



## St. Anne's Church

3545 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City

**Our Parish is Served by:**  
**Rev. Jose Saltarin, Pastor**  
**Rev. Titus C. Njoku, Parochial Vicar**  
**Rev. Eduardo T. Veluz, Parochial Vicar**  
**Sr. Alberta Manzo, Pastoral Associate — D.R.E.**  
**Ms. Begonia Jensen - Adult Education (RCIA)**  
**Mrs. Gina Iacona - Principal of St. Anne's School**  
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The parishes of Jersey City North (Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Saint Aedan, Saint Ann, Saint Anne, Saint John the Baptist, Saint Joseph, Saint Nicholas and Saint Paul of the Cross) are proud to sponsor and support quality Catholic elementary education at the Middle States accredited schools: Saint Anne School, Saint Joseph School and Saint Nicholas School.

We Invite You To Join Us In The Celebration Of The Eucharist

**Saturday Evening:** (anticipating Sunday) **5:30 PM (English) 7:00 PM (Spanish)**

**Sunday: 7:30 AM; 9:00 AM; 10:30 AM; and 12:00 Noon**

**Monday through Friday 7:00 & 9:00 AM; Saturday 9:00 AM; Wednesdays 7:00 PM; Holy Days as Announced**

**Sacrament of Penance: by Appointment or Saturdays 1:00-1:30 PM & 5:00-5:30 PM**

***Parish Membership:* Our Parish Family invites all of its members to participate fully in our spiritual and social life. Every family moving into the Parish is requested to register at the Rectory. Please notify the Rectory of any address change.**

### **Sacrament of Baptism**

**Infant Baptisms** take place on the **4th Sunday of each month at 1:30 PM**. Prior arrangements are necessary. There is a **pre-baptismal program** for parents and godparents to assist them in the preparation for the celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism. **Please make arrangements with the rectory for an appointment.**

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults  
Adults who have not been Baptized or have been Baptized in another Christian Community and wish to enter into full communion and adults who have not received the Sacraments of Communion and Confirmation, please contact the Rectory for further information.

### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Couples who are contemplating sharing the Sacrament of Marriage should contact one of the priests one year in advance to insure adequate preparation for this lifelong commitment.

### **Religious Education**

The education of our youth and the sharing of our heritage is a priority in our parish. We have two Schools to aid our parents in their mission as primary educators of the faith. We invite all members of our parish to become actively involved with the school of their choice. For information on St. Anne's Parochial School, please contact our principal, Mrs. Gina Iacona. For

information on St. Anne's Religious Education Program, please contact Sister Alberta Manzo, our D.R.E. Classes are held on Sundays after the 9:00 A.M. Mass.

### **Ministry to the Sick**

The Sacrament of Anointing is available for anyone seriously ill or of advanced age. In an emergency, call the Rectory at any time. Those who are homebound are still a very important part of our parish and the Eucharist will be brought to the home.

**Please contact the Rectory so arrangements can be made.**

### **Parish Organizations**

**Boy Scouts:** 973-368-7627

**Girl Scouts:** 973-429-7499

**Rosary Society:** Monthly meeting is the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM in Centennial Hall. All women of the Parish are invited to join.

**Holy Name Society:** Monthly Mass on the 2nd Sunday of the month at 10:30 AM. Meeting follows in Centennial Hall. All men of the Parish are invited to join.

**Legion of Mary:** Meets each Monday at 7 PM in the Rectory. All are invited to join.

**St. Anne's Seniors:** Meets 2nd & 4th Monday of every month at 1 PM in Centennial Hall. All are invited to join.

**Fil-Am Association:** General meeting on the 2nd Sunday of the month in Chapel Hall (school gym). Members of our Filipino-American heritage invite all to join

them in celebrating their spiritual, ethnic and social heritage.

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Society:** General meeting on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7 PM in Centennial Hall. Members of our Spanish-American heritage invite all to join them in celebrating their spiritual, ethnic and social heritage.

**Knights of Columbus:** Every 2nd Friday at 7 PM in rectory meeting room.

### **Parish Prayer Groups**

**Padre Pio Prayer Group:** Meets on the 2nd Saturday of each month for prayer in church at 2 PM. Monthly meeting follows in Centennial Hall.

**Jesus & Mary Prayer Group:** Meets every Friday at 7:30 P.M. in rectory basement - First Friday Healing Mass in Church 7:30 p.m. followed by Holy Hour.

