

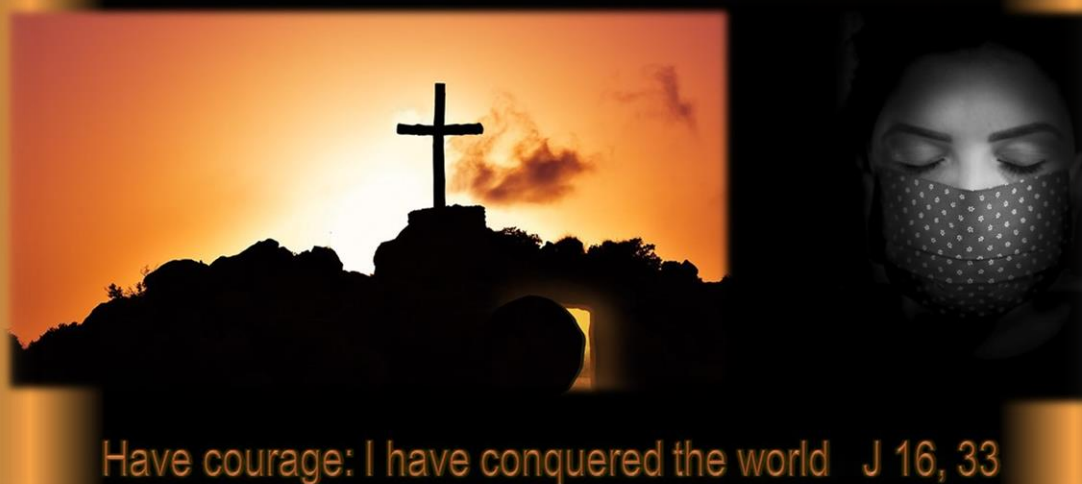
**Dear Friends,**

***Have courage: I have conquered the world***

***J 16, 33***

We celebrate this year's Easter marked by pandemic, which dramatically verifies us and everything that seemed to be obvious in personal and social plans. SARS-CoV-2 and COVID-2019 arouse fear, bring difficulties, suffering, death. They cause anxiety about our own fate, about the fate of those we love, about the future of social life.

In this situation, we are grateful to all those, who risking themselves, save lives and enable society to function. We look confidently and hopefully at people and teams working on effective treatments and vaccine. We solidarize with the affected by illness and their families, with the lonely people and those in need.



In this extremely unfavorable time, we want to recall the supporting words of Jesus: Have courage: I have conquered the world (J 16, 33). Especially in the time of these uneasy experiences, we are His disciples, witnesses connecting faith and reason in the Church's community, in our families and society. He is our path, truth and life, our food and hope, the path of fulfillment here and now on a journey to the Father's house.

During this unique Paschal Triduum, we pray for your health and peace, for strengthening of faith and testimony. We remember of the infected and dying, of those, who are struggling with the disease and its consequences. We wish you prosperity and perseverance. We wish you Christian hope awaiting the fact, that after the fulfilled mission, suffering and death, there is always the morning of the resurrection wherein we have a participation through Christ.

**Alleluia!**

**Christ rose from the dead!**

**He is truly risen!**