# Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I have everything I need. He lets me rest in fields of green grass, And leads me to the quiet pools of Fresh water. He gives me new strength. He guides me in the right paths, As he has promised. Even if I go through the deepest darkness, I will not be afraid, Lord, For you are with me. Your shepherd's rod and staff protect You prepare a banquet for me, Where all my enemies can see me. You welcome me as an honored guest, And fill my cup to the brim. I know that your goodness and love, Will be with me all my life; And your house will be my Home as long as I live.



Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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We welcome new members to our Parish. Please fill out a new member registration form and submit to the parish office, or Fr. Cuddy O'Connell. Fr. Cuddy 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 <u>August 4<sup>th</sup> - 8:30am-12:00pm</u>

St. Ann Saturday – July 29th St. Ann 5:00pm-Lori D'Angelo Sunday – July 30th 9:00am-Mya Hardee

Before mass By Appointment

Our Lady of Chartres Sunday – July 30th 7:30am-Parish

**SACRAMENT** RECONCILIATION

Sunday July 30th, 2023



Monday – July 31<sup>st</sup> 8:00am-Kaiden McGill Wednesday – Aug. 1<sup>st</sup> 6:00pm-Unspoken Intention Thursday – Aug. 3rd 8:00am-Kaiden McGill Friday – Aug. 4<sup>th</sup> 8:00am-Lori D'Angelo

Sat – Aug. 5<sup>th</sup> 5:00pm-Bay Ladner Sunday – Aug. 6th OLC 7:30am-Parish Sunday – Aug. 6<sup>th</sup> 9:00am-Mya Hardee

#### Communion of Heaven and Earth

As I walked the path God set out for me, I found myself coming continuously back to the concept of the coming together of "Heaven and Earth" in this modern-day world. As my journey continued and I envisioned the coming together in the Eucharist, my thoughts turned to "there must have been more." As I investigated the past and the events that surround our faith. I discovered that I was correct in my thinking.

#### The Immaculate Conception:

Well before the celebration of the consecration of the Eucharist, we had the creation and birth of Jesus. God in making His plan a reality, brought together heaven and earth within Our Blessed Mother, thus creating the first communion of heaven and earth, for all of us to see.

#### The Last Supper:

This second communion of heaven and earth came to pass at the last supper. Christ in His celebration and consecration of the bread (His body) and wine, (His blood) brought together both heaven and earth. At the Altar, the miracle of the coming together of both heaven and earth continues today in the celebration of the Eucharist.

As Catholics, we have the opportunity; everyday if we choose, to experience the coming together of both heaven and earth through the celebration and consecration at mass. As we practice our Catholic faith, we receive the very unique opportunity to experience this miracle; knowing full well, that as the Priest transforms the bread and wine into the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, we too experience at the Alter; or anywhere a mass is celebrated, the miracle of heaven and earth coming together right in front of our eyes. As we continue to receive communion, we are again reminded that as Catholics we are receiving within our bodies the true coming together of what God created... The full communion of heaven and earth...

## July 23<sup>rd</sup>2023

St. Ann Stewardship Identifiable: \$2284.00 - Loose: \$216.00 Children's: \$7.19 - (ACH: \$5) Total: \$2507.19

Identifiable Parishioners: 50

*OLC Stewardship* Identifiable: \$155.00 - Loose: \$136.00 *Total:* \$291.00

Identifiable Parishioners: 6



# Fifth Week Special Collection It is in the blessings we give that, God bestows His blessings upon us...

Each fifth weekend throughout the calendar year we have the blessing of sharing what we have with those less fortunate. This weekend, July 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> our parish will have a special second collection for our Lizana Light Ministry. The sharing of our blessings will go to help those less fortunate within our Lizana community.

Any blessings you can share will be most appreciated and will assist us in helping the needy.

#### Items Needed

Cake Mixes Pasta Sauces Cereals Oatmeal Dried Beans Canned Meats – Tuna, Chicken, etc.

(Any food items not listed above is always welcome.) You may drop your gift of food at the office between 9am -12:00 noon, or you may leave your gift in the back of church.

If you wish to donate a monetary amount, the Ladies of Lizana Light will be happy to shop for you.

MASS	LECTOR	EUCHARISTIC Ministers	USHERS	SERVERS
Sat. July 29 <sup>th</sup>			August	
5:00pm	Mary Beth	Mike West, Wanda Brignac	Schonewitz	N/A
Sun. July 30 <sup>th</sup>				
7:30am	Diann Kirk	Jenette Dedeaux	Terry Mitchell	N/A
Sun. July 30 <sup>th</sup>		Beverly Saucier, Lisa Cuevas		Eliza, Bailey
9:00am	Wanda Lizana	Kim Wood	William Burke	Kane
Sat. August 5 <sup>th</sup>			August	
5:00pm	Mike West	Beverly Saucier, Barbara Saucier	Schonewitz	N/A
Sun. August 6 <sup>th</sup>				
7:30am	Eddie Duran	Doug Ladner	Terry Mitchell	N/A
Sun. August 6 <sup>th</sup>		William Burke, Robin Peterson		Paige, Cameron
9:00am	Lacy Marchand	Matt Marchand	William Burke	Kane

# Vacation Schedule

Altar Flowers Fr. Cuddy is back to visit his family in Ireland and will We would like to thank all who donated flowers for return August 19<sup>th</sup>. Fr. Peter Varghese has been the Altar in remembrance of their loved ones. They assigned to our parish during this time to assist us in are so lovely, enriching our church as well as being all our needs. If you need to contact Fr. Peter please a beautiful remembrance to those who are no call (228) 832-2560. longer with us.



If you are scheduled to be a *Lector*, *Eucharistic* Minister, or Altar Server and for some reason are unable to be at mass on the day you are scheduled, please let someone know before your allotted time so

we can reach out to arrange for someone to fill in.

# Envelope Pickup

I have enveloes for 3 of our parish families; Steve Reichelt **Bill & Faye Garriga** Richard & Amy Dunlap If you would like to make arrangements to pick them up please give me a call 228-236-5888.

### Healing Mass Service

Our Mother of Mercy Catholic Church, 216 Saucier Avenue in Pass Christian will be having a Healing Mass Service, Friday, August 18<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm. All are invited to attend.

# Fr. Cuddy's Corner

*Liam was reading the morning* newspaper and was shocked to read in the obituary column that he had died. He quickly phoned his best friend Mike.

"Did you see the paper? They say I died!" "Yes, I saw it!" replied Mike. "Where are you calling from?"

We would also like to remind everyone, if you wish to place flowers on the Altar in remembrance, we still have many dates to choose from. The available dates are listed at the back of the church and are available for you to sign up.

\*\*\*An acknowledgement will be placed in the bulletin in honor of your loved ones.\*\*\*

# Masses for Family & Friend

As Catholics we have a unique gift we can give to anyone, the gift of a Mass honoring a family member or a friend. Whether they are gone from us, or still here with us, such a gift can bring peace, love, hope, and healing to them, or their loved ones. If you wish to have a Mass offered for someone, please contact the office (228) 832-2560 to make arrangements. It is a gift that we can give anyone.



# **Prayer Requests**

Lori D'Andelo, Kay Van Pelt, Megan Eley, Mya Hardee, The McGill Family, Shorty Shaw