**Easter Sunday**

April 1st 2018

*Till this moment, they had failed to understand*

What we hear in today’s Gospel Reading (Easter Sunday) is John’s account of what the disciples did that Easter morning. What is interesting to me is the line “*till this moment, they had failed to understand the teaching of Scripture”...*till this moment...**TILL THIS MOMENT.** The disciples were with Jesus throughout the whole of His ministry, they ate with Him, heard His teaching, prayed with Him - yet it was only in that *moment* of seeing the tomb empty that the pin really dropped about what Jesus came to earth to do...to conquer death.

Are we also guilty of not understanding? Do we need to run to the tomb of Christ this Easter morning and really, I mean **really**, allow the **TRUTH** OF THE RESURRECTION to sink in. What we celebrate today, is our God. Our God is the God who loved us so much that He stooped down to our weak human level to become like us...who loved us so much that He would take the sin of the entire universe on His shoulders and be crucified...ours is the God of miracles, who conquered death.

Nothing is more powerful than Him.

No one can love you as much as He loves you.

Be joyful! Be glad! He has risen!

Alleluia! Alleluia!

(and it’s not an April fool)

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