

# Saint Anne Catholic Parish

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Sixteenth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time  
July 17, 2011

## 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

## PARISH MISSION . . .

*We, the St. Anne Catholic Community, a transformed body of Christ with many parts, empowered by the Holy Spirit, will proclaim and spread the word of God:*

- by creating an environment that welcomes all;
- by being faithful stewards of our time, talent and treasure;
- by celebrating God's love committed to giving food to the hungry, water to the thirsty,
- clothing to the naked, shelter to the homeless and
- by being the sign of unity and peace in the kingdom of God.

## ST. ANNE PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Geoffrey Baraan	Pastor
Benigno Calub	Deacon
Carlos Rabuy	Deacon
Jim Soltau	Youth Ministry Coordinator
Rico Monton	Liturgy & Music Coordinator
Helen Rojas	Children's 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
In residence	Fr. Mel Serrano

## 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.

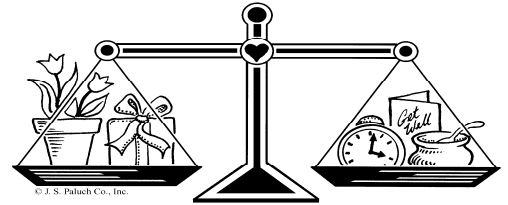
## Baptisms

Call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

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Those who are just must be kind.

— Wisdom 12:19



*My dear friends in Christ,*

**Thank God the temperature went down by 30 degrees! When you think about it, we are really the luckiest people in the world. We are so blessed!**

**Next week, we will gather as a community to honor St. Anne, our patroness. This is a time of thanksgiving and a time of celebration. Many activities are planned for the weekend festivities and I hope that you can take TIME OFF from your busy work to be part of this gathering.**

**The festival weekend starts with an outdoor Mass at 8am. I hope that you plan in coming and be part of this celebration. We have been doing the outdoor Mass for the last five years and it has been bigger and filled with meaning and hope. On that very morning of Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> of July, we gather to ask our God to give us the spirit of joy and thanksgiving so that we can truly celebrate our faith and who we are as faithful people. This year's theme of our festival, **LIVING OUT OUR FAITH THROUGH THE YEARS**, captures the spirit of St. Anne, who has given us an example of faithfulness and service.**

**This festival weekend is an opportunity for us to come to have fun and to spend time with our friends and family and to celebrate the diversity of our community in worship, faith, age and culture. This is the richness of St. Anne's community. We will experience different kinds of food. The future of our community, our Youth and Young Adults will showcase their singing and dancing talents once more. Two Saturdays ago they gave us a world class performance at the ROCHK the NIGHT! Children, our young ones, will grace us with their angelic voices. And of course the SENIOR members of our community, fearless, will show some dance moves that will make your heart beat faster. For the first time a MARIACHI BAND will honor us with their presence in the morning of Saturday after the Mass. We welcome also the participation of our Indonesian and the Polish Communities who joined us at the beginning of the year. There are a lot of things we need to be thankful for and to celebrate. My hope is that we will make a conscious effort to show our own appreciation for God's many blessings by being here and actively participate in the many events and activities of our parish festival.**

### WHO IS ST. ANNE?

**We know her as the mother of MARY and GRANDMOTHER of Jesus.** In the Holy Scriptures, she was never mentioned. We only know her through tradition especially **from the Apocryphal gospels which speak of her abundantly.**

**But what are these so called apocryphal gospels?**

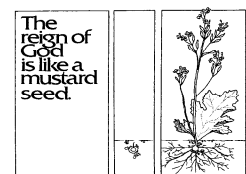
**These are Jewish and ancient Christian writings, similar in the title and subject to the canonical books, but to which the Church never attributed definite canonical authority. The Canonical Books are the authentic list of recognized sacred books, that is, written under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit and as such received by the Church.**

