February 23, 2020 | Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Anne Catholic Church

Liturgical Schedule

Morning Prayer & Rosary 7:00 am
Daily Mass 8:00 am
Saturdays 8:00 am
5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)
Sundays 8:00 am and 10:00 am
12:00 and 6:00 pm
OLPH Novena & Mass 6:30 PM—WED
First Fridays 8:00 am and 7:30 pm
24 hr Adoration
Confessions Saturdays @ 3:30 pm
Youth Mass 2nd and 4th Sundays 6:00 pm
Spanish Mass 2nd and Last Sundays @ 2PM
Indonesian Mass 3rd Sunday | 3:00 pm

Sacramental

Baptism
*Monthly
*No baptisms or classes are held during Lent
Must be scheduled with the Parish Office
Funerals
Arranged in conjunction with the Mortuary
Matrimony
By appointment. Call Parish office at least 6 months ahead. Do not set any specific date without conferring with the Priest.
Anointing of the Sick

Our 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.

How can we live out our mission?

Pastoral Team

Rev. Rosendo Manalo, Jr. | Parochial Administrator
Rev. Augusto Acob | Parochial Vicar
Benigno Calub | Adult Faith Formation Coordinator
Carlos Rabuy | Deacon
Bernard Liwanag | Deacon
Jim Soltau | Deacon
Brandon Akiona | Youth Ministry Coordinator
Helen Rojas | Director of Liturgy & Music
Zella Yanos | Children’s Formation Coordinator
Bengil Ranillo | Office Manager

Bookkeeper

We welcome your call and are here to serve you! Contact the Parish Office to speak with us or make an appointment. We look forward to hearing from you!

Volunteer Chairpersons
Helen Cabiles | Finance Council Chairperson
Jessica Torres | Facilities Committee Chairperson
Linda Canlas | Pastoral Council Chairperson

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FOOLISHNESS

Sometimes the idea of repentance seems old-fashioned, naive, even foolish. But if you're looking for real foolishness, you'll find it in today’s readings.

We begin with Leviticus and the admonition, “Take no revenge and cherish no grudge” (Leviticus 19:18). We’ve heard that message before, of course, so we might forget how far it is from the so-called “practical realities of life.” Saint Paul warns us about being practical, though. Whoever considers oneself wise had better “become a fool,” because “the wisdom of this world is foolishness in the eyes of God” (1 Corinthians 3:18, 19).

This “foolishness” continues in the Gospel: “Offer no resistance to one who is evil” (Matthew 5:39). In fact, offer the other cheek when you’ve been slapped. Hand over your coat as well as your shirt. Be like God, who sends sunshine and rain on the bad as well as the good. “So be perfect,” says Jesus, “just as your heavenly Father is perfect” (5:48).

ASH WEDNESDAY

Prayer, fasting, and almsgiving: these disciplines, prescribed by Jesus himself in the Sermon on the Mount, along with strict instructions not to flaunt them in public to win recognition and praise (Matthew 6:1-18), have been embraced by all the saints at the beginning of every Lent for almost two thousand years. But mention Lent, and many react with a grimace or slight shudder—even now, years after official obligations have been reduced to a minimum! No wonder the Eastern Rite’s “Lenten Announcement” sounds surprising: “Let us receive with joy, O faithful people, the divinely inspired announcement of Lent! The Lenten Spring shines forth! Begin the fast with joy! Let us fast from passions as well as food, taking pleasure in the good works of the Spirit, and accomplishing them in love!” Saint John Chrysostom, whose feast is September 13, elaborates: “Do you fast? Give proof by your works. If you see a poor person, take pity. An enemy, be reconciled. A friend gaining honor, don’t be jealous.” A positive approach! May the saints help us keep such a Lent!

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Take no revenge and cherish no grudge; love your neighbor as yourself (Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18).
Psalm — The Lord is kind and merciful (Psalm 103).
Second Reading — You are the temple of God, and holy (1 Corinthians 3:16-23).
Gospel — Offer no resistance; love your enemies (Matthew 5:38-48).


READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jas 3:13-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 9:14-29
Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-11a, 23; Mk 9:30-37
Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-6ab, 12-14, 17;
             2 Cor 5:20 — 6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 9:22-25
Friday: Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-6ab, 18-19;
        Mt 9:14-15
Saturday: Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32
Sunday: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Ps 51:3-6, 12-13, 17;
        Rom 5:12-19 [12, 17-19]; Mt 4:1-11

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wednesday: Ash Wednesday; Fast and Abstinence

FORGIVENESS

People who cannot forgive others break the bridge over which they must pass if they are to reach heaven; for everyone has a need to be forgiven.

—George Herbert

FORGIVING AN ENEMY

Who has not forgiven an enemy has not yet tasted one of the most sublime enjoyments of life.

—Johann Kaspar Lavater

REPENTANCE

Of all human acts, repentance is the most divine. The greatest of all faults is to be conscious of none.

—Thomas Carlyle

STRONG BELIEFS

Strong beliefs win strong people and make them stronger.

—Walter Bagehot
February 22, 2020 - February 29, 2020

Saturday, February 22
5:00 pm  For the People

Sunday, February 23
8:00 am  † Honorio Sr & Alegria Paquia.
10:00 am  † Zinobia Sumabat
12:00 pm  † Joan Whelan
6:00 pm  † Camilo Estaria

Monday, February 24
8:00 am  Jeremy Raines - Spe. Int.

Tuesday, February 25
8:00 am  † Ben Banatao

Wednesday, February 26
8:00 am
12:00 pm
6:00 pm
7:30 pm

Thursday, February 27
8:00 am  † Carmo Fernandes

Friday, February 28
8:00 am  † Annie Dalmacio

Saturday, February 29
8:00 am  † Ruben Vasquez-Aguilar
5:00 pm  † Kenneth Newell

Pray for ...

We lift up our sick and home bound in prayer:

Rachel Austria  Jose Pepito Geronimo  Pepito Palacios
Apollo Bernabe  Ernie Ko  Siony Palacios
Perla Brilliantes  Melchor Magat  Manliu Radcliff
Rosemarie Briones  Manny Moya  Ligaya Romero
Jenelle Colle  Rodolfo Munoz  Danny Sancho
April Delaig  Antonio Nimis, Jr.  Enzo Soriano
Rosemarie Doctor  Onofre Okialda  Stephanie Tongson
Maricis Dologmandin  Kris Oppenheim  Diety Trocino
John Durban

PLEAS CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO INCLUDE NAMES AND PROVIDE A CONTACT SO OUR MINISTERS CAN FOLLOW-UP. NAMES WILL BE CLEARED 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
Genoveva Bagaosian @ 510-471-9128

SHE "Servants of the Holy Eucharist" 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.

CONTACT PERSON:
Melody Alejandro 510.427.9936
Faye Magpayo 510.676.2258

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.

Friday at 10:15 to 12:15pm
Saturday at 10:15am to 12:15am
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 510-507-5020
If you can't 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

All Christians in any state or walk of life are called to the fullness of Christian life and to the perfection of charity. This week we will be discussing our own call to holiness. Lord Jesus, St. Faustina always gave thanks, may we always find ourselves always thanking you rather than asking for something.

Feb 24 - Cenacle, Week 98, 6:30 pm, Room 104
Mar 02 - Cenacle, Week 99, 6:30 pm, Room 104
Mar 06 - First Friday Adoration, 3 pm - 5 pm, Church
Mar 06 - First Friday Mass, 7:30 pm
Mar 09 - Cenacle, Week 100, 6:30 pm, Room 104
Mar 14 - St Anne Crab Feed, SH
Mar 16 - Cenacle, Week 101 w/ Fr Jun, 6:30 pm, Rm 104
Mar 23 - Cenacle, Week 102, 6:30 pm, Room 104
Mar 30 - Cenacle, Birthday Celebration, 6:30 pm, Rm 104

POCs: Lou Castro 510-396-1162
Carmencita Draculan 510-449-4447
Saint Anne Youth Ministry
St. Anne Youth Ministry will meet on Monday, February 24 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. The LA Youth Day participants will lead presentations on what they learned and experienced at last week’s LA Youth Day. We will close with a prayer that will lead us into the beginning of Lent.

