

Saint Anne Catholic Parish

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Twenty-Ninth Sunday in
Ordinary Time
October 21, 2012

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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.

MASS SCHEDULE

<u>Weekdays</u>	8:00 am
<u>Saturdays</u>	8:00 am; 5:00pm (Vigil Mass)
<u>Sundays</u>	8:00 and 10:00 am 12:00 and 6:00 pm
<u>First Fridays</u>	8:00 am and 7:30 pm
<u>Confessions</u>	Saturdays @ 3:30 pm

Sacramental Information

Weddings

By appointment. Call Rectory at least 6 months ahead. Do not set any specific date without conferring with the Priest.

Funeral Arrangements

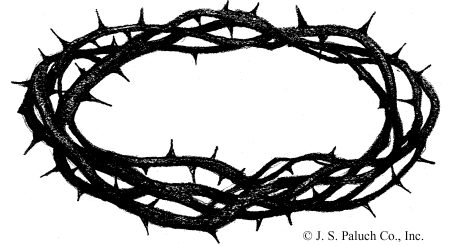
Should be arranged by Family, Church and Mortuary. Normal Christian Burial consists of Vigil Service, Holy Mass and Burial in a Catholic Cemetery. Any other arrangements should FIRST be discussed with Parish Priests.

Baptisms

Call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

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Through his suffering, my servant shall justify many.
— Isaiah 53:11b



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UNDERSTANDING OUR FAITH: HELL

My dear friends in Christ,

Last week I shared with you about the meaning of baptism! I have received very positive feedbacks from so many of you on the importance of me doing this catechesis.

Since baptism has to do with salvation and hell, perhaps this weekend, I would like to share with you on the meaning hell!

There is no question that we are all invited to share in the life of our God! Our faith teaches that we are called and destined by God to be in union with him. Through perfect love and charity, our goal is salvation. We are saved for this end, to enjoy the vision of God, the heavenly life! Of course we know that the means and instrument of our salvation is Christ Himself. Through the Paschal Mystery, by his life, death and resurrection, our salvation is won. God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that anyone who believes in him will not perish, but have eternal life John 3:16).

Jesus came to restore what was lost in paradise. This inherited sinful condition that we were in has now been restored in Christ, enabling us to begin the journey of salvation in which through him, we are sanctified and transformed!

Of course we know that there was a time in the history our Church that there was no salvation "outside the Church!" Origen, one the Fathers of the Church, once wrote, "He who does not have the Church as his mother cannot have God for his Father." In short, he said, "Outside the Church, no one will be saved!" This understanding was supported by several popes including Pope Boniface (Unam Sanctum) and Pope Pius IX (Singulari Quadam).

All these contributed to this idea that if my child is not baptized, then my child goes to hell! This is the fear that all of us have until now! WE ARE AFRAID OF HELL!

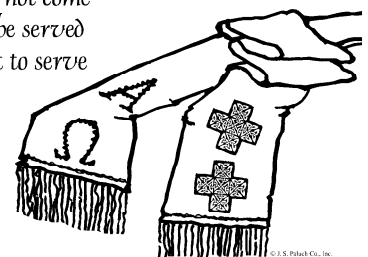
What is this place we call, HELL?

Our Church tells that hell is place of pain and suffering that is derived from alienation from God. The word is derived from the Old Testament Sheol or dwelling of the dead. This is a place for those unrepentant sinners. In the New Testament, it means darkness. It is exclusion from the kingdom of heaven. While there is no clear doctrine of hell in the words of Christ, there is a clear mention of pain at the loss of the kingdom of heaven!

May you have a blessed day today and always!