### **Novena & Holy Hours**

**St. Anne, St. Jude and St. Anthony:**

Tuesday after daily Mass

**Sacred Heart:** First Friday of month after daily Mass

**Mass Our Lady of Fatima:** First Saturday of the month after daily Mass

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help:** Every Wednesday 7:00 PM

**San Lorenzo Ruiz de Manila:** Last Wednesday every month 7:00 PM

**Holy Hour for Priests:** Tuesday afternoons 3 PM to 4 PM in Church, **except June, July, August.**

**Our St. Joseph's Morning Prayer Group invites you to join them as they pray the Rosary publicly after Mass.**



**Schedule of Masses February 1st-7th, 2010**

Day	Time	Requested for	Requested by
<b>Mon. 2/1</b>	7 AM	Tom Jones	Max & Christina Chao
	9 AM	Intentions for the Pope	St. Joseph Prayer Group
<b>Tues. 2/2</b>	7 AM	No Intention Offered	
	9 AM	Anne Madden	Lyons Family
<b>Wed. 2/3</b>	7 AM	No Intention Offered	
	9 AM	(Liv) Theresa Lattanzi	Frances
	7 PM	Pastor Gonzalez Jr.	Greg Gonzalez
<b>Thurs 2/4</b>	7 AM	No Intention Offered	
	9 AM	Joseph Creazzo	Dora Salvemini Grace
<b>Fri. 2/5</b>	7 AM	No Intention Offered	
	9 AM	(Liv) Theresa Lattanzi	Angela
<b>Sat. 2/6</b>	9 AM	Thanksgiving Mass	John Berchmans
	5:30PM	Henry Ruddy	Claire Backus
	7 PM	No Intention Offered	
<b>Sun. 2/7</b>	7:30 AM	No Intention Offered	
	9 AM	For The People Of The Parish	
	10:30AM	Anna Fischer	Jim & Vincent
	12 noon	Madeline & Nicholas Wasko	Kearns & Wasko Families

**Sanctuary Gifts Jan. 31st-Feb. 6th, 2010**

Gift	In Memory	Requested By
<b>Altar Wine</b>	Dawn Marie Galatas	Karen Corallo
<b>Altar Bread</b>	Dawn Marie Galatas	Claudia Farahat
<b>Sanctuary Lamp</b>	Dawn Marie Galatas	Joseph, Michael & Deanna
<b>Altar Candles</b>	Dawn Marie Galatas	Bernice Corallo

**LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK**



People will remain on sick list for 2 weeks unless otherwise notified:

Joseph Fabbio, Nicholas Pekar, Suzanne Stecz, Kim Molesky, Nina Kidney, Carl Carlson, Nancy Amato

**MONTHLY AVERAGE COMPARISONS:**

Month	2008	2009
December	\$3,574.	\$3,160.
Month	2009	2010
January	\$3,475.	\$3,086.



**Our Weekly Offering 2010**

January 23/24	\$ 2,798.
Mailed in, thank you	\$ 0.
Week's Total	\$ 2,798.
Month's Total	\$12,344.
Month's Average	\$ 3,086.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**MONDAY** 2Sm 15:13-14,30;16:5-13; Ps 3:2-7;  
Mk 5:1-20

**TUESDAY** Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18;  
Lk 2:22-40

**WEDNESDAY** 2Sm 24:2,9-17; Ps 32:1-2,5-7; Mk 6:1-6

**THURSDAY** 1Kgs 2:1-4,10-12; (Ps)1Chr 29:10-12;  
Mk 6:7-13

**FRIDAY** Sir 47:2-11; Ps 18:31,47,50-51; Mk 6:14-29

**SATURDAY** 1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9-14; Mk 6:30-34

**NEXT SUNDAY: 5th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY**

**TIME** Is 6:1-2a,3-8; Ps 138:1-5,7-8; 1Cor 15:1-11;

Lk 5:1-11



### *Scriptural Reflections on Stewardship*

No prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. Thus did Jeremiah and Jesus encounter opposition and lack of faith; thus did both place their hope in the Lord. Paul speaks eloquently of the greatest of all the gifts: love.



Every Tuesday, the Blessed Sacrament is exposed in the church from 3 to 4 p.m. It is an hour of prayer for the priests, religious men and women and an increase of vocations to the priesthood and the religious life of the Church.

We invite you to come and spend time with the Lord for these intentions and for your personal requests. Holy Hour closes with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

### **Religious Education News**

*from Sister Alberta*



**CCD Office Hours: Sunday after 9 a.m. Mass; Monday thru Wednesday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.;**

**CLOSED THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY. Please call before coming: Office 201-659-1794/Convent 201-963-0998.**

- **Every 4th Sunday of the month, there will be a RAPID DISMISSAL (Fire Drill); children MUST be picked up 11:30 am SHARP!**
- **Jan. 31st - OPEN HOUSE** - Parents are to visit your child's classroom to pick up report cards;

please meet in Chapel Hall after 9 a.m. Mass with guest speaker

- **Feb. 14** - NO CLASS; Presidents Weekend
- **Feb. 17** - Fish & Chips 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. in Centennial Hall
- **Feb. 20** - First Reconciliation Retreat for children 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Parents and relatives are invited for puppet show at 1 p.m.; \$5.00 per person
- **Feb. 21** - Teachers meeting

## ANNULMENT INFORMATION EVENING

An **Annulment Information Evening** is scheduled for **Wednesday, February 10, 2010**. A Canon lawyer from the Archdiocese of Newark will discuss the most recent theology, guidelines and requirements for obtaining a Church annulment. The information will be presented in terms that all can understand. A question and answer period will conclude the session. Pre-registration is not necessary. This evening of information will be held at the **Archdiocesan Center, (Auditorium A), 171 Clifton Avenue, Newark NJ**. For additional information, please call the Office of Family Life Ministries at 973-497-4327.

