

Jesus is Risen!

Alleluia!



Today we celebrate the greatest feast day in the year! Jesus has come back to life! Alleluia!

Jesus died on the cross on Good Friday to take away our sins. But He didn't just die- He came back to life again so that we could come back to life one day too.

The Apostles were afraid when Jesus was killed. They were very sad and tried to comfort each other. Imagine their surprise when Mary Magdalene came rushing in and told them that the body of Jesus was gone from the tomb! Peter and John ran to see. When they saw the empty tomb they knew what had happened.

Jesus had come back to life!



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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Baptisms are usually celebrated on the fourth Sunday of every month. Please contact the Parish Office at least 6 weeks before the date.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Couples must contact the Parish Office to arrange at least 6 months before the desired date.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Intentions must be booked at least by the Wednesday, one week before the desired date.

Wordsearch Puzzle

A G K Y T Q S P I C E S X E F  
A R D T T C G H R J T V H N F  
F O F R G N D E Y O G W Y T R  
B U Z J I C C H E P L V V E I  
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V D F D G B A R L F A N B R Z  
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H I G D D E Y M M S Q N M U K  
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BOWED	FACES	GROUND	MORNING	RISEN
WOMEN	WEEK	FRIGHT	STONE	LIVING
ROLLED	FIRST	REMEMBER	DAY	DEAD
TOMB	AWAY	SPICES	ENTERED	BODY

Prayer for the Synod on Synodality

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts;

Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.

All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.



St. Joseph the Worker Parish

Gros Islet, Grande Riviere & Monchy

CONFESSIONS

Every Saturday  
9.00 - 10.00 a.m.  
6.00 - 6.45p.m.  
&  
by appointment

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VISION 2020-DISCIPLES ON MISSION

EASTER SUNDAY - 17TH APRIL, 2022 - YEAR C

New Morning.

Jesus is nowhere visible. Yet today's Gospel tells us that Peter and John "saw and believed." What did they see? Burial shrouds lying on the floor of an empty tomb. Maybe that convinced them that He had not been carted off by grave robbers, who usually stole the expensive burial linens and left the corpses behind. But notice the repetition of the word "tomb", seven times in nine verses. They saw the empty tomb and they believed what Jesus had promised: that God would raise Him on the third day.

Chosen to be His "witnesses," the First Reading tells us, the Apostles were commissioned to preach and testify to all that they had seen, from His anointing with the Holy Spirit at the Jordan to the empty tomb. More than their own experience, they were instructed in the mysteries of the divine economy, God's saving plan, to know how "all the prophets bear this witness" to Him. Now they could "understand the Scripture," could teach us what He had told them, that He was "the Stone which the builders rejected," of whom today's Psalm prophesies His Resurrection and exaltation.

We are the children of the apostolic witnesses. That is why we still gather early in the morning on the first day of every week to celebrate this feast of the empty tomb, give thanks for "Christ our life," as the Epistle calls Him. Baptized into His death and Resurrection, we live the heavenly life of the risen Christ, our lives "hidden with Christ in God." We are now His witnesses, too. But we testify to things we cannot see but only believe; we seek in earthly things what is above.

We live in memory of the Apostles' witness, like them eating and drinking with the risen Lord at the altar. And we wait in hope for what the Apostles told us would come, the day when we too "will appear with Him in glory."

(excerpt: stpaulcenter.com)

SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading

Acts 10:34, 37-43

Second Reading

Col.3:1-4

Gospel

Jn.20:1-9

MASS TIMES

GROS ISLET

Morning Prayers:  
5:45a.m.



MONDAY

6:00 a. m./12:30 p.m.



TUESDAY

6:00 a.m.



WEDNESDAY

6:00 a.m./ 12:30 p.m.  
G/Riviere: 6:00 p.m.



THURSDAY

6:00 a.m./12:30 p.m.  
Monchy: 6:00 p.m.



FRIDAY

6:00 a.m./12:30 p.m.



SATURDAY

6:30 a.m./6:00 p. m.



SUNDAY

G/Islet/G.Riviere  
7:30 a.m.



Gros Islet/Monchy

10:00 a.m.



HOLIDAY

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Since Easter represents the fulfillment of God's promises to mankind, it is the most important holiday on the Christian calendar. On this the greatest day of the year, all fasting and somber thoughts are banished. As St. John Chrysostom announces in this famous Easter sermon, all are invited to the feast:

“Let all then enter the joy of Our Lord! Both the first and the last, and those who come after, enjoy your reward! Rich and poor, dance with one another, sober and slothful, celebrate the day. Those who have kept the fast and those who have not, rejoice today, for the table is richly spread. Fare royally upon it - the calf is a fatted one.

