

Monday

January 23

For Unborn Children

Heb 9:15224-28

Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday

January 24

St Francis de Sales,

Bishop and Doctor

Heb 10:1-10

Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday

January 25

Conversion of St Paul

Acts 22:3-16

Mk 16:15-18

Thursday

January 26

Sts Timothy and Titus,

Bishops

2 Tm 1:1-8

Mk 4:21-25

Friday

January 27

St Angela Merici,

Virgin

Heb 10:32-39

Mk 4:26-34

Saturday

St Thomas Aquinas,

Doctor

Heb 11:1-2,8-19

Mk 4:35-41

Sunday

January 29

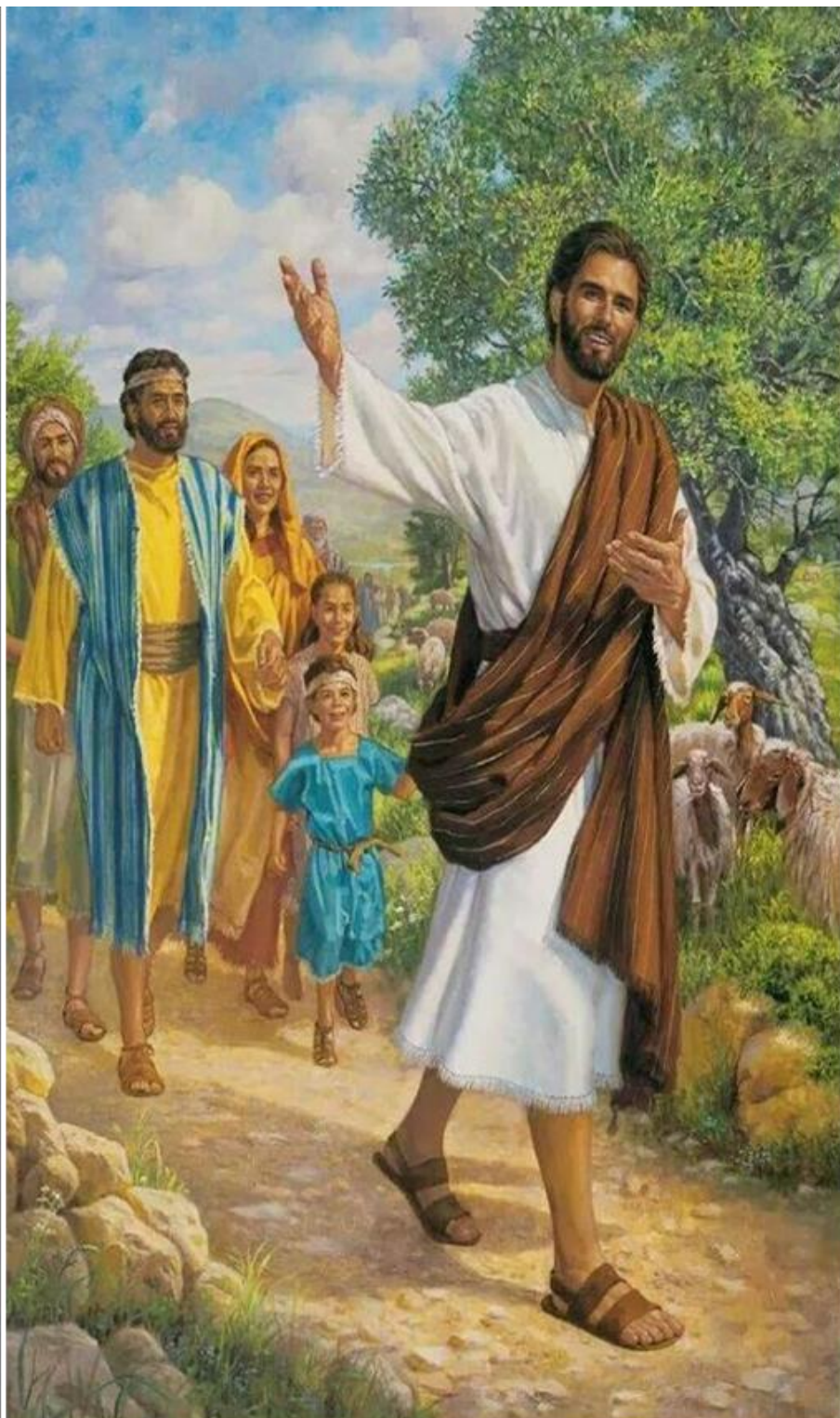
Fourth Sunday

In Ordinary Time

Zep 2:3, 3:12-13

1Cor 1:26-31

Mt 5:1-12



3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 22, 2017



St. Ann Catholic Church & Our Lady of Chartres Mission

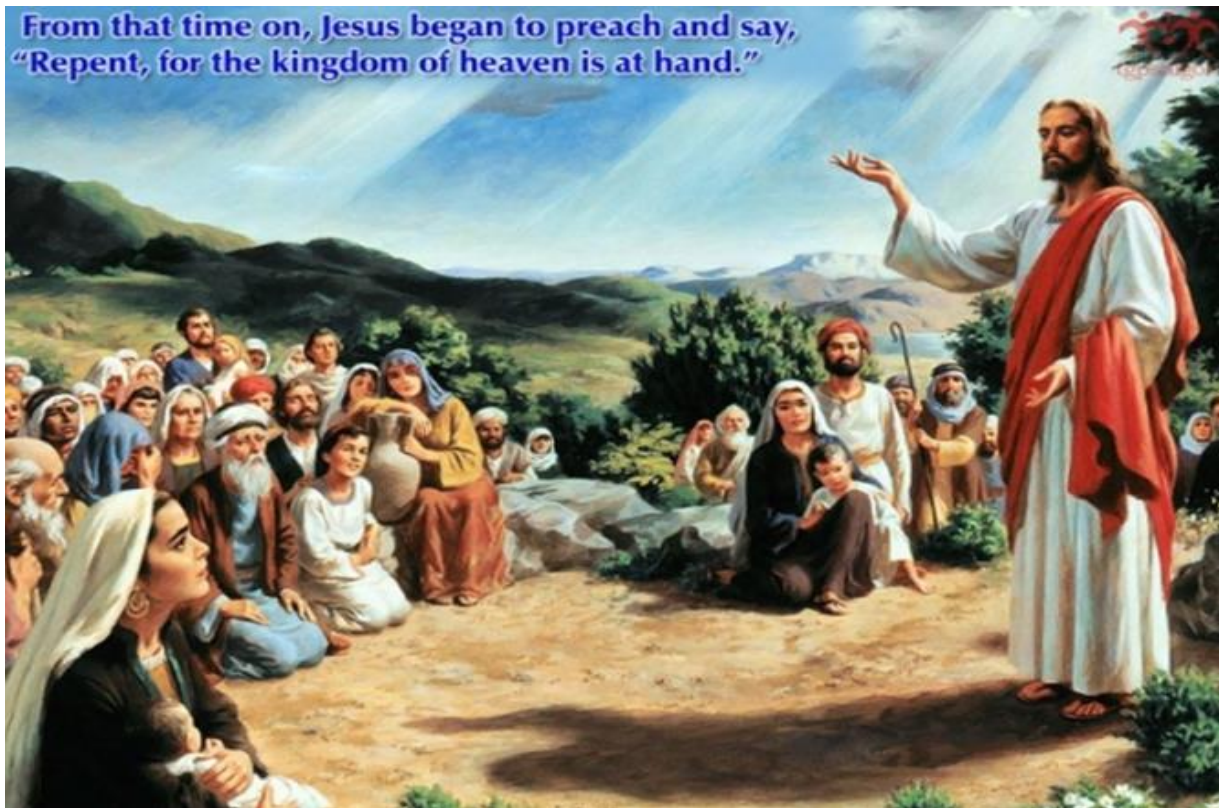
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*From that time on, Jesus began to preach and say,
"Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."*



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 pm Clark & Diane Baughman
9:00am Our Parish Family

Mon 8:00am Benefactors
Tues 8:00 am Spec Int
Wed 6:00 pm Benefactors
Thu 8:00 am +Fr Pete
Fri 8:00 am Benefactors

From Father Khoa's Desk...

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

"He called them, and immediately they left their boat and their father and followed him."

Peter, Andrew, James, and John's lives would never be the same. They were going about their usual business fishing on the Sea of Galilee when Jesus approached them and said, "Come after me." And that's just what they did. "At once they left their nets and followed him." Such a quick response to such a radical request!

What compelled these men to leave their livelihood to follow the Lord? His promise to them was that he would make them "fishers of men." Perhaps they thought that promise sounded fabulous. But it seems more likely that it was Christ himself who drew the men. There must have been something utterly attractive about him, and completely trustworthy. Otherwise, it seems unbelievable that these men would have been so quick to respond to his call.

