

Gospel of John. #08 (10.05.2020)

I am the Way, the Truth and the Life

Today is a Fifth Sunday of Easter, I will read the Gospel of John:

Jesus said to his disciples,
“Don’t let your hearts be worried and upset.
You already believe in God; believe in me, too.
There are many rooms in my Father’s house.
I am going now to prepare a place for you.
But I will come back,
And I will take you to be with me where I am.
And you know the way to the place
Where I am going.”

Thomas said to Jesus,
“Lord, we don’t even know where you are going,
so how can we know the way?”
Jesus said,
“I am the Way, I am the Truth, and I am the Life.
Anyone who wants to come to the Father must
come through me.”

Then Phillip said,
“Lord, show us the Father.”
Jesus said,
“Phillip, anyone who has seen me,
has seen the Father.
I am in the Father and the Father is in me.
You can believe me
because you see the things that I do
and even greater things than I do
because I am going to the Father.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

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I am the Way.

At a time of crisis people feel that God has abandoned them. But Jesus assured the apostles that, even though He was leaving them, He was not abandoning them. Rather, He was going to prepare a home for them, and would return to take them to that home. Hence, no matter what happened, no matter how difficult things might get, they must go on believing, go on trusting in Him and in the Father. Easier said than done. But at a time of crisis that is the only thing we can do - go on stubbornly trusting in God. Trust is the greatest thing that we can give to another person. When Thomas asked Jesus, 'Show us the Father,' Jesus didn't give him a lot of complicated directions. Instead He said, 'I am the Way.' What He was saying was: 'Follow me and I will show you the way.'