

Whatsoever you do to the least of my brothers,
that you do unto me...

When I was hungry, you gave me to eat.
When I was thirsty, you gave me to drink.
Now enter into the home of my Father.

Whatsoever you do to the least of my brothers,
that you do unto me...

When I was homeless, you opened your door.
When I was naked, you gave me your coat.
Now enter into the home of my Father.

Whatsoever you do to the least of my brothers,
that you do unto me...

When I was weary, you helped me find rest.
When I was anxious, you calmed all my fears.
Now enter into the home of my Father.

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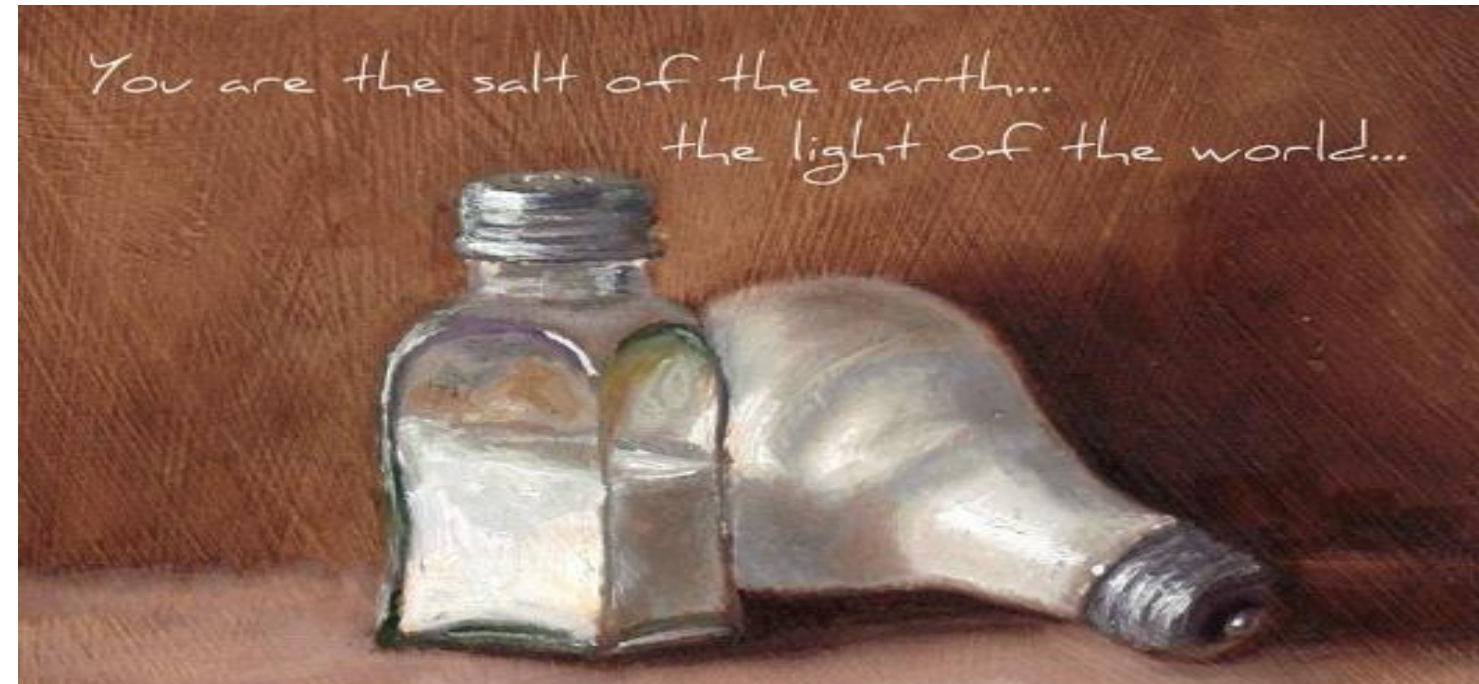
*St. Ann Catholic Church and Our Lady of Chartres Mission
Christ, Commitment, Community, Courage and Love...*

Living Committed, Living Catholic...



Sunday

February 5th 2023
The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



St. Ann Catholic Church & Our Lady of Chartres Mission

Pastor: Reverend Fr. David Milton – **Office Administrator:** Mary Beth Stillwagon

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FIRST Friday Adoration:

Join us the first Friday of each month in Adoration of the Eucharist after the 8:00am mass in the Chapel. The next first First Friday Adoration **March, 3rd 8:30am-12:00pm**

We welcome new members to our Parish. Please fill out a new member registration form and submit to the parish office, or Fr. David Milton. Fr. David would be happy to visit with you and help you assess your spiritual needs.

St. Ann Mass Schedule:

Saturday – Feb. 4th 5:00pm-OPEN

Sunday – Feb. 5th 9:00am-OPEN

OLC Mass Schedule:

Sunday – Feb. 5th 7:30am-OPEN

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Before Mass and by Appointment

Monday – Feb. 6th 8:00am-NO MASS

Wednesday – Feb. 8th 6:00pm- NO MASS

Thursday – Feb. 9th 8:00am- NO MASS

Friday – Feb. 10th 8:00am- NO MASS

Sat – Feb. 11th 5:00pm-OPEN

Sunday – Feb. 12th OLC 7:30am-OPEN

Sunday – Feb. 12th 9:00am-OPEN

Welcome & Thank You:

Please give a warm welcome to

Fr. Dennis Carver

Lenten Season Begins:

“Lord, God Almighty, shaper and ruler of all creatures, we pray for your great mercy, that you guide us towards you, for we cannot find our way.”

