

Monday ■
 APRIL 21
 Octave of
 Easter
 Acts 2:14,
 22-33
 Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday ■
 APRIL 22
 Octave of
 Easter
 Acts 2:36-
 41
 in 20:11-18

Wednesday ■
 APRIL 23
 Octave of
 Easter
 Acts 3:1-10
 Lk 24:13-35

Thursday ■
 APRIL 24
 Octave of
 Easter
 Acts 3:11-
 26
 Lk 24:35-48

Friday ■
 APRIL 25
 Octave of
 Easter
 Acts 4:1-12
 Jn 21:1-14

Saturday ■
 APRIL 26
 Octave of
 Easter
 Acts 4:13-
 21
 Mk 16:9-15

Sunday ■
 APRIL 27
 Second
 Sunday
 of Easter
 Divine
 Mercy
 Acts 2:42-
 47
 1 Pt 1:3-9
 Jn 20:19-31

Dear Padre

Are Jesus and God the same person?

The Church teaches that the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are one being, but you'd never know it to read the Bible or hear our prayers. Jesus talks to God ("Father, forgive them, they know not what they do"). Some of our prayers address Jesus, while others address God or the Holy Spirit separately. Can you explain this?

Answer: **Since the time of Christ**, we've wrestled with the interrelation of Jesus, the Father, and the Spirit. With time and the Spirit's guidance, the Church has discovered language we believe reflects some of the mystery we call God, and we've accepted the authority of that language.

When we pray the Nicene Creed together every week, we speak of our belief in one God in three persons. However, even as we say these words, we know we have more to discover about the life of the Godhead and the unity and relationships among Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, whom we have encountered throughout our history.

In believing that the one God is revealed to us by Christ as a Trinity, we have the freedom to confidently pray to any one person of the Trinity.

However, when we pray at Mass, you'll notice the most typical formula for prayers is to offer them *to* the Father *through* the Son, *in* the Spirit.

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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: William (Shorty) DeMello, Greg Garstka, Deacon Jack Hunter, Doug Self, Sharon Somora, Kathy Squillante, June Evelyn Cuevas.

Newly Baptized: Congratulation to our Newly Baptized on Palm Sunday: Brock Hinton and Carson Coutrer.

MASS	LECTOR	EU. MIN.	SERVERS	USHERS	GIFT BEARER
Apr 19 5:30pm	Richard Dunlap	Doris Snowden Hendrietta Ladner Sharon Ladner	Katelyn Casey Boots Moran	Doug Ladner Ira Necaize	August & Ruth Schonewitz
Apr 20 7:30	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante		Gil Aguirre	
Apr 20 9am	Beverly Saucier	Marlow Ladner Valeria Ladner Derek Troclair	Conner Ladner Lilly Bradshaw	Robert Lizana Pat Leimer	Gary Thomas Family
Next week Apr 27 10am	Sandra Ammons and Sharon Leimer	Richard Dunlap Lenell King Jodi Troclair	Katelyn Casey Nicholas Lilly Bradshaw Conner Ladner	Doug Ladner Robert Lizana Tim Brogdon Pat Leimer	1St Communion students



Easter Sunday

April 20, 2014



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EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Friday Adoration – 8:30a.m.- 9:30a.m.
[St. Ann Mass Schedule & Intentions](#)

Week of April 20 – April 27

Sat 5:30 pm Our Parish Family

Sun 9:00am Our Parish Family

Mon 8:00 am +Edna Moran by Paul Jones

Thursday 8:00am Boots Moran (special intention)

Friday 8:00 am +Edna Moran by Paul Jones

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Both Before Mass and by Appointment
[Our Lady of Chartres Mass Schedule & Intentions](#)

Week of April 20 – April 27

Sun 7:30 am Our Parish Family

From Father Khoa's Desk...

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

Happy Easter! Easter brings the good news that Jesus is risen and comes alive in people like you and me. Christ suffered and died for each of us. Easter celebrates life after death and proclaims so joyfully that Christ is with us. Easter witnesses to us that the Risen Christ loves everything within us compassionately. The Church in her wisdom, gives us 40 days of fasting (Lent), but 50 days of feasting (Easter season). This indicates something important about our Christian faith: it is more about joy than about sorrow.

