



# St. Anne Catholic Church

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## 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."



August 9, 2009  
Nineteenth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time

## MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays	8:00 am
Saturdays	8:00 am; 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)
Sundays	8:00 and 10:00 am 12:00 and 6:00 pm
First Fridays	8:00 am and 7:30 pm
Saturday	3:30 pm –Confessions
Holy Days	As announced

### 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.

### Baptisms

Call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

## St. Anne Pastoral Staff

<i>Fr. Geoffrey Baraan</i>	<i>Pastor</i>
<i>Fr. Richard Boyle, OSM</i>	<i>Parochial Vicar</i>
<i>Benigno Calub</i>	<i>Deacon</i>
<i>Carlos Rabuy</i>	<i>Deacon</i>
<i>Jim Soltau</i>	<i>Youth Ministry Coordinator</i>
<i>Rico Monton</i>	<i>Liturgy &amp; Music Coordinator</i>
<i>Helen Rojas</i>	<i>Children's Faith Formation Coordinator</i>
<i>Christine Suarez</i>	<i>Middle School Faith Formation Coordinator</i>
<i>Sydney Gargan</i>	<i>Office Administrator</i>
<i>Zella Yanos</i>	<i>Secretary</i>
<i>Linda Canlas</i>	<i>Pastoral Council Facilitator</i>
<i>Helen Cabiles</i>	<i>Finance Council Chairperson</i>

## THIS WEEK AT ST. ANNE

CH:CHURCH, SH: SOCIAL HALL, CR: CLASS-ROOMS, PO: PARISH OFFICE, LO: LITURGY OFF.

Monday, August 10

### 8:00 am - Mass, CH

9:00 am - Legion of Mary, CR #103

5:00 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102

7:30 pm - Lectors, CR #102

8:00 pm - Ukulele Choir, CR #105

Tuesday, August 11

### 8:00 am - Mass, CH

5:00 pm - Youth Choir, CH

7:00 pm - Youth Ministry, CH

Wednesday, August 12

### 8:00 am - MASS, CH

7:30 pm - Sacred Voices, CH

Thursday, August 13

### 8:00 am - Mass, CH

9:30 am - Diocesan Mtg., CR #105 & 106

5:00 pm - Youth Choir, CH

7:30 pm - Lopez Choir, CH

7:30 pm - Unity Choir, CR #106

Friday, August 14

### 8:00 am - Mass, CH

10:00 am - Memorial Mass, CH

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

7:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CR #102

7:30 pm - Couples for Christ, CR #105

7:30 pm - 8:00 am Choir, CR #106

Saturday, August 15

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

9:00 am - St. Vincent de Paul, SH

9:00 am - Legion of Mary, CR #103

9:30 am - Ukulele Choir, CR #105

11:30 am - Knights of Columbus, SH

4:00 pm - Sacred Voices, CH

6:00 pm - Charismatics, CR #104

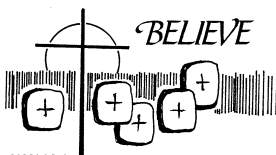
Sunday, August 16

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

1:30 pm - Children's Choir, CR #106

2:00 pm - Baptisms, CH

2:00 pm - Cursillo, SH



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## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — After resting and taking nourishment twice, Elijah is strengthened to walk to the mountain of God, Horeb (1 Kings 19:4-8).

**Psalms** — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).

**Second Reading** — Be touched by the Holy Spirit of God so as to be imitators of God and live in love (Ephesians 4:30 — 5:2).

**Gospel** — Jesus professes that he is the living bread and whoever eats this bread will live forever (John 6:41-51).

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26

Tuesday: Dt 31:1-8; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12; Mt 18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17;  
Mt 18:21 — 19:1

Friday: Jos 24:1-13; Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2;  
Ps 132; 1 Cor 15:54b-57;  
Lk 11:27-28

Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab;

Ps 45; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Sunday: Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34; Eph 5:15-20;  
Jn 6:51-58

## MASS INTENTIONS

August 8, 2009 - August 15, 2009

### Saturday, August 8

5:00 pm + Bienvenido Orilla, Sr.

### Sunday, August 9

8:00 am + Procopio Tantan

10:00 am + Gloria Santos

12:00 pm Spe.Int. - Jessica Carpio

6:00 pm + For the People

### Monday, August 10

8:00 am + Ricardo Mitra

### Tuesday, August 11

8:00 am Spe.Int. - Joel Libiran

### Wednesday, August 12

8:00 am + Simon Alonzo

### Thursday, August 13

8:00 am + Lizette Oliva

### Friday, August 14

8:00 am + Marino Germano

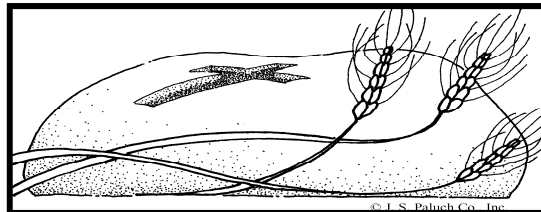
### Saturday, August 15

8:00 am + Maybelle Gatan (Birth Anniversary)

5:00 pm + Florencio Benitez

## Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 9, 2009

I am the living bread that came down from heaven.  
— John 6:51



### THANK YOU FROM THE ROMAN CATHOLIC BISHOP OF ALAMINOS

“Dear Fr. Geoffrey and the Parishioners of the Parish of St. Anne,

Greeting from the Diocese of Alaminos!

