

# St. Anne Catholic Parish

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Thirty-Second Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
November 8, 2015

## Pastoral Staff

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Helen Cabiles	Finance Council Chairperson
Linda Canlas	Pastoral Council Facilitator
Rev. Solomon Farinto	In Residence

## Liturgical/Sacramental Information

### +Sacrament of Matrimony

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

### +Christian Funeral

*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.*

### +Sacrament of Baptism

*Call the Parish Office to make arrangements.*



## 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:

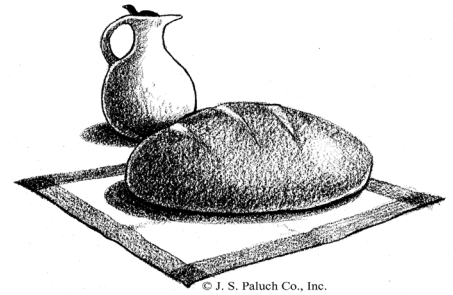
- by creating an environment that welcomes all;
- by being faithful stewards of our time, talent and treasure;
- by celebrating God's love committed to giving food to the hungry, water to the thirsty,
- clothing to the naked, shelter to the homeless and
- by being the sign of unity and peace in the kingdom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

## Holy Mass Schedule

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

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The LORD keeps faith forever,  
secures justice for the oppressed,  
gives food to the hungry.  
— Psalm 146:7



### GIVING ALL

Trusting widows play a significant role in this weekend's readings. At the point of poverty, when giving even the smallest amount of what they had could imperil their health and well-being, they trusted God and gave anyway. What is important about their giving is not what or how much they gave, but how they gave it. Without selfishness, they gave to help others. Their giving was from the heart, with little hope or intention of receiving any sort of reward or recognition for their generosity. The monetary values of the widows' gifts were small, but their value measured in the Kingdom was priceless.

There is a significant similarity between their gift and the gift Jesus gave each of us. The widows offered their lives for God. Jesus offered his life for us.

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### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In 1974, a revised ritual of penance was given to the Church, and at forty years distance, we still are discovering its treasures and tentative about some of its provisions. The rite reaches deep into our tradition for an early insight: when we turn to God, we are restored to life in the Church.

There are three different forms of penance. The familiar individual confession is preserved, but with tremendous enrichment. It is less rushed, anchored by a reading from scripture, and the confession of sins is seen as an opportunity to proclaim faith in God's power to save. In a sense, what is "confessed" is the penitent's faith in God's gift of forgiveness. The priest suggests a penance that may be directly connected to the virtue that the person seeks as a means of overcoming the fault. There are formulas for contrition suggested, but the penitent might even express sorrow for sin and desire for mercy in his or her own words. The prayer of absolution grounds the event in the life and ministry of the Church. Harking back to the joyful dance of bishops leading penitents into the church, the rite now ends with a prayer of thanksgiving for God's mercy, and may include the gesture of laying on of hands. After forty years, we struggle to claim this rite forged of memory, tradition, and grace. History tells us to be patient; we do not always recognize a treasure at first.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Monday: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica  
Tuesday: St. Leo the Great  
Wednesday: St. Martin of Tours; Veterans Day  
Thursday: St. Josaphat  
Friday: St. Frances Xavier Cabrini  
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary



Veterans  
Day

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The Dedication  
of the  
Lateran Basilica

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

**ANNOUNCEMENT:** Next Sunday is "WHEELCHAIR SUNDAY". Please join the Knights of Columbus and Chris Lewis (son of MDA's Founding National Chairman Jerry Lewis, for a brief presentation on how you can answer prayers, and help someone in need receive a free wheelchair. Each \$150.00 donation can sponsor and deliver a brand new wheelchair that would see for over \$500.00. Your tax-deductible donations help the knights change lives in an immediate and tangible way.

### DO ANYTHING

I will go anywhere and do anything in order to communicate the love of Jesus to those who do not know him or have forgotten him.

