

# St. Anne Catholic Parish

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## April 13, 2008 - Fourth Sunday of Easter



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### MASS SCHEDULE

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| Weekdays    | 8:00am                                 |
| Saturdays   | 8:00am; 5:00pm (Vigil Mass)            |
| Sundays     | 8:00 and 10:00 am<br>12:00 and 6:00 pm |
| 1st Fridays | 8:00 am and 7:30 pm                    |
| Holy Days   | As announced                           |

### Confessions

Saturday 3:30 pm

### Baptism

By Appointment

### Weddings

By Appointment. Call Rectory at least 6 months ahead.

Do not set any specific date without conferring with the Priest.

### Funeral Arrangements

Should be arranged by Family, church and Mortuary. Normal Christian Burial consists of Vigil Service, Holy Mass and Burial in a Catholic Cemetery. any other arrangements should FIRST be discussed with Parish Priests.

## THIS WEEK AT ST. ANNE

CH:CHURCH, SH: SOCIAL HALL, CR: CLASS-ROOMS, PO: Parish Office, LO: Liturgy Office

Monday, April 14

### 8:00 am - Mass, CH

5:00 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-106

6:30 pm - Youth Ministry, SH

7:30 pm - Lectors, CR #102

7:30 pm—Legion of Mary, CR #103

Tuesday, April 15

### 8:00 am - Mass, CH

4:45 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-106

6:00 pm - SPRED, SH

Wednesday, April 16

### 8:00 am - MASS, CH

5:00 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-106

6:00 pm - Individual User, SH

7:30 pm - Grief Ministry, CR #102

7:30 pm - Lopez Choir, CR #106

8:00 pm - Knights of Columbus Choir, CR #104

Thursday, April 17

### 8:00 am - Mass, CH

5:00 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-106, SH

7:30 pm - Pinto Choir, CH

7:30 pm - Festival Comm., CR #104

7:30 pm - Stewardship Comm., CR #102

8:00 pm - Unity Choir, CR #106

Friday, April 18

### 8:00 am - Mass, CH

6:00 pm - Legion of Mary, CR #103

6:30 pm - Boy Scouts, SH

7:00 pm - Charismatics, CR #105

7:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CR #102

8:00 pm - 8:00 am Choir, CR, #106

8:00 pm - Knights of Columbus Choir, CR #104

Saturday, April 19

### 8:00 am & 5:00 pm - Mass, CH

9:00 am - Faith Formation, CR #102-106

9:00 am - Liturgy Comm., CH

6:15 pm - Charismatics, CR #104

Sunday, April 20

### 8:00, 10:00 am, 12:00 & 6:00 pm - MASS

9:00 am - Golf Tournament Comm., CR #102

11:30 am - RCIA, CR #105

1:00 pm - Hand Maiden of the Lord, CR #103

1:00 pm - Children's Choir, CR #106

1:00 pm - Knights of Columbus, SH

1:30 pm - Lay Carmelites, CR #104

2:00 pm - Youth Ministry, CR #105

4:00 pm - Singles for Christ, CR #103

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — All peoples called by God will receive the gift of the Spirit if they repent and are baptized (Acts 2:14a, 36-41).

**Psalm** — The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23).

**Second Reading** — Once we were like straying sheep; but now we have been returned to the shepherd, our guardian (1 Peter 2:20b-25).

**Gospel** — The shepherd leads the sheep out into pastures of abundant life (John 10:1-10).



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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Jn 10:11-18

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Jn 13:16-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Jn 14:7-14

Sunday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33; 1 Pt 2:4-9;  
Jn 14:1-12

