

**Monday**

JANUARY 19

Weekday

Heb 5:1–10

Mk 2:18–22

Tuesday

JANUARY 20

Weekday

Heb 6:10–20

Mk 2:23–28

Wednesday

JANUARY 21

*St. Agnes,**Virgin and Martyr*

Heb 7:1–3,

15–17

Mk 3:1–6

Thursday

JANUARY 22

*Day of Prayer**for the Legal**Protection of**Unborn Children*

Heb 7:25–8:6

Mk 3:7–12

Friday

JANUARY 23

Weekday

Heb 8:6–13

Mk 3:13–19

Saturday

JANUARY 24

*St. Francis**de Sales,**Bishop and Doctor**of the Church*

Heb 9:2–3,

11–14

Mk 3:20–21

Sunday

JANUARY 25

Third Sunday
in Ordinary Time

Jon 3:1–5, 10

1 Cor 7:29–31

Mk 1:14–20

Ordinary Time

January 18, 2015 ♦ Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

When I started in campus ministry, I was fortunate to meet a wonderful priest who had worked with college students for many years. I watched him carefully on Sundays and at student gatherings, picking up valuable information about how to talk to students, conduct myself professionally, and bring out the best in others and in myself.

Over the years we worked together, I observed many campus ministers—young and old, lay and ordained—seeking him out for advice and counsel. I referred more than a few.

I also enjoyed our conversations and nearly always left our meetings with more wisdom than when I started.

I wonder what Andrew and the other disciples thought when John called Jesus “the Lamb of God.” Whatever it was, they must have seen in Jesus someone who could answer their questions or give them something they were lacking. Maybe they saw a person their teacher admired and decided to seek his wisdom for themselves.

Whatever it was, something compelled them to follow Jesus, and Jesus’ own invitation to “come and see” whetted their curiosity and desire even more.

Today we might call that the impulse of the Spirit, who draws us to Christ even when we’re not sure why. The challenge for us is to have the courage to follow Jesus, ask where he’s staying, and walk with him even if we can’t see where it will lead us.

Our desire to stay with the Lord is, in itself, our comfort and our joy.

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Today's Readings

1 Sm 3:3b–10, 19

1 Cor 6:13c–15a, 17–20

Jn 1:35–42



2nd Sunday In Ordinary Time



January 18th, 2015

St. Ann Catholic Church & Our Lady of Chartres Mission

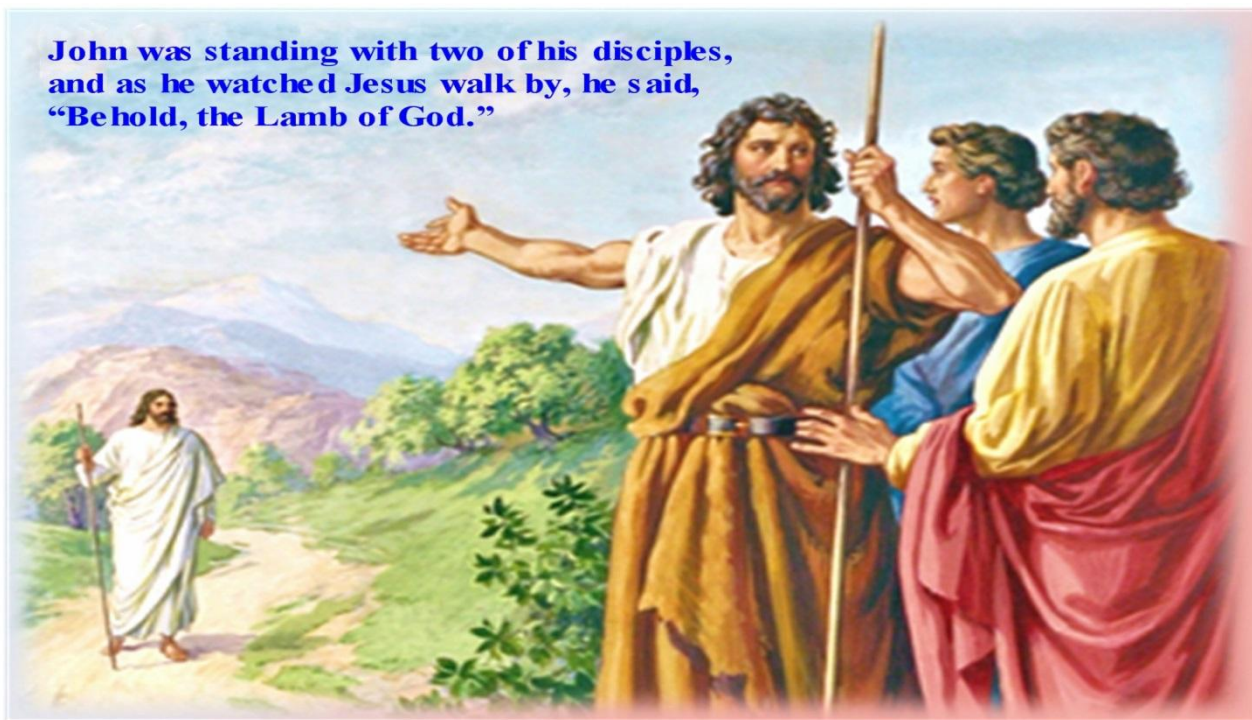
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**John was standing with two of his disciples,
and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said,
“Behold, the Lamb of God.”**



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
Every Friday Adoration from 8:30
a.m. to 9:30 a.m
**SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION**

Both Before Mass and by
Appointment.