—St. Frances Xavier Cabrini



## Mass Intentions for the Week

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**November 7, 2015 - November 14, 2015**

### Saturday, November 7

5:00 pm For the People

### Sunday, November 8

8:00 am + Dec.Mem. - Garcia & Vilar Families

10 :00 am + Honorata Benitez

12:00 pm + Francisco & Pedro Villanueva

6:00 pm + Dec.Mem. - Bravo & Tarrado Families

### Monday, November 9

8:00 am + All Souls Novena

### Tuesday, November 10

8:00 am + All Souls Novena

### Wednesday, November 11

8:00 am + Geraldine Dotston

### Thursday, November 12

8:00 am + Bernarda Dumlaio

### Friday, November 13

8:00 am + Mauro Flores

### Saturday, November 14

8:00 am Spe.Int.– Alipio & Dolores Domingo

5:00 pm + Jose Marquez (Birth Anniversary)

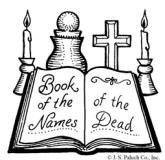
### *Please pray for the sick...*

Manuel Abad, Ping Balingit, Sean Bocato, Wilma Canio, Ed Carlos, Jesus Carpio, Juanita Castro, Jem Catapang, Delia Cera, Mary Cipriano, Jerry Davis, Chito Chavez, Devon De Vera, David Fournell, Robert Giovanni, Maria Gomez, Erlinda Hernandez, Gualberto Marchan, Jose Mendoza, Cora Paiso, Alfredo Reyes, Ernesto Reyes, Gwen Rezendes, Sr. Felix Rivas, Adoree Rivera, Joseph Albert Sison, Marlise Schwedhelm, Cristina Tambunting, Lydia Villacorta.

**All names will be removed at the end of each month.**

**PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD NAMES AND GIVE A CONTACT PHONE NUMBER SO OUR MINISTRY CAN FOLLOW-UP.**

### **ALL SOULS**



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 your deceased family and friends.

*Pray for the Dead*

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### **TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — The widow of Zarephath had only a handful of flour and a little oil, but made a little cake for Elijah (1 Kings 17:10-16).

**Psalms** — Praise the Lord, my soul! (Psalm 146).

**Second Reading** — Christ will appear a second time to bring salvation to those who eagerly await him (Hebrews 9:24-28).

**Gospel** — Beware of those who like to go around in long robes and accept greetings in the marketplaces and places of honor at banquets (Mark 12:38-44 [41-44]).

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: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Tuesday: Wis 2:23 — 3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-19; Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19

Thursday: Wis 7:22b — 8:1; Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135, 175; Lk 17:20-25

Friday: Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-5ab; Lk 17:26-37

Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Lk 18:1-8

Sunday: Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8-11;

Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ST ANNE COUNCIL 8627**

Upcoming Activities:

Nov. 14-15- Wheelchair Sunday/ Knights to usher in all masses

Nov. 15- Annual Free FLU Vaccination @ Parish Hall (8:30 am- 2:00 pm)

Nov. 19- Mens Choir practice at 7:30 pm

Nov. 21- Mens Choir at 5:00 pm mass

Nov. 21- Parish Hall set-up at 6:15 pm

Nov. 25- Regular Business Meeting @ 8:00 pm

Nov. 26- Thanksgiving Day

Nov. 28- Family Choir at 5:00 pm mass

Charity is the hallmark of the Knights of Columbus.

If you are interested in joining the Order, please contact: Arsenio C, Reyes - Grand Knight @ 510-378-0323, Ben Benitez- Membership Director @ 510-366-4293

### **IT TAKES MORE**

Going to church doesn't make you a Christian any more than going to a garage makes you an automobile.

—Billy Sunday



### **St. Anne Youth Ministry Meeting**

St. Anne Youth Ministry **will meet** on Monday, November 9 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. We will begin a two-week session on not only the Thanksgiving holiday, but how to make giving thanks a way of our daily lives...."**Being Thankful: Living a Life of Gratitude this Thanksgiving.**" This session is designed to give participants a meaningful community building experience with their peers as they reflect upon the gifts in their lives for which they are thankful. Participants will also share creative ways with each other about how to live a life of gratitude, and will create a youth ministry Thanksgiving journal.

### **SPRED at St. Anne - Update**

There is still room in our small faith communities to serve 3, 3, 2, and 3 SPRED participants in the SPRED Centers (age groups) for 6-10, 11-16, 17-21, and 22+, respectively. Since our method of catechesis is one-to-one, we need just as many volunteers to become a catechist for our special Friends. Your presence enables a child, teen or adult with developmental disabilities on our waiting list:

Receive ongoing religious education.

Prepare for the Sacraments.

Become a fully participating member of our Parish.