## MASS INTENTIONS

April 12, 2008 - April 19, 2008

### Saturday, April 12

5:00 pm + Gisella Massei

### Sunday, April 13

8:00 am For the People

10:00 Spe.Int. - Lilla Corpuz

12:00 pm + Cornelio Rampanelli

6:00 Spe.Int. - Peping Palacios

### Monday, April 14

8:00 am + Solidad Gomez

### Tuesday, April 15

8:00 am + Cirila Abaya

### Wednesday, April 16

8:00 am Spe.Int. - Lucy Duterte

### Thursday, April 17

8:00 am + Vincent & Mary Tran

### Friday, April 18

8:00 am + Mary Cairney

### Saturday, April 19

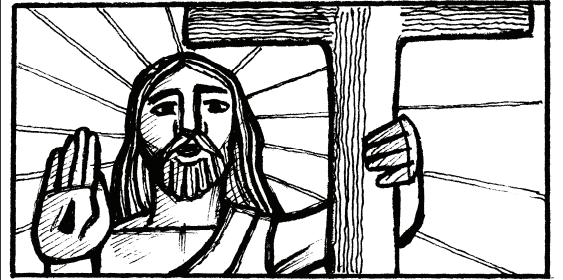
8:00 am + Dec. Mem. Richter Family

5:00 pm + Maria & Enrico Rampanelli

## Fourth Sunday of Easter April 13, 2008

He himself bore our sins in his body upon the cross,  
so that, free from sin,  
we might live for righteousness.

— 1 Peter 2:24a

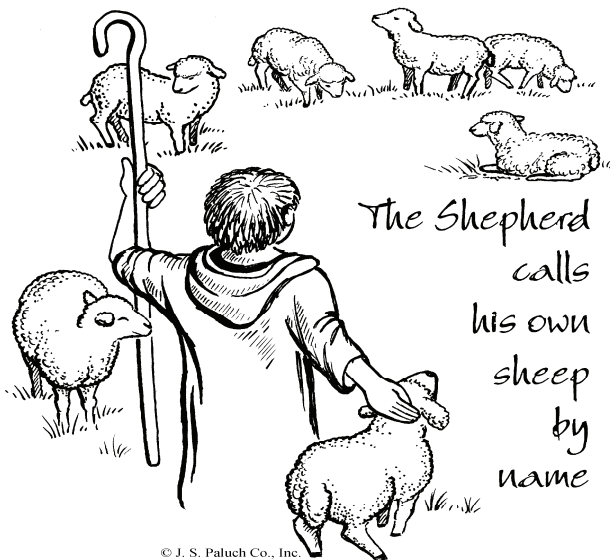


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### THE CALL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

The Twenty-third Psalm, today's responsorial psalm, is arguably the best known of all the psalms. The line that reads "Even though I walk in the dark valley / I fear no evil; for you are at my side / with your rod and your staff / that give me courage" (Psalm 23:4) connects this week's scriptures to the wonderful story of the road to Emmaus, which we heard last week. The Lord Jesus, our Good Shepherd, is constantly at our side. He calls us each by name, beckoning us into a deeper relationship with him. That call, issued to each of us at the moment of our baptism, carries with it the promise of the Good Shepherd: "I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly" (John 10:10).

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*The Shepherd  
calls  
his own  
sheep  
by  
name*

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### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Easter;  
Good Shepherd Sunday;  
World Day of Prayer for Vocations  
Tuesday: Income Tax Day  
Saturday: Passover begins at sunset

### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Not until the thirteenth century do we find a mention of a locked tabernacle. There's some evidence for eucharistic towers also, but often these were in an obscure corner of the church, or even in the off-limits sacristy. Many of us grew up "making visits" to Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, but it's clear this would raise some medieval eyebrows in confusion! To the present day, the Eucharist is always reserved only in a side chapel in many cathedrals. The principal focus in a cathedral is always on the altar, symbol of Christ, and on the cathedra, symbol of the pastoral ministry of the bishop.

In your parish church there is probably a "sanctuary lamp," a permanently lit candle or oil lamp indicating the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Sometimes it's in a red glass, not for any particular reason except that it's easy to find. There is a story of a bishop missioned to Papua New Guinea who was distressed to find no sanctuary lamps burning in his new diocese. The people patiently explained that their churches were woven of grass, and that they decided to place a chief's standard, a trident, in front of the tabernacle. That was a sign in their culture that the "chief" was at home, like raising the flag over Buckingham Palace. The bishop, an Irish import, didn't appreciate the British reference, so he ordered the candles back. The first church to burn to the ground was the cathedral, and after two more, the chief's tridents returned.

—Rev. James Field, © Copyright, J. S. Paluch Co.

### PARISH MISSION . . .

"We, the people of St. Anne will . . .

- seek unity in our diverse community
  - establish a living Church where people practice their faith
  - develop a compassionate communal Leadership.
- . . . To foster and preserve solidarity among God's people."



