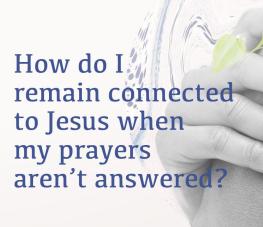
THE BULLETIN



April 28, 2024 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



#CONNECTINGPOINT

MUSINGS + MESSAGES

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In vino veritas ("In wine, there is truth") is a famous saying. But in order to have wine, one needs grapes, and in order to have grapes, one needs grapevines. Hence, we come to today's Gospel. To have good grapes (or indeed any fruit, vegetable, or flower), the vines need to be healthy. Sometimes, the plant needs to be pruned to stimulate new growth. So, too, in our spiritual and physical lives. We need to prune away those parts of

our lives that are unhealthy or impede progress or growth. For physical health, we trim the fat, cut the calories, and limit the intake of sugar and salt because they may contribute to poor health and lead us on the road to disease. In addition, we have the assistance of a physician or nutritionist, who offers suggestions for improvement.

To foster spiritual growth, we also need

to prune. This involves eliminating sinful behaviors and developing good habits. Sometimes, assistance from a spiritual guide is necessary to determine what areas we need to improve. Jesus works through those people to help them discern what needs pruning in our lives. But we can also discern this for ourselves, provided that we open our hearts to the Word of God.

Connecting Point

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How do I remain connected to Jesus when my prayers aren't answered?

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus compares himself to a vine and his followers to branches, emphasizing that, just as branches can only bear fruit if they remain attached to the vine, believers can only live fruitfully if they maintain a close connection to him. This relationship is crucial for spiritual growth and achieving God's purposes.

Every relationship has struggles: parent-child, child-parent, sibling, spousal, co-worker, and, of course, one with God. Often, I struggle more in a relationship when I feel the person on the other end isn't doing their part or listening the way I'd like, and there are times when I feel less connected to God.

My relationship with him struggles the most during hard times, like losing someone I loved, feeling like life is unfair, or enduring other challenges that didn't turn out how I'd hoped. In relationships, we often "punish" the other person by giving them the silent treatment or going out of our way to avoid them. Yet, avoiding our connections to God is never the answer.

Remaining connected to God during struggles is the same as in any relationship: it involves showing humility in accepting the tension, showing accountability (because no relational struggle is ever one-sided), and listening first.

In my marriage, we have something called the "Forgiveness Cup," which was introduced and gifted to us. For the times we don't know what to say and are too afraid to be the first to admit we were wrong, we pour and share the cup as an olive branch.

So, in those times when you don't



feel connected to God or don't think he is listening, remember, it's up to you (not him) to extend the spiritual Forgiveness Cup and open yourself up to listening to him and the greater plan that he has in store.

Musings + Messages (cont'd)

We cannot live apart from the Lord, and sin impedes our relationships with God. So, we need to discover ways to increase spiritual growth in our lives. Perhaps we need to add more prayer time. Maybe God

is inviting us to spend more time doing corporal works of mercy by volunteering in the community. Or maybe we are already "doing" what is required, and God wants us to "be" with him by spending time in quiet

reflection and discernment. This week, ask the true vine, Jesus, what needs pruning in your life so that you may better grow the spiritual grapes that produce the wine of truth.

CALENDAR

APRIL 28 - MAY 5

- 8 AM MASS
- 9:45 AM **MASS/ CHILDREN'S CHURCH**
- 10:45 AM **OCIA**
- 11:45 AM MASS/ CHILDREN'S CHURCH
- 1:30 PM **RETROUVAILLE**
- 7 PM MACOMB COLLEGE **CHOIR CONCERT**

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- 9:30 AM **STRETCH & STRENGTH**
- 10 AM **FUNERAL**
- 2 PM ROSARY
- 5 PM GROW: GRADES 1-6
- 5 PM MISSION: GRADES
- 6:30 PM GROW: GRADES
- 6:30 PM MISSION: GRADES

- 7 AM **AA MEETING**
- 8:30 AM **MASS**
- 1 PM **GRIEF SUPPORT**
- 5 PM GROW: GRADES 1-6
- **5 PM MISSION: GRADES** 7-8
- 6:30 PM GROW: GRADES
- 6:30 PM MISSION: GRADES