**So in the Protevangelium of James, she was described as someone who was from the tribe of Judah, saintly and possessed great herds. The cult of St. Anne spread at first in the East. In the year 550 A.D. Emperor Justinian raised a basilica in her honor at Constantinople. In the West devotions to St. Anne seems to have gained popularity during the time of the crusaders. At one point Pius suppressed her feast but was reestablished by Gregory XIII in 1594.**

**We give thanks to God for the gift of St. Anne. May we always follow her example of life, which is a life of faith, trust and humility.**

**COME and CELEBRATE AND HAVE FUN! BRING YOUR CHILDREN!**

**In Christ,  
Fr. Geoffrey**



## Important Message.....

### From the Office of the Vicar General

We have received an advisory from the Office of the General Secretary of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops concerning Father Toribio (Ives) Aniban. Fr. Aniban is a priest of the Diocese of Calbayog ( Philippines ) and had been serving for a time in San Jose . He had previously served in the Diocese of Oakland. After concerns were raised regarding the legitimacy of fundraising efforts Fr. Aniban was participating in, his faculties from the Diocese of San Jose were withdrawn. Fr. Aniban has no permission to do fundraising of any kind.

We have been told that Fr. Aniban has celebrated home Masses in the southern part of our diocese. Parishioners should be advised that Fr. Aniban does not have the faculties of the Diocese of Oakland and has no authorization to celebrate Mass or collect funds for any purpose.

Reverend George Mockel  
Vicar General

### St. Anne Social Justice Ministry

The Social Justice Ministry of St. Anne works in collaboration with the Social Justice ministry of the Diocese of Oakland. Our mission supports the diocesan mission for social justice: Provides education and action resources for parish programs Assists with workshops, courses, retreats, or service opportunities Promotes Catholic Social Teaching Collaborates with Catholic Charities of the East Bay on issues of public policy and parish outreach, and with Respect Life to promote the dignity of life Supports the social justice ministers of our parish through formation, education, and collaboration. We are re-energizing our commitment to the social justice ministry here at St. Anne. If you are interested in being a part of the St. Anne Social Justice Ministry, please contact Len Magers at [bmagers01@comcast.net](mailto:bmagers01@comcast.net) and come to the informational meeting on Wednesday, July 20 at 6:30 pm at St. Anne, room 105.

### TOWARD HEAVEN

Think well. Speak well. Do well. These three things, through the mercy of God, will make a person go to heaven.

—St. Camillus de Lellis

### FORGIVENESS

And is God not more ready to pardon than we to sin?

—St. Catherine of Siena

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — You taught your people that those who are just must likewise be kind (Wisdom 12:13, 16-19).

**Psalm** — Lord, you are good and forgiving (Psalm 86).

**Second Reading** — The Spirit comes to aid us in our weakness (Romans 8:26-27).

**Gospel** — Jesus proposes parables to the crowds, teaching them of the reign of God (Matthew 13:24-43 [24-30]).

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ex 14:5-18; Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Ex 14:21 — 15:1; Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b; Mt 13:10-17

Friday: Ex 20:1-17; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Saturday: Ex 24:3-8; Mt 13:24-30

Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119;

Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52 [44-46]

### MASS INTENTIONS

July 16, 2011 - July 23, 2011

#### Saturday, July 16

5:00 pm + Joan Kachigan

#### Sunday, July 17

8:00 am + Cleotilde Ammay

10:00 am For the People

12:00 pm + Federico Qiozon

6:00 pm + Ester Ucol

#### Monday, July 18

8:00 am + Delfin & Petra Chavez

#### Tuesday, July 19

8:00 am + Ricardo Vales (Birth Anniv.)

#### Wednesday, July 20

8:00 am + Cecilio Gallardo

#### Thursday, July 21

8:00 am Spe.Int. - Marciano Duterte

#### Friday, July 22

8:00 am + Juanita Sanchez

#### Saturday, July 23

8:00 am Spe.Int. - Stefannie Panlilio

5:00 pm + Felix Villanueva

# YOUTH NEWS

## **Confirmation Registration 2011-2012**

Confirmation interviews are almost over! If you were a part of the 2010-2011 Youth Ministry program and would like to sign up for Confirmation 2011-2012, please contact Jim Soltau at the Youth Ministry Office at 471-7766 ext. 22.