If you feel called to this rewarding ministry or would like more information, please call Genoveva Bagaoisan at 510-471-9128, Maria Garcia at 510-471-5798, or Inez Albores at 510-695-8953. Training is provided. Safe Environment compliance required.

### **R.C.I.A.**

Are you an adult who is interested in being baptized Catholic?

— was baptized in another Christian tradition and would like to explore what being Catholic is all about?

— was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

If you answered yes to any of the above, please consider joining our ongoing Inquiry sessions for chance to ask questions, learn more about us and about the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**, the process by which adults join the Church. No commitment required. For more information, call the parish office at 510-471-7766

### **ST. ANNE SCHOOL OF FAITH FORMATION (GRADES 1- 8)**

**FIRST COMMUNION (FC)** - *For 118 First Communion students who are in their second year of faith formation and attend Tuesday First Communion classes.... Eucharist: We Give Thanks & Praise* – Our children preparing for First Eucharist will be considering ways in which gathering together for a family meal is like coming to Mass to be with God’s family. Let us take time to ponder the similarities of family meal to Mass and thank God for those at the table with you. Please keep these children in your prayers.

**REMINDER:** First Communion Students & Parents

One Parent/Guardian with FC student must attend at least one

#### **FAMILY GATHERING**

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10**

**4:45p – 6:00p Church - Group 1**

**6:15p – 7:30p Church - Group 2**

**WEDNESDAY CCD Grades 3-4-5:** *For 112 students who are attending Continuing CCD 3-4-5 classes..*

**REMINDER:**

**VETERAN’S DAY, November 11**

**NO WEDNESDAY CLASSES**

### **CCD STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPE**

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| Unno Manuel:         | Gr. 6, I helped my Mom clean the floor.                         |
| Dozz Manuel:         | Gr. 6, I helped someone with math homework.                     |
| Alex:                | I watered the plants.   |
| Kenzie Acosta:       | Gr. 2, I helped Mom bake cookies.                               |
| Michael:             | Gr. 4, I helped my brother carry a pumpkin.                     |
| Elijah Ramirez:      | I visited elderly people and gave them pictures.                |
| Alaynah Marks:       | Gr. 2, I helped clean our family kitchen.                       |
| Isaiah Madlangbayan: | I washed the dishes.  |
| Gabriel:             | Treasure giving \$1.00.   |
| JT:                  | Gr. 2, treasure giving \$.20¢ & gave a homeless lady some food. |
| Jayla:               | Rm.104, treasure giving \$.25¢.                                 |

**Sunday, November 8, 2015**

**FINANCE CORNER**

**Weekly Collection Goals**

<u>Sunday, November 1, 2015</u>	\$12,004.70
<b>Budget</b>	\$15,000.00
Over (Under)	(\$ 2,995.30)
All Saints	\$ 1,128.00
All Souls	\$ 729.00

**DIVINE MERCY**

Nov 13, 2015 - 6:30 pm - Cenacle, Room 104, Tess Kumar

Nov 21, 2015, after 8 am mass - Fr Solomon discuss Jubilee Year of Mercy, Church

Nov 21, 2015 - 9:30 am - Simbang Gabi/Caroling Practice, Room 104 - Cita Draculan

Nov 27, 2015 - NO CENACLE MEETING

"When I receive Holy Communion, I entreat and beg the Savior to heal my tongue, that I may never fail in love of neighbor." (Diary 590)

For more information or question, please contact Lou Castro, Coordinator, 510-396-1162 or any DM Apostolate.

**ADULT FAITH FORMATIST**

**St. Francis de Sales School for Pastoral Ministry** is renovating its program in light of the vision of Pope Francis for the New Evangelization. The courses are newly designed to equip parish ministry leaders, catechists, parents and all adults to be more effective in communicating the relevance of the Catholic faith for their lives. A new stable of instructors models a style of teaching that fosters transformation in Christ and a missionary outlook focused on witnessing to God's mercy within our families, parishes, and the wider world.

