

St. Anne Catholic Parish

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Twenty-Sixth Sunday in
Ordinary Time
October 1, 2017



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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.

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.

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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**Have in you the same attitude
that is also in Christ Jesus.**

— **Philippians 2:5**



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GOD'S WAYS

In the stream of readings during this portion of Ordinary Time one week's texts can often appear to pick up exactly where the previous week's concluded. The sentiments expressed in today's first reading seem to be a direct reaction to the Gospel passage we heard last week. In that Gospel, the landowner pays the same wages to his workers whether they worked for a full day or for only a few minutes. Today Ezekiel gives us the lament, "The LORD's way is not fair!" (Ezekiel 18:25). These Sundays in Ordinary Time offer us a glimpse into the ways of the Lord. We see how God's way has the tendency to turn the accepted conventions of the day upside down. Those who always expected that their way to heaven was guaranteed are disappointed. Those who thought they never had a chance are given that chance. Today offers us another opportunity to discover the abundance of God's mercy and love.

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Eucharistic Prayer IV is, like Eucharistic Prayer III, a fresh composition from the 1960s, based on a prayer from the tradition of the ancient church of Alexandria. It has an interesting structural feature. The new prayers all nod toward the East with the *epiclesis*, or calling down of the Spirit, over the gifts. In this prayer the Spirit is asked to come down again, after the consecration, to make holy the communicants who "partake of this one Bread and one Chalice that, gathered into one body by the Holy Spirit, they may truly become a living sacrifice in Christ to the praise of your glory." This beautiful phrase is well worth meditating on. What is the goal of your reception of Holy Communion today?

The preface for this Eucharistic Prayer is firmly attached to the prayer, and the directives for using the prayer anchor it to Ordinary Time. It is not intended to be an option if the Mass has a proper preface of its own, like a funeral, a Lenten weekday, or a great feast. It is not often used these days, in part because of these limitations. At first, it was suggested that this prayer was better suited to small groups of people who were well educated in scripture. This was kind of an odd stipulation, especially since its images are so beautiful and worthy of attention.

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

ST. ANNE DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE

(Jesus to St. Faustina) Entrust everything to Me and do nothing on your own, and you will always have great freedom of spirit. No circumstances or events will ever be able to upset you. Set little store on what people say. Let everyone judge you as they like. Do not make excuses for yourself, it will do you no harm. (Diary, 1685). Lord Jesus, help me to entrust everything to You and do nothing on my own, so I will always have a great freedom of spirit.

Oct 03 - Choir Practice, 7:00 PM, Room 104

Oct 05 - Choir Practice, 7:30 PM, Room 104

Oct 06 - First Friday Adoration, 3 PM, 8:30-10 PM

Oct 06 - First Friday Mass, 7:30 PM

Oct 07 - Feast of St Faustina, 9:00 AM, Cathedral of Christ the Light

Oct 09 - Cenacle Prayer, 6:30 PM, Room 104

POC: Lou Castro, 510-396-1162 or Emma Trias, 510-246-4541



VOICE COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY

Your donation helps your parish offset its payments for this important communications ministry. The **Voice** and its other operations - **El Heraldo Catolico**, websites and social media - are the only regular source of Catholic news and information for all parishioners in the diocese. Please be generous in your support. Checks should be made payable to St. Anne Church.

Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose Center for Education & Spirituality present: **Laudato Si': A story of Right Relationships. Where are we two years after publication?** Presented by Patricia Siemen, OP. Saturday, October 14, 9am-1:30pm. Dominican Center, 43326 Mission Circle, Fremont, CA 94539 [enter off Mission Tierra]. For information call 510 933-6334. \$30 includes lunch. RSVP by Oct. 1 at <http://bit.ly/2017LaudatoSi> or call (510) 933-6334.

PEACEFUL HEART

While you are proclaiming peace with your lips, be careful to have it even more fully in your heart.

—St. Francis of Assisi



Mass Intentions for the Week

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September 30, 2017 - October 7, 2017

Saturday, September 30

5:00 pm † Shane Marcelino

Sunday, October 1

8:00 am † Jonathan Rafael
10:00 am Remigio Garcia - Spe. Int.
12:00 pm For the People
6:00 pm † Vincent & Mary Nguyen

Monday, October 2

8:00 am † Desideria Santos

Tuesday, October 3

8:00 am † Josephine Bassig

Wednesday, October 4

8:00 am † Epifanio Bande
7:00pm † Lucila Start

Thursday, October 5

8:00 am † Reynaldo Salita

Friday, October 6 (FIRST FRIDAY)

8:00 am † Silverio & Consuelo Reluya
7:30 pm † Lolito De Leon

Saturday, October 7

8:00 am † Marlon Eulalia
5:00 pm † Felix Ammay

Pray for the Sick, especially:

