

# Saint Anne Catholic Parish

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## ST. ANNE PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Geoffrey Baraan	Pastor
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Helen Rojas	Children's Faith Formation Coordinator
Christine Suarez	Middle School Faith Formation Coordinator
Sydney Gargan	Office Administrator
Zella Yanos	Secretary
Helen Cabiles	Finance Council Chairperson
Linda Canlas	Pastoral Council Facilitator

## 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.



Twenty-Fourth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time

September 12, 2010

### *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."*

**Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
September 12, 2010**

A clean heart create for me, O God,  
and a steadfast spirit renew within me.

— *Psalm 51:12*



*My dear friends in Christ,*

*This week begins our Faith Formation Classes.* It is again an exciting time for our community as we welcome back once again our children with thanksgiving and joy.

*The faith formation of our children is one of the greatest gifts* we can give to them. But also our responsibility as church and parents in making sure that our children will have the **knowledge and understanding of our faith**. We take this very seriously and without reservation. Every time we come to this moment in our life, I cannot help but recall those moments in my life when I was attending CCD classes. **Those were exciting, fun but meaningful times for me. Probably this is one of the reasons why I am ok as a person. I am sure you have own stories to share.**

*Since it is the beginning of our faith formation classes,* I would like to share with you some of the terms that continue to surface in our faith environment. **Our own faith formation should continue until we take the last breath here on earth.**

1. **ANATHEMA**--- *An official condemnation by the Church of a doctrinal or moral position.*
2. **ANNULMENT**--- *An official declaration by the Church that a presumed marriage never really existed in the first place---example is shotgun wedding or forced marriage.*
3. **ARIANISM**-----*The heresy, condemned by the council of Nicea (325), which made Jesus Christ the highest of creatures, greater than us but less than God.*
4. **BEATIC VISION**----*Our final union with God in heaven.*
5. **DOCETISM**-----*A view which held that Christ only "seemed" to have a human body.*
6. **DOCTRINE**---- *An official teaching of the Church.*
7. **DOGMA**----*A doctrine which is promulgated with the highest authority and solemnity. Its denial is a heresy. Every dogma is a doctrine, but not every doctrine is a dogma.*
8. **HERESY**----*Literally, a "choice." It is the denial of a dogma.*
9. **LITURGY**---*The official public worship of the Church, especially the Eucharist and the sacraments.*
10. **SYNOD**---- *An official assembly of the Church at the international, regional, provincial, or diocesan level.*

*I always believe that knowledge of our faith* will only enhance our relationship with our God and with one another. I would like to thank our parents, catechists and our faith formation office, Ms. Helen Rojas, our Children Faith Formation Coordinator, Ms. Christine Suarez, our Middle School Coordinator, Mr. Jim Soltau, our Youth Ministry Coordinator, and our SPRED and our RCIA Coordinators for their commitment and dedication in the faith formation of our children. **OUR THANKS AND OUR GRATITUDE!**

*In Christ,  
Fr. Geoffrey*



### Looking for a Few GREAT SINGERS....

The **CHILDREN'S CHOIR** and **SACRED VOICES** are currently recruiting new members.

**Children's Choir:** Must be 6-13 years of age and able to read. The choir sings at least once a month (various dates and times) with two practice sessions: Sunday at 1:30 pm (not every Sunday) and 1 1/2 hours before a scheduled Mass or event.

**Sacred Voices:** Must be 14 years of age or older. The choir sings at the 5:00 pm Mass on the 2nd, 4th, and 5th Saturdays of the month with one practice session about an hour before Mass starts (Tuesday evening session only as needed).

If interested, please contact the choir director, Sybil Paule at [sigh\\_bill@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sigh_bill@sbcglobal.net)

### CALLING ALL CURSILLISTAS

Because we are one of the Ministries of St. Anne, we are now holding our regular get-togethers, singing praises and meetings at St. Anne. Our next meeting will be on Friday, September 24 in classroom #105 at 7:00 pm and every month thereafter. Please call Myrla Raymundo, Cursillo Team Representative at 510-378-6376 for more information.

### HELP NEEDED....

St. Anne's St. Vincent de Paul needs people to help with the Alameda County Food Distribution on the 3rd Sunday of the month here at St. Anne's from 9 to 11 am. If you would like to help, call the parish office @510471-7766 and leave your name and number.