This compelling man is the same Christ who calls us. We hear his voice in a different way, of course, through the Church and through the Bible, through his Spirit in our hearts, but it is nonetheless the same Jesus of Nazareth who asks us to follow him. Have we allowed ourselves to be drawn by his voice?

Are we open to a real encounter with the Lord who changes lives? If our relationship with Jesus does not transform us, if it does not change us into different, better people moment by moment and day by day, then chances are that we are not truly encountering him. He is too powerful to be inconsequential.

It might take some courage and commitment to come into authentic contact with the Lord, but when we do, our lives will never be the same.

May God bless all of us!

...Fr. Khoa

End of Year Statements

If you desire an end of year offering statement please email or call the Parish office and request one.

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP:**

60Identifiable: **\$90.00**; Loose: **\$748.00**;

Total: **\$1,657.00**; Children: **\$9.83**;

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Identifiable: **\$115.00**; Loose: **\$314.00**; Total: **\$429.00**.

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

Thank you for your generosity.

Parish Council: meets **this Saturday, Jan 21.**

Church Cleaning: Linda Bang and Karen Cadle will clean the church on Jan 21 & 28. Thank you

Altar Society: meets 2nd Sunday.

Lizana Light: Lizana Light: Next weekend is the fifth weekend. The second collection will be for Lizana Light. For more information, please contact **Doris or Diane**. Thank you.

Knights of Columbus: For more info, please contact Thomas Moran 228-234-2572.

Bereavement Committee: Please contact **Sharon Leimer** at 539-9928. Lasagna, green salad, rolls, and deserts will be provided for the funeral reception upon request. Thank you.

Bible Study: We study **Gospel of Luke**. Please join us. Classes are on **Wed at 6:30pm and on Tues at 9am**. For more information, please contact **Ruth and Henrietta**.

MASS	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	SERVERS	USHERS	GIFT B.
Sat Jan 21 5pm	Kathleen Cuevas	Sharon Ladner, W C King, Lenell King	Austin S.	Doug David	Frankie & Emma Ladner
Sun Jan 22 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Tery Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun Jan 22 9am	Kim Wood	Lisa Cuevas, James Quintini, Will Burke	Nick Conner	Pat Palmer Lester	Pat & Robin Peterson Family
Sat Jan 28 5pm	Richard Dunlap	Ellen West, Mike West, Doris Snowden	Austin S.	Kermit Mike Mayst	Jim & Jan Estrada
Sun Jan 29 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Tery Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun Jan 29 9am	Beverly Saucier	Susan Peleaz, Lester Palmer, Kim Wood	Will Carson	Will Burke Pat	Thomas & Brandi Lassabe

ST. ANN ACTIVITIES.

Cardinal Timothy Michael Dolan, reciting King Solomon's prayer from the Book of Wisdom at the inauguration:

"God of our ancestors and Lord of mercy, you have made all things. And in your providence have charged us to rule the creatures produced by you, to govern the world in holiness and righteousness, and to render judgment with integrity of heart. Give us wisdom, for we are your servants, weak and short-lived, lacking in comprehension of judgment and of laws. Indeed, though one might be perfect among mortals, if wisdom which comes from you be lacking, we count for nothing. Now with you is wisdom, who knows your will and was there when you made the world, who understands what is pleasing in your eyes, what is conformable with your commands, send her forth from your holy heavens. From your glorious throne, dispatch her that she may be with us and work with us, that we may grasp what is pleasing to you. For she knows and understands all things and will guide us prudently in our affairs and safeguard us by her glory." Amen.

RCIA: Please contact **Henrietta Ladner.**

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.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION MARRIAGE
Church regulations require at least six months of preparation for a wedding. Please contact us well in advance of that time if you wish to reserve a wedding date and receive info: one's own parish clergy are expected to supervise your Catholic pre-nuptial preparation and to officiate at the wedding.

PRAYER REQUESTS Those who are ill:
Leslie Cuevas, William DeMello, Dcn Jack Hunter, Lee James, Darlene Billingsley, Victoria Moran, Jerry Malley, Vivian Clifford, Ezekiel Rutherford, John Moran, Jerry Rutland, Regina Franke, Dalwin Cuevas, Colby Cagle, Debbie Bowen, Larry Shruoff, Andrew Fillengame, Melissa Peterson, Breanna Ladner, Curtis (Cubby) Ladner, Gerald Barrilleaux, Albert Necaize, Margaret Northrop, Betty Howard, Andrew, and Taylor Boyd.