



Almighty Father,

We pray you bless these branches and make them Holy. Today we joyfully acclaim Jesus our Messiah and King. May we reach one day the happiness of the new and everlasting Jerusalem by faithfully following Him who lives and reigns with you for ever and ever.

Amen



Sunday

April 2nd 2023

Palm Sunday



St. Ann Catholic Church & Our Lady of Chartres Mission

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

Office phone: 228.832.2560 Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00am-2:00pm

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.

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 May 5th 8:30am-12:00pm

St. Ann Mass Schedule:

Saturday – April 1st 5:00pm-Ethel Litwiler

Sunday – April 2nd 9:00am-Yvonne Gajewski

Our Lady of Chartres

Sunday – April 2nd 7:30am-Parish

**SACRAMENT
OF
RECONCILIATION**

Before mass
By Appointment

Monday – April 3rd 8:00am-Special Int.

Wednesday – April 5th 6:00pm-Special Int.

Thursday – April 6th **SEE HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

Friday – April 7th **SEE HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

Sat – April 8th 7:00pm-Easter Vigil Mass

Sunday – April 8th OLC 7:30am-Easter Sunday

Sunday – April 9th 9:00am-Easter Sunday



“Hosanna”

He is not the political messiah, or the warrior king the multitude had clamored for. Instead of entering Jerusalem on a war horse or chariot, He enters on a donkey, a sign of peace; and not just any donkey, but one on which no one had ever sat, the prerogative of a king. Seeing Him on the donkey, the Jews surging around Him recalled the words of the Prophet Zechariah 500 years earlier.

“Exult greatly, O daughter Zion! Shout for joy, O daughter Jerusalem! Behold: your King is coming to you; a just Savior is He, humble, and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. He shall banish the chariot from Ephraim and the horse from Jerusalem”
Zechariah 9:9-10

The Journey



Holy Week Schedule

St. Ann/Our Lady of Chartres

Palm Sunday Services:

Saturday – April 1st 5:00pm

Palm Sunday – OLC – April 2nd 7:30am

Palm Sunday – April 2nd 9:00am

Holy Thursday - April 6th

St. Ann - 7:00pm Mass

Adoration follows until 9:30pm

Good Friday - April 7th

Stations of the Cross begin at 3:00pm

Followed by The Lord’s Passion

Holy Saturday – April 8th

Easter Vigil Mass – 7:00pm

Easter Sunday – April 9th Masses

Our Lady of Chartres – 7:30am

St. Ann – 9:00am

March 26th 2023

St. Ann Stewardship

Identifiable: \$2445.00 - Loose: \$383.00

Children’s: \$17.00 - (ACH: \$5.00)

Total: \$2845.00

OLC Stewardship

Identifiable: \$20.00 - Loose: \$207.00

Total: \$227.00



Holy Thursday

Volunteers Needed

We are looking for a few disciples for Holy Thursday’s reenactment of the Washing of the Feet. This simple reenactment...the last task of Jesus, gives us a new insight into the words “Serving Others in the Spirit of Humility.” As Jesus served others, so should we. Come, be one of the disciples as we begin Holy week in our parish. Signup sheets are in the back of church.

Good Friday

Volunteers Needed

We are looking for volunteers to assist this Good Friday, April 7th in the reading of the Stations of the Cross. Each volunteer will take us through one of the Stations as we continue our Holy Week preparation. Should you wish to volunteer you will find a signup sheet in the back of church.



A Very Special Thank You!

Fr. David would like to send a very special thank you to the 2023 Confirmation young adults; they presented Fr. David with a beautiful Crucifix for the parish. The Crucifix will be on display in the parish hall for all to enjoy.

Blessing of the Home

Should you wish to have Fr. David come and bless your home, he will be available to do that starting April 10th. If you would like to have your home blessed, call Father at 228-346-3578, or call the office 228-832-2560

MASS	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC Ministers	USHERS	SERVERS
Sat. April 1st 5:00pm	Jan Estrada	Mike West, Barbara Saucier	August Schonewitz	N/A
Sun. April 2 nd 7:30am	Jenette Dedeaux	Doug Ladner	Terry Mitchell	N/A
Sun. April 2 nd 9:00am	Beau Underwood	Lisa Cuevas, Kim Wood William Burke	William Burke	Wyatt, Cameron Kane
Sat. April 8 th 5:00pm	Barbara Saucier	Ruth Schonewitz, Wanda Brignac	August Schonewitz	N/A
Sun. April 9 th 7:30am	Doug Ladner	Jenette Dedeaux	Terry Mitchell	N/A
Sun. April 9 th 9:00am	Matt Marchand	Robin Peterson, Lacy Marchand Sherrie DeMello	William Burke	Harmon, Cameron, Blane

Catfish Festival

Ball Tournament

Drawdown

St. Ann’s 2023 Catfish Festival, Ball Tournament and Drawdown will be held April 28th, 29th & 30th on the parish grounds. Drawdown tickets are on sale now, the drawing will be held April 30th.

For Tickets please contact Robert Lizana.

Update!

We will be providing a list of needed items for the festival. Should you wish to donate any, or a portion of the items listed, we will have a list available in the back of church beginning next weekend.

Monetary donations are also accepted; all donations for the festival can be dropped off at the office.

Second Collection

Lizana Light Ministry

April provides all of us the opportunity to help our parish community by donating to our Lizana Light Ministry. The parish will have a special collection in support of Lizana Light April 29th & 30th.

Lizana Light has requested

Cereal

Cake Mixes

Small Jars of Peanut Butter

Spaghetti Sauce – Canned or Packets

All donations, including additional food items are greatly appreciated and most welcome in serving families in need.

Parish Directory Update

We have sent the information for our parish directory to the Universal Directory company to be completed. We would like to thank you all for your patience and prayers while we struggled through compiling this information. It has not gone unnoticed. It is our hope to have the directories here, should nothing else go amiss, for Mother’s Day.

Healing Mass

Our Mother of Mercy Catholic Church in Pass Christian will be holding a Healing Mass on April 21st at 5:00pm. All are invited to attend this powerful mass of healing.

Heralds of Good News

The parish will have an opportunity during this Lenten season to give to the order that gave so much to Fr. David, Heralds of Good News - Mary Queen of Apostles. Should you wish to donate, envelopes will be in each pew and at the back of church beginning this weekend.

Sympathy

Please extend your sympathy to the Moran family on the passing of their sister, Barbara Moran-White. Ms. Barbara passed away unexpectedly in Hattiesburg. Please keep the Moran, and White families in your prayers during this difficult time.

Prayer Requests

James Voges, Susan Mayberry, Ethel Litwhiler
Billy Ray Dedeaux