Let no one go away hungry. All of you, enjoy the banquet of faith! All enjoy the riches of His goodness. Let no one cry over his poverty, for the universal Kingdom has appeared!

Let no one mourn that he has fallen again and again, for forgiveness has risen from the grave. Let none fear death, for the death of our Savior has set us free. He has destroyed it by enduring it. He spoiled the power of hell when He descended thereto. Isaiah foretold this when he cried, 'Death has been frustrated in meeting him below!' It is frustrated, for it is destroyed. It is frustrated, for it is annihilated. It is frustrated, for now it is made captive. For it grabbed a body and discovered God. It took earth, and behold! It encountered Heaven. It took what was visible, and was overcome by what was invisible. O Death, where is your sting? O Death, where is your victory?

Christ is risen, and the demons are cast down. Christ is risen, and life is set free. Christ is risen, and the tomb is emptied of the dead. For Christ, having risen from the dead, is become the first-fruits for those who sleep. To Him be glory and power forever and ever! Amen. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!”

(excerpt: catholic.org)

PLEASE PRAY FOR

THE SICK

Nellie Hall  
 Martha Mason  
 Iris Macauldy  
 Patsy Crafton  
 Carmen Lord  
 Denis Augustin

DECEASED

Mary Jean  
 Helena Heath  
 Robert Joseph  
 Dorista Annus  
 Matthew Bruneau  
 Kathleen FordeJoseph

WEEKDAY READINGS

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**MONDAY**  
 Acts 2:14, 22-33  
 Mt.28:8-15  
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**TUESDAY**  
 Acts 2:36-41  
 Jn.20:11-18  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
 Acts 3:1-10  
 Lk.24:13-35  
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**THURSDAY**  
 Acts 3:11-26  
 Lk.24:35-48  
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**FRIDAY**  
 Acts 4:1-12  
 Jn.21:1-14  
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**SATURDAY**  
 Acts 4:13-21  
 Mk. 16:9-15

MASS INTENTIONS		
GROS ISLET	CLERGY / RELIGIOUS	INTENTIONS
EASTER SUNDAY -2022		
Sat April 16 - 7:30 p.m. <i>Easter Vigil</i>	This is the day that the <i>Lord</i> has made; let us <i>rejoice</i> and be <i>glad</i> in it. <i>Psalm 118:24</i>	MISSA PRO POPULO
Sun April 17 - 7.30 a.m. <i>Easter Sunday</i>		B'day: Easter Cardinal Wedd Ann: Jeanne & Keith Frederick
10:00 a.m.		B'day: Tariqu Danzie Thks: Stella Chong
Gr. Riviere – 7:30 a.m.		B'day: Emily Promesse
Monchy - 10:00 a.m.		B'day: Emma Charles, Earl Huntley
WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS		
Mon April 18 - 7:00 a.m.	Fr. Gabriel Arockiasammy Sr. Bernadette Peter	Thks: Bernitha Clery Wedd Ann: Peter & Alison Lewis
Tue April 19 - 6:00 a.m.	Fr. Lambert St. Rose	B'day: Leonie Lesmond
Wed April 20 - 6:00 a.m.	Fr. Paul Vu	B'day: Bridget Evans Gloria Lawrence
12:30 p.m.		Dc'd: Elizabeth Clement
Gr. Riviere - 6.00 p.m.		B'day: Janet Louis Agatha Louis-Bishop
Thu April 21 - 6:00 a.m.	Rev. Anthony Louis Rev. John Douglas Rev. Robert Harvey	B'day: Shanice Harris
12:30 p.m.		Wedd Ann: Veronica & David Louis Guid: Yohan & Marvin Lubin
Monchy - 6:00 p.m.		Parishioners
Fri April 22 - 6:00 a.m.	Fr. Cecil Goodman Rev. Thomas Alexander	Thks: Shanta King & family Guid: Thomas Louis & family
12:30 p.m.		Dc'd: Azizi Alexander, James Jean Mary Kappel, Hermina Lorde Carmen Richards, Elizabeth Klass-Benn
Sat April 23 - 6:30 a.m.	Msgr. Theophilus Joseph Fr. Linus Clovis Sr. Adinase Mumba	Dc'd: Marie Headley, Anthony Baptiste Loretta Hippolyte, Theonie Gaillard Members of Remy & Chong families

