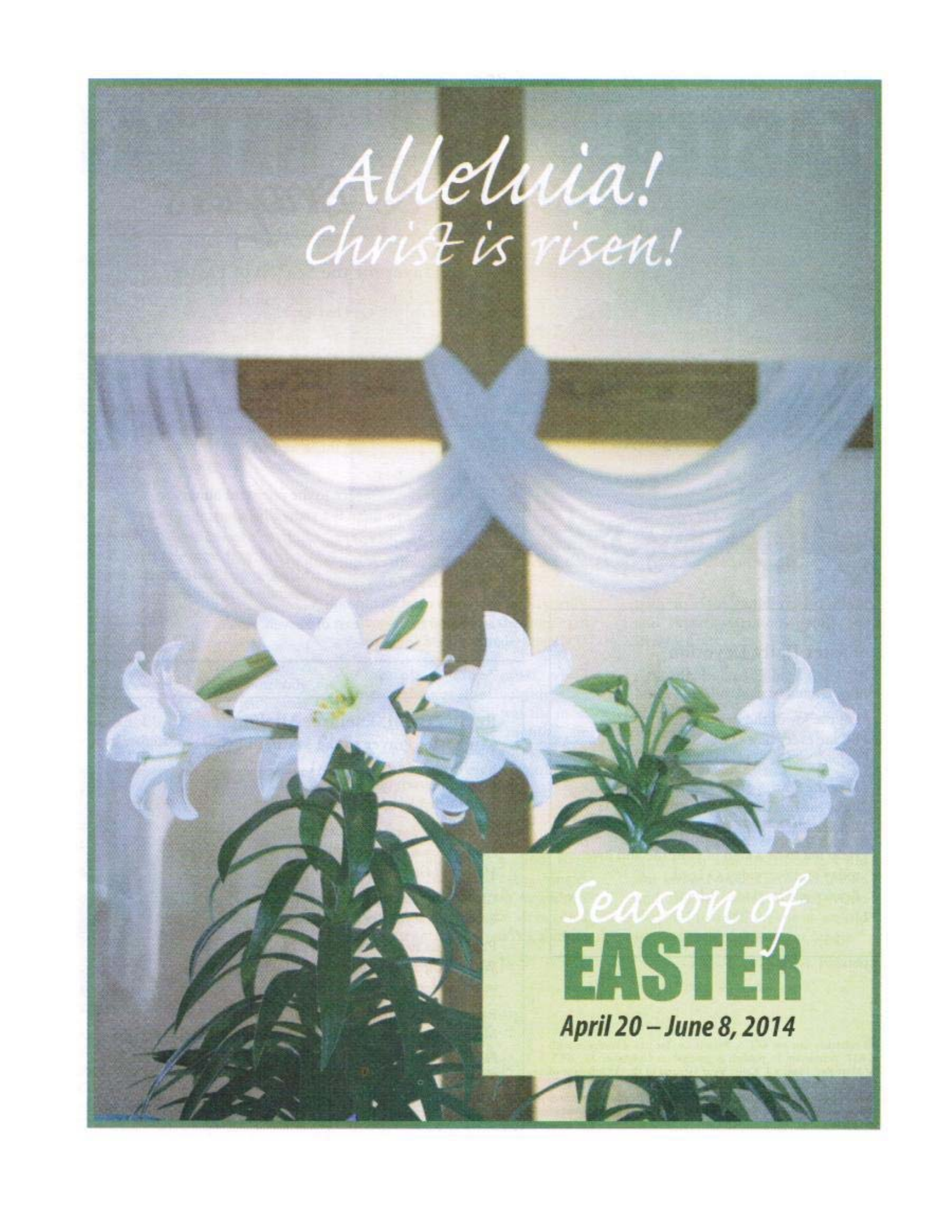




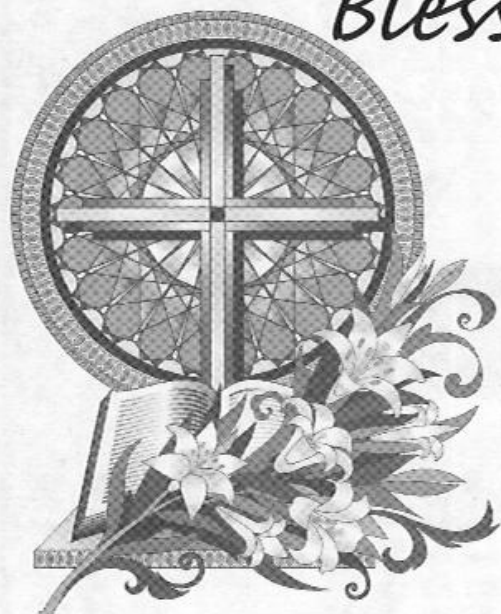
Alleluia!
Christ is risen!