St. Anne Confirmation
St. Anne Confirmation will meet this afternoon, Sunday, at 3:30 p.m. ALL Sponsors are asked to attend this class and Mass with their candidate. Youth Mass will follow at 6:00 p.m.

Knights of Columbus
Saint Anne Council 8627
Activities – February 2020
Presentation of Sacramental Gift (Prayer Booklet) to children at 10AM, Saturday, February 22nd – Baptismal Rites
Knight’s Family Choir singing at 5PM Mass – Saturday, February 22, 2020 (Note: Choir Practice at 4PM, Room 106)
Ash Wednesday – February 26, 2020 - Ushering at all Mass Services 8AM, 12PM, 5PM & 7:30PM
Regular Business Meeting – 8PM, Wednesday, February 26, 2020, Room 105
Spiritual Reflection Retreat, Saturday, February 29, 2020, 10am-4pm, Room 105
Knight’s Family Choir singing at 5PM Mass – Saturday, February 29, 2020 (Note: Choir Practice at 4PM, Room 106).

For any inquiry, please call or text message
Manny Bernal, Grand Knight at (510) 386-8426

Adult Faith Formation
ADULT CONFIRMATION 2020
Sessions resume as follows at 7PM in RM 103
3/4: Prayer and Life in the Spirit
3/11: The Mass
3/18: The Mass Continued
3/25: The New Evangelization

RCIA
Do you know someone interested in becoming a Catholic? Contact us today!
See the Parish Website for full details.
adultfaithformation@saintannecatholic.org

LENTEN OBSERVANCE
All Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat and meat products. This law obliges everyone who is 14 years of age and older, Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence (one full meal, two lesser meals, no meat, no eating between meals). The law of fasting obliges all persons who are between the ages of 18-59.

Our weekly bulletin is subsidized completely by those companies whose advertisements appear on the last two pages. If you have the opportunity, you may thank them in the name of our parish by using their products or services. Should you desire to participate as a sponsor of our bulletin, you may contact: J.S.Paluch Co. at 800-675-5051
### THIS WEEK AT ST. ANNE

#### Monday, February 24
- **8:00 am - MASS, CH**
  - 4:45 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-106, SH, CH
  - 6:30 pm - Youth Ministry, SH
  - 6:30 pm - Divine Mercy, CR #104
  - 7:30 pm - Lectors, CH

#### Tuesday, February 25
- **8:00 am - MASS, CH**
  - 9:00 am - Individual User, SH
  - 10:00 am - Funeral Mass, CH
  - 4:45 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-106, SH, CH

#### Wednesday, February 26 (Ash Wednesday)
- **8:00 am, 12pm & 5:00pm, 7:30 pm - MASS, CH**
  - 4:00 pm - Children’s Choir, CR #106
  - 7:30 pm - Boys Scouts, CR #102
  - 8:00 pm - Knights of Columbus, CR#105

#### Thursday, February 27
- **8:00 am MASS, CH**
  - 9:30 am - Legion of Mary, CR #103
  - 6:00 pm - Faith Formation, CR #102-106, SH,CH
  - 7:30 pm - Lopez Choir, CH
  - 7:30 pm - Unity Choir, CR #106
  - 7:30 pm - Servites. CR #102

#### Friday, February 28
- **8:00 am - MASS, CH**
  - 9:00 am - Eucharistic Adoration, CH
  - 9:00 am - Individual User, SH
  - 10:15 am - Lectio Divina, CR #102
  - 10:30 am - Funeral Mass, CH
  - 6:00 pm - Stations of the Cross, CH
  - 6:30 pm - Lenten Service, SH
  - 6:30 pm - Divine Mercy Choir, CR #105
  - 6:30 pm - Legion of Mary, CR #103
  - 7:00 pm - Spanish Choir, CR #102

