

Easter Flowers. Thanks to the following for their donations for Easter flowers for the altar:

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In memory of

- -All souls in purgatory
- -Jerry Rutland
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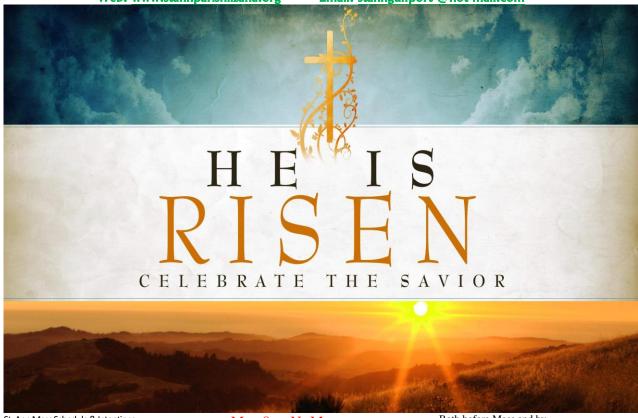
EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 4, 2021



St. Ann Catholic Church & Our Lady of Chartres Mission

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St. Ann Mass Schedule & Intentions
Apr 3rd Sat 7 pm Spl int
Apr 4th Sun 9amParish
Apr 4th 6:00 pm No Mass

Mon 8am No Mass Wednesday 6pm No Mass Thurs 8am No Mass Fri 8am. No Mass SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Both before Mass and by
Appointment. April 10th Sat 6 pm.
Int Donor
April 11th Sun 9 am Parish
April 11th 6pm Int of Donor

Our Lady of Chartres Mass Schedule.

Sun 7:30 am Parish

From Father David's Desk...

Dear Parishioners and Friends.

Seeing is Believing

Clever Phrase. But is it accurate?
Believing means that we sometimes accept as true something for which we have no positive proof. We might base our belief on the word of someone we consider reliable, but we ourselves have no undeniable evidence. We may use this phrase in everyday conversation and know what we really mean, but when it comes to the resurrection of Jesus, the phrase "seeing is believing" really doesn't fit well.

In today's first reading, Peter states that Jesus was visible to some of his followers. What does this mean? It's clear from most of the Easter narratives that many people had a profound, life-transforming experience of the risen Jesus. They may not have realized this at first, but they were convinced of it when he allowed them to recognize him. Was it a visual experience? Was it auditory as Paul describes (Acts 9:4)? Or was it touch as Thomas demanded (John 20:25)? Every mystic describes a revelation of Christ as an experience of one or more senses. For example, St. Bernadette saw our Lady, while St. Francis heard a voice. This isn't to say that the revelations weren't real. It is to say that our senses are our only way of experiencing it or talking about it. We are, after all, only human. Maybe when referring to the resurrection we should modify this phrase: believing is seeing or hearing or feeling or being

somehow convinced that he is really here.
And this can be true for all of us.
Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. JOHN 20:8

For Reflection

- Have you ever had a moment of profound religious insight? If so, how would you describe it?
- The Risen Christ is with us still. Think about that for a moment.

Happy Easter Fr. David

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP: 30

Identifiable.2, 187.00 Loose: 179.00; Total: \$2,366.00 Children: \$ 33.10. ACH: 5.00 **OLC STEWARDSHIP:** Identifiable \$ 205

.00 Loose: 65.00 \$Total: \$.270.00.

The Diocese of Biloxi will have an opening in the Finance Office for an accounting and payroll specialist. The position requires minimum of a two year accounting degree, general ledger, accounts receivable, accounts payable and payroll experience. Must have worked with Excel and Word. Experience with Quickbooks is a plus, but not required. A copy of the job description is available on the Diocese of Biloxi website in the Finance Office. Please respond to this advertisement by April 10, 2021 by sending your resume to Tammy DiLorenzo, Director of Finance at tdilorenzo@biloxidiocese.org.

MASS	LECTOR	SERVERS	USHERS
Sat Apr o3pm	Mike West		Mike West
Sun Apr4 th OLC 7:30am	Sandra Ammons		Terry Mitchel
Sun Apr4th 9am	Kim wood		
Sun Apr 4 th No Mass 6pm			
Sat April 10 th 7pm	Mike West		Mike West
Sun April 11th OLC 7:30 am	Sandra Ammons		Terry Mitchel
Sun April 11 th 9 am	Beverly Saucier		
Sun April 11th 6pm	Kathryn Cuyas		

<u>Divine Mercy Novena:</u> Anyone who wishes to pray the novena may meet in the church at 3pm, Saturday, April 3rd- Saturday, April 10th. Please say the Novena prayers on your own on Good Friday, April 2nd.

Dispensation for Sunday Mass Attendance:

The dispensation for Sunday Mass attendance has been cancelled by the bishop.

Father David will be on retreat Easter Week, April 5-9th, no weekday masses.

Donations for Father David's order:

Thank you for the donations for Father David's order. We were able to collect \$ 2,639.00 Father appreciates your love and support for his order.

<u>Thanks:</u> Thanks to Lacy Scarbough for conducting the Easter egg hunt. It was a fun occasion for the children and everyone who attended.

Thanks for the donations for the Easter wreath. We collected \$236.00

House Blessing: During the Easter Season Father would like to visit your home and bless your home with Holy Water. Please call the office to set it up. 228-832-2560 or 228-346-3578 (Father's cell phone)

PRAYER REQUESTS Those who are ill:

Leslie Cuevas, Lee James, Jerry Malley, Ezekiel Rutherford, Dalwin Cuevas, Colby Cagle, Andrew Fillengame; Breanna Ladner, Andrew, Sharon Somora, Nancy Ladner, Chris (Dube) Mcgill, Paul Ladner, Dianne Dearman, Marie Cuevas, Sharon Smith, Kathy, Marlene Moran, Teresa McAllister, Kendra Necaise, John &, Susan Parish, Courtney Stewart, Kathy Robison, and, Joseph and Megan Colbi Capuano, Bill & Brenda Peterson, Christine Constantine, Anthony Moran, Jill Ladner, Stephany Bass, and Brandi Moran, Verda Crabtree, Lynn & Linda Bangs, John O'Neal, Terri, Loretta Ladner and Matt Dubission; Addie Threadgill; Cindy Ladner; Amanda Mayberry; Robin Quevas Emmie Tubbs, Wally Clifford, T.J Moran, Robin Shamplo.

