

St. Anne Catholic Parish

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Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord January 7, 2018

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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

The Epiphany of the Lord January 7, 2018

All kings shall pay him homage,
all nations shall serve him.

—Psalm 72:11



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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Where on earth would you go to honor the magi? Iran or Saudi Arabia, Tarshish or the Isles come to mind, but Cologne, Germany would be a good choice. There the Shrine of the Three Kings has been the centerpiece of the city's cathedral since the fourth century. Today it is the largest reliquary in the world: a gilded and ornamented triple casket gleaming high above the altar. In the fourth century, the supposed relics of the wise men were taken from Constantinople to Milan, where they remained until the German Emperor with the unlikely name Frederick Barbarossa (Red Beard) gave them to the Archbishop of Cologne. Ever since, pilgrims have streamed into the city to honor the magi, the first of all pilgrims, and thus the heavenly patrons of all who have some holy wanderlust.

This largest Gothic cathedral in Europe today was begun in the mid-1200s to house the relics. In medieval times, the relics in a city's possession were often the key to a sound international economy. The reliquary was last opened in 1864, and the remains of three men were indeed discovered. The cathedral is well worth a visit, with enormous twin spires forming the largest façade of any church in the world (it is the model for St. Patrick's in New York). Construction began in 1248 and ended in 1880, a six-hundred-year project. Today, it is a World Heritage Site, described by the U.N. as "an exceptional work of human creative genius." This great treasure of our tradition suffered fourteen direct bomb hits in World War II but did not collapse. It survived while the city burned around it, preserved, the townspeople say, by three heavenly patrons.

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

GOD'S PROMISE TO ALL PEOPLE

Today Isaiah reminds the people of God that the land shall be restored to their possession, they shall rejoice to see their people return from the bondage of exile, and that they shall be a light to the nations. In other words, through the people of Israel, the Savior shall come to all people who seek God with a sincere heart. This brings joy and the radiance of God's glory to all the world and to all people everywhere. Through the fidelity of the people of God, and through God's fidelity to them, all people shall become God's children and rejoice in the fulfillment of God's promise to Israel.

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DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE

Made a **NEW YEARS RESOLUTION?** Why not pray a daily Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet and offer up your prayer time for all the souls in need of healing in mind, body & soul? Pray for **PEACE** in the world, in our country, our homes and in our hearts. Let us pray for all the Children of God. May we practice humility and simplicity for 2018. May you always be blessed and have a grace-filled 2018.

Jan 08 - Cenacle Prayer, 6:30 PM, Room 104

Jan 15 - Cenacle Formation w/Fr Jun, 6:30 PM, Room 104

Jan 22 - Cenacle /Birthday Celebration, 6:30 PM, Room 104

Jan 29 - Cenacle Prayer, 6:30 PM, Room 104

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

SANTO NINO FIESTA

Please come and join us celebrate the Feast of Santo Nino on **January 13, 2018 at 11:00 am. Mass.** There will be a special blessings for children during the mass. Reception to follow at the Parish Hall.

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

MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

All 2018 schedules for the use of the parish facilities need to be in the parish office no later than **January 15, 2018.** The office staff does not automatically schedule for the new year unless we have a written schedule from each organizations or ministries. Thank you!



Mass Intentions for the Week

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January 6, 2018 - January 13, 2018

Saturday, January 6

5:00 pm † Nicerata Olalia

Sunday, January 7

8:00 am † Susana Cabaldo

10:00 am For the People

12:00 pm † Angelina Duya

6:00 pm † Benjie Barretto

Monday, January 8

8:00 am † Ramona Timbang

Tuesday, January 9

8:00 am † Ging Paquia

Wednesday, January 10

8:00 am † Lilia Garampiel

7:00pm Eric Federman - Spe. Int.

Thursday, January 11

8:00 am † Carmen Ventura

Friday, January 12

8:00 am Grace Choy - Spe. Int.