### "SWING FOR ST. ANNE"

#### 11th Annual Golf Tournament



You are cordially invited to participate and support our "**SWING FOR ST. ANNE**" - 11th Annual Golf Tournament fundraiser on Saturday, September 25, at the Skywest Golf Course, 8:00 am shotgun start, followed by the awards din at St. Anne's Social Hall at 2:00 pm. All proceeds will go to the replacement of our church flooring. This urgent carpet replacement will ensure the safety and beauty of St. Anne's facilities. For more information or to register contact Roy Quindoy @331-1934, Gene Lintao @475-1175 or Archie Gatan @266-5726.

### DANGEROUS APATHY

The tyranny of a prince in an oligarchy is not so dangerous to the public welfare as the apathy of a citizen in a democracy.

—Baron Montesquieu

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Because Moses interceded, the LORD relented and did not punish the people (Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14).

**Psalms** — I will rise and go to my father (Psalm 51).

**Second Reading** — Paul expresses his gratitude for being appointed to the ministry (1 Timothy 1:12-17).

**Gospel** — There is great rejoicing in heaven when a sinner repents (Luke 15:1-32 [1-10]).

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday: Nm 21:4b-9; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31 — 13:13; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11; Lk 7:36-50

Friday: 1 Cor 15:12-20; Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Lk 8:4-15

Sunday: Am 8:4-7; Ps 113; 1 Tm 2:1-8; Lk 16:1-13 [10-13]



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### MASS INTENTIONS

September 11, 2010 - September 18, 2010

#### Saturday, September 11

5:00 pm + Eulalio Dizon

#### Sunday, September 12

8:00 am + Jovencia Lindaway

10:00 am + Arsenio Hidalgo

12:00 pm Spe.Int. - Joseph Poblete

6:00 pm + For the People

#### Monday, September 13

8:00 am + Ramon Navarro

#### Tuesday, September 14

8:00 am + Jimmy Timbang (Birth Ann.)

#### Wednesday, September 15

8:00 am + Sunny Pascua (Birth Ann.)

#### Thursday, September 16

8:00 am + Antonia Villamor

#### Friday, September 17

8:00 am + Alvin Okialda

#### Saturday, September 18

8:00 am Spe.Int - Anicia Poblete

5:00 pm + For the People



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## YOUTH NEWS

### St. Anne Youth Ministry 2010-2011

WELCOME TO ST. ANNE YOUTH MINISTRY!!! Our first meeting is tomorrow night, Monday, September 13!!! The theme of our meeting will be: **ROAD TRIP... JOURNEYING TOGETHER THROUGH THE YEAR!!** This session offers the opportunity for high school youth to gather together after the summer break, re-new relationships, build community, and welcome the incoming ninth graders. It also gives EMMAUS Peer Ministry a chance to promote the big events planned for the year. The session calls to mind the image of a spiritual journey and the kinds of companions, supplies, and pit stops that youth ministry can offer.

**YOU CAN STILL REGISTER!!!!** If you haven't signed up yet...SIGN UP SOON!!!! St. Anne Youth Ministry meets on Monday nights, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. COME and SEE what this exciting ministry with high school students is all about! Youth Ministry is the first year of the two year Confirmation program...it includes Monday night meetings on topical subjects involving our faith and the teen world, youth rally, youth masses, community service opportunities, retreats, potlucks and so much more! Registration forms are available at the Parish Office, Youth Ministry Office and the parish website. Call or email the Youth Ministry office for more information at (510) 471-7766 ext. 22 or stayouthministry@sbcglobal.net

### Confirmation 2010-2011

St. Anne Confirmation candidates and parents are asked to attend the first meeting of the year on Sunday, September 12 at 3:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Welcome to an exciting year!!

### Youth Ministry & Confirmation Fundraiser

Back by popular demand...we will be selling **scrumptious gourmet food items for our fundraiser. Profits from this fundraiser will be used to lower the retreat costs for Youth Ministry and Confirmation and to lower funds for the LA Youth Day Trip.** Only with your support and participation will this fun and delicious project become SUCCESSFUL. We encourage you to contact friends, neighbors, relatives and working associates and have them purchase several of these quality products. They'll be great to have on hand for those busy evenings and holiday events!