*Your grateful servant,
Fr. Geoffrey*

The Son of Man
did not come
to be served
but to serve



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Mass Intentions



MASS INTENTIONS

October 20, 2012 - October 27, 2012

Saturday, October 20

5:00 pm + Noberto Jovero

Sunday, October 21

8:00 am + Ricardo Bagaosian

10:00 am + Evelina Cala

12:00 pm For the People

6:00 pm Spe.Int. - Andrew & Sherielyn Gardner

Monday, October 22

8:00 am + Efi Ayupan

Tuesday, October 23

8:00 am + Iluminado Riego DeDios

Wednesday, October 24

8:00 am + Zoe Inciong

Thursday, October 25

8:00 am + Pedro Battung

Friday, October 26

8:00 am + Carolina Fernandez

Saturday, October 27

8:00 am + M/M Braultio Abella

5:00 pm + Aurora Astom



Please pray for the sick...

Cecilia Barrera, Alice Beam, Bernice Bionco, Teofista Coloma, Malou Cuevas, Willy Demingoy, Donna Diner, Elpidio Dorotheo, Nicasio Estacio, Sofia Gaerlan, Noah Gutierrez, Mary Holmes, Tessie Lacandazon, Idalina Larosa, Theresa Martinez, Janet McCulley, Eliza Mendenes, Maydeline Micael, Florentina Morales, Mely Morales, Aimee Nicandro, Aurora Nicandro, Annette Padojino, Angel Pasillas, Delia Ramos, Lita Raposas, Sofia Pena, Deanna Proud, Leo Reyes, Joseph Thompson, Deity Trocino, Lydia Villacorta, Lennert von Clemm, Virginia Wijangco, Milad Zayat.

****Please call the parish office @510-471-7766, if you have someone to add to the Sick List.**

MEMORIAL MASS

NOVEMBER 3, 2012 AT 10:00 AM

Everyone is invited to celebrate the Lives of our departed loved ones on November 3. The Novena in their honor starts on October 25 and ends November 2. We appreciate the presence of all, especially those families whose loved ones died anywhere from November 2011 through October 2012. Please arrive at 9:45 am and claim your assigned guest number to offer flowers and candles during the Memorial Mass. Let's join together as a community in celebration of their lives. Reception follows in the Social Hall after the 10:00 am Mass on November 3. God Bless All.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — My servant shall justify many, and their guilt he shall bear (Isaiah 53:10-11).

Psalm — Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you (Psalm 33).

Second Reading — Let us confidently approach the throne of grace to receive mercy and to find grace for timely help (Hebrews 4:14-16).

Gospel — Whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all (Mark 10:35-45 [42-45]).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from the *Lectionary for Mass* © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22; Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48

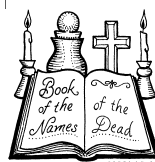
Thursday: Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Eph 4:7-16; Lk 13:1-9

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

BOOK OF THE NAMES OF THE DEAD



DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER WE WILL BE PRAYING FOR THE SOULS OF THE DEAD. THE 'BOOK OF THE NAMES OF THE DEAD' WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR ALL PARISHIONERS TO WRITE DOWN THE NAMES OF YOU DECEASED FAMILY AND FRIENDS. ALL SOULS ENVELOPES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE, CHECK THE RACKS IN THE ENTRANCES TO THE CHURCH.

CYO BOYS BASKETBALL

The boys basketball season begins the first weekend of November and runs until the end of February. Please visit our league CYO website:

<http://www.mvlyosports.org>

for game schedule, scores, current standings and directions to the gym locations. Please come out and support our players, everyone is welcome! If you have any questions, please contact Ron Tria at triarfps@sbcglobal.net.

THANKSGIVING/CHRISTMAS BASKETS



The St. Vincent de Paul and the Knights of Columbus are collecting non-perishable food (please no clothing) to make Thanksgiving/Christmas Basket for the homeless and low income families in the community. Please bring your donations and place them in the boxes at the entrances in the Church. If you know a family who would need a Thanksgiving/Christmas basket, please call the parish office, 510-471-7766, and leave the families' name, address and phone number.

YOUTH NEWS

Saint Anne Youth Ministry 2012-2013

The next Youth Ministry meeting will be on Monday, October 22 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. The topic for our meeting will be: "**Pay The Ransom.**" The meeting will focus on Christian Leadership and who each one of us will offer it to.