- 8:30 AM **MASS**
- 9:30 AM **STRETCH &** STRENGTH
- 9:30 AM WIDOWERS' SOCIAL SUPPORT GROUP
- 10 AM **LITTLE WAY ROSARY MAKERS**
- 5:30 PM **CHOIR REHEARS**
- 6 PM K OF C MEETING
- 6:30 PM **FAITH, FUN, AND** FRIENDS

- 7 AM **AA MEETING**
- 8:30 AM **MASS**
- 9 AM **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**
- 9:30 AM **RAMBLING ROSES**
- 12:30 PM **CANCER** PREVENT. PRESENTATION
- **3 PM CONFESSIONS**
- 6:30 PM **LECTIO**: **EUCHARIST**
- 7 PM CBS OF MICHIGAN

- 8:30 AM MASS
- 9:30 AM **STRETCH &** STRENGTH
- 6 PM FIRST EUCHARIST REHEARSAL

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- 11 AM **FIRST COMMUNION SACRAMENT**
- 4:30 PM **MASS**

- 8 AM MASS
- 9:45 AM **MASS/** CHILDREN'S CHURCH
- 11:45 AM **MASS/ CHILDREN'S CHURCH**
- 12:45 PM MAY CROWNING (IN CHURCH)
- 1 PM **BAPTISM**
- 1:45 PM MISSION YEAR 2 **OFF-SITE RETREAT**

EVENTS



TUE | NEW DATE OF APR 30 | 1 - 2:30 PM

GRIEF SUPPORT SERIES

Have you lost a loved one and could benefit from talking with others in similar situations? Please consider joining the St. Therese Grief Support group. The next 9-week session starts on Tuesday, Apr. 30, from 1 to 2:30 PM in Overflow 10. The Health Ministry facilitates the group, and all are welcome. If you have questions, contact Marilyn Cito, the parish nurse, at 586-254-4433 #320 or Marilync@stol.church.



THU | MAY 2 | 9:30 AM

RAMBLING ROSES

On our May 2 meeting, we will celebrate Mother's Day. Following this, Karmanos will give a lecture on cancer prevention and screening.

In addition, paid members can purchase tickets for our June pizza party for \$7 per person.



THU | MAY 2 | 12:30 - 1 PM

CANCER SCREENING AND PREVENTION PRESENTATION

On May 2, from 12:30 to 1 PM, St. Therese will host a lecture by Danielle Marshall from Karmanos Hospital on "A Healthier You: How to Live Better with Cancer Screening and Prevention." Since a light lunch will be served, RSVP to the parish office at 586-254-4433 or Marilyn Cito, parish nurse, at 586-254-4433 Ext #320 or Marilync@stol.church.



TUE | MAY 7 | 5:30 - 8 PM

MOTHER'S DAY "TEA FOR THEE"

The Health Ministry is hosting a Mother's Day "Tea for Thee" on May 7, from 5:30 to 8 PM, and **all** women are welcome to attend. We will celebrate women, explore

motherhood in the Bible, and more. \$10 tickets include dinner and are available in the parish office until Apr. 23.



MON - FRI | MAY 6 - 10 | ST. ISIDORE

ST. ISIDORE RUMMAGE SALE

Please consider donating usable items in good condition, such as small appliances, furniture, tools, dishes, glassware, pots/pans, pictures, frames, books, toys, gently used clothing, bedding, linens, and more! Please tape all game and puzzle boxes. We are not accepting TVs, encyclopedias, textbooks, or mattresses.

Drop-Off Days (9 AM to 5 PM)

Monday & Tuesday, May 6 & 7

Sale Days

- Thursday, May 9 | 10 AM to 5 PM (or 9 AM with \$2 Early Bird fee)
- Friday, May 10 | 9 AM to 1 PM |
 Bag Day (\$3.00/bag and half-off
 larger items)

Questions? Call Jan (586) 484-2932 or Sue (586) 747-5784.