Mass Schedule for this Week
Our Lady of Chartres Mass
Schedule

Sun 7:30 am Our Parish Family
St. Ann Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sat 4:00 pm Our Parish Family
Sun 9:00am Our Parish Family
Mon 8:00 am +Anna
Tues 8:00 am +Anna
Wed 6:00 pm +Anna
Thu 9:00am +Fr Pete (spec int)
Fri 8:00 am +Fr Pete (spec int)

From Father Khoa's Desk...

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

The Scripture of this Sunday are a powerful reminder that God continues to call each of us at different times and in various ways and circumstances. One of the great challenges in life is to learn to listen with our hearts and discern the call of God. The figure of young Samuel in the first reading stands as a symbol of each of us. Samuel is disturbed from his rest and struggles to recognize that this indeed is a call from God. He needs someone who is more experienced in the ways of God to help him learn to hear the voice of God because "at that time he was not familiar with the Lord." We too have similar experiences in our relationship with God.

In the gospel today when Jesus asked the two disciples this question "What are you looking for?", they didn't give an answer. Instead, they asked another question: "Where are you staying?" Obviously these men were interested in learning more about Jesus. They wanted to accompany him and be in his presence. They decided to spend the whole day with him. But they were not quite ready to reveal what they were really looking for.

Remember that at the time, these men were disciples of John the Baptist. They had heard John announce the coming of the Christ, but they didn't know yet who he was. John's followers were certainly looking for something: the Messiah. Most likely, these men were interested in seeing for themselves whether or not this Jesus was the one they had been waiting for. Apparently, he was. Andrew was convinced by that daylong encounter with Jesus. In the verse that follows today's Gospel, we learn that "He first found his own brother Simon and told him, we have found the Messiah". What a joy this must have been for Andrew! He found what he was looking for. Indeed, the joy was so great that he couldn't wait to share the good news.

When we, like Andrew, take time to "spend the day" with Jesus, getting to know who he really is through our daily prayer, then the happiness we experience will naturally overflow to others. The process may begin with questions about who Jesus is; that's only natural. But once we find what we are looking for, we can do what Andrew did by sharing the joy of the discovery with our own brothers, sisters, neighbors, and friends right here at home.

May God bless all of us!

...Fr. Khoa

Next weekend is the Special Diocesan Collection for the *Saltillo Mission (Latin America)*. Envelopes are available in the back of the church.

End of Year Statements

If you desire an end of year offering statement please email or call the Parish office and request one call 228-832-2560 or email (stanncatholic@bellsouth.net).

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP: 69**Identifiable: **\$1,833.00**; Loose: **\$782.00**; Total: **\$2,615.00**; Children: **\$13.00**., Retirement Religious: **\$428.987**
OUR LADY OF CHARTRES STEWARDSHIP:

Identifiable: **\$105.00**; Loose: **\$213.00** Total: **\$318.00**.

Amount needed weekly **\$2,908.84.

Thank you for your generosity.

ST. ANN ACTIVITIES

Lenten Fish Fry: We will have a meeting **next Sunday January 25** after 9am mass to discuss the Lenten Fish Fry. I invite all ministries: Altar Society, Youth, Knights of Columbus, Men & Women Club, other ministries, and volunteers to come and discuss. Thank you very much.

MASS	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	SERVERS	USHERS	GIFT B.
Sat Jan 17 4:00pm	Lisa Cuevas	Mike West, Mike Mays, Diane Mays	Katelyn Casey Regan	Doug Ladner Kermit	Mike & Ellen West
Jan 18 7:30 am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Terry Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun Jan 18 9am	Matthew Peleaz	Dale Rabin, Carolyn Brewer, Robin Peterson	James Rines Nicholas	Robert Tyler	Danny & Kim Wood Family
Sat Jan 24 4:00pm	Paul McGill	Lenell King , W C King , Kay VanPelt	Katelyn Casey Boots Moran	Doug Ladner August	Richard & Amy Dunlap
Jan 25 7:30 am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Terry Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun Jan 25 9am	Valerie Ladner	Chantel Crabtree Helena , Kim Wood	Rylie Rines Conner	Robert Tyler	Tyler & Gina Leveret Family

Fr Peter Mockler's Anniversary Mass: January 30th marks the first anniversary of Fr Peter Mockler. You are invited to a Mass in his honor at 6:00 pm at Most Holy Trinity Church. Bishop Roger Morin and Bishop Emeritus Lawson Howze will be present at this mass.

Bible Study: We study *Mary* beginning on Jan 8, 2015. Classes are on **Wednesdays 6:30-8 pm, and on Thursday from 9-10:30am at CCD Building.** For more information, please contact **Ruth Schonewitz and Henrietta Ladner.**

Parish Council: meet on 3rd Saturday.

Altar Society: Meet on second Sundays. Please contact **Lenell King.**

Lizana Light: : For more information, please contact Sherry Money

Church Cleaning: Please contact Ellen West for more information.

RCIA: RCIA classes are on Wednesdays 6:30pm from September to May at Parish Chapel. Please contact Tim Brogdon at 344-5449. Thank you.

CYO: meet every other week on Sunday 6:00pm. You can visit St Ann CYO contact **Katelyn Moran** and **Danielle Ladner** or on the website **www.facebook.com/stannslizanacyo.**

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

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.

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 pre-nuptial preparation and to officiate at the wedding ceremony.

PRAYER REQUESTS Those who are ill:
Leslie Cuevas, William DeMello, Betty Pierce, Dcn Jack Hunter, Lee James, Annette Moran, Darlene Billingsley, Janet Thompson, Victoria Moran, Michael Gilbert, Jerry Malley, Vivian Clifford, Ezekiel Rutherford, and Julia Perronne.

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS † PLEASE FILL OUT A NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION FORM AND SUBMIT TO PARISH OFFICE
FR. KHOA WOULD BE HAPPY TO VISIT WITH YOU AND HELP YOU ASSESS YOUR SPIRITUAL NEEDS.