For those who are wondering, we are still accepting registrations into Youth Ministry. To get a registration form or find out more information please call the Youth Ministry Office at 471-7766 ext. 22 or email at stayouthministry@sbcglobal.net

REGIONAL CATHOLIC YOUTH RALLY

Saturday, November 3rd is the date!! Join hundreds of other high school Catholic Youth at the "**FEAST OF FAITH**" Regional Catholic Youth Rally at St. Bede's Church...teens from Fremont, Newark, Union City, Hayward, San Leandro, San Lorenzo, Castro Valley and more!! Please see the poster in the vestibule of the Church, the Youth Ministry Office or the Parish Hall. If you are a high school student YOU are invited!! We will be joined by Fr. **Leo Patalinghug** (www.gracebeforemeals.com) who beat Bobby Flay in a Food Network challenge! **Anna Scally** will be joining us from Cornerstone Media to see how music plays a part in young people's lives, and **Cristina Rita** from the Alameda County Support Services will provide a workshop on Bullying.

Cost of the day is \$20.00, which includes the registration fee, dinner and the dance!! For more information, or to signup, please call Jim Soltau in the Youth Ministry Office at 471-7766 ext. 22.

LA YOUTH DAY

We are currently taking signups for those who may be interested in attending the LA Youth Day February 20-23, 2013. If you would like an informational packet and to have your name put on the signup list, please email the Youth Ministry Office at stayouthministry@sbcglobal.net

FAITH FORMATION

FIRST COMMUNION

For 129 First Communion students who are in their second year of faith formation and attend Tuesday First Communion classes.... We are Sorry – This week the young people of the parish preparing for Reconciliation are reflecting on examination of conscience, penance and the desire to heal the hurt caused by sin. Living a life in Christ demands a continuing conversion of heart, a life of penance, with hope in God's mercy and trust in his grace.

ST. ANNE CCD CHILDREN'S STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES

Caitlin:	Gave \$.25¢
Angelina Cabardo:	Gave \$2.00 & helped clean our room.
Shawn Tennie:	I helped someone when they were confused about something.
Gabby:	Gave \$.50 & helped my class mate.
Sierra Smith:	I helped clean up my room.
Gian Carlo Diloy:	I helped my Mom put clothes in the washing machine & gave \$1.00.
John Bruno:	Gave \$1.00.
Vernanli:	I helped Mom with the grocery bags.
Chastity Iglesias:	Gave \$.61¢
Jasper Consul:	Gave \$1.00 & helped hanging clothes.
Aaron Teene:	I listened to my Mom when she wanted me to do something.
Albert Marcelino:	I gave my brother a bath.
Jasmine Reyes:	Gave \$1.00.
Kirsten Zoe Zurita:	Gave \$1.00.
Anton Alarcon:	gave \$.50¢.
Jackie Giuntu:	I helped Mom shred paper & gave \$1.00.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING - ALL VOLUNTEERS

The Diocese of Oakland requires that all employees and volunteers be trained to recognize and respond to the signs of abuse, to be informed of the reporting procedures and to learn how to safeguard the children and vulnerable adults in their care. This class is to be repeated every three years.

With the support of our Pastor we are requesting that every effort be made to attend this session, to be held on **Tuesday, November 13 @ 7:30PM in the Church.**

This session is especially important for the following ministers/organizations/councils/committees: Baptismal Ministry, Finance Council, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Sacristans, Ushers, Music Ministry (to include Choir Directors), Social Justice, KofC/Columbian Squires, Grief Support, Pastoral Council, SPRED.

This training session is free of charge and no repeats will be offered.

Sunday, October 21, 2012

FINANCE CORNER

Weekly Collection Goals

<u>Sunday, October 14, 2012</u>	\$11,550.70
Budget	\$15,000.00
Over (Under)	(\$ 3,449.55)

Building Loan Pledge:

Sunday, October 14, 2012	\$ 67.00
Budget	\$ 961.53
Over (Under)	(\$ 894.53)

OUTSTANDING LOAN (8/1/2012)	\$ 75,000.00
INTEREST PAID (10/10/2012)	\$ 1,092.41

What Is The Year of Faith?

