Liturgical Year Happenings

Catholics celebrate the events of Jesus’ life, death and Resurrection during the seasons of the liturgical year.

Find the liturgical seasons and their dates on a church calendar or at www.blestarewe.com/litcal/ to complete the statements about, Lent, Easter Time, and Ordinary Time 2.

• For the Prayer Celebration in Chapter 6 of your text, you read prayers for Passover. The congregation prays repeatedly: "__________________________ ."

• This year, the Catholic observance of Holy Thursday occurs during the week of, _____________ , __________ , __________ . On Holy Thursday, a _________________ Mass is celebrated in the cathedral.

• On Good Friday, ______________ , __________ , __________ , the liturgy focuses on _________________ .

• The Gospel reading for Easter Sunday, ______________ , __________ , __________ , is from __________ . He tells us how _________________ found the tomb of Jesus empty.

• Some dioceses now celebrate Jesus’ Ascension on the 7th Sunday in Easter instead of __________ days after Easter.

• The liturgical year provides special feast days for Mary. On August ________ , the church observes the Queenship of Mary. The church honors Mary as a woman of _______________ and __________ .

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