May 15, 2022 The Fifth Sunday of Easter	
We welcome newcomers to our church! If you would like to become a member of our parish family, please complete one of the blue registration forms, which you will find on the table near the front door of the church. You can bring the form to the office during business hours or put it into the collection basket.	The Altar Society will meet on Tuesday, May 17, at 6:30pm in the hall. Father Ross' assignment as Pastor of Our Lady of Victory Church will conclude at the end of June. He will become Pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Church in Vidor. As of July 1, our new Pastor will be Father Polycarp Otieno, FMH, currently Parochial Vicar of St Jude Thaddeus Church in Beaumont. Please keep Father Polycarp and Father Ross in your prayers as they prepare for new assignments.
Mass Intentions5/15/22For the People of the Parish5/16/22Dr. Larry Walker5/17/22Charles Yundt5/18/22Martha & Edward Waggoner5/19/22Deceased Members of the Giglio Family	High School Age Parishioners: Are you interested in attending the Diocesan Youth Convention in June? Please contact Melody Wells at OLoS Church in China for more information. 409-752-3571 mwells@dobcentral.org You can make a donation to the Appeal for Catholic Ministries online. Please go to this link: dobgifts.org/appeal-for-catholic-ministries-2022/ You can support the Ukrainian refugees by going to these links: cnewa.org/campaigns/ukraine/ and churchinneed.org
Week of May 1 - 7, 2022 Income \$1,187.25 CCD \$40.00 Expenses \$1,655.76	What Does the Catechism Teach? "Christ's Resurrection is an object of faith in that it is a transcendent intervention of God himself in creation and history. In it the three divine persons act together as one, and manifest their own proper characteristics. The Father's power 'raised up' Christ his Son and by doing so perfectly introduced his Son's humanity, including his body, into the Trinity. Jesus is conclusively revealed as 'Son of God in power according to the Spirit of holiness by his Resurrection from the dead.' (Rom 1:3-4) St Paul insists on the manifestation of God's power through the working of the Spirit who gave life to Jesus' dead humanity and called it to the glorious state of Lord- ship. As for the Son, he effects his own Resurrection by virtue of his divine power. Jesus announces that the Son of man will have to suffer much, die, and then rise. Elsewhere he affirms explicitly: 'I lay down my life, that I may take it again I have power to lay it
Birthday ListHunter Cooley5/16Vicky Babineaux5/16Paul Zappi5/16John McCarthy5/21Charles Windsor5/21	down, and I have power to take it again.' (Jn 10:17-18) 'We believe that Jesus died and rose again.' (I Thess 4:14) The Fathers contemplate the Resurrection from the perspective of the divine person of Christ who remained united to his soul and body, even when these were separated from each other by death: 'By the unity of the divine nature, which remains present in each of the two components of man, these are reunited. For as death is produced by the separation of the human components, so Resurrection is achieved by the union of the two.' (St Gregory of Nyssa) – <i>from the Catechism of the Catholic Church</i> , #648,649,650



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