



“I have made you a light to the Gentiles,  
that you may be an instrument of salvation  
to the ends of the earth.”

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**Fourth Sunday Of Easter**  
**May 11, 2025**

A FORETASTE OF PARADISE

Throughout Easter Time, the Church rejoices with Jesus, risen from the dead. Our readings on this Fourth Sunday of Easter celebrate our instinct to come together in joy, worshiping in church. While private prayer nourishes our individual relationship with the Lord, community prayer is a foretaste of paradise. The book of Revelation depicts a “great multitude” worshipping God “day and night in his temple.” Our churches on Easter Sunday often reflect this happy multitude, filling the pews to bursting. Four Sundays into the festive season, we are encouraged to keep praising God together. In the Acts of the Apostles, Paul and Barnabas demonstrate their instinct to worship with their faith community each Sabbath, dutifully taking their seats in the synagogue. In the Gospel, Jesus calls us his sheep and reminds us why coming together as a flock is so important: uniting in community, we unity of God.

Congratulations to Elizabeth Hernandez  
she received her First Communion  
May 4th Sunday

**THE ANNUAL YARD SALE IS GOING  
TO BE AUGUST 8<sup>TH</sup> AND 9<sup>TH</sup> .YOUR  
DONATIONS CAN BE BROUGHT  
AT ANY TIME THEY CAN BE  
STORED IN THE BACK ROOM .**

The annual spaghetti dinner is going to be  
September 19<sup>th</sup> this year .Volunteers will be needed .A  
sign- up sheet will be posted at the front of the church  
so anyone can plan to be here for the preparation and  
work schedule. Many hands make light work . Please  
try to make plans to help.

TODAY’S READINGS

**.First Reading — The Jews angrily reject Paul and Barnabas’ preaching. They then turn their energies to the Gentiles . (Acts 13:14, 43-52).**

**Psalm — We are his people, the sheep of his flock. (Psalm 100).**

**Second Reading — John envisions a great white-robed multitude standing before the throne and before the Lamb. (Revelation 7:9, 14b-17).**

**Gospel — My sheep hear my voice; they follow me. I give them eternal life (John 10:27-30).**

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3, 43:3-4; G John 10:1-10  
Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7’ G John 10:22-30  
Wednesday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113:1-8; G John 15:9-17  
Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3,21-22,25 & 27; G John 13: 16-20  
Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab; G John 14:1-6  
Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-2ab, 3cd-4: G John 14: 7-14  
Sunday: Acts 14:21-27 (54C); Ps 145:8-9,10-11,12-13; G John 13:31-33a, 34-35

**There is a Knights planning meeting Wednesday May 14th 6pm. Dinner 6pm rosary 6:45 informal planning meeting at 7pm All current Knights asked to attend.**

Call Brian Muetze 815-508-6059

Reflection question:

How can I listen more closely to the voice of the Good Shepherd?

Monday, May 26th, office  
will be closed for Memorial

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Lector	Beverly
Server	Carlos
Eucharistic M	Jim, Anita ,Peggy
Counter	Tom & Beverly
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MAY 11th	
Lector	Peggy
Server	Max
Eucharistic M	Ann C, Anita, Jim M
Counter	Mary & Ann
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MAY 18TH	
Lector	Mary
Server	Carlos
Eucharistic M	Peggy, Jim, Beverly
Counter	Tom & Beverly
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MAY 25TH	
LECTOR	Mark
Server	Max
Eucharistic M	Florencia, Janet, Ann F.
Counter	Mary & Ann
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Wednesday Lector

**MAY 7TH BECCY**

**MAY21 ST BEVERLY**

**MAY26<sup>TH</sup> CHERI**

<b>SUNDAY COLLECTION</b>
<b>5-4-2025</b>
<b>\$858.00</b>
<b>B&amp;M</b>
<b>\$81.00</b>