Our fundraiser will begin on Sunday, September 12 and continue to Monday, September 27. If you have any questions please call the Youth Ministry Office at 471-7766 ext. 22.

### YOUTH RALLY

The annual Regional Catholic High School Youth Rally is scheduled for Saturday, October 30<sup>th</sup> at St. Bede Parish in Hayward. Cost is \$20.00 for a full day of singing, icebreakers, workshops, Mass, dinner and a dance. Featured presenters will be noted Catholic artist Steve Angrisano, Cornerstone Media President Anna Scally and Mass with Bishop Salvatore Cordileone. Informational flyers are available in the Youth Ministry Office and will be given out at the beginning of the Confirmation and Youth Ministry programs next week.

## FAITH FORMATION

### **SCHOOL OF FAITH FORMATION (CCD) GRADES 1 - 8**

#### **FIRST DAY OF CLASSES – Sept. 13-14-15-16**

As we begin our journey for the 2010-2011 school year, come and join us as we work together to grow in our faith. All students and at least one parent/guardian must attend the **Mandatory Parent-Student ORIENTATION** on the first day of class in the Church to get acquainted and learn what is planned for the school year. Orientation will begin promptly at the beginning of in the church. Please arrive early.

**LATE REGISTRATION.....***We will continue to accept registration on a walk-in basis for open class sessions only. If you have any questions, please contact our office at 471-7766 ext. 20-21 or email: sta-faithformation@sbcglobal.net.*

### **FAITH FORMATION STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES**

Samantha Cruz:	Gave \$1.00
Alicia B:	I did the dishes
Batalao:	Made my bed
Ivan Liongson:	Gave \$1.00
Jonah Jane Lontok:	Gave \$1.00

### **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)**

The RCIA is the process by which adults join the Catholic Church. The RCIA takes place within the context of the parish community, and after a suitable period of formation, culminates in the reception of the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation.

Formation includes several areas: Scripture: The stories of God's people; Teaching: What Catholics believe; Prayer: How we communicate with God; Liturgy: How the community worships; Mission: How we live out what we believe. The RCIA is also suitable for adults who were baptized Catholic, but have not yet received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.

Inquiry sessions begin on Sunday, September 12 from 1:30 to 3:00 in classroom 103. These sessions provide an opportunity to explore the Catholic faith and have your questions answered. If you or someone you know is interested in finding out more about the Catholic Church, please consider joining us. There is no need to make a commitment of any kind during this phase of the process. For more information, please call Debbie Nunes at 510-407-3736 or email dnunes7854@sbcglobal.net.

Sunday, September 12, 2010

### FINANCE CORNER

#### Weekly Collection Goals

Sunday, Sept. 5, 2010	\$11,783.17
<b>Budget</b>	\$15,000.00
Over (Under)	(\$ 3,216.83)

#### Building Loan Pledge:

Sunday, Sept. 5, 2010	\$ 988.00
<b>Budget</b>	\$ 961.53
Over (Under)	\$ 26.47

**OUTSTANDING LOAN (7/9/10) \$226,140.93**

**INTEREST PAID (7/9/10) \$ 478.85**

#### DSPT Annual Dinner Auction – Saturday in Santo Tomas Saturday, September 18, 2010, 2:00 pm

*Dominic School of Philosophy and Theology, Great Lawn, Berkeley, Michael Heffner, 510-883-7159 or*

*mheffner@dspt.edu, www.dspt.edu/santotomas2010*

All are welcome to the Dominican School of Philosophy and Theology's Annual Dinner Auction on Saturday, September 18, 2010 at 2:00pm. DSPT will celebrate Dominican education on two continents in anticipation of the upcoming 400th anniversary of our fellow Dominican school, the famed University of Santo Tomas (UST) in the Philippines. Enjoy traditional Philippine cuisine and dancers, live music, silent auction and live auction with Fr. Jordan Bradshaw. For more information, visit [www.dspt.edu/santotomas2010](http://www.dspt.edu/santotomas2010)

### STEWARDSHIP OF TIME (REDUCE WASTE AND RECYCLE)

All parishioners are invited and encouraged to participate in our parish community's effort in reducing waste and recycling when opportunities arise that your presence and/or participation is needed during parish event(s) and meeting(s) in the parish hall and/or classroom(s). Recycle bins and appropriately labeled boxes were placed in the parish hall and a small recycle bin in each classroom. We collect and redeem recyclable items as follows:

Plastic Bottles (all sizes), Glass bottles (all colors), Aluminum cans (all sizes), (*with CRV on bottle label*)

Note: CRV means California Redemption Value

Proceeds from our recycling efforts go to the parish general fund while reducing waste expense incurred when parish events and meetings had occurred.