**HELP THE PARISH FESTIVAL....  
RETURN YOUR RAFFLE TICKET  
STUBS AND MONEY; BUY A FESTIVAL  
T-SHIRT; VOLUNTEER TO HELP  
IN THE BOOTHS. THE FESTIVAL IS  
ONLY A WEEK'S AWAY!!!!**

## **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process through which adults become full members of the Roman Catholic Church. If you have never been baptized, or were baptized in another Christian tradition and would like to explore what being Catholic is all about, or are Catholic but have not yet received First Communion or Confirmation, the RCIA may be right for you. Inquiry sessions will begin in September. For more information please call Debbie Nunes at (510) 407-3736 or email:

[dnunes7854@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dnunes7854@sbcglobal.net)

## **CYO Boys Basketball Registration 2010-2011**

Boys Basketball sign ups are coming soon! Registration forms will be posted on the St. Anne website ([www.saintannecatholic.org](http://www.saintannecatholic.org)) after August 1st, 2011. 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. Priority registration will be open to St. Anne CCD students and parishioners only from August 9 -18 and may be submitted during the St. Anne Basketball Camp (Aug 9th, 11th, 16th, and 18th, from 7pm - 8pm, @ Alvarado Middle School). Open registration will be on Aug 23rd and Aug 25th and may be submitted during the St. Anne Basketball Camp. For more information please contact Ron Tria @ [triarfps@sbcglobal.net](mailto:triarfps@sbcglobal.net).

# FAITH FORMATION

## **EARLY REGISTRATION 2011-2012 FAITH FORMATION (CCD)**

**NEW students** (grades 1-8 First Year of Formation)

**RETURNING students** (grades 2-8 previously enrolled in CCD). The Faith Formation office is now accepting registration for 2011-2012 CCD and First Communion Program. Registration Packet is available at the Parish website or Parish office. Kindly mail, fax or drop-off your completed form to the Faith Formation Office or Parish Office. If you have any questions, please call the Faith Formation Office at 471-7766 ext. 20-21 or email: [stafaithformation@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stafaithformation@sbcglobal.net).

## **CHILDREN'S STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES SCHOOL OF FAITH FORMATION HAVE A SAFE & FUN SUMMER**

BUT DON'T FORGET

**TO GO TO SUNDAY MASS**

**STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE**

IN THE CHURCH ENTRANCE AND

THE SIDE ENTRANCE (WHERE ALL THE ENVELOPES  
AND INFORMATIONAL LEAFLETS ARE FOUND.)

## **ORDER OF THE SECULAR SERVANTS OF MARY**

A secular, or third, order is a group of the faithful who, working in the society, try to live the spirituality of a religious Order and the teachings of the Gospel of Jesus Christ in the Catholic Church, guided by the friars who belong to the "first order".

The Order of the Secular Servants of Mary (OSSM) is a community of lay men and women who strive toward holiness according to the spirituality of the Servite Order which is clearly expressed in their Rule of Life. Servite spirituality consists of three fundamental elements: 1) Marian inspiration, 2) fraternal life, and 3) charitable service.

If you are interest in finding out more about this order, the Mother of Sorrows OSSM Community meets on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month at St. Anne's. All are welcome. Our next meeting will be July 28 at 7:00 pm in room 103. For more information, please contact Debbie Nunes: 510-407-3736 or [dnunes7854@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dnunes7854@sbcglobal.net)

## **COUPLES FOR CHRIST**

Couples for Christ Foundation For Family and Life is inviting you to attend our Christian Life4 Seminar (CLS) on Friday, August 12, at 7:00 pm in room #104. It does not cost you anything to attend the seminar. The only investment required is your time and your openness. For more information, Please cont Ping/Thelma Balingit 510-489-2033, Paul/Tricia Baysa 10-264-9419, Ging/Mercy Marchan 510-489-1763. Please come join us. Refreshments will be served.