With his Apostolic Letter of October 11, 2011, *Porta fidei*, Pope Benedict XVI declared that the Year of Faith will begin on October 11, 2012 and conclude on November 24, 2013. October 11, the first day of the Year of Faith, is the fiftieth anniversary of the opening of the Second Vatican Council (Vatican II) and also the twentieth anniversary of the Catechism of the Catholic Church. During the Year of Faith, Catholics are asked to study and reflect on the documents of Vatican II and the catechism so that they may deepen their knowledge of the faith.

At certain times in the history of the Church, popes have called upon the faithful to dedicate themselves to deepening their understanding of a particular aspect of the faith. In 1967, Pope Paul VI announced a Year of Faith commemorating the 19th centenary of the martyrdom of Sts. Peter and Paul. The 1967 Year of Faith called upon the Church to recall the supreme act of witness by these two saints so that their martyrdom might inspire the present day Church to collectively and individually make a sincere profession of faith.

The upcoming Year of Faith declared by Pope Benedict XVI is a "summons to an authentic and renewed conversion to the Lord, the One Savior of the world" (*Porta fidei* 6). In other words, the Year of Faith is an opportunity for Catholics to experience a conversion – to turn back to Jesus and enter into a deeper relationship with him. The pope has described this conversion as opening the "door of faith" (see Acts 14:27). The "door of faith" is opened at one's baptism, but during this year Catholics are called to open it again, walk through it and rediscover and renew their relationship with Christ and his Church.

Stay tuned for more on the Year of Faith!

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANNE

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

Monday, October 22

8:00 am - Mass, CH

- 9:00 am - Legion of Mary, CR #103
- 5:00 pm - Faith Formation, CR#102-106
- 6:30 pm - Youth Ministry, SH
- 7:30 pm - Lectors, CH
- 7:30 pm - Marriage Encounter, CR #106

Tuesday, October 23

8:00 am - Mass, CH

- 4:45 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-106
- 5:30 pm - CYO, SH
- 7:30 pm - CYO, CR #102 & 104
- 7:30 pm - Faith Formation, CR #103
- 7:30 pm - Squire Choir, CR #105
- 7:30 pm - RCIA, CR #106

Wednesday, October 24

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

- 5:00 pm - Faith Formation, CH, CR #102-106
- 6:00 pm - SPRED, SH
- 7:00 pm - Or Lady of Perpetual Help, CH
- 7:30 pm - Young Adult Choir, CR #105
- 8:00 pm - Knights of Columbus, CR #104

Thursday, October 25

8:00 am - Mass, CH

- 5:00 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-106, SH
- 7:30 pm - Novena, CH
- 7:30 pm - Pinto Choir, CR #105
- 7:30 pm - Unity Choir, CR #106
- 7:30 pm - Faith Formation, SH
- 7:30 pm - Servites, CR #103

Friday, October 26

8:00 am - Mass, CH

- 9:00 am - Faith Formation Set-up, SH
- 5:00 pm - Legion of Mary, CR #103
- 7:30 pm - Faith Formation, SH
- 7:30 pm - Novena, CH
- 7:30 pm - Grief Ministry, CR #104
- 7:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CR #102
- 7:30 pm - Cursillo, CR #105
- 8:00 pm - 8:00 am Choir, CR #106