SAT | MAY 11 | 8 AM - 12 PM | ST. THERESE

UNLEASH THE GOSPEL @ WORK

Catholic men and women often struggle to live their faith in their workplace either because they're afraid to do it or they simply don't know how to do it. This conference addresses both concerns, challenging you to embrace the Great Commission to go and make disciples and giving you the tools and strategies you need to be successful at work.

Cost: \$5



SAT - SUN | MAY 11 - 12 | AFTER ALL MASSES

RIGHT TO LIFE MOTHER'S DAY CARNATION FUNDRAISER

Right to Life-LIFESPAN will have its Mother's Day Carnations available after all Masses during Mother's Day Weekend, May 11 and 12. The suggested donation is \$1 per carnation. These beautiful flowers are a great way to show appreciation to all those who have been mothers in some way in our own lives. Thank you for supporting life!

EVENTS (CONT'D)



FRI | MAY 17 | 7 PM | ST. ISIDORE

WIND & FIRE: A CONCERT FOR PENTECOST

Join us for a Pentecost concert featuring the combined music ministries of St. Isidore, St. Therese of Lisieux, and St. Francis-St. Maximilian parishes. This special event will celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit with an inspiring selection of hymns and choral

pieces that reflect the joy and unity of our faith community. Come and experience the powerful harmony of voices from three vibrant church communities as we come together to lift our hearts in praise. This concert is open to all and promises to be a moving and uplifting experience.



SAT | MAY 18 | 2 - 4:30 PM | ST. FRANCIS-ST. MAXIMILIAN

MARY'S LOVING HANDS SPRING TEA

Mary's Loving Hands Spring Tea will host guest speaker Brother Tien Dinh from Solanus Casey Center's "On The Rise Bakery." Seating is limited. Reserve your seat by emailing Carol Gawel at Carol24G@hotmail.com.

Doors will open at 1:30 PM, and lunch will be served from 2 to 2:45 PM.

Consider bringing a free-will offering and school supply donations.



SAT | MAY 18 | AFTER 4:30 PM MASS

K OF C SILVER ROSE SERVICE

St. Therese of Lisieux's K of C council is privileged to host a Silver Rose, displayed on the altar during all Masses the week of May 13. There will be a special service following

4:30 PM Mass on Saturday, May 18, in the Social Hall as we pray in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe and respect for life. A social gathering with light food and refreshments will follow.



MAY 4 - 30

BABY BOTTLE DRIVE

The St. Therese K of C and Christian Service Commission are teaming up again to support the Compassion Pregnancy Center in Clinton Township. Since 1994, they have specialized in helping those experiencing unplanned pregnancy by providing pregnancy tests and

limited ultrasounds, as well as education and mentoring. Starting May 4, change a life by picking up and filling a baby bottle with spare change, bills, or a check (made out to St. Therese) and returning it to the parish office by May 30. Bottles will be available in the gathering space.



SAT | JUN 1 | 4:30 PM

GRADUATION MASS

Calling all 2024 high school and college graduates of St. Therese of Lisieux! Come celebrate your accomplishments with your parish family at the 4:30 PM Mass. Graduates are invited to wear their gowns, cords, sashes, medals, etc., to this Mass, but please do not wear caps.

In addition, we want to publish each graduate's picture in a gallery on our website and Facebook page. To do so, we need your pictures no later than Sunday, May 12.

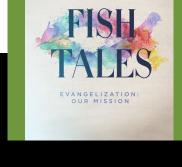
Keeping Our Earth a Valuable Place to Live

Evangelization Commission

We hear it on the news, we read it in our emails, and everybody seems to be talking about our environment and how it is becoming increasingly polluted. We recently recognized Earth Day, but one day is not enough; we must recognize its importance daily. Jesus gave us this beautiful place to live, but it is up to us to keep it even more beautiful than we found it. There is much to learn from our indigenous ancestors who have inhabited the earth for thousands of years. They had to figure out what they needed to do to survive. Many of

their values can help us reconnect with our precious earth and each other. Here is a sampling of their values:

- Respect everyone and everything.
- Seek harmony and cooperation with people and nature.
- Increase your number of close friends and the depth of family relations.
- Make humor a part of every day. Laugh at yourself, as well.
- Allow everyone to express



themselves without judgment.