Sunday, July 17, 2011

### FINANCE CORNER

#### Weekly Collection Goals

Sunday, July 10, 2011	\$12,254.60
<b>Budget</b>	\$15,000.00
Over (Under)	(\$ 2,745.31)

#### Building Loan Pledge:

Sunday, July 10, 2011	\$ 432.00
<b>Budget</b>	\$ 961.53
Over (Under)	(\$ 529.53)

<b>OUTSTANDING LOAN</b> (4/6/2011)	<b>\$216,749.29</b>
<b>INTEREST PAID</b> (4/6/2011)	<b>\$ 3,566.03</b>

#### Bids for New Church Roof

St. Anne's is looking for bids to replace the roof on the Church. Professional roofing companies must be licensed and carry liability insurance and meet the regulations of the Diocese of Oakland. Please call 510-471-7766 and leave your name and number for the Facilities Committee. All bids are due on Monday, August 1, 2011.

#### Liturgist Position

St. Anne's is seeking a part-time (20 hrs.) Liturgy Coordinator with strong leadership skills to lead the parish in the full, conscious and active participation in the liturgical celebrations. The candidate should possess good communication skills and sensitivity to the cultural/worship experience of the parishioners. Prospective candidate should have a Bachelor's Degree in Theology or equivalent experience and education. This position reports directly to the Pastor. The monthly salary is \$1,480. Please send resume to: St. Anne's Parish, Attn: Father Geoffrey Baraan, 32223 Cabello St., Union City, CA 94587 or [stanne@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stanne@sbcglobal.net)

### GOOD NEWS NOTICE

St. Joseph Parish, Fremont, invites you to join us in our latest Scripture Series presented by Fr Tom Bonacci, C.P. Dominican Motherhouse auditorium, 43326 Mission Blvd, Fremont: **The Study of the Passion—Part 1 July 11** - Passionist Spirituality & the Passion of Jesus and The Emerging Ethic of Global Compassion.

**July 18** - Baptism of Jesus in Light of the "Agony" in the Garden and Insights into Mark 1:40-45

**July 25** - The Temptations of Jesus, The Confrontation with Evil and A Matthew/Luke Comparison.

**Aug. 1** - Thus He Bore Our Sins & Afflictions, Insights from Matthew & Isaiah and Prophecy & the Passion of Jesus.

Free will donation. Info: 510-656-2331

### THIS WEEK AT ST. ANNE

CH:CHURCH, SH: SOCIAL HALL, CR: CLASS-ROOMS, PO: PARISH OFFICE, LR: LITURGY ROOM

Monday, July 18

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

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

6:30 pm - Columbian Squires, CR #104

7:30 pm - Novena, CH

7:30 pm - Lectors, CR #102

7:30 pm - Festival Comm., CR #103

8:00 pm - Ukulele Choir, CR #105

Tuesday, July 19

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

7:30 pm - Novena, CH

7:30 pm - Sacred Voices, CR #106

Wednesday, July 20

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

6:30 pm - Social Justice, CR#105

7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus, SH

7:30 pm - Novena, CH

7:30 pm - Grief Support Ministry, CR #102

Thursday, July 21

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

7:30 pm - Novena, CH

7:30 pm - Pinto Choir, CR #105

7:30 pm - Oder of Servites, CR #102

7:30 pm - Unity Choir, CR #106

Friday, July 22

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

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

7:30 pm - Novena, CH

7:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CR #102

7:30 pm - Cursillo, CR #105

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

Saturday, July 23 - **FESTIVAL**

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

Sunday, July 24 - **FESTIVAL**

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

1:30 pm - Polish Community, CH



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# St. Anne Festival 2011

All day Family & Friends, Fun, Food, Games & Entertainment

*Free Admission*

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**Sat. July 23 - 8am - 8pm**  
**Sun. July 24 - 9am - 8pm**

*Living  
out our Faith  
Through the  
Years*

*You're  
Invited !!!*



*Celebrating our 38th Year Anniversary*