With due respect to God's gift of parishioners time, health and safety of facility maintenance staff and parishioner volunteers when sorting and collecting recyclables for redemption, *parishioners help and support are requested to observe and follow simple processes:* Before discarding recyclables, there must be *no residual liquid* in each container. (In compliance with State of California's health regulations, (*i.e.*, *Anti Liquid Law*). Place your empty container(s) in appropriately labeled recycle bin. Plastic and glass bottles can be discarded in the same recycle bin in the parish hall. Place your empty container(s), (plastic bottles, aluminum cans, glass bottles) in the blue recycle bin in the classroom. Please *do not dump trash* in recycle bins.

Please email Jane Relopez at [jrelopez@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jrelopez@sbcglobal.net) for more info or any questions.

### THIS WEEK AT ST. ANNE

CH:CHURCH, SH: SOCIAL HALL, CR: CLASSROOMS,  
PO: PARISH OFFICE, LR: LITURGY ROOM

Monday, September 13

**8:00 am - Mass, CH**

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

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

6:30 pm - Youth Ministry, SH

6:30 pm - St. Vincent de Paul, LR

7:30 pm - Lectors, CR #102

8:00 pm - Ukulele Choir, CR #105

Tuesday, September 14

**8:00 am - Mass, CH**

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

7:30 pm - Sacred Voices, CCR #106

Wednesday, September 15

**8:00 am - MASS, CH**

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

7:30 pm - Grief Ministry, CR #102

7:30 pm - Couples for Christ, CR #106

Thursday, September 16

**8:00 am - Mass, CH**

5:00 pm - Youth Choir, CH

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

6:00 pm - Faith Formation, SH

7:30 pm - Pinto Choir, CH

7:30 pm - Unity Choir, CR #106

8:00 pm - Golf Tournament, CR #104

Friday, September 17

**8:00 am & 7:30 pm - Mass, CH**

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

7:00 pm - Couples for Christ, CR #103 & 104

7:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CR #102

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

Saturday, September 18

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

8:00 am - CYO, CR #103 & 104

9:00 am - St. Vincent de Paul, CR #106

9:30 am - Ukulele Choir, CR #105

10:00 am - Prayer Service (Ministry & Org), SH

3:30 pm - Knights of Columbus, CR #104

6:15 pm - Charismatic's, CR #104

Sunday, September 19

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

9:00 am - Ukulele Choir, CR #105

1:30 pm - RCIA, CR #103

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

2:00 pm - Baptisms, CH

2:00 pm - Lay Carmelites, CR #104

7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus, SH

### SAFETY

No one is safe by their own strength, but they are safe by grace and mercy of God.

—St. Cyprian



**National Annual St Vincent De Paul Society  
St Anne ,SVDP**

**Friends of the Poor Walkathon  
FUNDRAISER...**

**Join Team St. Anne 2010**

- **Date: Sunday, September 26, 2010,**
- **Time: 2pm to 5pm**
- **Where Moreau High School ,Hayward, Ca.**

**Come to our tables and sign up , become a walker  
or a donator for Team St Anne 2010**

**Donate \$\$**

**Our Goal Is \$4200.00**

**We can reach that if every one of the 4200  
registered families gave \$1.00 each**

**You may register here at St Anne, or go on line to:**

**...[HTTPS://WWW.SVDPUSA.NET/PLEDGATHON/PUBLIC/INDEX.PHP.](https://www.svdpusa.net/pledgathon/public/index.php)**

**Go to [community teams](#), then [scroll way down](#) to [St Anne IIC](#).**

- **All St Anne Ministries, Clubs, Groups,**
- **Organizations are asked to consider some type of Group Donation**  
**to Participate, donate or pray for success.**

**For more information**

**Contact SVDP Walkathon Coordinator;**

**Roseann Langley COTTER , 471-6545**

**Email Viinbur@aol.com**

**And may God Bless Your Socks Off ☺ !!!!!**

