

Sunday, April 11—2nd Sunday of Easter

Go Make a Difference

John 20-19-31 Jesus Greets His Friends

After we have received Holy Communion during Mass, we are asked to carry the love of Jesus to others!

In the Church...

- ✝ Before Mass, look for the new Paschal or Baptismal Candle. During the Easter Vigil, the church blesses and lights a new candle signifying the risen Jesus and the light of His love dispelling the darkness.

Is the candle lit or unlit today?

During Mass...

- ✝ The priests and deacons wore different color vestments today.

What was the color?

- ✝ Every time we come to Mass, and receive Jesus, our friendship with Him grows and grows. At the end of Mass, the priest blesses us and sends us to share that friendship.

How can you share Jesus' friendship with someone this week?

- ✝ After the final blessing, we sing while the priest and deacons leave the altar. Out of respect, we do not leave our pew until the priest has left the Church.

⇒ In the Gospel this week, Jesus greets his friends, "Peace be with you" The apostles were sent out to proclaim the Good News so that others will come to believe.

Parents—Thomas had to see in order to believe. Share with your child about the gift of believing even when you don't see... the gift of faith. **Kids**—We are called to share the Good News and be his hands and feet to others. This week, talk with you mom or dad about some ways your family can make a difference to others.

Write down two ideas in the space below.
