

To the Clergy, Religious, and Lay Faithful of the Diocese of Fargo:

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Alleluia! Jesus Christ is risen! This is the good news that is heard around the world today and that lifts the heart of every follower of Christ. On this joyful Easter night/day, I extend my greetings to you and your families as we rejoice in the risen life of Jesus.

After remembering the events of his Passion and death, we can now celebrate once again the glorious Resurrection of our Lord, who lives forever. The gaze of our Risen Savior fills us with hope, because we know that he has conquered sin and death, and his love for us will never fail.

Dear friends, I promise to remember each one of you and your loved ones as I celebrate the Mass of our Lord's Resurrection at Easter. May the Risen Christ bless you and your households with renewed hope and the promise of eternal life in his Kingdom. Happy Easter!

Sincerely yours in Christ,
+John T. Folda
Bishop of Fargo