Season of
EASTER

April 20 – June 8, 2014

EASTER

Blessings & Prayers



Easter Daily Devotion

Rejoice and be glad, Alleluia!

Let the joy of the Resurrection
fill me every day, O Lord.

Rejoice and be glad, Alleluia!

May the Spirit's grace and power
bless me this day, O Lord.

Rejoice and be glad, Alleluia!

Help me to be a sign of your life and love
today and every day, O Lord.

Rejoice and be glad, Alleluia!

Table Prayer for the Season of Easter

This is the day the Lord has made!

On this Day of days
we are filled with Easter joy
and nourished by the fruits of earth.

On this Day of days
may we know the presence of Christ
in breaking bread with those we love.

On this Day of days
let us show his presence to the poor and hungry
as our service to them is a sign of his glory.

This is the day the Lord has made!

Let all the earth cry out with joy
on this Day of days.

May this meal be blessed,
as we will be at the feast of heaven. Amen.

Regina Caeli, Laetare. Alleluia! (An Easter Prayer to the Mother of God)

Rejoice, Queen of heaven. Alleluia!

Lead the rejoicing of all the saved, Holy Mary, Mother of God.

You were chosen to be Christ's mother. Alleluia!

*Help us remain faithful children of light, Holy Mary,
Mother of God.*

Christ has risen as he said. Alleluia!

Let us follow your example, Holy Mary, Mother of God.

Pray for us to God. Alleluia!

*With all the saints, Holy Mary, Mother of God,
intercede for us at the throne of grace.*

Rejoice and be glad: the Lord is truly risen. Alleluia!

*May our joy bring us, Holy Mary, Mother of God,
to join you and the hosts of heaven,
singing eternal praises in glory for all eternity. Alleluia!*

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Our Lady of Fatima

April 19-20, 2014

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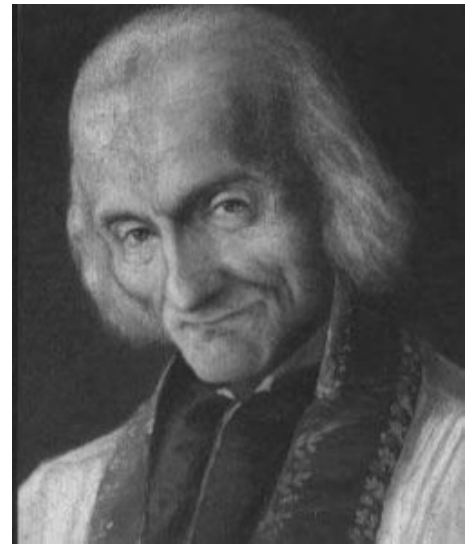
After a particularly hard winter followed by a super windy March our outside American Flag was rendered useless. Our parishioners and neighbors Ruth and Dean Barry, felt moved to replace it as a memorial to the Barry Brothers:

Bill - U.S. Air Force
Ralph - U.S. Army
Don - U.S. Army
Dean - U.S. - Marines
Ray - U.S. Army

We thank the brothers for their service and
Ruth and Dean for selecting O.L.F. to proudly display
the Colors

Summer Masses at the Our Lady of the Alleghenies Outdoor Shrine in Loretto will begin on the Sunday of Memorial Day Weekend. The last Mass for the summer will be on the Sunday of Labor Day Weekend. All Sunday Masses are at 7pm! Please bring your own Lawn Chair! In case of inclement weather the Mass will be inside the Basilica of St. Michael the Archangel.

This Mass is not a Basilica parish Mass! It is a Diocesan Mass specifically sponsored and organized by the Diocesan Vocation Office, with the exception of any special intention Masses offered by Bishop Mark Bartchak during the summer. Because the Vocation Office sponsors this Mass, each week's intention is offered for "The Increase of Diocesan priests for our Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown."



