

Monday
May 5
Easter Weekday
Acts 6:8-15
Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday
May 6
Easter Weekday
Acts 7:51-8:1a
Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday
May 7
Easter Weekday
Acts 8:1b-8
Jn 6:35-40

Thursday
May 8
Easter Weekday
Acts 8:26-40
Jn 6:44-51

Friday
May 9
Easter Weekday
Acts 9:1-20
Jn 6:52-59

Saturday
May 10
Easter Weekday
Acts 9:31-42
Jn 6:60-69

Sunday
May 11
Fourth Sunday
of Easter
Acts 2:14a, 36-41
1 Pt 2:20b-25
Jn 10:1-10

MASS	LECTOR	EU. MIN.	SERVERS	USHERS	GIFT B.
May 3 5:30	Dr. Lanny Acosta	Rita Acosta, Mike & Diane Mays	Regan McKnight Katelyn Casey (OLC)	Doug Ladner Kermit Northn Gil Aguirre	Mike & Ellen West (OLC)
May 4 7:30	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)		
May 4 9 am	Jason Necaise	Dale Babin Carolyn Brewer Robin Peterson	James Rines Nicholas Quintini	<i>Robert Lizana Tyler</i>	Danny & Kim Wood Family
May 10 5:30	Lisa Cuevas	Mike West Ellen West Kay VanPeit	Katelyn Casey Boots Moran	Doug Ladner August Schone	Richard & Amy Dunlap
May 11 7:30	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Gil Aguirre	(OLC)
May 11 9am	Valerie Ladner	Chantel Crabtree Helena Barrilleaux Kim Wood	Rylie Rines Conner Ladner	Robert Lizana Jimmy Quintin	Tyler & Gina Leverett Family

Dear Padre
Q: Must we lend money? *My daughter is \$30,000 in debt. On her last payday, a friend asked to borrow \$600 for his house payment. My daughter lent him the money because she heard a reading at Mass that if you have money and your friend needs it, you should lend it. Is that what Jesus would have my daughter do in her current situation?*

Answer: If your daughter had \$600 she didn’t need immediately and was quite sure her friend would pay it back in a timely fashion, then yes, it was good for your daughter to have lent the money in that situation. It’s a sign of your daughter’s generosity and kindness. But there are a lot of “ifs” in the above scenario. If someone had lent that money to your daughter and, because she then lent it to her friend, the lender was denied *her* payment in a timely fashion, your daughter shouldn’t have lent the money. Putting this idea in simpler terms, if I have two chickens and I need only one for supper, I can give a hungry person the extra chicken. But I needn’t give away all that I have to feed the hungry, thus becoming hungry myself. If I have only one chicken, I don’t have to give it away. We’re called to be generous, but not at the expense of our own well-being. Lending money is a different issue because it seems everyone owes money. If your daughter is paying her debts in a timely fashion, she’s not obligated to pay more, and she can continue to be generous.

FR. PATRICK KEYES, CSSR sundaybulletin@liguori.org



Third Sunday of Easter

May 4, 2014



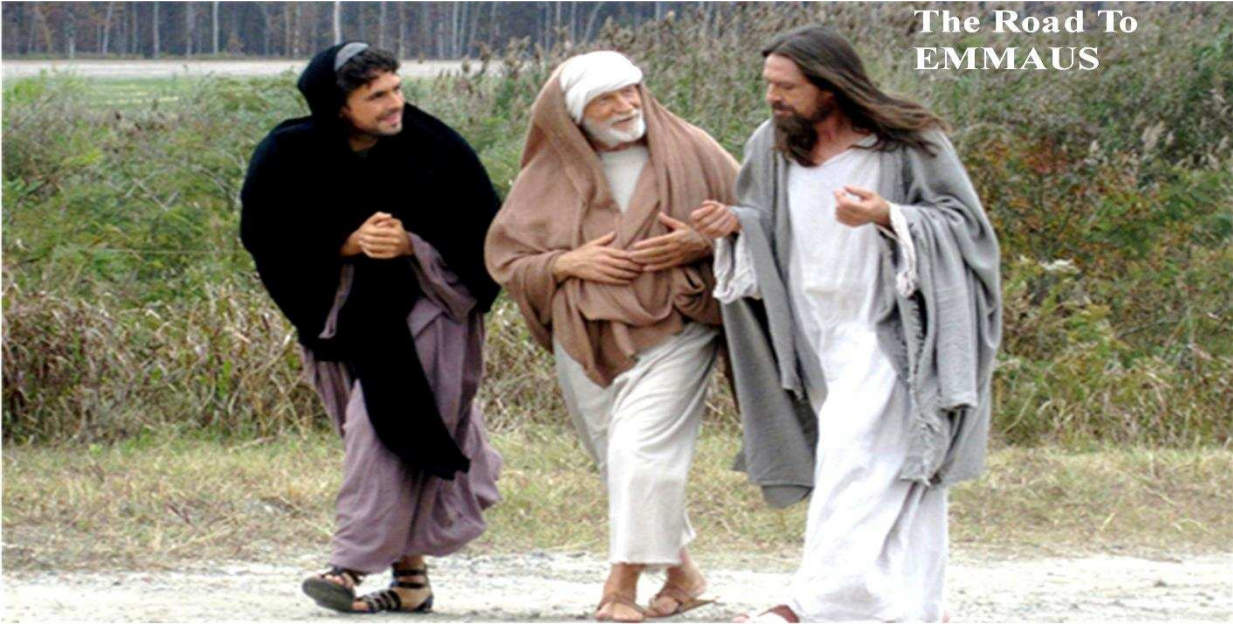
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EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Every Friday Adoration – 8:30a.m.- 9:30a.m
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Both Before Mass and by Appointment.