### **Saint Anne Youth Ministry**

St. Anne Youth Ministry will meet on Monday, April 14 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. The theme of our meeting will be: "WE ARE MARSHALL—Honoring Those Who Die." a way to look at how to communicate. Letters were sent out to all those signed up to attend the April 25-27 Youth Ministry Retreat last week. There will be a parent-student information meeting on Sunday, April 20 at 2:00 p.m. in classroom 105.

### **CONFIRMATION 2008-2009**



Registration for the 2008-2009 Confirmation Preparation program will be held on Monday, April 28 at 7:00 p.m. in the Church and Saturday, May 3 at 11:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall. All students who are registered in Youth Ministry and have attended a Youth Ministry retreat are eligible to sign up. Please call the Youth Ministry Office for more information.

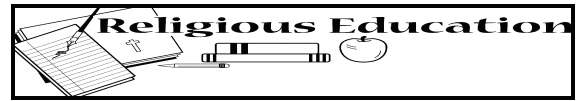
### **EMMAUS Peer Ministry Applications**

Applications for the 2008-2009 St. Anne EMMAUS Peer Ministry program are available in the Youth Ministry Office. If you would like to receive one by email, please write to [stayouthministry@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stayouthministry@sbcglobal.net)

**EMMAUS PEER MINISTRY** has been a fundamental part of St. Anne Youth Ministry for 18 years. Peer Ministry involves young people, grades 10-12 or in college, in leading and supporting peers as they develop a deeper experience of God's love and stronger sense of being Catholic. Emmaus Peer Ministry takes its name and values from the Gospel of Luke, chapter 24 verses 13-35. If you have any questions, please call Jim Soltau at 471-7766 extension 22.

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**April Virtues:** *Modesty* in dress and language is the key to protecting and insuring your human dignity. *Simplicity* allows you to let others know you by being genuine and having a clear mind and upright will.



### **First Communion**

#### **REMINDER**

**07-08 FIRST COMMUNION CANDIDATES & PARENTS**

*All FC candidates & one parent/adult family member must attend one*

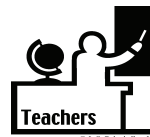
#### **EUCHARIST FAMILY GATHERING**

Tuesday, April 22 - 4:45p–6:00p - Church

Tuesday, April 22 - 6:15p–7:30p - Church

Saturday, April 26 - 9:00a–10:15a - Church

Topic: ***Walk Through the Mass***



### **DEPARTMENT OF CATHOLIC SCHOOLS TEACHER JOB FAIR**

GRADES PRE-K THRU 12). SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 9 AM—12 NOON AT ST. JOSEPH NOTRE DAME HIGH

SCHOOL GYM, 1011 CHESTNUT STREET, ALAMEDA. QUESTIONS: CONTACT DIOCESE OF OAKLAND, HUMAN RESOURCES DEPT., 510-267-8381 OR FAX 510-272-0725.

### **PRAISE FOR GOD'S GIFT OF NATURE**

Praised be my Lord for brother wind  
And for the air and clouds and fair and every kind of weather,  
By the which Thou givest to Thy creatures nourishment.  
Praised be my Lord for sister water,  
The which is greatly helpful and humble and precious and pure.  
Praised be my Lord for brother fire,  
By the which Thou lightest up the dark.  
And fair is he and gay and mighty and strong.  
Praised be my Lord for our sister, mother earth,  
The which sustains and keeps us  
And brings forth diverse fruits with grass and flowers bright.

—St. Francis of Assisi

April 13, 2008

## Weekly Collections

|                    | Mar. 30, 2008 | Apr. 6, 2008 |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Parish Collection  | \$10,915.75   | \$10,876.90  |
| Building Fund      | \$1,334.63    | \$6,095.91   |
| Poor of the Parish | \$3,114.75    |              |

### WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

**Married Couples:** *What makes us both truly human and truly like God?* It is **Love**, the love of a married couple, which is unselfish, undying, and wholly directed to the good of others. It is love that unites us in an unbreakable bond of fidelity and fellowship with others. Jesus loved his own until the very end of his passion and death on the cross (John 13:1). **Experience a WWME weekend and discover God's meaning more fully.** For more information, call **Terry & Angela Higgins @ 510.303.9019** or **Ray & Roberta Montes @ 916.806.4601** now or go to <http://oakland.lovemoredeeply.org>. **Upcoming weekend in Pleasanton: May 30th through June 1st. Deadline to register is May 7th!**

