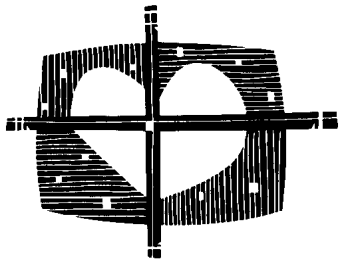


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Catechizing Corner!

In today's liturgy Jesus shared a eucharistic meal with his disciples on the road. There is evidence in ancient drawing and artwork that fish may have been part of an early eucharistic meal. Jesus multiplied and distributed the fish and the loaves in his earthly life; now he shares another post resurrection eucharistic meal of fish with his disciples for second time. It is significant that Jesus asked them to feed him. Perhaps it was a symbolic way to remind the disciples that the ball was now in their court. They were to do what Jesus did. They were to go out and feed others.

In connection with the meal, Jesus taught them the scriptures. He reminds them that what they have experienced is part of the fulfillment of salvation history as foretold in the scriptures.

Mary Birmingham, Word and Worship Workbook.

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Disciple's Reflection for the Question of the Week

Third Sunday of Easter

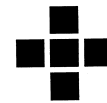
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A Call to Prayer

The Word of God
Luke 24:35-48

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Questions of the week

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Call to Prayer

Begin by calling upon God: **In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, Amen.**

Let us pause for a moment and listen attentively to this week's passage.

The Word of God Luke 24:35-48

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke:

The two disciples recounted what had taken place on the way, and how Jesus was made known to them in the breaking of bread. While they were still speaking about this, he stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." But they were startled and terrified and thought that they were seeing a ghost. Then he said to them, "Why are you troubled? And why do questions arise in your hearts?"

Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me and see, because a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you can see I have."

Gospel Glossary

Recounted means to give an account of an event or experience. **Psalms** are sacred poems or songs of praise. **Jerusalem** is a city in Israel.

And as he said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While they were still incredulous for joy and were amazed, he asked them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of baked fish; he took it and ate it in front of them. He said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the law of Moses and in the prophets and psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures. And he said to them, "Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.

The Gospel of the Lord

Faith Sharing

Questions of the Week:

Children: What question would like to ask someone about how Jesus looked to the Apostles ?

Teen: What questions about Jesus still arise in the midst of your faith ?

Family: How does Jesus' first words to the apostles, "Peace be with you..", make you feel ?

Adult: When have you had a moment when you suddenly realized that God was with you ?

Closing Prayer

Lord, console my troubled heart,
filled as it is with details and
tasks. I trust in You and Your
mercy. We ask this, as we ask all
things, through Christ our Lord,
Amen.

3rd Sunday of Easter