Saturday, January 13

8:00 am † Vincente Angeles

5:00 pm † Filomena Silva

Pray for the Sick, especially:

Ester Acda, Argentes Albano, Trajano Albano, Rachel Austria, Erlinda Asagra, Perla Brillantes, Maricris Dologmandin, Isabelita Kayas, Manuel Gallardo, Lilian Gerardo, Ofelia Gonzales, Victorina Hernando, Marissa Magno, Josephine McNamara, Yoly Pacis, Cora Paiso, Mirian Pangilinan, Rupert Palacios, Madelyn Pasion, Teena Posas, Michael Seijo, Jess Suarez, Robert Tan, Jean Velayo, 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

SPRED



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!

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — You shall be radiant at what you see, your heart shall throb and overflow (Isaiah 60:1-6).

Psalm — Lord, every nation on earth will adore you (Psalm 72).

Second Reading — The Gentiles are copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6).

Gospel — The magi were overjoyed at seeing the star (Matthew 2:1-12).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11 or
Acts 10:34-38

or 1 Jn 5:1-9; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10 or
Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mk 1:7-11

Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20 or 1 Sm 1:1-8 and
1 Sm 1:9-20;

1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Mk 1:21-28 or
Mk 1:14-20 and Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Ps 40:2, 5, 7-10;
Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11; Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25;
Mk 1:40-45

Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a; Ps 89:16-19;
Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a; Ps 21:2-7;
Mk 2:13-17

Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10;
1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord;
National Migration Week;
Julian Calendar Christmas

Monday: The Baptism of the Lord

Tuesday: First Week in Ordinary Time begins

Saturday: St. Hilary; Blessed Virgin Mary

SERVANTS OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST (SHE)

Servants of the Holy Eucharist (SHE) is inviting everyone to join us every Sunday after the 6pm mass for a community prayer in front of the **Blessed Sacrament** "we look forward to seeing and praying with you."

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St. Anne Youth Ministry 2018

St. Anne Youth Ministry will meet this Monday, January 8 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. The topic of our meeting will be "Hall of Fame: We all have dreams for ourselves, and sometimes a little inspiration can give us the motivation to begin working toward them or to continue working toward them.

St. Anne Confirmation "Called To Mercy"

St. Anne Confirmation will resume classes on Sunday, January 14 at 3:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

GIRL'S CYO BASKETBALL

Girl's CYO Basketball registration will be held at the following times:

St. Anne CCD students and parishioners only - may turn in completed registration packets on:

Monday, 12/11, Kitayama MPR, 7:00 to 8:30 PM

Returning players only- may turn in completed registration packets on

Monday, 12/18, Kitayama MPR, 7:00 to 8:30 PM

Open Registration – may turn in completed registration packets on:

Thursday 12/21, Kitayama MPR, 7:00 to 8:30 PM

Monday, 1/08, Kitayama MPR, 7:00 to 8:30 PM

Thursday 1/11, Kitayama MPR, 7:00 to 8:30 PM

Please bring with you:

If your child is attending/enrolled in our Saint Anne CCD program: All completed forms from above, Copy of birth certificate, and payment (Must have also been enrolled in CCD program/Faith Formation 2017-2018 also).

If your child is not in our CCD program, but resides within the Saint Anne Parish boundaries (see Boundaries Map): All completed forms from above, Copy of residential utility statement (PG&E, Home Phone, Garbage or Water statement only), Copy of Birth Certificate, and payment.

Fees: \$100 - Registration and \$75 for Uniform (if your child needs one). Please make checks Payable to: Saint Anne CYO

All forms must be filled out completely and all copies must be included before we can process your registration. Registration is done on a first come basis and incomplete applications will NOT be accepted. Failure to register on time or submit **ALL** required documents and fees may result in your child not being placed on a team. **Applicants will be placed on a waiting list once the grade level is full.**

Make sure to download the Informational Letter for more details, the required Girl's CYO Basketball Form, and all forms above required to participate in CYO sports. If you have any questions please contact Jonell Galang at jgalangcyo@gmail.com

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

HAPPY NEW YEAR 2018 and Welcome back to CCD! All Faith Formation classes resume this week of January 8TH.

