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As we read the passage this Sunday, St. Luke provides more details. This is probably due to the fact that he was addressing Greek Christians who were educated in the great philosophical traditions and believed that a human being is composed of a body and a soul which are distinct and separate. In the biblical tradition, the body designated the totality and unity of a person. Jesus could have said: *I am a body, animated by a soul*. Christ would not have said: *I have a body and a soul*. In the passage that we read today, St. Luke writes to his Greek readers that the Risen Christ is the same person as Jesus who was crucified. The Risen Christ is God's Son who took on our human flesh, who made us hear God's words, who revealed God's tenderness and mercy, who descended into the depths of the departed, just like other human beings: all of this is because of his human body.

We may dare to say, with Father Bernard Poupard: ... "*in Christ's resurrection in his human flesh, there is a human heart that beats in God*" (La face humaine de Dieu, p. 148) [free translation]. God's love resides in Christ's human heart.

*Yves Guillemette, priest*

Translated by Honore Kerwin Borrelli

On Sunday, **April 22**, the **World day of Prayer for Vocations**, the **Diocesan Vocation Commission** is hosting **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at **Sacred Heart Cathedral** from 3:00pm to 5:00pm. Please come, share your prayers, share fellowship, and help us make Vocations a priority in this diocese. If you are not able to get to PA for Adoration please consider praying a Rosary on that Day for the increased of vocations.



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### Sunday April 15, 2018 Third Sunday of Easter

On Easter evening, Cleophas and possibly his wife Myriam, who recognized the Risen Lord when he broke bread, left their home in Emmaus and returned to Jerusalem where they met the Apostles and disciples. While they were sharing their experience of encountering Christ through the Word and shared bread: ... *Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you."* (Luke 24:36). The passage from St. Luke continues to refer to the reactions from the Apostles: their fear, fright, confusion, and on Christ's demeanor when he showed them the signs of his passion. Nothing deterred them: *While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering (Luke 24:41)*, Jesus joined them for a meal of fish.

If the Risen Christ were to appear at one of our Sunday liturgical assemblies, how would we react? In our profession of faith each Sunday, we acknowledge that Christ was crucified under Pontius Pilate and rose from the dead through God's power. It is difficult to explain Christ's Resurrection and the first Christians struggled with this. The Evangelists, St. Paul, and other Christian thinkers of the 1<sup>st</sup> Century had to face the challenge of explaining, in the most reasonable way, the mystery of God's action in raising Christ, his Beloved Son, from the dead. The Evangelists produced very sober passages where the importance lay in the recognition, in faith, of the Crucified and Resurrected Christ, following their initial and doubtful reactions.

## The Week at a Glance

Sat Apr 14 7:30pm Mass in Zenon Park **For Yvan Potie**  
 Sun Apr 15 9:00 am Mass in Arborfield **For †Matthew Munson**  
 11:00am Mass in Carrot River **For the people**  
 Mon Apr 16 *Fr Travis' day off*  
 Tues Apr 17 9:00am Mass in Zenon Park **For the First Responders**  
 Wed Apr 18 9:00am Mass in Zenon Park **For Victims & Families**  
 Thurs Apr 19 6:00pm Adoration in Carrot River  
 7:00pm Mass in Carrot River  
 Fri Apr 20 10:00am Mass Arborfield Care Home  
 7:00pm Adoration in Zenon Park  
 8:00pm Mass in Zenon Park **For †Rene Leblanc**  
 Sat Apr 21 7:30pm Mass in Zenon Park **For †Pauline Moyon**  
 Sun Apr 22 9:00 am Mass in Arborfield **For the people**  
 11:00am Mass in Carrot River **For Francis & Beatrice Baskey**

### Mass Times for March/April

Sat 7:30pm – Zenon Park  
**Sun 9:00am – Arborfield**  
 Sun 11:00am – Carrot River

### Mass Times for May/June

**Sat 7:30pm – Arborfield**  
 Sun 9:00am – Carrot River  
 Sun 11:00am – Zenon Park

## Announcements and Activities

<u>Ministry</u>	<u>April 15</u>	<u>April 22</u>
<b>Commentator</b>	Liz	Joann
<b>Reader</b>	Jeanne	Mark
<b>Cup</b>	Guy, Sue	Beatrice, James
<b>Hospitality</b>	James, Flo	Brian, Pam
<b>Offerings</b>	Liz, Guy	Gabe, Mary
<b>Sacristan</b>	Jeanne	Joann

### Cleaning Schedule

Apr 16-22, 2018	Flo & Mary Ann Perrault
Apr 23-29, 2018	Dale, Rita, Stacy Mutimer

**Please note: The annual meeting for St. Lucy's will be held after mass on April 22<sup>nd</sup>.** There will also be coffee and muffins served for everyone. Please plan to attend and be a part of your parish community!

Last week's collection total: **\$ 715.00 Thank You**

**Our three parishes now have a website!**

<https://pasquiacatholic.com/>. Check it out!! St Lucy Parish also has a Facebook page: **StLucyArborfield**