

Saint Anne Catholic Parish

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ST. ANNE PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Geoffrey Baraan	Pastor
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Jim Soltau	Youth Ministry Coordinator
Rico Monton	Liturgy & Music Coordinator
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-Eighth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
October 10, 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."

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If we have died with [Christ Jesus]
we shall also live with him;
if we persevere we shall also reign with him.

—2 Timothy 2: 11-12a



PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As the November elections loom, our St. Anne Church is exposed to several local political races. Although St. Anne Church is prohibited from campaigning for or against any political candidate, we as a parish are allowed to provide a "Candidate Forum" where the candidates are given an opportunity to provide information to parishioners and others in the community about themselves and their platforms.

This is an open invitation for our community to come and be informed so that you can make the right decisions.

Date: Saturday, October 16, 2010

Time: 6:30pm

Venue: St. Anne Social Hall

Candidates: *Abanico, Jerico*
Canlas, Linda
Cheema, Sarabjit
Estes, Gwen

Your servant 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

GOD REVEALED TO THE NATIONS

Our extended lesson in discipleship continues this weekend with a focus on the centrality of thanksgiving to the Christian life. We hear stories of foreigners who experience the healing, cleansing power of the God of Israel and give the Lord thanks. In today's episode from the book of Kings the prophet Elisha cures a foreigner named Naaman of his leprosy. Naaman returns to thank Elisha and pledges to worship only the God of Israel from that day forward. The Gospel presents the story of the cleansing of ten lepers. It is the Samaritan—also a foreigner—who returns to give Jesus thanks and give God glory and praise. "The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power," sings the psalmist. "Sing joyfully to the Lord . . . Sing praise" (Psalm 98:2, 4).

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
National Children's Day
Monday: Canadian Thanksgiving Day;
Columbus Day
Thursday: St. Callistus I
Friday: St. Teresa of Jesus; National Boss Day
Saturday: St. Hedwig; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque;
Blessed Virgin Mary

From the Facilities Committee...

Fr. Geoffrey has asked the Facilities Committee to clean out the old kitchen (back of the Church). If anyone has items stored in the kitchen, they need to remove them at once. Any questions please call the office @510-471-7766 and leave a message for Fred Rezentos.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Naaman, cleansed from his leprosy, returns to Elisha and pledges his belief in and allegiance to the LORD (2 Kings 5:14-17).

Psalm — The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power (Psalm 98).

Second Reading — Remember Jesus Christ, who was raised from the dead. If we persevere, we shall reign with him (2 Timothy 2:8-13).

Gospel — After ten lepers are cleansed by Jesus, only one, a Samaritan, returns to give him thanks (Luke 17:11-19).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31 — 5:1;
Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25; Lk 11:42-46
Thursday: Eph 1:1-10; Lk 11:47-54
Friday: Eph 1:11-14; Lk 12:1-7
Saturday: Eph 1:15-23; Lk 12:8-12
Sunday: Ex 17:8-13; Ps 121; 2 Tm 3:14 — 4:2;
Lk 18:1-8



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MASS INTENTIONS

October 9, 2010 - October 16, 2010

Saturday, October 9

5:00 pm + Diana Santos

Sunday, October 10

8:00 am Emily Smith

10:00 am Spe. Int. - Fulgado & Gonzales Family

12:00 pm For the People

6:00 pm Spe. Int - Peping & Siony Palacios

Monday, October 11

8:00 am Spe. Int - Nicasio Estacio

Tuesday, October 12

8:00 am Manuel Franco, Sr.

Wednesday, October 13

8:00 am + Felix Villanueva

Thursday, October 14

8:00 am Belen San Juan

Friday, October 15

8:00 am + Naomi Ricarte

Saturday, October 16

8:00 am + Anatalia Agdon

5:00 pm + Antonio Franco

YOUTH NEWS

St. Anne Youth Ministry

St. Anne Youth Ministry will meet on Monday, October 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. The topic for our meeting will be "A Rainbow For Hope and Peace". This week's meeting is going to be based on a prayer and activity stemming from the Feast Day of St. Francis (October 4) in which all of us consider God's promise to bring the glory of heaven to earth...and our responsibility to reach out in peace, as Jesus did, to bring hope to the world. Youth Ministry registrations will close as of this Monday, October 11.

YOUTH RALLY

The annual Regional Catholic High School Youth Rally is scheduled for Saturday, October 30th 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 this week.

COMPOSTING KICK-OFF (STEWARDSHIP OF TIME) It's nature's way of recycling

Parishioners are invited to participate in a "Show and Tell" demonstration of how we, as Church will capture left over food scrap generated when food is served on parish meetings and events held in the parish hall.

When: Saturday, October 16, 2010

Time: 12:00 Noon

Where: St. Anne Parish Hall

The City of Union City is supporting us with the assistance of Roberto Munoz, (City Recycling Coordinator) and Larry Kass, Environmental Science Associates whom we invited to conduct a 5-8 minutes demonstration on how to collect and discard compostable material(s). The benefits of composing are:

1. Develop and increase awareness to be responsible stewards of God's creation.
2. Reduce disposal cost.
3. Reduce waste going to a landfill
4. Prevent greenhouse gas emissions

For questions: Please e-mail to: jrelopez@sbcglobal.net.