I arrived here in Alaminos City July 2 coming home straight from Union City. I'm writing this letter to acknowledge the generous financial donations you have so willingly given to help restore our damaged Cathedral caused by typhoon 'Emong' last May 7, 2009. The total amount is \$15,250. But, more than acknowledging your generous help, I am expressing in behalf of our Diocese, our gratitude.

If you have given so generous an amount from your checkbooks, I guess it's due in part to the gentle prodding of your well-loved Pastor, Fr. Geoffrey, since Alaminos is his home diocese. Fr. Geoffrey, I also thank you in a special way since were it not for your invitation, I would not have had the chance to appeal to your parishioners.

The restoration of our damaged Cathedral is now ongoing, and God willing, we will have enough funds to finish it and we hope that, sooner than later, we'll be able to use it again for our liturgical services, especially the celebration of the Eucharist.

Belonging to the Mystical Body, which includes all of us, is, I believe the main reason why you have shown your concern for our needs here in the Diocese of Alaminos.

May the God Lord continue to bless your Parish and your families”.

Sincerely in Christ,

Most Reverend Marlo M. Peralta, D.D.

Bishop of Alaminos

### HELP IS NEEDED.....

A local family is in need of two (2) twin beds. If you can donate the beds, please contact the parish office @510-471-7766 and leave your name and phone number. Someone from our St. Vincent de Paul will get back in touch with you. Thank You!

### MAKE DEPOSITS

Friendship is like a bank account. You can't continue to draw on it without making deposits.

—Anonymous



### FIND THE HERO IN YOU...

Sunday, August 30, 2009

9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

PARISH Hall

This Blood Drive is sponsored by the Blood Centers of the Pacific. Please contact the Parish Office at 510-471-7766 or go online to [www.bloodheroes.com](http://www.bloodheroes.com), click on 'Donate Blood' and enter Sponsor Code: StAnneParish to schedule your life saving appointment!

*Every 3 seconds someone needs blood & one donation can save 3 lives!*

Pint for a Pint!

Each donor will receive a Baskin Robbins coupon for a free pint of ice cream!



### **Catechetical Sunday 2009**

In recognition of our call to be catechists, St. Anne's is inviting all 2009-2010 Formation Catechists to reflect on their role of handing on the faith at a day retreat on Saturday, September 19 from 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. We are calling all those involved with CCD children's and middle school Religious Education, Confirmation, SPRED, RCIA, Baptism and Liturgy to gather and focus on our theme, "**Be A Servant First**" (based on the Gospel of Mark 9:30-37). Please read next week's bulletin for more information as we reflect on the Catechist Call to Ministry.

### **Confirmation 2009-2010**

St. Anne's Confirmation Preparation program is all ready to go! Our first gathering will be on Sunday, September 13 at 3:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Parents are asked to attend with their candidate. As with all Confirmation classes, the Youth Mass will immediately follow at 6:00 p.m. Please call the Youth Ministry Office at 471-7766 ext. 22 if you have any questions!

### **Saint Anne Youth Ministry**

**If you haven't signed up for YOUTH MINISTRY yet...HURRY!!!!!!** St. Anne Youth Ministry registrations are currently being accepted for the 2009-2010 year. Youth Ministry is the first year of the two year Confirmation preparation program. Youth Ministry is scheduled to begin on Monday, September 13 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall...don't miss out on this GREAT experience!!

If you would like a registration form and brochure for Youth Ministry, you may download them at [www.saintannecatholic.org](http://www.saintannecatholic.org). Please email or call the Youth Ministry Office with any questions at [stayouthministry@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stayouthministry@sbcglobal.net) or 471-7766 ext. 22. Thank you!

### **Our Lady of Guadalupe School**

Our Lady of Guadalupe School is currently accepting applications for Kindergarten to Grade 8. The school is located at 40374 Fremont Blvd., Fremont. OLG School follows the tradition of the Mission San Jose Dominican Sisters. Visit us on the Web at [www.guadalupe-school.org](http://www.guadalupe-school.org). School begins on Tuesday, August 25th. Please call 510-657-1674 to schedule a tour or for more information.

## **FAITH FORMATION**



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### **REGISTRATION**

#### **FOR RETURNING & NEW STUDENTS**

Sunday, August 9 - 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Monday, August 10 - 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm

Tuesday, August 11 - 4:30pm to 7:30pm

Wednesday, August 12 - 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm

Registrations will take place in the CCD office.