Ester Acda, Argentes Albano, Alice Beam, Erlinda Ambrosio, Perla Brillantes, Louise Camarillo, Christian Camarillo, Alberto & Cristina Carino, Rico Contreras, Nathan Datu, Juliet Daffon-Silva Maricris Dologmandin, Perfecto & Felicidad Fernandez, Isabelita Kayas, Manuel Gallardo, Ofelia Gonzales, Idalina La Mosa, Mae Lewis, Roger Moskaira, Rolando Natividad, Delia Nicolas, Erlinda Ordesta, Cora Paiso, Rowena Pamintuan, Mirian Pangilinan, Susana Partisala, Madelyn Pasion, Marius Ona, Erlinda Ordesta, Maria Ramos, Eusebia Ramirez, Jacqueline Rego, Roberto Rosales, Greta Rosenberger, Cyril Rueca, Josefina Salindong, Michael Seijo, Jess Suarez, Generosa Uy, John Wilson, Arnie Zamora

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD NAMES AND GIVE A CONTACT PHONE NO. SO
OUR MINISTRY CAN FOLLOW-UP

NAMES WILL BE REMOVED AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is an association of Catholic men and women under the powerful leadership of Mary Immaculate Mediatrix of All Graces. True devotion and consecration to Mary is a sure hidden path to holiness. If you are interested in joining this ministry, please contact the following for more information.

Cora Angeles @ 510-675-9771 or
Jean Agpasan @ 510-471-2499

ANGELIC

The reason angels can fly is because they take themselves lightly.

—G.K. Chesterton

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — When the wicked turn away from their wickedness they have committed and do what is right, they shall surely live (Ezekiel 18:25-28).

Psalms — Remember your mercies, O Lord (Psalm 25).

Second Reading — Consider others as better than yourselves; look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others (Philippians 2:1-11 [1-5]).

Gospel — Tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God ahead of you (Matthew 21:28-32).

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

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Zec 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23;
Mt 18:1-5, 10
Tuesday: Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-7; Lk 9:51-56
Wednesday: Neh 2:1-8; Ps 137:1-6; Lk 9:57-62
Thursday: Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8-11;
Lk 10:1-12
Friday: Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-5, 8-9;
Lk 10:13-16
Saturday: Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-37;
Lk 10:17-24
Sunday: Is 5:1-7; Ps 80:9, 12-16, 19-20;
Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Respect Life Sunday
Monday: The Holy Guardian Angels
Wednesday: St. Francis of Assisi;
Sukkot (Jewish harvest festival) begins at sunset
Thursday: Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos
Friday: St. Bruno; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher; First Friday
Saturday: Our Lady of the Rosary;
First Saturday



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FRIDAY
OCTOBER 13, 2017 ~ 7:00 PM

Our Lady of Fatima Centennial Pilgrimage Mass With
The Most Reverend Bishop Michael C. Barber S.J.,
Bishop of Oakland

JOIN US AT
ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CHURCH
1640 Addison Street - Berkeley, CA 94703



Saint Anne Youth Ministry 2017-2018

St. Anne Youth Ministry (first year Confirmation preparation) will not meet on Monday, October 2nd. Our next meeting will be on Monday, October 9 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

If you have not registered for Youth Ministry yet... don't worry!!! Registration forms will be available at the meeting. The last day for registration will be Monday, October 16.

Saint Anne Confirmation Preparation

The St. Anne Confirmation Program (Year Two), **CALLED TO MERCY**, will meet next Sunday, October 8 at 3:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Saint Anne Youth Ministry & Confirmation Fundraiser

The order forms and payments for the Stella's Gourmet retreat fundraiser are due into the office no later than Monday, October 2nd. Please place the order forms and payment into an envelope with the students name on it. Just a reminder that the delivery for the items ordered is on Tuesday, October 10. Your orders may be picked up in the Parish Hall from 4:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

ADULT CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

Are you a baptized, adult Catholic who has received First Communion but just never got around to receiving your Confirmation? Maybe now is the time!

St. Anne's is offering a preparation program for practicing Catholic adults, over 18 years of age, who are interested in receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Sessions will be held on Wednesday evenings starting **October 11, 2017**. Confirmation for adult Catholics will be celebrated at Christ the Light Cathedral in early 2018.

Registrations forms are available in the Parish Office or on Parish website: www.saintannecatholic.org. Completed registration forms need to be submitted by September 25. A copy of your baptismal certificate is also required.

For more information, please contact Debbie Nunes, Adult Faith Formation Coordinator at 510-471-7766 or email stanneadultfaithformation@gmail.com.

Want to join a vibrant ministry? **SPRED** or Special Religious Education at St. Anne is growing and needs your help! Join us as we gather to work on fun activities, hear the Word of God proclaimed, and enjoy a beautiful meal from 9:00-11:30 am on Saturday mornings. It's easy- all it takes to is a willingness to make new friends! Call or text Inez Albores @ 510-695-8953 or email ialbores@live.com to get started!

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

COMMUNION YEAR 1 (CP): For 107 students who are in their first year of Formation and attend **MONDAY sessions....Reconciliation: Go, Seek, Find and Discover God's Treasure** - Let us join our students as they begin their journey preparing to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time. **JESUS IS ALWAYS WITH US** – Every sacrament is a treasure because every sacrament is a gift of the presence of God, and our lives are mingled with Christ's living and risen presence. Please pray for these children as they begin their preparation.

