

## REFLECTIONS FOR THIS SUNDAY

### “6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER”

**FIRST READING:-A reading from the Acts of the Apostles (15:1-2,22-29)**

This text gives an account of the first general council ever held by the Church -the Council of Jerusalem- and the reason why it was called and its decisions.

**RESPONSE :-** Let the peoples praise you, o God, let all the peoples praise you.

**SECOND READING: - A reading from the book of Revelation (21:10-14.22-23)**

We have here another glimpse of heaven as seen by St. John in one of his visions, a description of the heavenly Jerusalem in which the bride of Christ, the elect, will dwell forever with God and with the Lamb, the Son of God made man, who brought them there.

**GOSPEL :- A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. John (14:23-29)**

Jesus promises his disciples peace and also promises the Holy Spirit who will enable them to see the full meaning of all that he had said and done.

पास्का का छठा रविवार

पहला पाठ: प्रेरित चरित १५:१-२, २२-२६

मसीही धर्म किसी एक राष्ट्र तक सीमित नहीं है। पवित्र आत्मा की प्रेरण से यह यहूदी धर्म के बन्धनों से मुक्त हो गया है।

अनुवाक्य: हे ईश्वर! राष्ट्र तेरी स्तुति करे, सभी राष्ट्र तुझे धन्य कहे।

दूसरा पाठ: प्रकाशना ग्रन्थ २१:१०-१४.२२-२३

संत योहन् नये येरुसलेम का वर्णन करते हैं यह येशु द्वारा स्थापित कलीसिया है।

सुसमाचार: सन्त योहन के अनुसार पवित्र सुसमाचार १४:२३-२६

येशु चले गये हैं, किन्तु पवित्र आत्मा हमें उनकी शिक्षा का स्मरण दिलाता और उनकी शान्ति प्रदान करता है।



## PARISH NEWS

### LEO FLORISTS:

Specialists in: Church Decoration for Marriages and Marriage Anniversaries, Wedding bouquet, Car Decoration & Office Arrangements.

Contact: Deepak Massey  
Mobile: 9810323408, 9891210568

### FREE CLINIC AT MARIA BHAVAN BASEMENT:

#### ACCUPRESSURE TREATMENT:

There is free clinic for accupressure treatment every Saturday from 10:30 am to 01:00 pm.

#### HOMEOPATHIC TREATMENT:

Free homeopathic treatment is available every Saturday from 04:30 pm to 07:00 pm

### Thought for the Week

“The best and the most beautiful things in the world can not be seen or even touched - they must be felt with the heart.”

Helen Keller

### HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS FOR MAY:

**General Intention:** That those who administer justice will always act with integrity and upright conscience.

**Missionary Intention:** That seminarians, especially from mission Churches, may always be pastors according to the heart of Christ, fully devoted to the proclamation of the Gospel

## READINGS OF THE WEEK

06/Mon Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149; Jn 15:26-16:4a

07/Tue Acts 16:22-34; Ps 137; Jn 16:5-11

08/Wed Acts 17:15,22-18:1; Ps 148; Jn 16:12-15

09/Thu Acts 18:1-8; Ps 97; Jn 16:16-20

10/Fri Acts 18:9-18; Ps 46; Jn 16:20-23a

11/Sat Acts 18:23-28; Ps 46; Jn 16:23b-28



“ GO, AND SIN NO MORE! ”

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Rev. Fr. Maria Susai

### Co-pastors :

Rev. Fr. Shyju Xavier

Rev. Fr. Umesh Ekka

### Sixth Sunday of Easter

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## SUMMER MASS TIMINGS

### SATURDAYS:

**Cathedral : 6.30 p.m. Sunday Anticipated Mass (English)**  
**(Weekday Masses at 6.00 a.m., 1:00 p.m. and 6.30 p.m.)**

### SUNDAYS:

Cathedral :	06.30 a.m.	—	English
	07.30 a.m.	—	Malayalam
	09.00 a.m.	—	English
	10.15 a.m.	—	Hindi
	11.30 a.m.	—	English
	04.30 p.m.	—	Hindi
	06.30 p.m.	—	English
Carmel :	07.30 a.m.	—	Hindi
Mater Dei :	07.00 a.m.	—	Hindi
ISI :	07.00 a.m.	—	Hindi
Apostolic Nunciature : 07.30 & 10.00 a.m.—English			

### REFLECTION:

This is another extract from the “Last Discourse” - in effect the Last Will and Testament of Jesus - that John sets around the Last Supper. The greatest bequest Jesus makes to them - and us - is His peace.

The peace He is talking about is not just an absence of conflict or even a bit of peace and quiet. He is talking about something much greater. We don't have one word for it in English - but some people use the Hebrew word “Shalom” to express it. It is that peace we experience when all seems well with the world - inside and outside us. We sense harmony and wholeness - and we certainly don't want it to end!

