## MONDAY 29 APRIL, 2024 Saint Catherine of Siena

**ENTRANCE VERSE**: Here is a wise virgin, from among the number of the prudent who went forth with lighted lamp to meet Christ, alleluia!

First Reading: Acts 14:5-18

**PSALM RESPONSE**: Not to us, O Lord, but to your name give glory.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia, alleluia! The Holy Spirit will teach you all things and remind you of all I said to you. Alleluia!

*The Gospel:* John 14:21-26

**<u>COMMUNION VERSE</u>**: If we walk in the light, as God is in the light, then we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of his Son Jesus Christ cleanses us from all sin, alleluia.

# TUESDAY 30 APRIL, 2024 TUESDAY OF THE 5TH WEEK OF EASTER

**ENTRANCE VERSE:** Sing praise to our God, all you who fear God, both small and great, for now salvation and strength have come, and the power of his Christ, alleluia!

First Reading: Acts 14:19-28

**PSALM RESPONSE:** Your friends tell the glory of your kingship, Lord.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** Alleluia, alleluia! Christ had to suffer and to rise from the dead, and so enter into his glory. Alleluia!

*The Gospel:* John 14:27-31

**<u>COMMUNION VERSE:</u>** If we have died with Christ, we believe we shall also live with Christ, alleluia.

## WEDNESDAY 1 MAY, 2024 WEDNESDAY OF THE 5TH WEEK OF EASTER

**ENTRANCE VERSE** Let my mouth be filled with your praise, that I may sing aloud: my lips shall shout for joy, when I sing to you, alleluia.

First reading: Acts 15: 1-6

**<u>PSALM RESPONSE</u>**: Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia! Live in me and let me live in you, says the Lord; my branches bear much fruit. Alleluia!

The Gospel: John 15:1-8

**COMMUNION VERSE:** The Lord has risen and shone his light upon us, whom he has redeemed by his Blood, alleluia.

## THURSDAY 2 MAY, 2024 ST ATHANASIUS

Born 295, was buried on this day in 373 at Alexandria (Egypt). Attended the first ecumenical council of Nicaea as a deacon. Later, as bishop of Alexandria, he upheld the council's doctrine in the face of great opposition from Arian, including several emperors. Sent into exile a number of times. Venerated as the Father of Orthodoxy for championing the true and equal divinity the incarnate Son of God.

### **ENTRANCE VERSE**:

In the midst of the Church he opened his mouth, and the Lord filled him with the spirit of wisdom and understanding and clothed him in a robe of glory, alleluia.

First Reading: Acts 15:7-21

## **PSALM RESPONSE**:

Proclaim his marvellous deeds to all the nations

## **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia! My sheep listen to my voice, says the Lord. I know them, and they follow me. Alleluia!

The Gospel: John 15:9-11

### **COMMUNION VERSE:**

No one can lay a foundation other than the one that is there, namely, Jesus Christ, alleluia

## FRIDAY 3 MAY, 2024 ST PHILIP AND ST JAMES

**ENTRANCE VERSE:** These are the holy men whom the Lord chose in his own perfect love; to them he gave eternal glory, alleluia.

First Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:1-8

**PSALM RESPONSE:** Their message goes out through all the earth

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia, alleluia! I am the way, the truth, and the life, says the Lord; Philip, whoever sees me sees the Father. Alleluia!

The Gospel: John 14:6-14

**COMMUNION VERSE**: No one can lay a foundation other than the one that is there, namely, Jesus Christ, alleluia.

# SATURDAY 4 MAY, 2024 SATURDAY OF THE 5TH WEEK OF EASTER

**ENTRANCE VERSE:** You have been buried with Christ in Baptism, through which you also rose again by faith in the working of God, who raised him from the dead, alleluia

First Reading: Acts 16: 1-10

**PSALM RESPONSE:** Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia, alleluia! If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Alleluia!

The Gospel: John 15: 18-21

**<u>COMMUNION VERSE:</u>** Father, I pray for them, that they may be one in us, so that the world may believe it was you who sent me, says the Lord, alleluia.