

## ***Sacred Heart – St. Louis Parish***

9 May 2020

Saturday of the Fourth Week of Easter

**“O chosen people, proclaim the mighty works of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light, alleluia.”**

*(readings are from the Easter weekday)*

Reading 1: Acts 13: 44-52

Psalm 98: **All the ends of the earth have seen the saving power of God.**

Gospel: John 14: 7-14

### **Homily for Saturday of the Fourth Week of Easter**

Today in the liturgy, the prescribed Alleluia verse is the following; “If you remain in my word, you will truly be my disciples, and you will know the truth, says the Lord.” This phrase comes from the Gospel of John. These words are certainly ones that are important for us to reflect upon. If you remain in my word . . .

Often times, when we are wanting to find peace in our lives, in whatever situation we may find ourselves in, we can also come back to these words. Whose word are we remaining in - we are remaining in the word of God - and when we are remaining in the Word of God, which is the Word made Flesh, then we are remaining in Jesus, who is indeed the truth and the light of the world.

It is important to remain in His word, so that we can come to know him better and so we can claim the promise for eternal life that he gives to us, the promise that we can live our lives to the fullest and he will show us how.

During these Easter days, let us continue to remain in his word and know that his word and truth will guide us and protect us through any struggle that we may face in our lives.