

After Easter 3 by Sarah

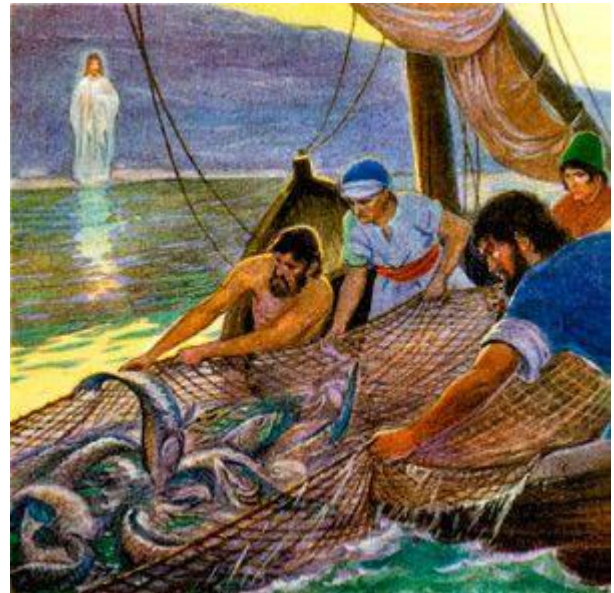
John chapter 21 verse 3

Simon Peter said to them, 'I am going fishing.' They said to him, 'We will go with you.' They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.



When the world goes mad and we do not know what to do, we return to what we used to do and enjoy. That is just what the disciples did; they went fishing. But they caught nothing.

The story progresses and we hear of an unknown person on the shore telling them where to place their nets, they did and caught many fish. It was a repeat of an earlier event, so they knew the person was Jesus.



In our desperation we do not see clearly and often feel isolated and lost, this passage is to show us that we may not see Jesus but he is still there wanting the best for us. One good thing this Covid has brought about is the caring part of our nature. Many people are helping others and I pray that that will continue, it makes the world a better place.

Lord we thank you for those who have put themselves forward to help others, those on the front line in the fight against the virus but also those in our retail business, those who are distributing items, those helping others who are unknown. Lord thank you for this, help us to continue this love and care for others for the years to come. Amen