What is Lent...

Ash Wednesday

Lent did not always begin on Ash Wednesday. In the sixth century, Gregory the Great identified the season of Lent, beginning on Sunday and lasting until Easter Sunday.

Since fasting was not permitted on Sundays, the original 40-day season consisted of 36 fasting days. Eventually, it was extended to include 40 Pre-paschal days of fasting, resulting in the addition of four fasting days, starting the Wednesday before Lent.

The church has long used ashes as an outward sign of grief, a mark of humility, mourning, penance and morality. Ashes were added to the Wednesday liturgy in the 8th & 9th centuries to help ritualize the transformation that occurs during Lent. Believers received ashes on their foreheads to remind them of their fundamental identity, “Remember, you are dust, and to dust you shall return.” After being clothed in a hair shirt, they were sent out from the church: “You are cast forth from the bosom of the Holy Mother Church on account of your sin, as Adam was expelled from Paradise on account of his sin.” Expulsion, however, is not the end. Then, as now, reconciliation awaits believers through Christ.

Ash Wednesday can help us set upon a path by asking us to consider two fundamental issues: who we really are and where, with God’s help, we are ultimately going.



January 29th 2023

St. Ann Stewardship

Identifiable: \$1225.00 - Loose: \$473.00
Children’s: \$22.00 - (ACH: \$5.00)

Total: \$1720.00

Second Collection – Lizana Light

Total: \$426.00

OLC Stewardship

Identifiable: \$70.00 - Loose: \$137.00

Total: \$207.00

Thank You

The Lizana Light Ministry would like to thank all that gave in support of Lizana Light. Your blessings will go a long way in support of our ministry feeding the needy.

2023 Parish Envelopes

This is the last weekend to pick up your 2023 parish envelopes. We will update accordingly for reorder in 2024. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Beth.

End of Year Statements

End of year statements have been mailed out to all that have information entered. We have run into an issue regarding some address information that has not been updated; causing some statements to be returned to the office, unopened. If you have not received your 2022 statement, please contact Mary Beth (228) 236-5888 or email her at St. Ann’s.

stanngulfport@hotmail.com

DATA Base Updates

In an effort to update our database for our parish we need to make sure all information such as, address, phone, etc., is correct. If you have any information needing to be updated, **PLEASE** contact Mary Beth (228) 236-5888 or email. stanngulfport@hotmail.com

MASS	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC Ministers	USHERS	SERVERS
Sat. Feb. 4 th 5:00pm	Mary Taylor	Ruth Schonewitz, Wanda Brignac	August Schonewitz	N/A
Sun. Feb. 5 th 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Doug Ladner	Terry Mitchell	N/A
Sun. Feb. 5 th 9:00am	Lacy Marchand	Kim Wood, Sherrie DeMello Susan Peleaz	William Burke	Katlyn, Landon Parker
Sat. Feb. 11 th 5:00pm	Mary Beth	Mike West, Ruth Schonewitz	August Schonewitz	N/A
Sun. Feb. 12 th 7:30am	Doug Ladner	Janette Blackwell-Dedeaux	Terry Mitchell	N/A
Sun. Feb. 12 th 9:00am	Beau Underwood	Wanda Lizana, Lisa Cuevas Kim Wood	William Burke	Harmon, Bailey Kane

Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the Lenten Season. To begin our preparation of the Resurrection of Our Lord, we will have 2 masses Ash Wednesday, February 22nd at 8am & again at 6pm, for those parishioners that are unable to attend the morning service.

Palms

As you may know, Palms from previous years are used in the making of ashes for Ash Wednesday services. Anyone that would like to turn in Palms from previous years to be used for Ash Wednesday, we now have a basket in the back of church for collecting them.

[Many thanks to Ellen West for donating the basket!](#)

Stations of the Cross

Stations of the Cross will begin Friday, February 24th at 6pm in the church. Join us as we prepare for the Resurrection of our Lord.



Lenten Fish Fry

The Altar Society will be hosting their Lenten Fish Fry every Friday, beginning February 24th between 4pm & 7pm in the parish hall. Either “Eat-In” or “Carry-Out.” All proceeds will go to the Alter Society Ministry for the purchasing of candles, cloths/altar covers, hosts, wine, etc., to sustain St. Ann & Our Lady of Chartres.

Healing Mass Service

Mother of Mercy Catholic Church, 216 Saucier Ave., Pass Christian have invited all that are in need of the healing power of God to join them Friday, Febraury 17th at 5pm in a healing service. All are invited to attend this special service.

Counseling Services

Catholic Charities of South Mississippi are now offering counseling services . Counseling will help you understand and give you the tools to address and navigate the issues that surround your life. Catholic Charities Counseling is here to walk with you through your journey. You will not be turned away because of your inability to pay. All fees are determined on a sliding scale. Insurance currently accepted; BC/BS of MS, First Choice health plan of MS (SAS), MS Physicians Care Network, & Cigna. To schedule an appiontment call: (228) 701-0555 or email: meleuterius@biloxidiocese.org.



Prayer Requests

Anyone in need of prayers please contact the office!