# **Third Sunday of Easter**

### May 4, 2025

After the Resurrection, Peter and John went fishing. They fished all night but caught nothing. In the morning, they saw a man on the shore who told them, "Throw the net over the right side of the boat and you will find something." They did so and caught more fish than they could pull in. "It is the Lord," John told Peter. Hearing this, Peter jumped into the water and swam to meet Jesus on the shore.

Gospel Reading: John 21:1-19



PRAYER

Jesus, help me to recognize Your presence in my life today. By Your grace, I want to be quick to follow You like Peter did when he saw You on the shore. Amen.



"It is the Lord."

# **Fourth Sunday of Easter**

### May 11, 2025

Jesus said, "I am the Good Shepherd. My sheep hear My voice, and they follow Me. I know My sheep. I give them everlasting life, and no one can take them out of My hand. My Father has given My flock to me, and no one can take them out of My Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

Gospel Reading: John 10:27-30



PRAYER

Father, thank You for giving us Jesus, our Good Shepherd. Through His care for us we know Your love. Help us always to hear Jesus' voice and to follow Him. Amen.



"My sheep hear My voice ... and they follow Me."

# **Fifth Sunday of Easter**

### May 18, 2025

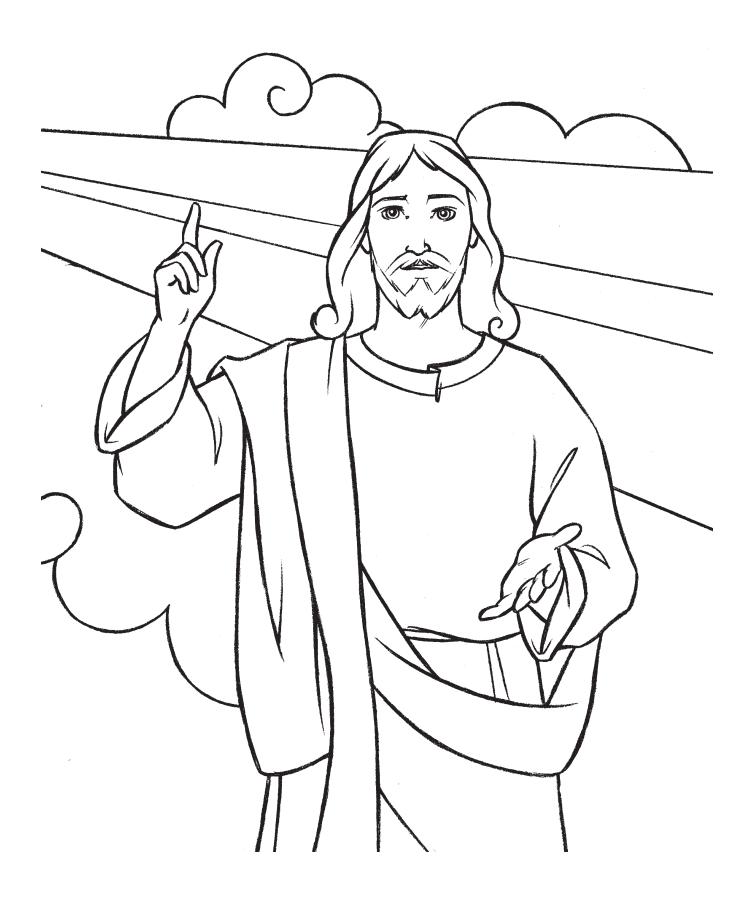
Jesus told His disciples, "My children, I give you a new commandment: love one another. You should love each other like I have loved you. Everyone will know that you belong to Me if you have love for each other."

Gospel Reading: John 13:31-33a, 34-35



#### PRAYER

Jesus, I want to follow Your teachings always. Thank You for the gift of Your love. Open my heart to Your grace so that I can love others as You love them. Open my eyes to see new ways to love, and be my courage when loving is not easy. Amen.



# "I give you a new commandment: love one another."

# Sixth Sunday of Easter

### May 25, 2025

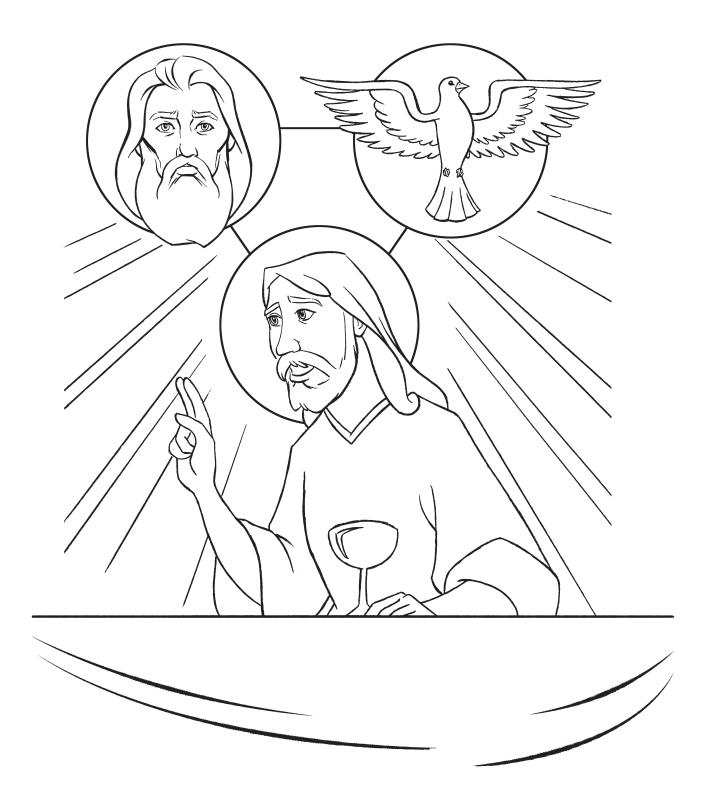
Jesus told His disciples, "The Father will send you the Holy Spirit in My name. The Holy Spirit will teach you everything and will help you remember what I told you. I give you My peace. The world cannot give you the peace that I give you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid."

Gospel Reading: John 14:23-29



PRAYER

Jesus, You promised to send the Holy Spirit to help us follow You to Heaven. Open our minds and hearts to Your grace so that we can receive the Holy Spirit with love and always follow where He leads. Amen.



### "Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid."

### The Ascension of the Lord Thursday, May 29, 2025

(Celebrated in some dioceses on Sunday, June 1, 2025)

When the time came for Jesus to return to His Father, He said to His disciples, "You have seen My death and Resurrection. Now your mission is to go tell everyone about My mercy and love. I will send My Spirit to help you." Then He blessed them and was taken up into Heaven. The disciples were filled with joy and praised God.

Gospel Reading: Luke 24:46-53



PRAYER

Father, Jesus is now in Heaven with You working for the salvation of the world. Fill us with Your Spirit so that we can be bold and tell everyone about Your saving work. Amen.



He blessed them and was taken up to Heaven.