COMMUNION YEAR 1 (CP): *For 107 students who are in their first year of Formation and attend MONDAY sessions*

RE M I N D E R

Students with One Parent/Guardian must attend

RECONCILIATION FAMILY GATHERING

MONDAY, JANUARY 8

4:45p–6:00p Church

Topic: Right Choices

COMMUNION YEAR 2 (FC): *For 107 students who are in their second year of Formation and attend TUESDAY session Eucharist: Go, Seek, Find and Discover God's Treasure: CELEBRATING THE EUCHARIST* - The students will learn to appreciate the celebration of Mass and the gift of the Eucharist.

CCD MASS (5:00 PM SATURDAY VIGIL every Second Sunday of the month): Our monthly celebration of CCD mass is on Saturday, **JANUARY 13**. We would like to invite all CCD students, catechists and their families to attend. A gentle 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 stantheadultfaithformation@gmail.com



Sunday, January 7, 2018

FINANCE CORNER

Weekly Collection Goals

Sunday, December 31, 2017	\$ 10,990.40
Online Giving	\$ 1,647.00
Total	\$12,637.40
Budget	\$15,000.00
Over (Under)	(\$2,362.60)
Simbang Gabi 12/19-24, 2017	\$7,412.50
Christmas Day 12/25/17	\$17,689.00
New Year's Day 1/1/18	\$ 5,686.05



Online Giving

Try online giving for your weekly contributions. Go to our website at saintannecatholic.org and click on the green **Online Giving** button. You will be launched to our portal where you can create your own account and select a secure payment method like credit card, checking or savings account. You can select your giving amount and how often you would like to give: weekly, quarterly, yearly, etc.

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.

THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Jesus said: "I am the Way, and The Truth, and The Life No one comes to the Father except through Me."

John 14:6

Come and join us, you are welcome. every First Friday

Mass at the Church 7:30pm

Prayer Meeting/Novena 12:00pm, Rm #103

(Bringing lunch to share is appreciated though optional).

POC Fely Garcia @ 510-557-9739 or Dom Filardo @ 510-299-1293

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANNE

Monday, January 8

8:00 am - MASS, CH

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

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

6:00 pm - Youth Ministry, SH

6:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CR #104

7:30 pm - Lectors, CH

Tuesday, January 9

8:00 am - MASS, CH

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

7:30 pm - RCIA, CR# 106

Wednesday, January 10

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

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

6:30 pm - SPRED, SH

7:30pm - Boy Scouts, CR #104

7:30 pm - Adult Formation, CR #106

8:00 pm - Knights of Columbus, CR #105

Thursday, January 11

8:00 am - MASS, CH

6:00 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-106, SH

7:30 pm - Pinto Choir, CH

7:30 pm - Unity Choir, CR #106

Friday, January 12

8:00 am - MASS, CH

10:15 am - Lectio Divina, CR # 102

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

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

7:00 pm - Baptism Class, CH

7:00 pm - Spanish Choir, CR # 102

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

Saturday, January 13

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

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

9:00 am - Individual User, SH

9:15 am - Lectio Divina, CR # 102

11:00 am - Sto. Nino Feast, CH

6:15 pm - Charismatics, CR #103

6:30 pm - El Shaddai, CH

Sunday, January 14

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

EASTERN STAR

Fair eastern star, that art ordain'd to run

Before the sages, to the rising Sun,

Here cease thy course, and wonder that the cloud

Of this poor stable can thy Maker shroud.

—Sir John Beaumont

Santo Nino Fiesta Saint Anne Church

35th year



**SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 2018
11:00 AM MASS**

RECEPTION TO FOLLOW AT THE SOCIAL HALL

**SAINTE ANNE CATHOLIC CHURCH
32223 CABELLO STREET, UNION CITY, CA**