

DAY	FEAST	READINGS	TIME
Mon 4	5 th Week of Easter Psalter Week I	Acts 14: 5-18; Jn 14: 21-26.	5:30 PM
Tues 5	5 th Week of Easter Psalter Week I	Acts 14: 19-28; Jn 14: 27-31.	5:30 PM
Wed 6	5 th Week of Easter Psalter Week I	Acts 15: 1-6; Jn 15: 1-8.	5:30PM
Thu 7	5 th Week of Easter Psalter Week I	Acts 15: 7- 21; Jn 15: 9-11.	6:00 PM
Fri 8	5 th Week of Easter Psalter Week I	Acts 15: 22-31; Jn 15: 12-17.	12:15 PM
Sat 9	5 th Week of Easter Psalter Week I	Acts 16: 1-10; Jn 15: 18-21.	5:30 PM
Sun 10	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Psalter Week II	Acts 8: 5-8, 14-17; 1 Pt 3: 15-18; Jn 14: 15- 21.	8:00 AM 5:30 PM



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5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER, YEAR A

Reading I: Acts 6: 1-7;
Responsorial Psalm: 32: 1-2, 4-5, 18-19;
Reading II: 1 Peter 2: 4-9;
Gospel: John 14: 1-12.



Revised Roman Missal: 440 (Bahasa 587)

REFLECTION: Trust in Jesus

In today's first reading, we see tensions building up in the early Church. Yet, instead of falling into division, they work for what is best for the whole community, by discerning, organising and entrusting responsibilities. The Christian community remain rooted in prayer and the Word. The community continues to grow, not because everything is perfect, but because they choose to have Christ as their centre.

"Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God still and trust in me." Let the words of Jesus from today's Gospel resonate in our hearts. Jesus does not promise us a life free from hardships and problems, but He offers us something deeper: His presence. When we put our trust in Him and root ourselves in His presence, we find stability even in moments of uncertainty and peace even in troubled times.

Reflective question:

What is troubling my heart right now? How is Jesus inviting me to trust Him and walk with Him through the situation?

CONFESSIONS

By appointment (Tel: 8637260)

LEGION OF MARY

English	Wed	6:00pm
Bahasa	Tue	7:00pm
Chinese	Wed	7:30pm

DEVOTIONS

Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help	Sat	5:15pm
Holy Hour	Fri	12:45pm

VOCATION PRAYER

Prayer	2nd Sun	10:30am
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PRAYER MEETINGS

Iban	Mon	7:30pm
Bahasa	Thu	7:30pm

RCIA Classes

English	Mon	7:30pm
Iban	Mon	8:00pm
Bahasa	Thu	7:00pm
Chinese	Tue	10:00am

Vespers (Evening Prayer)

Weekday – immediately after weekday Mass

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Second Collection

The Second Collection today will be for the Emergency Relief Fund.

New OCIA/RCIA Classes

If you know anyone who is interested in becoming a Catholic or would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, please encourage and assist them to register online for the 2026–2027 OCIA program. Further details regarding the class commencement date and venue will be communicated upon registration.



Fr Robert's birthday fellowship (3rd May)

A fellowship will be held in the Parish Hall today after the 8:00AM Mass to celebrate Fr Robert's birthday. All parishioners are invited to join in this joyful occasion.

PPC Meeting (6th May)

There will be a PPC Meeting on Wednesday, 6th May at 7:30 PM. All members are requested to attend.

May Rosary

During the month of May, the Rosary will be recited daily after the 5:30PM Mass. All are invited to take part in this Marian devotion as we gather in prayer as a community. Please note that there will be no Vespers throughout the month.



Jesus is the Way to Heaven

In today's Gospel reading Jesus tells the disciples that He is the way to the Father in Heaven.

Jesus is the way for us to go to Heaven. But how can a person be a way to get somewhere? Jesus is always with the Father in Heaven, so the closer we are to Jesus the closer we are to Heaven!

How can we be close to Jesus? Here are some ways:

Pray to Jesus. Prayer is talking with God. When we want to be friends with someone we talk with them a lot.



Try to be like Jesus. Always do the right thing. When you need to decide what to do, think: "What would Jesus do in this situation?" Stay close to Mary, His mother. She will keep you close to Jesus.



Receive Jesus in Holy Communion. The Eucharist is an amazing gift. It is Jesus coming to us so that we can receive Him into our bodies and souls. Communion is the closest we can be to Jesus until we get to Heaven.

