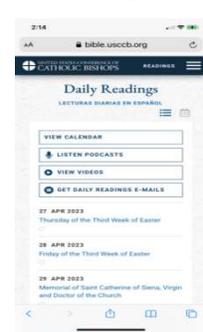
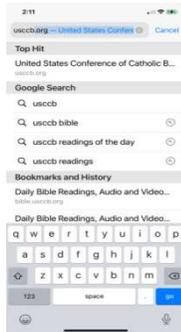


## Good Shepherd Sunday

Last Sunday, at Sacred Heart, Dupo, I mentioned two resources that might be helpful to parishioners. The one is the **website of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops** ([www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org) example A). Besides information on the work of the Catholic Bishops in the United States, this website also contains the daily readings and video reflections provided by the clergy and the laity.

- Simply type [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org) in any web browser (computer or cell phone) and click on the **DAILY READINGS** (example B) tab near the top of the page.
- To hear the audio version of the readings, click on the **LISTEN PODCASTS** tab and select the applicable date.
- For a video reflection, click on the **VIEW VIDEOS** (example C) tab and select the applicable date. (example A)



The second resource is an application known as **LAUDATE**. *Laudate* is the Latin word for **praise**. The **Laudate** application is described as the most comprehensive Catholic applications and it can be accessed in several languages. Laudate can be downloaded from the application store on an Apple or Android phone. To access this application, try the following:

- Launch the **App Store** application (on an Apple Smartphone) or the **Google Play** application on an Android smartphone . You will see either of these symbols:



Touch any of them to launch the application store and then, type **LAUDATE** in the search portion of the application store. Next, download the application. It is a free application and should not require any payment. It may request a password or some other form of authentication. Once the application finishes downloaded, feel free to explore as desired. To access the daily readings and reflections, click on the **Daily Readings and Saint of the Day** tab. From there, you can select the **Daily readings** or any of the reflections like the **pray-as-you-go.org** podcast, **Benedictus Moments**, **Meditation podcast from RegnumChristi.org**, or **Daily Bread from Presentation Ministries**. For those who can connect their phones to their cars via Bluetooth, you can listen to any of the readings or reflections while you commute.

If you have any challenges downloading this application, please let me know and I would be happy to assist you after any of our masses. Of course, the grandchildren may be a wonderful alternative. They are very adept in these matters! 😊