- Speak from your heart.
- Learn from the past. Live presently by looking back but moving forward.
- Balance work and rest. Work hard and rest well.
- Be generous and share what you have with others.
- We are all related, interconnected, and accountable for our behavior.

Together, we can make a difference. Jesus wants us to do this as a faithful community.

DISCIPLESHIP FORMATION

Mission Minute

GROW Program Updates

During our GROW classes on April 14-15, students learned about the Blessed Trinity. As seen in the picture, part of the lesson focused on the Holy Spirit. Students paired off for an obstacle course activity. The blindfolded individual was "led by the Holy Spirit" and given instructions from their partner to safely navigate a path through the Social Hall.

We reinforced that the Holy Spirit has been sent to us as our Advocate and Guide.

Rose Reward Shopping for GROW and Living Faith will occur on May 20 and 21. Parents will be invited to sign up for a shopping time and accompany their child to this great event! Watch for an email to sign up the last week in April.

MISSION

Teens preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation will participate in a retreat next Sunday, May 5, and receive the sacrament on Pentecost, May 19. As part of our community of faith, I ask you to pray for them to be open to receive the Holy Spirit anew.

Last week, we pondered how, by following Jesus, we are called to show concern and care for all, especially the poor and marginalized. We also talked about how we all thirst for acceptance and belonging and considered how, through our words and actions, we can bring comfort and love to those who might be spiritually and emotionally hungry.

Reaching out to others starts with humility and a heart of service. Who around you is hungry for companionship?



Confirmation Prayer

Heavenly Father,

You send out your Spirit to touch the hearts of all people, so they may believe in you and in Jesus whom you sent.

Look kindly on all candidates for Confirmation as they strive to listen to your voice.

Open their hearts to your Spirit and bring to fulfillment the good work that you have begun in them.

As we prepare these candidates for Confirmation, make each of us an instrument of your love.

Teach us to appreciate what is holy in others, and to be patient with what we do not understand.

Deepen our faith in the Gospel, and help us to pass it on by our example.

We pray that you will continue to guide us and sustain us.

Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Adapted from: stjoesbuckeye.org

You Can Lower Your Risk of Cancer

Health Ministry | ♣ Marilyn Cito, Parish Nurse **4** marilync@stol.church

According to the World Health Organization, cancer is the leading cause of death, with about 1 in 3 cases being preventable. But you can lower your risk of getting many common kinds of cancer by making some healthy choices.

If you are overweight or obese, losing weight is one of the best ways to help prevent cancer. Being overweight increases the chances of several types of cancer, including the esophagus, pancreas, colon, kidney, and thyroid gland. It has been estimated that if everyone in the U.S. cut their body mass index (BMI) by 1%, potentially 100,000 cancer cases could be prevented.

Red meat and cured meats like bacon, hot dogs, and lunchmeat have been linked to a higher risk of colon and stomach cancers. The American Institute for Cancer Research recommends no more than 18 ounces weekly.

Skin cancer is one of the most common kinds of cancer in the U.S. Wearing sunscreen (SPF 30 or higher) can prevent ultraviolet radiation from the sun's rays. Most cases are found and treated early, but they can be life-threatening if they spread to other parts of the body.

Eating a healthy diet of at least two and a half cups of fruits and vegetables can help prevent mouth, throat, windpipe, and esophagus cancers. Taking supplements may help, but eating a diet rich in fruits, vegetables, and grains is the best way to prevent cancer. Avoiding food and drinks high in sugar and calories will help maintain your weight and possibly prevent cancer.

Exercising can help prevent colon, breast, and other cancers. When you exercise, your body uses more energy, digests food faster, and prevents a buildup of some hormones linked to cancer. It can also help prevent other diseases like diabetes and heart disease.

If you smoke, give it up. Although in the 1960s, more than 40% of people smoked, that number has dropped to about 15%. However, tobacco is still the number one cause of preventable death in the U.S. Drinking too much alcohol raises the risk of throat, stomach, colon, liver, and breast cancers and causes damage to the tissues, liver, and cells. Men should not have more than two drinks daily, and women should only have one at most.