Classes meet one Saturday a month. If you're hesitating, "come and see" by auditing a course. And if you are a graduate of the program, come back and take a new course or retake one with a new instructor at half price. Spring 2016 courses are: Old Testament, Christian Prayer and Spirituality, the Sacraments, and the Creed: Part I (Trinity, Jesus Christ, and the Cross Event). Each course provides 12.5 hours of ongoing adult education. The fee per course is \$120. **Click here** for more information <http://www.oakdiocese.org/ministries-formation/adult-faith-formation/spm> **or contact Sandra Martinez at 510-267-8371.** Deadline to register is December 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Check out our SPM Facebook page and view our video with Bishop Barber's endorsement and student testimonials!**

**THIS WEEK AT ST. ANNE**

Monday, November 9

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

9:00 am - Legion of Mary, CR #102

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

6:00 pm - Youth Ministry, SH

7:30 pm - Lectors, CH

Tuesday, November 10

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

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

7:30 pm - RCIA, CR #105

7:30 pm - Fit Club, SH

Wednesday, November 11 - Veteran's Day

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

6:00 pm - SPRED, SH

7:00 pm - Perpetual Help, CH

7:15pm - Boy Scouts, CR #104

7:30 pm - Adult Formation, CR #106

Thursday, November 12

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

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

5:00 pm - Faith Based Committee, SH

6:00 pm - Faith Formation, CH

7:30 pm - Lopez Choir, CH

7:30 pm - Unity Choir, CR # 106

7:30 pm - Fit Club, SH

Friday, November 13

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

10:30 am - Lectio Divina, CR #102

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

6:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CR #104

7:00 pm - Baptismal Class, CH

Saturday, November 14

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

9:00 am - SPRED, CR #104, 105, 106

9:00 am - Grief Support Ministry, SH

9:30 am - Lectio Divina, CR # 102

1:00 pm - Individual User, SH

1:00 pm - Individual User, CR #103

2:00 pm - Wedding, CH

5:00 pm - Individual User, SH

6:15 pm - Charismatic, CR #103

6:30 pm - El Shaddai, CH

7:00 pm - Ping Pong Club, CR # 105

Sunday, November 15

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

10:00 am - Children's Choir, CR # 106

10:00 am - Finance Council, CR #105

1:00 pm - Indonesian Community, CR #106

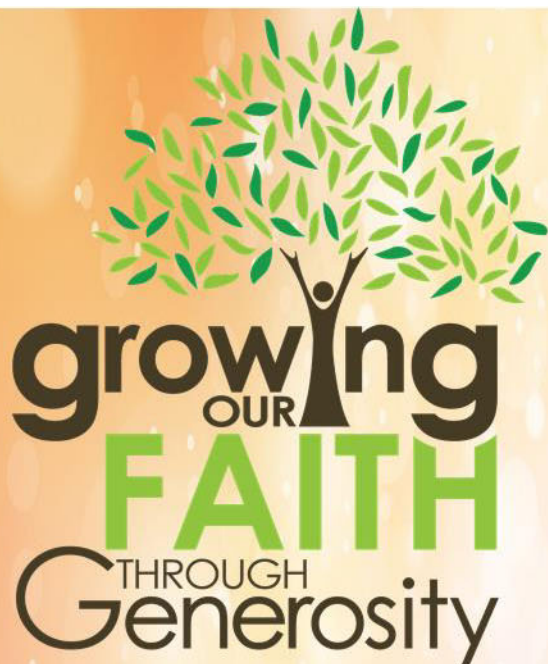
1:30 pm - Charismatics (ELIM) - CR #103

3:00 pm - Indonesian Community, CH

7:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CH

7:30 pm - Fit Club, SH





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**Benefits:** There are several benefits to online giving.

- **Efficient**- Online contributions require less processing from our administrative staff since the information is logged and deposited automatically.
- **Secure** - Online giving is more secure than giving with a check in that an electronic gift can't be lost or stolen.
- **Engaged**- Instead of worrying about writing your offering check during the mass, you can be fully engaged with the liturgy, knowing that you have already given your gift.

## **ONLINE GIVING REGISTRATION PROCEDURES**

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- On the online giving site, click "create account"
- On Tab 1 "Profile" enter your name, email, and address.
- On Tab 2 "Credentials" enter User ID and Password
- On Tab 3 "Payment Method" enter Bank name, Bank Account Type, Routing Number, etc.
- On Tab 4 "Give a Gift" enter desired amount of donation
- On Tab 5 "Thank you" you are done!
- Please go back to [www.osvonlinegiving.com/2933](http://www.osvonlinegiving.com/2933) and sign into your account using the information from Tab 2.