COMMUNION YEAR 2 (FC): For 107 students who are in their second year of Formation and attend **TUESDAY sessions....Eucharist: Go, Seek, Find and Discover God's Treasure** – Let us pray for our young children as they continue their journey now to prepare for First Communion. **WE ARE PART OF THE CHURCH** – Every baptized person is an important part of the church. The Sacrament of the Eucharist is the most important sacrament that prepares us for a lifetime of receiving the Body and Blood of Christ at the Mass which helps us become the best followers of Jesus as we can be.

CCD MASS (5:00 PM SATURDAY VIGIL every Second Sunday of the month): Our monthly celebration of **CCD mass is on Saturday, OCTOBER 7**. We invite all CCD students, catechists and their families to attend. A gentler REMINDER to Catechists, Students & Parents who have volunteered to participate in the CCD Mass, please arrive 30 minutes before Mass for final instructions.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.) is the process by which adults learn about and experience what it means to be Catholic. If you are someone who has expressed an interest in learning about becoming Catholic, was baptized Catholic as a child but has not celebrated First Communion, was baptized in another Christian tradition and would like to explore what being Catholic is all about, then this process may be for you. Inquiry sessions are ongoing so you are welcome to participate in the process at anytime with your questions, your insights and your faith story.

For more information please contact Debbie Nunes, RCIA Coordinator at 510 471-7766 or email stanneadultfaithformation@gmail.com



Sunday, October 1, 2017

FINANCE CORNER

Weekly Collection Goals

Sunday, September 24, 2017	\$11,115.50
Online Giving	\$ 2,100.00
Total	\$13,215.50
Budget	\$15,000.00
Over (Under)	(\$1,784.50)
Special Collection for Hurricane Victims	\$4,983.00

SPRED's Annual Diocesan Mass

Sunday, October 15, 2017 at 11:30 a.m.

St. Joseph Basilica, Alameda
1109 Chestnut Street
Alameda, CA 94501
Hospitality after Mass
in Notre Dame Hall



Join St. Joseph Basilica & the SPRED Parish communities. Come support SPRED in Faith, Fellowship and Fun.

All are Welcome!

For more info: www.spredoakdiocese.org · 510.635.7252

BIBLE SHARING CLASS

We invite you to join us.

Our Name: BEC or Basic Ecclesial Community or Bibliarasal

Our Goal: We use the Bible to study, to pray in order to obey God's will. Ginagamit ang Biblia sa pagaaral, pagdarasal para mabago ang ating asal.

Thursday at 11am to 1pm

Friday at 10:15 to 12:15pm

Saturday at 9:15am to 11:15am

Venue: Classroom 102 at St. Anne

Please bring your English or Tagalog Bible and Catechism of the Catholic Church

To register for the first time or to get more information, please contact: Marlene Balingit 510-759-5846

If you cant come, we can email you the Guide and we can teach you how to do it in your home.

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANNE

Monday, October 2

8:00 am - MASS, CH

9:30 am - Legion of Mary, CR #103

10:00 am - Funeral Mass, CH

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

6:00 pm - Youth Ministry, SH

6:30 pm - St. Vincent de Paul, CR 3106

6:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CR #104

7:00 pm -Knights of Columbus, CR #105

7:30 pm - Lectors, CH

Tuesday, October 3

8:00 am - MASS, CH

4:45 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-16, SH, CH

7:00 pm -Divine Mercy Choir, CR #104

7:30pm - RCIA , CR# 106

Wednesday, October 4

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

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

7:30pm - Boy Scouts, CR #104

Thursday, October 5

8:00 am - MASS, CH

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

7:30 pm - Pinto Choir, CH

7:30 pm - Unity Choir, CR #106

7:30 pm - Divine Mercy Choir, CR #104

7:30 pm - Knights of Columbus, CR #105

Friday, October 6 (FIRST FRIDAY)

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

9:00 am - Eucharistic Adoration, CH

10:15 am - Lectio Divina, CR # 102

12:00 pm - Sacred Heart Prayer Group, CR #102

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

6:30 pm - Divine Mercy Choir, CR # 104

7:00 pm - Spanish Choir, CR # 102

Saturday, October 7

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

9:00 am - Individual User, SH

9:15 am - Lectio Divina, CR # 102

3:30 pm - Children's Choir, CR #106

6:15 pm - Charismatics, CR #103

6:30 pm - El Shaddai, CH

Sunday, October 8

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

3:00 pm - Confirmation, All Facilities

7:30 pm - Servants of the Holy Eucharist, CH

THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Come Unto Me, Believe, Be Devoted and Be Blessed And I will give you rest...for my burden is light!

Come and join us, you are welcome. Every First Friday of the Month Prayer Meeting at Classroom #103 at 12:00 pm. (Bringing lunch to share is optional but will be appreciated).

POC Fely Garcia @ 510-557-9739

Called By God



Are you called to be a Liturgical Minister?

Hospitality
Art & Environment
Lector
Holy Communion

Altar Server
Sacristan
Sacred Linen
Music

Join us at our Ministry Fair on October 28-29 after all masses for more information.