



**17 April 2022  
EASTER SUNDAY  
OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION**



## **INTRODUCTION:**

Dear friends, this Eucharist is our Alleluia, our song of thankfulness and praise to the Risen Christ who is our life and whose triumph over death we proclaim to all the world on this Day of His Resurrection.

## **READINGS:**

First Reading: Acts 10:34a, 37-43;  
Responsorial Psalm: Ps 118:1-2, 15c-17, 22-23  
Second Reading: Col 3: 1-4 or 1 Cor 5: 6b-8  
Gospel: Jn 20: 1-9 or Lk 24: 1-12

## **PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL:**

**Celebrant:** On this joyous day, we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus, Our Lord and Saviour, who regains life for us through his Death and Resurrection. Let us express our needs:

**R/- Lord, graciously hear us.**

1. We pray for Pope Francis, the Bishops and the Clergy, that experiencing the joy of the risen Christ, they may witness to the new life of glory through their apostolic works. We pray to the Lord.
2. We pray that people world over may experience new hope and life through Christ's resurrection and strengthen their faith in Him. We pray to the Lord.
3. We pray that all nations and their leaders come to experience the peace and joy of the Risen Lord and continually strive to maintain peace and concord in the world. We pray to the Lord.
4. We pray that all those who cause poverty, oppression, religious fundamentalism and corruption in society might open themselves to the message of Easter and come to experience the love of the Risen Christ. We pray to the Lord.
5. We pray for our personal intentions. (p-a-u-s-e). We pray to the Lord

**CEL:** God Our Father, you give us true peace, joy and forgiveness through the resurrection of your Son; grant that we may truly experience his power and come to share in his eternal glory. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.