

OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

April 1, 2021

Dear Friends,

As we enter these holiest days of the year, I extend to you my prayerful wishes of God's blessings of love, joy, and peace. In the midst of the global suffering, difficulties, and uncertainties we have experienced due to the pandemic, Holy Week and Easter give the assurance of God's abiding presence in us and gives us hope. We welcome with great joy and gratitude the gift of newness of life Christ brings through his death and resurrection.

This is a great moment to celebrate. Our diocese and the world have gone through a lot. But our local church in Utah is tremendously blessed by your stewardship of time, talent and treasure that help us remain faithful to our mission of evangelization. Please know also of my sincere appreciation for your generosity, collaboration, and support of the ministries of our local church.

With deep gratitude, I will remember you and your loved ones in my daily prayers and Mass intentions. I look forward when we can all come together again in-person and work with renewed enthusiasm and joy.

May God bless you with a grace filled Holy Week and a glorious Happy Easter!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Oscar A. Solis, D.D.

Bishop of Salt Lake City