

**Announcement**  
**For the week of May 12, 2019**

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!**

**Gift for Life: A special collection this Sunday, May 12, benefitting Birthright of Beaumont. Please give a donation in honor of your Mother who gave you life. If you would like to donation, please get an envelope from any Usher.**

**This is the last weekend for all graduates to sign-up for the Graduation Mass. Sign up sheets are in the Vestibule of the Church.**

## **Announcements**

**Are there people celebrating Birthdays this week? ( Pause for about 10 seconds)**

**Is there anyone celebrating a Marriage Anniversary this week? (Pause for 10 seconds)**

**Are there Visitors celebrating with us? (Pause for 10 seconds)**

**Please pray for all our Military, all the Sick and Shut-In and their families.**

**Take home a copy of this week's bulletin for announcements and for other information.**

**May 12, 2019**

**GOOD EVENING/GOOD MORNING PARISHIONERS, FAMILY, FRIENDS AND VISITORS! (PAUSE)**

**WELCOME TO OUR MOTHER OF MERCY CATHOLIC CHURCH. WE ARE IN THE PRESENCE OF THE LORD.**

**TODAY WE CELEBRATE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER.**

**KINDLY TURN TO YOUR NEIGHBOR AND EXTEND A GREETING OF WELCOME. (PAUSE 20 SECONDS).**

**BE GOOD STEWARDS OF THE PARISH, GIVE GENEROUSLY IN TODAY'S COLLECTIONS. THE SECOND COLLECTION IS FOR BIRTHRIGHT.**

**OUR CELEBRANT FOR THIS MASS IS:**

**(Priest Name) Fr. Noel Effiong, Pastor**

**4:30 P.M.–**

**7:00A.M.–**

**10:00 A.M.–**

**INTECESSORY PRAYERS**  
**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**May 12, 2019**

***Priest: Jesus Tells us that in God's hands we find ourselves safe, secure, and loves. Therefore, we put our cares and concerns into God's hands.***

***Response: Lord, hear our prayers.***

- ◆ For the Church, that like Paul and Barnabas we may realize our mission to spread the Good News to all people, indeed, to the ends of the earth, we pray to the Lord....
- ◆ That the persecution of people for what they believe or for what they do not believe may cease, that political and religious leaders may respect people of all faiths or of no faith, we pray to the Lord....
- ◆ For mothers, godmothers, grandmothers, and all who have played the role of a mother in the life of a child, that they may be blessed in the joy, we pray to the Lord.....
- ◆ For those who grow our food, that the natural resources of sunshine, warmth, and rain may nourish the crops that feed us,....

For all who have died, and for the intentions of this Mass, **Marie Haynes Charlton, Vida Mae Lewis, Jane Mouton, Dorothy Comeaux, Mae Dee Ricard, Jeanette Mayfield, Elda Guidry, Cobb Family, Albert Williams, Jr.** may they rejoice in the mercy of God, we pray to the Lord...

- For all the prayers that we hold in the silence of our hearts and for all our intentions spoken and unspoken, ....*[pause for 10 seconds]*; we pray to the Lord.....

***Priest: Loving God, you cared so much for us, your children, that you sent your Son to us to be our shepherd. Listen to the prayers of our flock, and grant them through your Son, Jesus Christ our Good Shepherd...***

# EASTER SUNDAY

April 21, 2019

***Priest: Filled with joy and hop, realizing the promise of new life, we bring our needs to God, who has raised Jesus from death to life.***

**Response: Gracious *Lord*, hear us.**

- ◆ For the Church, that we may always witness to the glory of the Resurrection in our words and actions, we pray to the Lord....
- ◆ That peace and joy may permeate the world, especially in countries, cities and neighborhoods that suffer violence and war, as do the lands where Jesus walked, we pray to the Lord....
- ◆ For those who suffer from chronic illnesses and for those who care for those who care for them, that they may find comfort and hope in the arms of the Lord, we pray to the Lord....
- ◆ For all of us gathered here today to celebrate the Lord's resurrection, that we may bring the light of Christ to all darkened corners of our world, we pray to the Lord...
- For all who have died, and for the intentions of this Mass, **Glenn Etienne, John Muller, Arthur Gray, Sr., James Haynes, Jr., George Polar, Anthony English**, may they rejoice in the mercy of God, we pray to the Lord...
- For all the prayers that we hold in the silence of our hearts and for all our intentions spoken and unspoken, ....*[pause for 10 seconds]*; we pray to the Lord.....

***Priest: God of life, you raised your Son from the dead and gave us all a share in the promise of new life with him. Hear the prayers we offer today and grant them through your Son, our risen Lord....***

# **TO ALL MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY**

May 12, 2019

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
PLEASE WELCOME THE VISITORS**

**ALSO PASS OUT THE CHILDREN'S  
BULLETINS TO THE LITTLE ONES!**

**Make sure that you sign the sheet in the book.**

**Remember to take the count of those present at each Mass  
and turn the count sheet in after the 10:00AM Mass**  
**This is very important. Secure collection after Mass**

**Second Collection**  
**BirthRight**