

Calendar

Monday

April 17
Octave of Easter
Acts 2:14, 22-33
Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday

April 18
Octave of Easter
Acts 2:36-41
Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday

April 19
Octave of Easter
Acts 3:1-10
Lk 24:13-35

Thursday

April 20
Octave of Easter
Acts 3:11-26
Lk 24:35-48

Friday

April 21
Octave of Easter
Acts 4:1-12
Jn 21:1-14

Saturday

April 22
Octave of Easter
Acts 4:13-21
Mk 16:9-15

Sunday

April 23
Second Sunday of Easter
Sunday of Divine Mercy
Acts 2:42-47
1 Pt 1:3-9
Jn 20:19-31

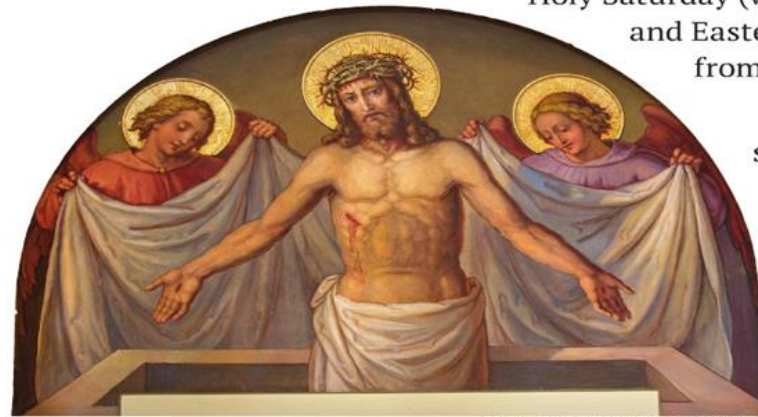
Dear Padre,

Why do Catholics teach Christ rose on the third day? Given a Friday crucifixion and Sunday's resurrection, I barely count two days.

There are a couple of issues to consider here. To begin with, Jesus' resurrection from the dead was an event that happened both *in* and *out* of time. Theologians say it was a transcendental event with historical consequences. Because Jesus' resurrection is not like anything we have ever seen before and bears little or no resemblance to any other historical event, our concepts of time falter when trying to express exactly what happened.

To put it another way, the length of time that Jesus spent in the tomb is much less important than what he did there. What really matters is that he conquered death, vacated the tomb, and entered into his risen and glorified state.

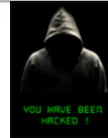
We must also remember that the Jews of Jesus' day were not as precise in their measurement of time as we are today. We tend to measure time in terms of hours, minutes, and seconds. They thought in terms of sunrises and sunsets. When seen in this light, the typical explanation given to the three-day time frame of Jesus' death and resurrection is that it took place in the course of three separate days: Good Friday (when Jesus was condemned to death and crucified), Holy Saturday (when Jesus lay in the tomb), and Easter (Sunday, when Jesus rose from the dead).



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Hacker Alerts! Last week the e-mail account of St Ann was hacked. The hackers send out e-mail asking for financial aid on behalf of St Ann. Please avoid these emails. Thank you very much



ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP: 85Identifiable: \$1,328.00; Loose: \$1,177.00; Total: \$2,505.00; Children: \$18.46, AC: \$10.00 OL OF CHARTRES STEWARDSHIP: Identifiable: \$210.00; Loose: \$109.00; Total: \$319.00. ****Amount needed weekly \$2,908.84. Thank you for your generosity.****

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
Mon 8:00am Special Intention
Tues 8:00 am No Mass
Wed 6:00 pm No Mass
Thu 8:00am No Mass
Fri 8:00 am Benefactors

Mass Schedule for this Week
Our Lady of Chartres Mass Schedule
Sun 7:30 am Our Parish Family
St. Ann Mass Schedule & Intentions
Sat 5:00 pm Our Parish Family
Sun 9:00am Our Parish Family



Easter Sunday

April 16, 2017



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ST. ANN ACTIVITIES.

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 Parish office.

PRAYER REQUESTS Those who are ill:

Leslie Cuevas, 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, Andrew Fillengame, Melissa Peterson, Breanna Ladner, Gerald Barrilleaux, Margaret Northrop, Andrew, Taylor Boyd, Albert Necaize, and James Moran.

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.

Knights of Columbus: meet 1st Sunday.

Lizana Light: For more info, please contact Doris or Diane.

Altar Society: meet 2nd Sundays.

Parish Council: meet third Saturday.

RCIA: Please contact **Henrietta.**

Catfish Festival: will be on June 1-4. If you have any question please contact Gina Leverett.

From Father Khoa's Desk...

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

Dear Parishioners, 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 May 24th. 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.

I want to commend all of you who were so faithful in participating in daily Mass during Lent. There was an excellent attendance at our daily Masses that stayed consistent throughout Lent and also for Stations of the Cross on Fridays. A good Lent leads to a very joyful Easter celebration! St Ann is such a special place, so many of you generously gave of yourselves again to prepare and to participate in the solemn celebrations of Holy Week and Easter.

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 those 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) and to our staff, maintenance, landscaping and housekeeping personnel-all whose know-how we count on so much throughout the year. May all of our suffering, dying and sorrow be transformed to a new life.

Please note that I will join the annual priest retreat of our diocese this week from Monday evening, April 18 through Thursday April 20 so we do not have Mass for Tuesday through Thursday at both Churches. 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 of our suffering, dying and sorrow be transformed to new life. Have a wonderful Easter season!

May God bless all of us!

...Fr. Khoa

MASS	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	SERVERS	USHERS	GIFT B.
Sat April 15 5pm	Many readers	W C King , Lenell King , Van Pelt	Austin S.	Doug Mike	Ann Shaw
April 16 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Terry Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun April 16 9am	Lisa Cuevas	Will Burke , Susan Peleaz , Robin Peterson	Keegan Carson	Garland Lester	Danny & Kim Wood
Sat April 22 5pm	Kathleen Cuevas	Doris Snowden, Henrietta, Kay Van Pelts	Austin Scarengoas	Doug Augustus	Frankie & Emma Ladner
Apr 23 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Terry Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun Apr 3 9am	Sharon Leimer	Kim Wood, Robin Peterson, James Quintini	Nick Will	Robert David	Thomas & Brandi Lassabe

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.



St Ann Parish Family
Easter Flowers are
In Memory of or In Honor of:



IN MEMORIAM

FRANCIS & ELVERA LADNER
BETTY P. & JWP RUTDE ZONIA
VERMON SAUCIER & SAUCIER FAMILY
BOURQUE FAMILY
JUDY NECAISE
GEORGE GRAVES
CARLA THOMAS
HOLLIS MORAN
HERBERT & MARGUERITE HOLDER
MARCELLA IRBY
FRANCISCO & JOSIE HERNANDEZ
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MR. & MRS. LEON DEGRADO
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WILFRED LADNER
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HARVIS CUEVAS
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TERRY ANN COX
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JIMMY AMMONS
PAUL & ANGIE CUEVAS
CECIL D. LADNER

There are an additional 5 unknown donations **And For** Those who have sacrificed their lives for our Freedom.

*"The altars look beautiful with the lilies that were donated.
We will pray for your loved ones in whose honor and memory the lilies were donated- Fr. Khoa"*

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FRANKIE LADNER
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