Thank you to anyone who contributed any items towards my collection for the Saint Vincent De Paul Society. All donations were greatly appreciated!

O.L.F./B.G. Student - Gabby Smith

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Mon. 04/21	<u>A Day of Prayer for Victims of Cancer</u>
Feast	Monday within the Octave of Easter
8:00 AM Mass	Tom Byrne, <i>Tom and Patricia Foor</i>
Tues. 04/22	<u>A Day of Prayer for Victims of Heart Diseases</u>
Feast	Tuesday within the Octave of Easter
8:00 AM Mass	David C. Riley, <i>Helen Marie Force</i>
Wed. 04/23	<u>A Day of Prayer for Victims of Arthritis</u>
Feast	Wednesday within the Octave of Easter
8:00 AM Mass	Stanley and Mary Biem, <i>Son Ron, Bernice and Boys</i>
Thur. 04/24	<u>A Day of Prayer for Victims of Nervous Disorders</u>
Feast	Thursday within the Octave of Easter
8:00 AM Mass	Paul Watters, <i>20th Ann, Wife Helen and Family</i>
Fri. 04/25	<u>A Day of Prayer for Victims of Emotional Disorders</u>
Feast	Friday within the Octave of Easter
8:00 AM Mass	Helen Buck, <i>Cathy Madden</i>
Sat. 04/26	<u>A Day of Prayer for Victims of Diabetes</u>
Feast	Divine Mercy Sunday
4:30 PM Mass	Bernard Hennigan, <i>Chuck and Ceil Hennigan</i>
Sun. 04/27	<u>A Day of Prayer for Victims of Addictions</u>
Feast	Divine Mercy Sunday
9:00 AM Mass	Lois J. Riley, <i>Husband Jim</i>
11:00 AM Mass	Tom Byrne, <i>Ann of Death 4/20, Wife Pat and Family</i>

*Lord
Jesus
Christ
Son
Of
God
Have
Mercy
On
Me
A
Sinner*

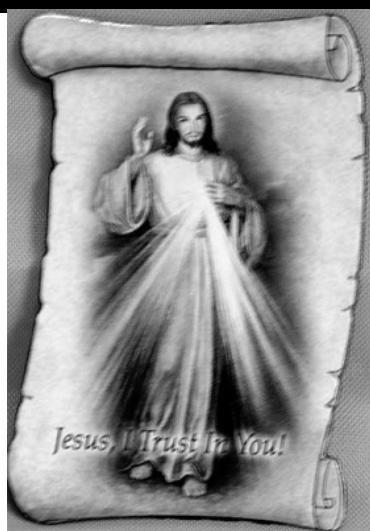
Happy Birthday:

04/22 Alexander Clark
Ken Smithmyer
04/25 Denise Stitt
04/26 Christine Manna
04/27 Terri Summers

Wedding Anniversaries

04/23 Frank and Janice Frucella
04/27 Tim and Linda Burr

Our Lady of Fatima Pleaded
That we pray the Holy Rosary
Daily
At O.L.F. before each Mass
and privately
from 8:30am to 7:00pm



