

Proper for Second Sunday in Easter in Year C (ICCEC / RCL)

April 28, 2019

“New Faith”

Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, Who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation:

Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

First Reading: Acts 5:27-32

Psalm Reading: Psalm 111

Epistle Reading: Revelation 1:4-8

Gospel Reading: John 20:19-31

Gradual Verse

What we have heard, what we beheld and what our hands handled, concerning the Word of Life: this we proclaim to you, that you also may believe with us.

Prayers of the People

Form VII (Made from directions in BCP)

**Deacon: Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church, and for the world.**

Minister: Almighty Father, we lift before You Your holy catholic Church:

*People: That You would lead us in truth, baptize us in love, and unite us in spirit.*

Minister: We pray for her leaders, especially Bishop Craig, Bishop Ricardo, and Bishop Ariel:

*People: That they may with one voice minister Your life to Your people and the world.*

Minister: We lift before You the people of this community, this nation, and the world:

*People: That we may honor one another and serve the common good.*

Minister: We pray for our governmental leaders, especially President Duterte:

*People: That You would lead them in the ways of justice and peace.*

Minister: We lift before You all who suffer in body, mind, or spirit:

*People: That You would send Your comfort and grace upon them.*

Minister: Give to the departed eternal rest:

*People: Grant that we may share with them in Your everlasting Kingdom.*

**The Presider may invite the people to offer extemporaneous prayers as the Holy Spirit leads, followed by the Corporate Petition, as follows:**

**Presider: Let us lift up to God the Corporate Petition:**

Corporate Petition

The Concluding Collect

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Presider: We thank You, Heavenly Father, for setting us Your people free from death and fear, guilt and sin; through the resurrection of Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

Preface

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Presider: It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, at all times to acclaim You, O Lord, but **in this time** above all to laud You yet more gloriously, when Christ our Passover has been sacrificed.

For He is the true Lamb who has taken away the sins of the world; by dying He has destroyed our death, and by rising, restored our life.

Therefore, overcome with paschal joy, every land, every people exults in Your praise and even the heavenly powers, with the angelic hosts, sing together the unending hymn of Your glory, as they acclaim:

Benediction:

The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God and of His Son, Jesus Christ our Lord: and the blessing of God Almighty ✠ the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, be with you now and forever. ***Amen.***