#### Saturday, February 29
- **8:00 & 10:00 am, 12:00 & 6:00 pm - MASS, CH**
  - 10:00 am - Choir of Unity, CR #106
  - 4:30 pm - Children’s Choir, CH
  - 7:30 pm - Servants of the Holy Eucharist, CH

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### STEWARDSHIP CORNER

#### Weekly Collection Goals

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**Total:** $12,219.96  
**Budget:** $15,000.00  
**Over (Under):** ($2,780.00)

Thank you for your continued support of our parish!

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### 2019 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

Please contact the parish office at 510-471-7766 if you would like a statement of your contributions made to the church for your income tax reports. Leave your name, address and phone number and your statement will be mailed to you. Thank you!

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### 2020 St. Anne’s CYO Track and Field Team Registration

If your child loves to run and be part of a team, this is a great opportunity to join the St. Anne’s CYO track and field team. They will learn all about the different track and field events and no experience necessary!

- **Eligibility:** Kid Ages - Kindergarten through 8th grade within St. Anne’s boundaries
- **Location:** Practices and Track Meets at Logan High School
- **Season:** February through May
- **Practices:** Mid-February through early May - Tentatively scheduled for Tuesday and Thursday (4pm-5:30pm until daylight savings then 4:30pm-6pm)
- **Track Meets:** Sundays beginning in March through early May
- **Cost:** Registration Fee $100 and $90 for additional siblings

To register, log on to: [https://forms.jotform.com/200087686403153](https://forms.jotform.com/200087686403153)

If you have any questions, please email Lori Branley at [branleyusc@gmail.com](mailto:branleyusc@gmail.com)
Ash Wednesday Mass
February 26 @ 8:00 AM, 12:00 PM, 5:00 PM, 7:30 PM - NO NOVENA

Friday, February 28
Stations of the Cross, 6:00 PM, Church
Fish Fry with Faith Sharing and a Movie, 6:30 PM, Parish Hall

Friday, March 6
Stations of the Cross, 7:30 PM, Church

Friday, March 13
Stations of the Cross, 6:00 PM, Church
Fish Fry with Faith Sharing and a Movie, 6:30 PM, Parish Hall

Thursday, March 19
Lenten Reconciliation Service, Church, 7:30 PM

Friday, March 20
Stations of the Cross, 7:30 PM, Church

Friday, March 27
Stations of the Cross and Taize Prayer Service, Church, 7:30 PM

Monday, March 30
Parish Mission Morning Session, 9:00 AM, Church
Parish Mission Evening Session, 7:00 PM, Church

Friday, April 3
Stations of the Cross, 6:00 PM, Church—NO FIRST FRIDAY MASS
Fish Fry with Faith Sharing and a Movie, 6:30 PM, Parish Hall

CRAB FEED
ALL YOU CAN EAT!
Garlic Noodles, Green Tossed Salad, Garlic Bread
Starts at 7:00 PM | 1 FREE Bottled Water
SATURDAY MARCH 14, 2020
ST. ANNE PARISH HALL
32223 CABELLO ST, UNION CITY, CA 94587
DONATION: $50.00

All proceeds goes to SAINT ANNE DEVELOPMENT FUND

For more info: Rectory | Ronnie Leary | Pol Marzan
(510) 471-7786 | (510) 366-4125 | (510) 566-8259
Join us for our Lenten Fish Fry Movie Night
Friday, February 28 at 6:45PM in the Parish Hall

After the devastating loss of his father as a young boy, Peter Ranos, denies the presence of God in his life and decides to take matters into his own hands. Years later we find Peter married, living the daily grind of a struggling actor. Peter's world finally collapses. In his powerlessness, Peter has a divine experience that changes his life and he cannot deny the power of God.

Faith Fellowship Food Film Fun