Divine Mercy Novena

continues through

April 26

@ 3:00 PM

2014 Easter Flower Memorial Offerings

Frank and Siegrist Families By M/M Michael Wall	Zerbee and Cora Ivory By M/M Paul Cassarly	Simanski and Milliron Families By Robert Simanski
Wall and Tierney Families By M/M Michael Wall	Parents, Frank and Phyllis Mosney By Jack and Carol Corle	Liv/Dec Mem. of Eckley & Starr Families By Bryan and Eileen Starr
Health of Father Zatalava By M/M Michael Wall	Sister, Mary Zingrone By Jack and Carol Corle	Liv/Dec Mem. of Eichenlaub & Raichle Fam. By Bryan and Eileen Starr
In Thanksgiving By M/M Michael Wall	M/M Richard Hennigan By M/M Charles Hennigan	Theresa Bruno By Bruno Family
K C Smith By Jerry and Doris Smith	M/M Charles Sienkiewicz By M/M Charles Sienkiewicz	Gary & Kim Sierzega By Mildred Vaughn
Harry & Bessie Smith By Erry and Doris Smith	Al Sienkiewicz By M/M Charles Hennigan	Dee Sondberg By Mildred Vaughn
Ralph and Edna Martin By Jerry and Doris Smith	Brothes, Charles & John P. Baronner By Aggie and Francis Baronner	Sally Colledge By Pete Colledge
Brannan & Hrzic Families By Greg and Barb Brannan	Grandparents, James Helman & Mary Wineland By Aggie and Francis Baronner	Bernard & Loretta Nagle, Carol Nowlen By Lorraine Shuma Family
Wally Jorkasky By Wife Janice, Children and Grandchildren	Parents, L. H. and Marie Baronner By Aggie and Francis Baronner	Herbert Summers Sr. By Herbert Summers Jr.
Spec. Inten. of the Stan & Rita Sral Families by The Sral's	Carol, Tony, Vickie Angelo By Shuma Family	Vincent Burr Sr. By Kate Burr
Doris Holencik By Bob Gates	Don and Debbie Shuma By Mother, Brothers and Family	Bill & Ralph Barry By M/M Dean Barry Jr.
Lumadue - Quinlan - McNulty Family By Sara J. Quinlan	George, Susan and Patty Shuma By The Shuma Family	Walter and Mary Rapsky By Diana Hencherick
Mike & Bernard Quinlan By Sara J. Quinlan	Austin and Aileen Weakland By Bernadette Weakland	David C. Riley & Wilhelmina Riley By Carol Riley
Paul E. & Mary Cassarly By M/M Paul Cassarly	Tom Byrne By Wife Pat and Children	Cecilia McGirk By Carol Riley
Bill Conrad - Frank and Frieda Potopa By Karen Conrad	Bill and Dave Conrad By Frieda Conrad	Geroge Glashauser By Wife Helen
David Conrad By Karen, Nick, Shawn, Kayla	Dec. Members of the Biem & Billy Families By M/M Ron Biem	Mike Farrell By Mom

2014 Easter Flower Memorial Offerings

Parents By Anonymous	Otto and Pauline Christlmeier By Joann Kyper, daughter	Robert & Dorothy Tierney By Tierney & Wall Families
Eckenrode Family By John P. Eckenrode	Christina By Mother	Anonymous By Anonymous
William & Eleanor Cox, Patrice M Shellenberger By Susan M. Eckenrode	Our Parents By Jeanne, Bebe, Bob and Lovie	Special Intention for Our Family By Dr. Pete & Kathie Starr
Joseph and Theresa Angesi By Sister's	William and Maria Wesley By M/M Paul Kowalski	Our Parents By Dr. Pete & Kathie Starr
M/M John Angesi By Children	Helena Frederick, Chester Kowalski By M/M Paul Kowalski	Summers and Champeno Families By Jeanne Summers
David Riley, Wilhelmina Riley By Carol Riley	Coy R. Smith, Sr. By Carol Smith	John Chruszcz Family Members By Eleanor Noye
Cecelia Mc Girk By Carol Riley	Henry E. Zaczek By Siblings	Farabaugh and Plunkit Families By Jeanie and Family
Adrian and Bernadine Snellbaugh By Jim and Connie McKnight	Michael and Hattie Zaczek By Children	Bravin & Luther Families By M/M William Bravin
James and Nancy McKnight By Jim and Connie McKnight	Travis Farber By Melinda Summers	Traini and Guida Families M/M William Bravin
Liv/Dec Mem. George & Agnes Raber Fam By Jean Hagan	Grandparents By Melinda Summers	Arthur Wall By Pat Wall
John & Victoria Koeck, Melissa & Brock Hofer By Mary Ann Hofer	Thomas Stoltz, Jr. By M/M Thomas Stoltz Sr.	Summers and Champeno Families By Richard L Summers
Frances Kasun By Kathy & John Kasun	Douglass & Riggleman Families By John J. and Colleen A. Douglass	Paul K. Watters By Wife Helen and Family
Frances Kasun By Steve and Robyn Kasun	Joseph Milliron By Bebe and Family	Denise Keagy By Carol Smith

2014 Annual Catholic Appeal Pledges

Constance Angesi	Charles Hennigan	Catherine Mincin	Herbert E. Summers
Anthony Bruno	Thomas Hofer	Genevieve Musto	Richard Summers
Vincent Burr	Joseph P. Ianniello	John G. Noonan	Michael Wall
Helen Carper	Joseph Knott	Michael J. O'Connor	Jill Watters
Paul G. Cassarly	Constance Kowalski	Carol Z. Smith	Father James Zatalava
Carol Corle	Bonnie E. Long	Jerry Smith	

