

EASTER 2025



Dear Beloved St. Elizabeth Parishioners,

**The Power and Glory of Easter:** Happy Easter! The power and glory of the Risen Christ fill us this Easter season. Easter is an exquisite and exuberant time of renewal, hope, and victory, as we celebrate Christ's triumph over sin, evil, and death. After our Lenten journey of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving, we now rejoice in the beauty of his Resurrection.

**The Meaning and Mystery of the Resurrection:** Easter reminds us that our faith is rooted in the victory of life over death, light over darkness, love over hate, and virtue over sin. The empty tomb is not just a sign of Christ's victory, but also a promise of eternal life for those who believe in him. Let this truth fill our hearts with peace and renew our commitment to live as faithful disciples. Let us embrace the mission Christ has entrusted to us---to be his joyful and courageous witnesses.

**Easter at St. Elizabeth Parish:** The Risen Christ dwells at St. Elizabeth Parish. He is resplendent and radiant in our families. Let us welcome him wholeheartedly and share his blessings with one another generously and gratefully. I thank you for your faith and optimism, your joy and friendship, and your active participation in the spiritual and social events of our parish.

**Happy Easter:** He is Risen! Alleluia! Maligayang Pagkabuhay Ng Panginoon! !Felices Pascuas! Buona Pasqua! L-Għid it-Tajjeb! May the Risen Christ enlighten and enchant you and your families---and sanctify you with his abundant blessings and graces!

Your Friend and Pastor,

Father Charles Puthota, Ph.D.