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MASSES:
Saturday Morning Mass 8:00 A.M.
Saturday (Eve of Sunday): 4:30 P.M.
Sunday: 8:00 A.M.
10:30 A.M.
Weekday: 12:10 P.M.
Holy Days, Eve of Feast: 5:30 P.M.
Feast: 12:10 P.M.


CONFESSIONS:
Daily: 11:45 A.M.—12:05 P.M.
Saturday: 3:30 – 4:15
Anytime on request.

Cathedral Office Hours:
Monday – Friday 8:30 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.
Prayer Request Line: 434-8291

Third Sunday of Easter - April 22, 2012
 You alone, O LORD, bring security to my dwelling.
 — Psalm 4:9

SCRIPTURE THEME:
FULFILLMENT

It is interesting that during the Easter season, when we do not hear a reading from the Old Testament, it becomes so important. This is particularly true today. Peter's speech begins with a prayer formula familiar to Jews: "The God of Abraham . . ." (Acts 3:13). It likewise contains the potent phrases "Holy and Righteous One" and "mouth of all the prophets" (3:14, 18). Peter was stating in no uncertain terms that the law, psalms, and prophets had been fulfilled in Christ. This is reinforced by Jesus himself in the Gospel passage, when he states that everything in the scriptures (to the early Christians "the scriptures" were what we call the Old Testament) had to be fulfilled. Above all, Jesus and Peter both emphasize that we are witnesses to all of this, and are sent forth to bear witness to it in the world. The Latin *Missa*, from which our word "Mass" comes, means "sent" (as in "mission"). As we leave Mass today, let us remember to be witnesses to all that has been fulfilled in the risen Christ.



*Everything written
 about me
 must be fulfilled*

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The God of our fathers has glorified his servant Jesus (Acts 3:13-15, 17-19).

Psalm — Lord, let your face shine on us (Psalm 4).

Second Reading — The way we may be sure that we know Jesus is to keep his commandments (1 John 2:1-5a).

Gospel — Jesus stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you" (Luke 24:35-48).

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SPECIAL COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND:

There will be a special collection taken up at all the Masses next weekend for the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Your donations assist these good people with the work they do in trying to help others. Please be generous.

Mass Intentions
Week Beginning Sunday, April 22, 2012

Sunday April 22	8:00 A.M.	Patrick Dinnean (L)
	10:30 A.M.	Parishioners
Monday April 23	12:10 PM..	Anna & Harold Paige & Family
Tuesday April 24	12:10 P.M.	Deceased Members of the McGill Family
Wednesday April 25	12:10 P.M.	Anna & Harold Paige & Family
Thursday April 26	12:10 P.M.	Margaret Cox
Friday April 27	12:10 P.M.	Teresa McCabe
Saturday April 28	8:00 A.M.	Hugh Murray
	4:30 P.M.	

TITHES AND DONATIONS:

We are grateful for your tithes and donations of \$2,294.05. Thank you.



CATHEDRAL PRAYER NETWORK:

If you have a special intention please call the Prayer Request Line at the Cathedral Rectory at 434-8291 and leave the name of the persons you wish to have prayed for and the reason. Your request will be relayed to the members of the network. Your request will remain confidential.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:

Having an emergency? Contact the St. Vincent de Paul Society, we may be able to help you. Call (251) 442-1122 and leave a message. **Please help us help other.** Contributions may be left in the Poor Box at the rear of the church or you can mail a check to The Cathedral Downtown Conference of St. Vincent de Paul, P.O. Box 161, Mobile, AL 36601. **Join us!** Come to our meetings to learn more about the charitable works of this organization. Meetings are on the **First and Third Tuesday** of each month at 6:30 pm in the Allen Memorial Home located at 735 S. Washington Avenue.

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