Jesus points out that the world cannot give such shalom. He is not condemning the world but pointing out the limitations of only looking for this “peace” in things outside ourselves. Shalom comes from knowing ourselves and where we find that sense of wholeness and harmony. For some, it can come with being with family and friends - for others, it can be a concert - or a great holiday. It can come on solitary walks - or in a shared celebration. There are as many ways of finding it as there are people.

The trick is to tune into the feeling of shalom it brings and then savouring it. Store the sense of well-being away as a “soul-memory” and when trials come,

you will have a solid core of the peace that the world cannot give - and will be able not to “let your hearts be troubled or afraid”. You will have learnt what Julian of Norwich meant when she said that sin and the pain it causes are part of life - but “all shall be well- and all shall be well and all manner of things shall be well.”

## PARISH NEWS

### RESULT OF CATECHISM EXAM:

The result of those children promoted to the next class and those eligible to receive the sacraments is displayed on the Notice Board.

### CATECHISM ANNUAL DAY:

Annual Day of the Catechism children is being held today at the DCC Hall. The celebration will begin with the Holy Mass at 9 am followed by cultural programme. Those children who secured first, second and third positions will be awarded. Free lunch will be served to all the Catechism children and

### AGM OF CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION:

The AGM of the Catholic Association will be held today immediately after the 9 am Mass at the DCC Hall. Lunch coupons costing Rs.20 are available with the CA members. We request all the CA members to attend this meeting without fail.

### MAY DEVOTION :

It being the month dedicated to Mother Mary, Holy Rosary is prayed at the Grotto everyday in the evening at 6 O' Clock followed by Holy Mass in the Church at 6.30 pm. We request you all to come and seek the intercession of Mary our Mother.

### LECTORS' ASSOCIATION:

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### EASTER BLESSING :

Easter blessing continues. Kindly contact your area representatives for details. We request you to kindly inform the Parish when you change your residence. A letter from the Parish Priest is required for you to register your name in the parish you move into. For all office work, kindly come on weekdays.orchr. A special word of gratitude and appreciation to the organizing team.

### ALTAR SERVERS' MEETING:

Altar Servers' meeting is held every Saturday at 5.30 pm at the Maria Bhawan Basement. Boys and girls between the age group of 9 and 14 can join this association. For details, contact Fr. Shyju.

## पल्ली सूचनाएँ

### धर्म शिक्षा की वार्षिक उत्सव

आज धर्म शिक्षा में आने वाले बच्चों की वार्षिक उत्सव डयोजन कम्प्युनिटी सेन्टर में ६.०० बजे मिस्सा के साथ शुरू होगा। जो क्लास में पहला, दूसरा और तीसरा स्थान प्राप्त किये हैं उन्हें पुरस्कार दिया जायेगा और सभी बच्चों के लिए लंच दिया जायेगा। अगला क्लास जुलाई महीने से शुरू होगी।



### धर्म शिक्षा की परीक्षा का परिणाम

बच्चों की वार्षिक परीक्षा की परिणाम और जो बच्चे संस्कार के योग्य हैं उनके नाम की लिस्ट नोटिस बोर्ड में लगी हुई है।

### पास्का की आशिष

पास्का की आशिष जारी है। अधिक जानकारी के लिए अपने एरिया के प्रतिनिधि से सम्पर्क करें। यदि आप अपना पारिश बदलते हैं तो कृपया पल्ली पुरोहित को सूचित करें।

### चर्च सपोर्ट फंड

प्रत्येक रविवार को चर्च सपोर्ट फंड आप कैथोलिक एसोसिएशन के सदस्यों के पास चर्च के बाहर जमा कर सकते हैं।

### रोजरी माला विन्ती

मई का महीना माता मरियम को समर्पित किया गया है। हम प्रत्येक दिन ग्रोतो के सामने रोजरी माला विन्ती शाम ६.०० बजे करेंगे और ६.३० बजे मिस्सा बलिदान होगी।

### कैथोलिक एसोसिएशन ए.जी. एम.

आज कैथोलिक एसोसिएशन की वार्षिक बैठक डयोजन कम्प्युनिटी सेंटर में ६.०० बजे मिस्सा के बाद होगी। यह बैठक भोजन के साथ समाप्त होगी। २० रुपये की लंच कूपन कैथोलिक एसोसिएशन के पास उपलब्ध है।

### वेदी सेवक एसोसिएशन

वेदी सेवकों की बैठक प्रत्येक शनिवार को शाम ५.३० बजे मरिया भवन बेसमेंट में होती है। जो भी लड़के और लड़कियाँ ६ से १४ वर्ष के हैं, इस एसोसिएशन के सदस्य बन सकते हैं।

*“Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find;  
knock and the door will be opened to you.”*