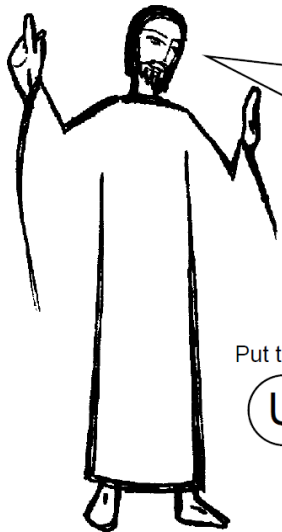


Holy Family Little Church

SEEING JESUS AGAIN

The Disciples were locked up behind closed doors.
Then ... Jesus appeared.

THEY WERE SO HAPPY TO SEE HIM AGAIN.



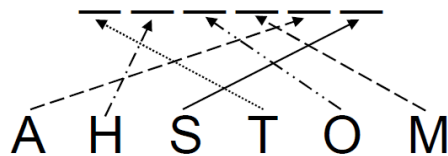
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Put these vowels in the right places to find out what Jesus said.



One of the disciples did not believe it was Jesus.

Put the letters in the right place to reveal his name.



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Resurrection - one week on?

A week ago we celebrated the resurrection. There comes a time, however, when we must live the resurrection. Resurrection is not just an event or an idea. It is a way of being and living. It is the lens through which we see the world, each other, and ourselves. Resurrection is the gift of God's life and love. Living resurrection, however, is difficult. For most of us it is a process, something we grow into over time. It is neither quick nor magical. Resurrection does not undo our past, fix our problems, or change the circumstances of our lives. It changes us, offers a way through our problems, and creates a future. Christ's resurrected life inspires us with his spirit, invites us to unlock the doors, and sends us into the world. Resurrected people believe even if they don't understand. They may never see or touch Jesus, but they live trusting that they have been seen and touched by him.

I have to wonder, one week after Easter, is our life different? Where are we living: in the freedom and joy of resurrection or behind locked doors? What do we believe about Jesus' resurrection? What doors have we locked? If you want to know what you believe, look at your life and how you live. Our beliefs guide our life and our life reveals our beliefs.

Jesus is always entering the locked places of our lives. He comes, eastering in us. Unexpected, uninvited, and sometimes even unwanted he steps into our closed lives, closed hearts, closed minds. Standing among us he offers peace and breathes new life into us. He doesn't open the door for us but he gives us all we need so that we might open our doors to a new life, a new creation, a new way of being. This is happening all the time.



Michael Marsh

2nd Sunday of Easter

24th April 2017 Eucharistic Prayer: 1

DIARY AND MASS INTENTIONS

for the week beginning Saturday 22nd April 2017

Sat 6.00pm	<i>St. Anthony</i>	Norah & Frank Stanton	
Sun 9.30am 11.00am	<i>St. Anthony</i> <i>Holy Family</i>	Luke & Frances Kehoe Fr. Peter Dolan	<i>2nd Sunday of Easter</i>
Mon 9.15am	<i>Holy Family</i>	For our parish	
Tue 9.15am	<i>St. Anthony</i>	<i>Sarah Ann Knowles</i>	
Wed 9.15am	<i>St. Anthony</i>	Albert Butler	
Thur 9.15am	<i>Holy Family</i>	Lancashire Infirm Clergy	
Fri 9.15am 6.30-7.30pm	<i>St Anthony</i> <i>Holy Family</i>	Gabrielle Mills	Exposition & Holy Communion
Sat: 6.00pm	<i>St. Anthony</i>	Riley & Rawcliffe families	
Sun 9.15am 11.00am	<i>St. Anthony</i> <i>Holy Family</i>	Joe Holden For our parish	<i>3rd Sunday of Easter</i>

Last Weekend: Attendance: 140. Thank you for your generous Easter offerings and for your kindness throughout the year.

Masses received this week:

Frank & Norah Stanton, Gabrielle Mills, Ann & Dudley O'Gara, Kieran Miller.

Monday Surgery

Fr. Peter will be in Holy Family Church on Monday evening from 5.30-6.30pm for anyone who wants a word about baptisms, weddings, Sacrament of Reconciliation etc.

Friendship Group

Next meeting is on Tuesday 25th April at 2pm in St. Anthony's Presbytery. There is no strict membership so if you want to come along for a cup of tea and chat please do.

Please remember in your prayers

those who are sick, Bill O'Shaughnessy, Margaret Johnson, Eveline Eccles, Malaya, Ray Mannion, John Miller, Claire, Bill York;

those who have died recently: Alan Southworth;

and those whose anniversaries occur around this time: Beatrice Helm, William Robinson, Bill Marshall, Mary Agnes Clegg, Tom Tierney, James Whiteside, Annie Lithgoe, Agnes McDonough, Dorothy Barrett, Alice Whitehead, Helen Rhodes, Cornelius Crimmings, Elizabeth Collier, Arthur Bielby, Paul Ashton, Ken Welsby, Vivien Garner.

Welcome!

To Katie who was received into the Church last Sunday. It was good to have her family with her and it was a wonderful occasion for our parish. We hope that she will soon feel fully at home in our Community and come ever closer to the Lord.

Sacrament of Confirmation

Bishop Michael will be coming to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Friday 9th June at 6.30pm. **Please note:** there will be a briefing Session for parents and young people on Thursday 11th May. Preparation will be concentrated on one day - 20th May, from 10am-5.30pm. Applications forms are at the back of Church.

In memory of Lawrence Cartmell

As a tribute to Lawrence who died suddenly last October, Brownedge St. Mary's Church in Bamber Bridge will exhibit a collection of his paintings during their Festival Week (29th April-5th May). Lawrence was a faithful supporter of the festival and well known here at Holy Family Church. See the flier for events and times.

The Preston Passion - Concert

Revisit the story retold by actors from this years Preston Passion. Experience traditional and original music composed just for this event. Sing along with the specially formed choir and musicians from all over Preston - free entry. On Thursday 27th April at 7.30pm St John's Minster. Bring your photos and talk about what you experienced on Good Friday. Refreshments in the interval

Are you someone who listens to others

- at home, work, Church or in a volunteering role? "One -2-One" offers two Modules: Module 1 Effective Listening: A course to equip you with effective, reflective listening skills. On Mondays 15th & 22nd May 7-9.30pm, Or Wed 7th June 10-4, Or Sat 15th July 10-4pm.

Module 2 Applied Listening: This builds on module 1 and teaches new skills. On Wed. 28th June 10-4pm, Or Mondays 24th & 31st July 7-9.30pm. Refreshments available 30 mins prior on each day. Courses are held at Ingol Methodist Church. Booking essential: no later than 10 days before. email Info@one2onelisting.org.uk for an application form or tel 07542 076603 Places are limited. Course Costs are £35 each.

Share-It Food Bank (at Holy Family)

These items are the most needed at the moment:

** NOODLES	* jams	* brown & red sauces (small)
* coffee sachets (2 in 1)	* instant desserts	* drinking chocolate sachets
* biscuits		* juices for lunch boxes

Thank you for your continued generous giving.

NEXT SUNDAY: Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:1-4,22-33	It was impossible for him to be held in the power of Hades.
1Peter 1:17-21	Your ransom was paid in the precious blood of the lamb, namely Christ.
Luke 24:13-35	They recognised him at the breaking of bread.