Get vaccinated. People who get Hepatitis B are 100 times more likely to get liver cancer. Getting the vaccine helps prevent infection in people at high risk for the infection. It is also recommended that girls between the ages of 9 and 26 and boys between 9-21 be vaccinated for HPV (Human papilloma) since contracting this virus puts one at risk for certain cancers.

Finally, getting screening tests regularly is one of the best ways to prevent cancer. There are a variety of tests that can check for different types of cancer like breast, cervical, colon, prostate, lung, or skin. The sooner the cancer is detected, the better the chances of recovery.

On Thursday, May 2, from 12:30 to 1:30 PM, St. Therese of Lisieux will host a lecture by Danielle Marshall from Karmanos Hospital titled "A Healthier You: How to Live Better with Cancer Screening and Prevention." We hope you will join us for this informational presentation on cancer prevention. Please RSVP to the parish office or Marilyn Cito, parish nurse, since a light lunch will be served. We hope to see you there!

Reference

 WebMD, Lower Your Risk of Cancer, Medically Reviewed by Nicole Swiner, MD. November 30, 2022.

Last Call for Rice Bowl Return!

If you still need to return your Rice Bowl to the parish office, you can do so until May 24.

St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Days

The St. Therese of Lisieux St. Vincent de Paul conference will have Bundle Days on June 8 and 9. A truck will be delivered to our parking lot to fill with your donations of clothing and household items (no furniture items, regardless of size!). Please do not bring any donations until the truck arrives on June 8.

By hosting the Bundle Days once a year, the St. Vincent de Paul store gives us unlimited vouchers to use for our needy neighbors as they come to us. Thank you for considering this vital ministry and attending to our needy brothers and sisters.

The drop-off hours will be:

- June 8: 12 to 6 PM
- June 9: 7:30 AM to 2 PM

Ministry Schedule

SAT | MAY 4 4:30 PM

Lector 1: Carrie Dekoski Lector 2: Iolanda Agazzi

Altar Servers: Volunteer Needed Usher Team 3: Matt Stephan

SUN | MAY 5 8:00 AM

Lector 1: Marilyn Kylmala Lector 2: Janis Fick

Altar Servers: Volunteer Needed Usher Team 4: Tomaz Dopico

SUN | MAY 5

9:45 AM

Lector 1: Penny Eastman Lector 2: Volunteer Needed Altar Servers: Volunteer Needed

Usher Team 1: Ann King

SUN | MAY 5

Lector 1: Paul Bieber Lector 2: Patricia Bieber

Altar Servers: Volunteer Needed Usher Team 2: Sam Guzzardo

Message from Fr. Chris Talbot

Right before Easter, I received a surprise call from the archbishop's secretary letting me know that the archbishop wanted to meet with me. When we met the week after Easter, Archbishop Vigneron asked me to take over for Monsignor Dan Trapp (God rest his soul) as the moderator of the lower eastside family of parishes. This family consists of SS. Augustine and Monica, St. Elizabeth, St. Charles, Nativity, and Sacred

Heart Detroit. After much prayer and soul searching, I have agreed to this new assignment which will begin on July 1st.

While I'm excited about this new adventure that God is calling me to, I am saddened having to say good bye to all of you. I have grown to love you all dearly and will miss you all greatly. Yet I know that we will always be connected in the love of Jesus.

Our Disciples Unleashed family of parishes will always have a special place in my heart. Please continue to pray for me as I make this transition over the next three months. Change is never easy, however, it is often necessary for our growth. I pray we will all grow in God's grace through his move of the Holy Spirit.

Peace and Love in the Risen Christ, Fr. Chris

Spotlight on Altar Servers

Benefits of becoming an Altar Server:

- Volunteering as an Altar Server can help one develop a sense of identity and self-esteem.
- Serving helps one grow in their personal relationship with our Lord.
- People enjoy serving together.
 We are called to live in community.
- Serving promotes respect, builds understanding of the Mass, and inspires giving back.
- Working on and around the altar promotes leadership and social skills.
- 6. You can choose the Mass times and weekends you are available to serve.