The victory of the Resurrection surpasses the power of sin. Our liturgical music, environment, scripture readings, prayers and rituals all reflect the Good News of the Resurrection. Our Easter Season will conclude with the solemn feast of Pentecost on June 8th. The work of Christ would be incomplete without the sending of the Holy Spirit. So Pentecost rounds out the celebration of the entire 50 days. Be sure to watch for details of our upcoming special Pentecost celebration. I want to commend all of you who were so faithful in participating in daily Mass during Lent. We had excellent participation at our daily Masses and also the Stations of the Cross on Friday. A good Lent leads to a very joyful Easter celebration.

In the name of all of us, I'd like to thank all those who put so much time, effort, and talent into our Holy Week and Easter celebrations. Special thanks are extended to all of our cantors, choirs, and musicians. We are indeed blessed with musical talent, combined with the generosity in sharing their God given talent with all of us. Special thanks are also extended to our Liturgy committee who helped with all of our Holy Week services, to our RCIA team who prepared those who entered our church community at the Easter Vigil and all who lent their talent to decorate our church so well for Holy Week and Easter, to our

sacristans, liturgical ministers (Eucharistic ministers, Lectors, ushers, greeters, and altar servers). Thanks to our Altar Society, Easter flowers donors, maintenance, and landscaping whom we count on so much throughout the year.

Please note that I will join the annual priest retreat of our diocese this week from Monday evening, April 21 through Thursday April 24. Please keep all the priests of our Diocese in your prayers.

I hope all of you have a happy and safe Easter holiday! Have a great week! And thanks again for your presence, prayer, and your constant sacrifice for God and our church!

May all suffering, dying and sorrowing be transformed to new life. Have a wonderful Easter season!

...Fr. Khoa

Parish Picnic: Sunday April 27, 2014 at 10:00am. There will be only one mass 10 am on Sunday that weekend. Please see the flyer.

**Special Diocesan Collection
For the Holy Land**

Please be generous towards our Christian family in the Holy Land. Envelopes are located at the Church entrance.

**Next Sunday is the Special Diocesan Collection for
the catholic Homes Mission Appeal**

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2014

May the Risen Lord grant us the gift of faith to truly believe in the resurrection, and recognize His tremendous love for us this Easter. May the gift of His spirit enlighten our minds and our hearts, so that we may share our blessings with those in need, through a gift to the Catholic Sharing Appeal. May

God bless you for your generosity. Our goal this year at **St. Ann** is **\$14,178.00**. **Our Lady of Chartres** is **\$1,155.00**. With every parish family's full participation, we will surely exceed this goal and help so many in need, building the Kingdom of God locally. For those of you who have already responded with a gift, please accept our sincere gratitude.

First Communion

The First Communion is on May 4, and the First Confession for our children is on May 2.

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP: 73** Identifiable: **\$1389.00**; Loose: **\$1,553.00**; Total: **\$2,942.00**; Children: **\$133.00**. AC: **\$50.00**; Building Fund: **\$105.00**. Memorial of Fr. Pete: **\$50.00**; Easter Flowers: **\$420.00**.

OUR LADY OF CHARTRES

STEWARDSHIP: Identifiable: **\$245.00**; Loose: **\$50.00**; Total: **\$296.00**. AC: **\$31.00**.

Amount needed weekly **\$2,908.84

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.

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-12noon.

Altar Society: Meet on the 2nd Sunday of each month after 9am mass.

RCIA: Wednesday 6:30pm at Parish Day Chapel/Meeting Room.

CYO: Weekly meeting on Sunday 6:00pm. Visit us on www.facebook.com/stannslizanacyo

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

Lenten Buffet: Thank you for all ministries, volunteers, helpers, and parishioners who served at the Lenten Buffet during Lent.

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

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

Yard Sale: Saturday, May 3, 7am-7pm at the pavilion. All donations are accepted and appreciated. Please turn them in before May 2. For more information, contact **Beverly and Loretta**.

Church Cleaning: Thank you Gerry and Kay Van Pelt. 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**.

Added Masses. After the Divine Sunday (2nd Easter Sunday,) our parishes will add **8am mass on Tuesday** and **6pm mass on Wednesday**. Please join us at daily masses from Monday to Friday to pray for the world, our parish, and our personal needs.

New Statue of St. Ann. Fr Khoa donates the statues of St. Joseph and OL of Grace, which are blessed at Easter Sunday 9am mass. He also donates a picture of Divine Mercy, which will be blessed on 2nd Easter Sunday.

The parish ordered one 50 inches our patroness statue, St. Ann, to be placed in the Church. This Italian statue has the value of **\$1,500**. If you are interested in giving donation for this statue, please call the office. There is only one statue. First come first serve.