

## Personal Notes

049A Fourth Sunday of Easter: A Catholic Bible Study May 7, 2017

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This is Good Shepard Sunday. Personal Notes for this Sunday are on the web at <http://www.western-civilization.com/CBQ/Personal%20Notes/Personal%20Notes.htm> for 1905, 1908, and 1911. Those comments will have to do for this rendition. I have been busy struggling to understand Word. Things are not in better shape. The April 2017 Catholic Biblical Quarterly is almost indexed. I am catching up.

Reviewing the Annotated Bibliography below, leaves me cold. Because of the lateness of the hour, I need to get these Notes out now, before Sunday arrives. The Annotated Bibliography will have value only for those who already have access to the references. Sorry. I hope to get caught up quickly, because I have been working along, as I struggled to better understand Word.

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Material above the solid line draws from material below the solid line. Those uninterested in scholarly and tangential details should stop reading here. If they do, however, they may miss some interesting material.

### **Readings**

First Reading:	Acts 2:14a, 36-41
Responsorial Psalm:	Psalm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)
Second Reading:	1 Peter 2:20b-25
Alleluia:	John 10:14
Gospel:	John 10:1-10

### **Annotated Bibliography**

#### **Acts 2:14a, 36-41**

Acts 2:14-36

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Jack Levison, "A Theology of the Spirit in the Letter to the Hebrews"<sup>4</sup>

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Acts 2:38

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Psalm 23:5-6

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Psalm 23:5

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**1 Peter 2:20b-25**

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1 Peter 2:24

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1 Peter 2:24

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## **John 10:14**

### **John 10:1-10**

John 10:1-18

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John 10:1-18

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John 10:10

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John 10:14

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For more on sources see the Appendix file. A complete set of Personal Notes, dating from the Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 14, 2002 to the present, is on the web site at [www.western-civilization.com/CBQ/Personal%20Notes](http://www.western-civilization.com/CBQ/Personal%20Notes).

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In the gobbledygook prayer at Sunday Mass immediately following the Gloria, the Faithful hearing the 2011 Roman Missal can listen for “the humble flock”<sup>15</sup> The Responsorial Antiphon for this Sunday is The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23:1)<sup>16</sup> Between November 25, 2011 and November 25, 2012, Personal Notes systematically examined the illiterate 2011 Missal. For a more thorough examination of the illiterate 2011 Roman Missal, go to 1610 Missal: Thirty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time 121125.pdf/htm at <http://www.western-civilization.com/CBQ/Personal%20Notes/Personal%20Notes.htm>.

This is a call for grace that some Black Baptists bring to mind with Then were the men exceedingly afraid, and said unto him, Why hast thou done this? (Jonah 1:10a).<sup>17</sup>

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<sup>16</sup> National Conference of Catholic Bishops, The Roman Missal Restored by Decree of the Second Ecumenical Council of the Vatican and Promulgated by Authority of Pope Paul VI: Lectionary for Mass: For Use in the Dioceses of the United States of America: Second Typical Edition: Volume I: Sundays, Solemnities, Feasts of the Lord and the Saints (Collegeville, Minnesota: The Liturgical Press, 1988) 389. Personal Notes refers to this book as the Lectionary.

<sup>17</sup> UMI Annual Sunday School Lesson Commentary: Precepts for Living @: 2016-2017: International Sunday School Lessons: Volume 19: UMI (Urban Ministries, Inc.), A.



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### Addenda

Due to greater responsiveness at the National Catholic Reporter blog, beginning with the Fourth Sunday in Lent, Reading 032B, March 15, 2015, my interest began shifting from annotating my index here, to engaging conversation there. I may keep up the Bibliography, but without further comment. Time will tell. Beginning with the Second Sunday of Easter, April 23, 2017, my interest began shifting back toward annotating the Catholic Biblical Quarterly.

On Wednesday, December 28, 2016, I discovered that my web site, [www.western-civilization.com](http://www.western-civilization.com) was receiving 1000 hits per day, from the United States, most of which were for these readings. On Thursday, May 04, 2017 it was 678 per day for May. That complicates my priorities, priorities that require balancing between developing these Personal Notes, engaging writing on the National Catholic Reporter at <https://www.ncronline.org/blogs/ncr-today>, developing a Cleveland Organizing Branch of the Association for the Study of African American Life and History (ASALH), attending to my archival resources at the Western Reserve Historical Society, and preparing my 1972 dissertation, "Cleveland and the Negro following World War II" for publication at least on the web. I am the founding president of the Hampton Roads, from which the movie "Hidden Figures" arose, meaning that these priorities have potential consequences of note.

Raymond Arroyo, "The World Over," on EWTN uses fear-mongering, rather than the Joy of the Gospel to entrance its viewers. In the past, Arroyo has responded to my concerns, particularly the Reverend Robert A. Sirico, who rarely appears anymore, with his drivel. Beginning, May 3, 2015, I intend to begin pointing out, here, the role fear, rather than joy, has in "The World Over."

By July 31, I had identified a pattern of attack on Pope Francis by Arroyo. The main attack is on what the Pope is preaching about climate change and capitalism. In the United States Republicans have firm opposition to such sermonizing, as the forthcoming as the Trump administration will show . . . or not.

As, on June 23, 2015, I prepared Reading 110B for the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary time for July 26, I decided to begin reading unread book reviews and articles from Theological Studies for two reasons. The first is I have already read every article cited in the Catholic Biblical Quarterly. The second is that traditionally Theological

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Okechuku Ogbonnaya, Ph.D., (ed.) (Chicago, IL 60643: UMI (Urban Ministries, Inc.), 2016) 381-382.

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Studies articles have been more helpful to my prayer life. I also began reading unread book reviews in the Biblical Quarterly. Beginning with the Second Sunday of Easter, April 23, 2017, I realized the Reformation Commentary on Scripture was doing little for my prayer-life and I began to drift away from the time-consuming details I had been recording.