FAITH FORMATION

COMMUNION PREPARATION

For 161 students (grades 1 to 8) who are in the first year of faith formation and attend Monday, CP classes.....**Family Life Program begins Monday, October 11**...Parents of these students will begin a unique catechesis in Catholic family living while their children are in their respective class,. They will be studying the RCL Benziger Family Life program. We have committed to providing this opportunity because families need our support in growing in the faith. Please support this effort with your prayers, your involvement, and words of encouragement. This program will bring lasting benefits to our parish community. **REMINDER: Parent Gathering, October 11. Please attend at least one: 5:00p-6:00p or 6:30p-7:30p, in the Church.**

FIRST COMMUNION

For 128 First Communion students (grades 2 to 8) who are in their second year of faith formation and attend Tuesday First Communion classes....**We Follow Jesus** - This week these young people of our parish preparing for Reconciliation are reflecting on the Great Commandment. Keeping God's commandments and living the law of love are the source and foundation of holiness. How do we, as a parish, live the command of Jesus to love one another as he has loved us?

FAITH FORMATION STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES

Gabriel Cruz:	Gave \$.25.
Brandon Finular:	Gave \$1.00.
Ethan Tamayo:	Gave \$1.00.
Julian Barrientos:	Gave \$.30 & helped my Mom.
Tyler Finular:	Helped wash dishes.
Dominic:	Helped my parents with the dishes.
Antoine Redondo:	Helped bring the soap for laundry.
Francesca:	Gave \$.38.
Danilo Gatchalian:	Helped my brother with his CCD homework.
Michael Chadwicki:	Gave \$1.00
Chelsea tan:	Gave \$5.00 & washed her own clothes.
Samantha Permito:	Gave \$4.00

MASQUERADE NIGHT

Bring out your favorite costume or semi-formal attire and come to our Masquerade Night at St. Anne's Parish Hall on October 23, 2010 at 6:00 pm. Proceeds of this dinner-dance, organized by CFC Handmaids of the Lord, will benefit the ANCOP (Answering the Cry of the Poor) Child Sponsorship Program for poor children in the Philippines. Tickets are \$25 each, \$30 at the door. Please call Irene Lorenzo @ 510-366-9000 for tickets or questions. Masks will be available for purchase at the reception.

Sunday, October 10, 2010

FINANCE CORNER

Weekly Collection Goals

Sunday, October 3, 2010 \$13,157.05

Budget \$15,000.00

Over (Under) (\$ 1,842.95)

Stewardship - Peter's Pence \$ 1,317.00

Building Loan Pledge:

Sunday, Sept. 19, 2010 \$ 427.00

Budget \$ 961.53

Over (Under) \$ (534.53)

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

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

SAINT TERESA OF JESUS (1515-1582) October 15

Let nothing disturb you; let nothing frighten you. Gifted with a passionate spirit, young Teresa dreamed of converting Muslims and becoming a martyr. All things are passing; God never changes. But her mother's death when Teresa was fourteen inspired lifelong devotion to Our Lady, and Teresa entered the Carmelites, Mary's order, despite her father's objections and her own fragile health. Patience gains everything. Initially, she enjoyed her lax convent's sociability and "busyness," but mystical prayer and John of the Cross' collaboration inspired her to reform the Carmelites. Whoever has God, lacks nothing. When her ideals encountered resistance and brought suffering, she maintained her peace—and humor. Discovered devouring leftovers, she told her mildly scandalized nuns, "When I fast, I fast! When I eat, I eat!" To nuns demanding less work and more prayer in the convent schedule, she retorted: "What we really need around here are fewer starry eyes and more strong arms!" God alone is enough! The italicized sentences here are her "Breviary Bookmark," the simple, profound prayer of Teresa, the first woman Doctor of the Church.

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Save the date.....

December 31, 2010, 6:30 pm

St. Anne's First

Black & White Ball!

Tickets: \$50.00



Watch the bulletin for more info.

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANNE

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

Monday, October 11

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

7:30 pm - Lectors, CR #102

8:00 pm - Ukulele Choir, CR #105

Tuesday, October 12

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

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

7:30 pm - Sacred Voices, CR #106

Wednesday, October 13

8:00 am - MASS, CH

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

5:30 pm - CYO, SH

6:00 pm - SPRED, LR

7:30 pm - Liturgical Environment Workshop, CH

Thursday, October 14

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 - Loren Pinto Choir, CH

7:30 pm - Unity Choir, CR #106

Friday, October 15

8:00 am - Mass, CH

1:00 pm - Staff, SH

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

6:00 pm - Wedding Rehearsal, CH

7:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CR #102

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

Saturday, October 16

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

9:00 am - SPRED, CR #104

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

9:00 am - Staff, SH

9:30 am - Ukulele Choir, CR #105

2:00 pm - Wedding, CH

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

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

Sunday, October 17

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 - Baptism, CH

2:00 pm - Lay Carmelites

ST. ANNE'S SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE
INVITES THE
COMMUNITY OF ST. ANNE

**COME JOIN AND PARTICIPATE IN THE NHUSD SCHOOL
BOARD
CANDIDATE FORUM**

- Meet, greet and listen to the NHUSD School Board Candidates.
- Ask questions and make informed decisions.
- Be involved in how our local schools are run.
- Advocate for our New Haven students and families.

Help shape our children's educational future.

BE HEARD!
at St. Anne Hall

OCTOBER 16, 2010
SATURDAY, 6:30 P.M.
after the 5:00 Mass

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED.