

# St. Nicholas News

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## SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

### A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

In The whole group of believers was united, heart and soul; no one claimed for his own use anything that he had, as everything they owned was held in common. The apostles continued to testify to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus with great power, and they were all given great respect. None of their members was ever in want, as all those who owned land or houses would sell them, and bring the money from them, to present it to the apostles; it was then distributed to any members who might be in need.

This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

Psalm 117 Sung by Choir

### A reading from the first letter of St. John

Whoever believes that Jesus is the Christ has been begotten by God; and whoever loves the Father that begot him loves the child whom he begets. We can be sure that we love God's children if we love God himself and do what he has commanded us; this is what loving God is - keeping his commandments; and his commandments are not difficult, because anyone who has been begotten by God has already overcome the world; this is the victory over the world - our faith. Who can overcome the world? Only the man who believes that Jesus is the Son of God; Jesus Christ who came by water and blood, not with water only, but with water and blood; with the Spirit as another witness - since the Spirit is the truth.

This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

### Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus said to him: 'You believe because you can see me. Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.'

Alleluia!

### Gospel

#### A reading from the Gospel of John

In the evening of that same day, the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, 'Peace be with you,' and showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and he said to them again, 'Peace be with you. 'As the Father sent me, so am I sending you,' After saying this he breathed on them and said: 'Receive the Holy Spirit. For those whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven; for those whose sins you retain, they are retained.' Thomas, called the Twin, who was one of the Twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. When the disciples said, 'We have

seen the Lord,' he answered, 'Unless I see the holes that the nails made in his hands and can put my finger into the holes they made, and unless I can put my hand into his side, I refuse to believe.' Eight days later the disciples were in the house again and Thomas was with them. The doors were closed, but Jesus came in and stood among them. 'Peace be with you,' he said. Then he spoke to Thomas, 'Put your finger here; look, here are my hands. Give me your hand; put it into my side. Doubt no longer but believe.' Thomas replied, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him: 'You believe because you can see me. Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.' There were many other signs that Jesus worked and the disciples saw, but they are not recorded in this book. These are recorded so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing this you may have life through his name.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ



## NOTICES

### Money Matters

Sunday 01 April 2018

Thank you for your contributions.

1st Collection: p380      2nd Collection: p425  
Share: p75



### Remembered at Mass

Sat 6pm: Mona Keogh 4th (A), Christy & Gerard Peppard, Rita Barclay, Michael Smith 9th (A), Billy Murphy 5th (A), James & Mary Murphy, James Holohan 7th (A)

Sun 11.30: Mary Roche Months Mind, Mary & Gerard Martin, Kathleen Burke 10th (A)

Recently Deceased: Catherine Rogers, Funeral took place on Friday 06 April here in St. Nicholas of Myra

## **HYMNS FOR 11.30AM MASS**

### **ENTRANCE: Christ be our light**

Christ be our light, shine in our hearts shine through the darkness, Christ be our light  
Shine in your church gathered today.

This is the day of new beginnings,  
This is the day when heaven meets earth.  
This is the day filled with God's glory,  
Promise of our new birth.

Christ be our light, shine in our hearts shine through the darkness, Christ be our light  
Shine in your church gathered today.

This is the day we start together,  
This is the day we promise to love,  
Leaving our past, heading for glory, Wonder for all to see.

Christ be our light, shine in our hearts shine through the darkness, Christ be our light  
Shine in your church gathered today.

### **PSALM: Sung by Choir**

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Jesus said to him: 'You believe because you can see me.  
Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.'  
Alleluia!



### **OFFERTORY: SING, SING**

Sing, sing, sing alleluia,  
This is the day the Lord has made.  
Dance, dance, dance alleluia.  
This is the day the Lord has made.

Let us be glad and rejoice,  
This is the day the Lord has made  
Let us be glad and rejoice, This is the day.

Sing, sing, sing alleluia,  
This is the day the Lord has made.  
Dance, dance, dance alleluia.  
This is the day the Lord has made.

Play music and honour his name,  
This is the day the Lord has made,  
Sing psalms and songs of praise, This is the day.

Sing, sing, sing alleluia,  
This is the day the Lord has made.  
Dance, dance, dance alleluia.  
This is the day the Lord has made.

### **HOLY, HOLY**

## **MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION**

He is Lord,  
He is Lord,  
He is risen from the dead and he is Lord.  
Every knee shall bow,  
Every tongue confess,  
That Jesus Christ is Lord.

### **SIGN OF PEACE**

Shalom my friend  
Shalom my friend,  
Shalom, shalom,  
The peace of Christ I give you today,  
Shalom, shalom.

### **LAMB OF GOD**

### **COMMUNION: Christ be beside me**

Christ be beside me, Christ be before me,  
Christ be behind me, King of my heart,  
Christ be within me, Christ be below me,  
Christ be above me, never to part.

Christ on my right hand, Christ on my left hand,  
Christ all around me, shield in the strife.  
Christ in my sleeping, Christ in my sitting,  
Christ in my rising, light of my life.

Christ be in all hearts thinking about me,  
Christ be in all tongues of me,  
Christ be the vision in eyed that see me,  
In ears that hear me. Christ ever be.

### **RECESSIONAL: Christ be beside me**

Let's all join together in communion sweet,  
Walk, walk in the light,  
And love one another 'til the Saviour we meet,  
Walk, walk in the light.

Walk in the light x3  
Walk in the light of Christ.

When Jesus died on Calvary,  
Walk, walk in the light  
He saved the lost like you and me,  
Walk, walk in the light.

And Jesus did just what he said,  
Walk, walk in the light  
He healed the sick and he raised the dead,  
Walk, walk in the light