Requirements:

- Candle Bearers: An introductory level to Altar Serving for students in grades 3 and 4
- Altar Servers: Starting at 5th grade

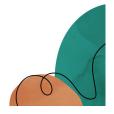
Altar Server Training is available upon request! Please email altarservers@stol.church and include the server's name, parent's name, phone number, and email to set up a training time.











Mass Intentions

SAT. APR 27 4:30 PM

- † Joe Basirico
- † Alfred Saam
- † Frank Lucente
- † Rose Kane (Bday)
- † Tommy Kotula (Bday)
- † Luisa Meschini (1st anniv.)
- † Mario, Delita & David Baldinelli
- † Garry Fix
- † Deacon Jerome Campernel

SUN. APR 28 8:00 AM

- † Tom Westerlund
- † Jessica Hanna

Holy Souls in Purgatory

† Phil Schultheis

Andrew Schultheis (Bday)

† Imaad Raad

Joanna Jacobson

Helena Dudojc (Healing)

SUN. APR 21 9:45 AM

Laura Pakledinaz

- † Ryan Lamparski (15th anniv.)
- † Jerry & Mary Ann Wasik
- † Bielak Family
- † Gozdal Family
- † Ronald Davies
- † Wojciech Wisniewski
- † Dave Farnan (3rd anniv.)

SUN. APR 28 11:45 AM

For the People of St. Therese of Lisieux Parish

- † Patricia Stander
- [†] Francesco Bologna & Deceased Family Members
- † Art Kostie
- † Marianna Mule
- † Jimmy Velasquez

- † Efraim Alboleras
- † Nik Boiai
- † Gracy Joseph (Bday)

TUE. APR 30 8:30 AM

Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life

† Walter Nitz (Bday) James & Judy Butkus (Wedding Anniv.)

† Dave Kuptz

Gerald & Patricia Dolsen (anniv.)

† Rose Zarka

WED. MAY 1 8:30 AM

- † Mary Servitto
- † Menard & Daniel Family
- † Hub Kraemer

THU. MAY 2 8:30 AM

- † Dennis Stroh
- † Enio Macciomei (Bday)
- † Ray White

FRI. MAY 3 8:30 AM

† Bud Budinski (Bday)

SAT. MAY 4 4:30 PM

For the Intentions in Our Prayer Box For the People of St. Therese of Lisieux Parish

- † Deacon John Skladanowski
- † Joe Basirico

Michael Franzese

- † Razkowski Family
- † Ray White
- † Dominic Giacona
- † Shannon Mohan Bullock
- † Robin Willits

SUN. MAY 5 8:00 AM

For the Intentions in our Prayer Box

- † Ernest Breitschuh
- † Maureen Karges (Bday)
- † Art Kostie

Jill Szatkowski

Ellen Garrett

- † Imaad Raad
- Amal Raad
- † Mary Sarna
- † Rose Pleciak

SUN. MAY 5 9:45 AM

For the Intentions in Our Prayer Box

- † Claudio Tripicchio
- † George & Peggy Ciolli
- † Germena Recchia
- † Tommie Lenzini
- † Ellie DeBamp
- † Captain Drew Russell
- † Ed Wiegand
- † Robert Hiddings
- † Jerry & Mary Ann Wasik

SUN. MAY 5 11:45 AM

For the Intentions in Our Prayer Box

- † Mary Costanzo, Frank Gatto, Mario Gatto
- † Virginia Bumol
- † John & Ann Rein
- † Carolyn Gambino
- † Nik Bojaj
- † Jessica Hanna
- † Paul Shindak (25th anniv)
- † Cathy Tebo-White

Readings

SUNDAY

Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32;

1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

TUESDAY

Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a

THURSDAY

Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11

SATURDAY

Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5; Jn 15:18-21

MONDAY

Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26

WEDNESDAY

Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Jn 15:1-8

FRIDAY

1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Jn 14:6-14

SUNDAY

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4; 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17

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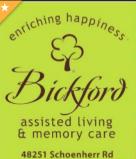
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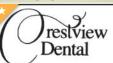
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