



**Friday, April 17, 2020:  
Friday of the Octave of Easter**



Catholic Church

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Good Morning!

Today we read from Acts 4:1-12, Psalm 118 and John 21:1-14. "Come have breakfast." Jesus invites Peter and some of the other disciples who went fishing to come and have breakfast. He had built a fire on the shore and was grilling fish and bread. "Come have breakfast." Again, these words make Jesus more like us. Jesus cares for us and appears to us in the most common of ways. Jesus wants to get to know you and in this time we have today, sit with Jesus and share a cup of coffee, a snack, a meal with him. Peter and John had been put in custody and were brought before the leaders, elders and scribes, and asked, "By what power or by what name have you done this?" (Meaning, healed the man crippled from birth). They proclaimed, "In the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarean. He is the stone rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone. There is no salvation through anyone else, nor is there any other name under heaven given to the human race by which we are to be saved." They spoke the truth from their hearts. Today, Jesus invites you to breakfast, Jesus has prepared it for you, "Come, sit with Jesus and get to know the one who gives you salvation, the stone rejected by the builders." Jesus Christ is Risen, Alleluia!

Peace,

RevKev

<http://www.usccb.org/>"The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone, Alleluia."

### **Sequence Victimae Paschali Laudes**

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Christians, to the Paschal Victim  
Offer your thankful praises!  
A Lamb the sheep redeems;  
Christ, who only is sinless,  
Reconciles sinners to the Father.  
Death and life have contended in that combat stupendous:  
The Prince of life, who died, reigns immortal.  
Speak, Mary, declaring  
What you saw, wayfaring.  
"The tomb of Christ, who is living,  
The glory of Jesus' resurrection;

bright angels attesting,  
The shroud and napkin resting.  
Yes, Christ my hope is arisen;  
to Galilee he goes before you.”  
Christ indeed from death is risen, our new life obtaining.  
Have mercy, victor King, ever reigning!  
Amen. Alleluia.