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# Christ is Risen, Alleluia, Alleluia!

**Today's Readings** 

First Reading: Acts10:34, 37-43

**Psalm - #** 118

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4

Gospel: John 20:1-18

Next Sunday – April 15<sup>th</sup> – Second Sunday of Easter "B"

First Reading: Acts 4:32-35

**Psalm** - # 118

Second Reading: 1 John 5:1-6

Gospel: John 20:19-31

**EASTER SUNDAY - The Resurrection of the Lord is the greatest feast of the Church year.** The seven weeks from Easter to Pentecost are celebrated as one great feast day. Sundays are the Lord's Day and all Sundays of the year are called a little Easter. The resurrection of Jesus is a basis of our faith. St. Paul says if Jesus had not risen, our faith would be worth nothing. **In today's gospel,** Mary Magdalene went to the tomb while it was still dark and she saw the stone covering the entrance had been rolled away. When she told Peter and John, they both ran to the tomb to see for themselves. They saw the linen clothing lying there and the cloth that was on Jesus' head rolled up and they believed. They did not yet understand from the Scriptures that Jesus must rise from the dead.

**THANKS to Father Mike McCaffery** for being with us today as usual. **THANKS to Elsie Allen** for interpreting for us today.

CONGRATULATIONS to Elsie's husband, Dean, who became a Catholic last night at St. Theresa's Church.

**LET US PRAY for Connie Van Dyk** who fell and broke her ankle after the Chrism Mass last Monday. Hopefully she is in less pain today.

**SOME NEWS** from JANET VARASKA - Their house has now been sold so they will be moving to B.C. when their daughters finish the school year.

### A Blessed and Happy Easter to everyone.

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