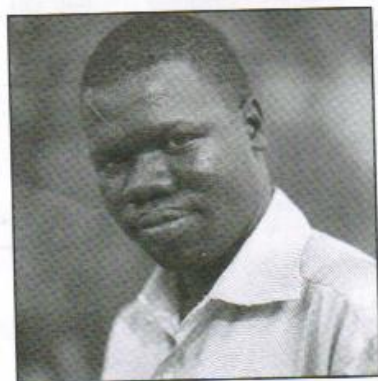
EASTER *Season of Justice*

Simon Kuereng's story is a familiar one for a boy growing up in South Sudan. War took his father, his home, and the family's cattle. He spent his childhood looking over his shoulder, wondering where the next meal might come from.

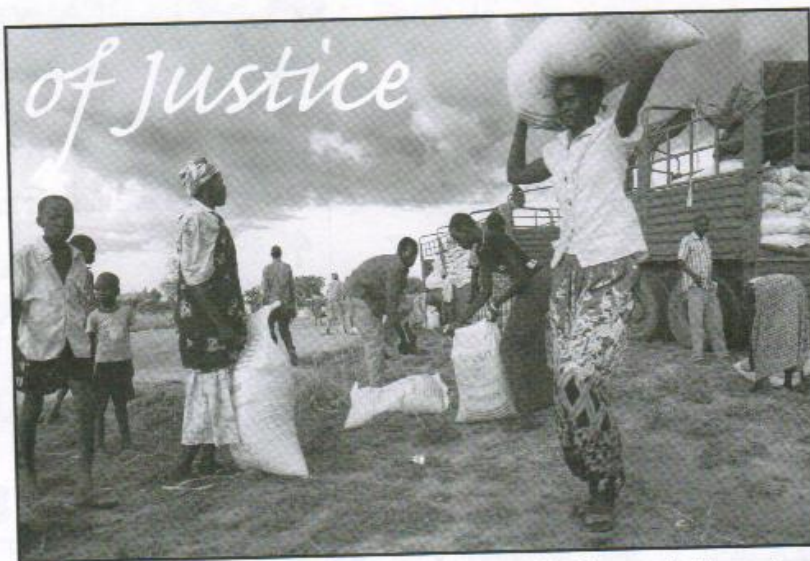
Simon did what countless others did: He searched for a safe haven and found one in New Cush, a refugee camp along the Kenyan border.

It was 1994, and Catholic Relief Services (CRS) was one of a handful of aid agencies providing food to camp residents. That food provided more than nourishment. It allowed Simon to simply be a child.

"New Cush was a cocoon of peace," he says. "I came to realize I was growing up to be somebody. I started to spend time with other children. I began to appreciate the joy of education, because I was



As a boy, Simon Kuereng received food aid from CRS while living in a camp near the Kenyan border. Now, he oversees for CRS the distribution of nearly 1,300 tons of food in his home town in South Sudan. Photo by Sara A. Fajardo/CRS



In South Sudan, CRS pays villagers in food for their work building roads, dikes and irrigation channels in a massive project to improve devastated infrastructure and provide new skills for citizens of this new nation. Photo by Sara A. Fajardo/CRS

finally able to study consistently. I began to put behind the stresses of war and I began to make friends."

One of Simon's most vivid memories was the monthly CRS food distribution. "It was the most colorful day of the month," he says. "Some people kept their best clothes only to wear on distribution days."

After South Sudan's 2011 independence, Simon returned to the town he fled as a child. Here CRS has launched the Jonglei Food Security program to address hunger and repair the devastated infrastructure by paying people

with food to build roads, dikes, and water retention ponds for livestock.

Critical to success is local staff with knowledge of how to work with communities. To date, the Jonglei Food Security program has hired almost 385 people from Jonglei. Simon is one of them.

"In my interview, I was asked how I would distribute food," says Simon. "I remembered my time in New Cush and described it. I did not know I would grow with CRS and become part of CRS. What they did in 1995 for me as a child is what I'm doing now for others."

Sara A. Fajardo



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