The Faith Formation office is now accepting registration for 2009-2010 CCD and First Communion Program. You may pick-up Registration forms from the CCD office, Parish Office or CCD Bulletin Board at the Church's main entrance. You may also download Registration forms from the Parish Website. Kindly mail or return completed form & required documents to the CCD office or Parish Office. *Please call our office, 510-471-7766 ext. 20 for additional information.*

### **CATECHETICAL SUNDAY 2009**

**Theme: "Be A Servant First"** - An invitation to all 2009-2010 Formation Catechists (CCD, Confirmation, SPRED, RCIA, Baptism and Liturgy) to a day retreat on Saturday, September 19 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

"The **call to the ministry of catechist** is a vocation, an interior call, the voice of the Holy Spirit. Catechists need to be practicing Catholics who participate fully in the communal worship and life of the Church and who have prepared for their apostolate by appropriate catechetical teaching." – *USCCB, NDC 54.B*

Our personal faith, our relationship with God, is a critical element in catechesis because it is through the faith & example of others that we first come to know Christ. It is an overflow of our interior life of prayer that we want to share to people in everyday life. Knowing Christ teachings through the Scriptures and continuing formation, we learn to serve other people. In serving people, we imitate Christ and make him evident by our witness and example.

The ministry of catechist is truly an enriching one. The catechist who commits to sharing faith with children, parents, students or adults and teaching them the truths of the Catholic Church often finds that their own faith deepens in the sharing. A catechist is someone who has a heart that is committed to serving God and most importantly, dedicates their work to God. Keeping in mind that in this ministry, we are servants, not stars; facilitators, not CEO's....no matter how wonderful our plans and ideas, God can do better and he helps us "get ourselves out of the way" so he can really use us to do his work.

Please read next week's bulletin as we continue to reflect on the Personal Spiritual Growth of a Catechist.

Sunday August 9, 2009



## Collections

### WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

	July 26, 2009	Aug. 2, 2009
<b>Parish Collection</b>	<b>\$11,963.33</b>	<b>\$12,322.40</b>
Building Fund	\$1,150.00	\$1,465.00
Faith Form./Youth Ministry		\$1,232.00

### Men's Choir Concert at the Mission

Experience the most glorious sound of the summer!!! On August 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm, an impressive choir of men's voices will present a free Sunday evening concert. The men, from parishes around our Diocese, will sing languages representing our diversity as well as Marian favorites. The concert will be held at Historic Old Mission San José, 43148 Mission Blvd. Fremont CA 94538. For more information, please contact Mark J. Sullivan at 510-656-1055 or [msjmusic@comcast.net](mailto:msjmusic@comcast.net).

### ST. ANNE CYO

St. Anne CYO is now accepting registration for Boys Basketball! Registration forms are posted on the St. Anne website:

[www.saintannecatholic.org](http://www.saintannecatholic.org)

Priority registration for boys basketball will be open to St. Anne CCD students and parishioners from August 4-16. Open registration will then begin on August 17th. Please note that there will be no "drop offs" for registration forms. All forms need to be turned in with all documentation and payment attached to be considered complete. Forms can be submitted during Mavericks Basketball Camp ( Aug 4-20, Tues/Thurs, 6-9, Barnard White Campus Gym). For more information on Boys Basketball registration, please contact Ron Tria ([triarfps@sbcglobal.net](mailto:triarfps@sbcglobal.net)), Boys Basketball Coordinator.

### Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Are you an adult who has not been baptized, has not taken your first communion or has not been confirmed in the Catholic Church? Are you seeking to develop a closer relationship with God? Are you searching for meaning in your life? Are you interested in learning more about our Catholic faith?

If your answer is yes to any one of these questions, you might want to consider joining the St. Anne's RCIA program. The main objective of the RCIA program is to prepare an individual for Baptism, First Communion, or Confirmation or all of these. It is also a program for any adult catholic who wishes to learn more about his/her faith and deepen his/her relationship with God. The program starts in September and culminates in May of the next year. Sessions will be held on every other Tuesday nights. Interested candidates may inquire and register in the Rectory by the third week of August. For further questions, you may call Rico Monton at 471-7766 or Linda and Dennis at 487-6799.

If, on the other hand, you interested in becoming a "fisher of men," come and join the RCIA Team. We need you to share your gifts and talents with us. People interested in joining the RCIA ministries, please leave your name, email, and phone number in the Rectory, attention Rico Monton, Dennis LaFlam or Linda Canlas.

### 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 being held in Pleasanton the weekend of **September 11 - 13** and discover God's meaning more fully. For more information, call Ray & Roberta Montes @ 916.806.4601 or Joe & Sue Talarico @ 925.680.7767 now or go to <http://www.rekindleyourmarriage.org>. **Please register, on-line by August 14th.**

### ST. ANNE FESTIVAL WINNERS

**1st Prize - \$2,000.00 - Maria Inciong**

**2nd Prize - Airline Tickets - Dee Lazaga**

**3rd Prize - \$500.00 - Dick Milam**

#### Consolation Prizes:

**Willie & Norma Ayupan, Bill c/o TPS Aviation, Elaine Estoque, Marcos S. Gatan, Dustin Carbonel, W. Bunoan, Elo Rudiger, Leah Blanco, and Rene Sumodobila**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU ALL!**

# Rock the Night 2009

A talent showcase performed by our youth and young adults of St. Anne's.

