

Easter Sunday April 12, 2020

Dear Members and Friends of St. Boniface.

Easter is celebrated for fifty glorious days beginning today culminating on the Solemnity of Pentecost. This is the “mother of all feasts” because we remember the great love of the Father for us, whose Son, Jesus Christ, by dying destroyed death and by rising restored all of us to life. This is the feast of the Passover of the Lord; the new day; the new creation; the new life; the eighth day. Easter reminds us that we have been reconciled with God the Father.

These days of Easter also remind us of the beginnings of the Church. It challenges us to continue what Jesus taught His disciples and to live by His example. It teaches us to take courage that despite the challenges we face in our world, the Risen Christ, through the power of the Holy Spirit, is present and active in our lives.

As we celebrate Easter, in a different way this year, I’d like to thank the many people who have shared their time, talent, and treasure. Thanks to all the volunteers who sacrificed to make our Holy Week as prayerful, enjoyable, and inviting as it has been. I also say Thank you to all the volunteer during the year that have given of your time and resources to our parish. THANK YOU!

I also extend a warm welcome to those who are visitors and joined our Parish (Virtually) these past weeks. We are happy you chose to celebrate Easter with us. We extend an invitation to you to become a regular part of our Parish community. The Parish website (westpointstmary.org) lists our Mass times and contact information. As to when we can all celebrate together again is unknown at this time. You are remembered in my prayers and in Masses. Please call us, if we can help. Have a Happy and Blessed Easter to all of you.

Blessings,

Rev. Dennis Hoffman

Pastor