

TRANSCRIPT: 2021 Easter Greetings from Bishop Johnston

Easter greetings, everyone! I just want to take this opportunity to wish you and your families a very blessed and happy Easter, as we celebrate the great victory of the Lord Jesus over the grave, over sin and death. The fact that we share in that with him because of our baptism, and our life in Christ that we share within the body of Christ. So I want to wish all of you many graces during, not only this Easter day, but the Easter season ahead.

I also want to just mention briefly that we're working now on plans to, in a sense, re-establish some of the normal patterns that we had gotten used to before the pandemic hit. So many of those things have been curtailed and limited, and we're all, I think, looking forward to restoring some of the normalcy in our life. Over the next weeks and months we're planning on how we might go about restoring some of that normalcy to our life, and so it will be much more that we'll share with you as we move ahead. We're planning and I'm working with our priests in all of our parishes on how to go about that in a very wise and prudent way. I ask you all to continue to pray for those who continue to struggle with this pandemic; hopefully as more and more people get vaccinated and all of those things began to fall into place, so many of these things will become easier.

Know of my prayers for you, and please continue to pray for me; and let us pray for one another and support one another, lookout for one another. The main greeting I wish to leave with you today is just my gratitude for all of you as we together celebrate the Lord's Resurrection. Happy Easter and God bless you!