Saturday, October 27

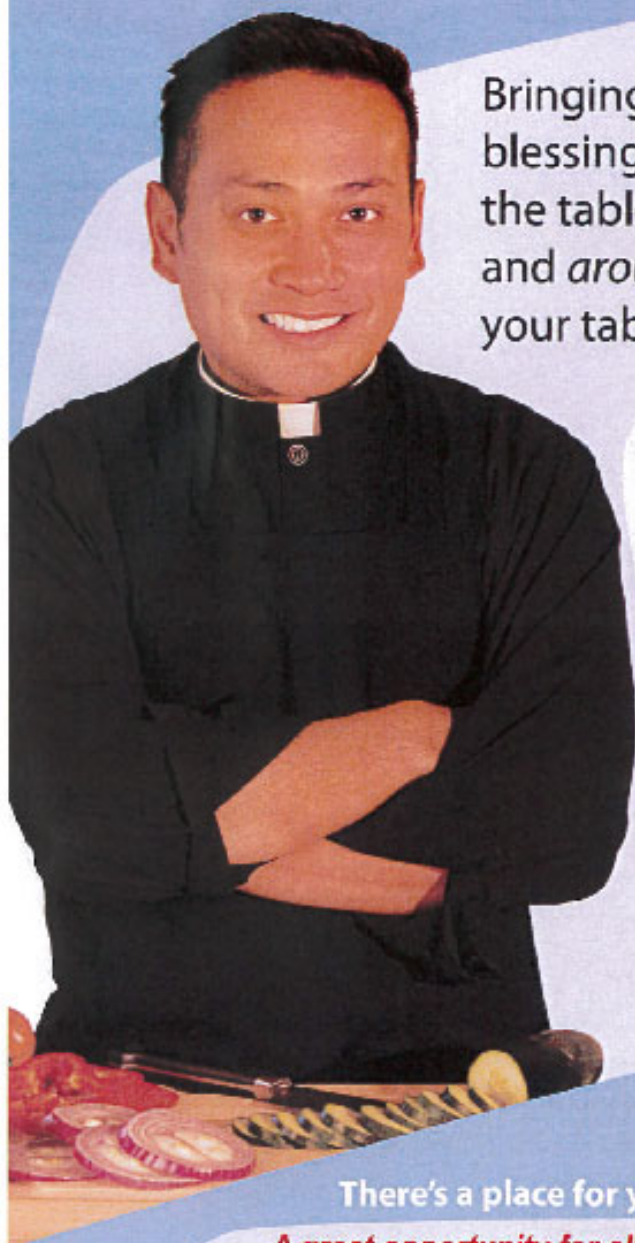
8:00 am & 5:00 pm - Mass, CH

- 9:00 am - Legion of Mary, CR #103
- 9:00 am - SPRED, CR #105
- 9:00 am - Faith Formation, SH
- 10:00 am - Social Justice, CR #104
- 5:00 am - Knights of Columbus, CR #103 & 105
- 6:15 pm - Charismatics, CR #104
- 7:30 pm - Novena, CH

Sunday, October 28

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

- 10:00 am - Squire Choir, CR #105
- 10:00 am - Unity Choir, CR #106
- 11:00 am - Indonesian Community, CR #102
- 12:00 pm - Columbian Squires, CR #104
- 1:00 pm - Children's Choir, CR #103
- 3:00 pm - Confirmation, All Facilities
- 7:30 pm - Novena, CH



Bringing the blessing to the table and *around* your table!

GRACE before MEALS™

Stronger family. Better food.



"If communicating through one's stomach is a way to the soul, then Fr. Leo is all for it. One meal at a time."
-Viviano Hurtado, ABC World News

"Fr. Leo... just had a really great spirit to him... He was just a terrific competitor"
-Bobby Flay, Food Network

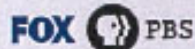


Rev. Leo E. Patalinghug, STL
Host & Creator

There's a place for you at this table!

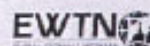
A great opportunity for all Families to meet Fr. Leo!
Book signing and *Grace Before Meals* merchandise will be available at the Parish Hall after the workshop. We will only accept Cash and Check for purchases: Bag - \$5 Mitt - \$12 Apron - \$20 Book - \$17

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ST. ANNE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Friday - **NOVEMBER 2, 2012**

7:00 - 8:00 PM FAMILY WORKSHOP

Hosted by School of Faith Formation — Contact: Helen Rajas (ext 20) or Christine Suarez (ext 21)

(510) 471-7766 or email: stafaithformation@sbcglobal.net

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