Mass Schedule Week of May 03 –09 May
Our Lady of Chartres Mass Schedule & Intentions
Sun 7:30 am Our Parish Family

St. Ann Mass Schedule & Intentions
Sat 5:30 pm Our Parish Family (Logan Williamson)
Sun 9:00am Our Parish Family (Rose Albertson BD)
Mon 8:00 am Logan Williamson (1st Communion)
Tues 8:00 am Rose Albertson
Wed 6:00 pm † Eldon (Bud) Ladner
Thursday 8:00am Mrs. Mary Mockler (birthday)
Friday 8:00 am Mrs. Mary Mockler

From Father Khoa's Desk...

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

A common image used in the Bible to represent all of life, especially our growth in the life of grace, is the image of a **journey**. To set out on a journey means to move from one place to another. It requires that we leave something behind and look forward to something else. Such a spiritual journey is beautifully told in today's Gospel taken from Luke 24 and is known as the "Road to Emmaus." The story tells us that on "the first day of the week, two of Jesus' disciples were going to a village seven miles from Jerusalem called Emmaus." They were very sad and disillusioned about what had taken place in life. As they made their way along the road, they were joined by a stranger to whom they poured out their heartfelt concerns. At first the conversation did not seem to lead anywhere and the stranger did not seem to understand them. But little by little, the conversation became significant communication and the despondent disciples became interested in the deeper meaning of their life experience now touched and enlightened by God's word. It is no longer a physical journey that is being described. They realize that they are on a spiritual journey and they begin to go through the painful process of leaving behind their old understanding and opening themselves to the newness of God's truth. And finally when they are confronted with the reality of Christ present in their ordinary lives and of His mission to the world, they recognized him "in the breaking of the bread." At each Mass, immediately before Communion, the priest holds up the consecrated Host, breaks it, and invites us to allow our lives to be broken and shared with

the Lord Jesus in service of this mission. Thus, if we so choose, the Lord will accompany us on our journey of faith and will enable our hearts to burn within us as we hear Him speak to our life experience and call us to go forth on mission to accomplish His will. May God bless all of us. Have a great week!

...Fr. Khoa

First Communion

This Sunday is the First Communion. Please pray for our children that they continue to grow in knowledge and love for Jesus, especially in the Blessed Sacrament.

Baccalaureate (Graduation) Mass: at 9am mass on **May 18, 2014** for our high school seniors.

Yard Sale: *Thank you* **Beverly and Loretta and donors** for the Yard Sale on Saturday, May 3. All profits go to Catfish Festival.

Parish Picnic: Thank you for all people who help the Picnic on Sunday April 27, 2014.

New Statue of St. Ann. The parish ordered one 50 inches our patroness statue, St. Ann, to be placed in the Church, and it has the value of **\$1,500**. One family in our parish already donated the full amount, and they want to remain anonymous. Please keep this family in your prayers. Thank you for your generosity.

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP:** 47 Identifiable: **\$779.00**; Loose: **\$760.00**; Total: **\$1,539.00**; Children: **\$31.00**. AC:

\$20.00; Building Fund: **\$104.25**. All Saints: **\$5.00** Catholic Home Mission: **\$5.00**. Easter Cash: **\$27.00**

OUR LADY OF CHARTRES

STEWARDSHIP: Identifiable: **\$130.00**; Total: **\$130.00**.

****Amount needed weekly \$2,908.84**

Thank you for your generosity.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION MARRIAGE

Church regulations require at least six months of preparation for a wedding. Our advice is to call well in advance of that time if you wish to reserve a wedding date and receive information: one's own parish clergy are expected to supervise your Catholic prenuptial preparation and to officiate at the wedding ceremony.

ST. ANN ACTIVITIES

Religious Ed: K-11th Sunday 10a.m.– 11a.m. DRE: Robert Lizana

Parish Council: Meet on 3rd Saturday at 6:30pm. Next meeting is **May 17**.

Catfish Festival: The 13th Catfish Festival will be on May 22-25. We are still in need of food donation. Please contact **Monica Robinson** for more information.

Lizana Light: Fridays 9am-12 noon.

Altar Society: Meet on the 2nd Sunday of each month after 9am mass. All women of the parish are automatic members of the Altar Society and are encouraged to join us. It takes a lot of heart and hands to make our Altar Society successful and new members are always welcome. If you are interested in participating, please contact **Lenell King**.

CYO: Weekly meeting on Sunday 6:00pm.

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Bible Study: Wednesday 6:30pm-8 pm. at CCD Building. For more information contact **Ruth Schonewitz**.

Project Compassion and Hope: For more information, please contact office.

Church Cleaning: Valerie Ladner will clean the Church from April 20--May 3.

We need more volunteers to clean up the Church on the weekends after May 4. Please contact **Ellen West**.

RCIA: Wednesday 6:30pm at Parish Day Chapel/Meeting Room. Please contact Tim Brogdon.

MASS FOR FAMILY & FRIENDS: You can have Masses offered for the deceased as well as for living family and friends. Mass cards and envelopes are available at the office.

VISITATION OF THE SICK: Please keep the parish office informed so we may minister to those who are ill at home, in the hospital, or in a nursing facility. For those wishing to receive the Eucharist contact the parish office, 832-2560 or in emergency, 234-6005.

PRAYER REQUESTS Those who are ill: Leslie Cuevas, William (Shorty) DeMello, Greg Garstka, Deacon Jack Hunter, Julia Lizana, Doug Self, Sharon Somora, Kathy Squillante, June Evelyn Cuevas.