### Diocesan Choir Opportunity Coming Soon

Our Diocesan Priestly Ordination will be on Friday, May 16, at All Saints Church, 22824 Second Street, Hayward. A multicultural choir is being formed for this celebration. Singers interested in participating should contact Music Director, Mark Sullivan, for a schedule of rehearsals and locations at [msjmusic@comcast.net](mailto:msjmusic@comcast.net), 510-656-1055, or <http://music.saintjosephmsj.org/> and scroll down to "The Ordination Choir." Cantors in Spanish, Tagalog, Vietnamese, Portuguese, and English will also be needed. The first rehearsal will be on Friday, April 25, at St. Felicitas Church, 1662 Manor Blvd., San Leandro.

### FROM THE OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

#### Catholic TV Notice Regarding the Pope's U.S. Visit

EWTN's live and encore telecasts of Pope Benedict XVI's U.S. visit include the White House Welcoming Ceremony, April 16 at 7 am and 6 pm; the Mass at Nationals Park, April 17 at 6:30 am and 9 pm; the address to the U.N., April 18 at 7:30 am and 5 pm; the Meeting with Young People, April 19 at 1 pm and 5 pm; the visit to Ground Zero, April 20 at 6 am and 8 am; and the Mass at Yankee Stadium, April 20 at 11 am and 7 pm. All times are Pacific Time. EWTN is carried on Comcast Ch. 229; DISH Satellite Ch. 261; and Direct TV Ch. 370. In Alameda EWTN airs on Comcast Ch. 30 and Alameda Power Ch. 26. Visit [www.ewtn.com](http://www.ewtn.com) for a complete schedule of EWTN's papal visit telecasts.



### DOMINICAN GUILD OF THE EASTBAY SALAD BAR LUNCHEON AND BINGO

Thursday, April 17, 2008 at 12:00 Noon. \$8.00 ticket includes luncheon and two bingo cards. Many fine prizes for the bingo and raffle have been donated. St. Joseph's Hall, 43222 Mission Blvd., Fremont. If you need tickets, call Sr. Evelyn at (510) 657-2468.



Our Lady of Guadalupe School will host a Casino Night — "A Black and White Affair" — on Saturday, May 3 at Holy Spirit Church Hall, 37588 Fremont Blvd., Fremont. From 6:30 pm—12:00 am. Casino games include Blackjack, roulette, and Craps. A \$50.00 Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament is available for the first 50 applicants. Entry packages range from \$35.00 to \$100.00. Please Call 510-657-1674 for more information.

### Auditions for the Cathedral Dedication Choir.

We have previously announced plans to form Christ the Light Cathedral Dedication Choir. This 60-voice volunteer ensemble will support the assembly at the main events that will mark the initiation of the life of our new Cathedral in 2008. The first event is slated for Sunday, September 14, at 2:00 pm, as we gather to commemorate St. Francis de Sales Cathedral. This luminous memory and pilgrimage into light will begin at Bishop Begin Plaza, the site of the old Cathedral. The second event is the Dedication Mass on Thursday, September 25, at 2:00 pm. Finally, the third event of initiation will be held on Sunday, November 2, All Soul's Day, when we bless the Cathedral Mausoleum and celebrate the Rite of Committal as we inter Bishop Begin's body, the first Bishop of Oakland. The last of the auditions will be held on Saturday, Monday, April 14, 2008, from 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm, at St. Stephen's Hall, 1101 Keaveny Court at San Luis Road, Walnut Creek. To make an appointment for an audition, please call Denise Kogler at the Office of the Cathedral Provost at 510-271-1935 or contact her by email at [dkogler@ctlcathedral.org](mailto:dkogler@ctlcathedral.org).

# Blessed Events



Fr. Geoff giving special blessing for his parents' **56th Wedding Anniversary, 3-29-2008**



New member of our community, Thea Stratford's **Baptism, Mar.29th.**



**2013 Confirmation**



These are pictures of only five of the 70 Youths **Confirmed** by Bishop Vigneron on April 5, 2008