenish hospital supplies. Visit the website (above) or phone, or download the Red Cross app to your phone, to make an appointment to donate blood in a safe and hygienic environment.

CHOIR REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

MONDAYS, 7:30 TO 9:15 PM)

Note changes from the usual second and fourth Mondays: May 4, June 8, 2020. Check for Canceling Notices with Paul Riofski.

SF Food Pantry at ALHS, 9-1pm

Starting tomorrow The San Francisco-Marin Food Bank is hosting weekly pop-up food pantry at Abraham Lincoln High School. The pantry is open to anyone in the community who needs food, not just Lincoln Students. Dates: Fridays started March 20, 2020

Time: 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Location: Abraham Lincoln High School,
2162 24th Ave, San Francisco, CA 94116

Each household will receive one bag of groceries. You **DO NOT** need to sign up, show ID or bring your kids with you to get food. Food is available for all who need it so please share this with your family and neighbors-available at: [:tps://www.sfinterfaithcouncil.org/](https://www.sfinterfaithcouncil.org/)

Second Collections- Up-Coming:

May 2/3 Hospital Ministry

May 9/10 Catholic Charities (CY) Appeal