## FEAST OF ST. BLAISE

In celebration of the Feast of St. Blaise (February 3rd), there will be *General Blessing of the Throats* at all weekend Masses on **January 30/31**.

*Individual Blessing of the Throats* will take place on the Feast Day, February 3rd.

## 2010 AAA

On **February 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>**, all parishes within the Archdiocese of Newark will be giving parishioners the opportunity to change the lives of so many people in need in our community by donating to the Archbishop's Annual Appeal.

Thousands of people in the four counties served by the Archdiocese of Newark are assisted each year through various programs and ministries funded by the Appeal. Our parish also benefits by receiving a rebate from the appeal if it exceeds its goal

### *"Rediscovery" for Troubled Marriages*

Advent should be a time of joyful expectancy and preparation, but to those in troubled marriages, it is a season often marked by disappointment and broken promises. RETROUVAILLE ("Rediscovery") is

a program of the Catholic Church designed to provide practical help and support to married couples in difficult relationships. The program, offered by the Office of Family Life Ministries of the Archdiocese of Newark, begins with a weekend experience on **March 19-21, 2010**. For program and fee information, please contact the Office of Family Life Ministries at 973-497-4327. RETROUVAILLE can be a lifeline of hope and healing in the New Year.

## **Ash Wednesday**

**February 17<sup>th</sup> is Ash Wednesday.**  
**Ashes will be distributed at the 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. Masses and also at a 3:00 p.m. Service.**

## *Class Reunion*

A Reunion of **St. Michael's School in Elizabeth, NJ** will be held on **Sunday, October 10, 2010**. Pass the word! We are looking for class lists and all Alumni.

Contact us if you have information to share, want to join the committee, or are interested in attending: Yolanda Diaz-Reyes, 443 Maple Avenue, Elizabeth, NJ 07202; phone 908-354-1274; website <http://capemayteddybear.com/StMichaels/index.htm> or email [stmikealumlists@aol.com](mailto:stmikealumlists@aol.com).



## C.Y.O. BAKE SALE

St. Anne's Girls and Boys Basketball Teams will be sponsoring a BAKE SALE in Centennial Hall on Sunday, January 31, after all masses.

All are welcome, please help support our teams.



# Patrons

## For Parish Communion Breakfast Program

*(DEADLINE FOR PUBLICATION IN PROGRAM January 31st)*

St. Anne's Parish Organizations are sponsoring a Parish Communion Breakfast on **Sunday, February 7th**. The Patrons will help defray the cost for this Communion Breakfast.

Parishioners who wish to support the Communion Breakfast may select one or both of the two patrons, *St. Anthony* or *St. Joseph*, as listed below. Place this stub with your contribution in a sealed envelope and mark it "Patron-Parish Communion Breakfast". It can be returned by placing it in the Sunday collection basket or by dropping it off or mailing it to the rectory at 3545 Kennedy Blvd. We thank you for your support and generosity.

PATRON(S) FOR THE 'PARISH COMMUNION BREAKFAST PROGRAM':

\_\_\_ St. Anthony Patron - \$20      Person's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print name clearly, thank you.)

\_\_\_ St. Joseph Patron - \$10      Person's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print name clearly, thank you.)

## ***St. Anne's Parish***

### ***Family Communion Breakfast***

Sponsored by  
St. Anne's Parish Organizations

## **Sunday, February 7th**

In Centennial Hall  
After the 9 A.M. Mass



**The fee is \$5 for one person or \$10 for the  
immediate family members.**

**LAST WEEKEND TO MAKE YOUR RESERVATION!** Committee members will be in the Church vestibule **accepting reservations** for this affair after each Mass this weekend **January 30/31**. Please sign the reservation list by indicating how many family members will attend; **payment is needed at time of signing.**

Reservations will assist with headcount to estimate food to be ordered..



# SAINT ANNE'S CHURCH ANNUAL PARISH AUCTION

3545 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City

Theme:  
**"All In The Family"**

*Sunday, March 7th*

1:00 PM

*(Doors open at 12 Noon) in Centennial Hall*

Admission Tickets:

**ADULTS (12 yrs. +): \$12.00**

**CHILDREN (under 12 yrs.): \$6.00**

*Admission includes one auction bid-sheet, sandwich, tea/coffee & dessert!  
Tickets will be available for purchase mid-January in the rectory.*



*Call rectory  
today to reserve  
your table for 8  
or more!*

***NEW GIFTS or MONEY DONATIONS Are Now Being  
Accepted At The Rectory!***

# Weekly Planner

## SUNDAY 1/31

### **4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

General Blessing of Throats at all masses  
7:00 AM-1:00 PM CYO Bake Sale-Cent Hall  
9:00 AM CCD Class  
10:30 AM-11:45 AM Confirmation Class  
Grade 1 Parent Meeting-Chapel Hall  
1:30 PM-5:30 PM CFC Youth-Cent. Hall

## MONDAY 2/1

6:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect. Bsmnt  
6:30 PM-8:30 PM Arya Dance Academy-ChapelHa

## TUESDAY 2/2

### **Groundhog Day**

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall  
3:00 PM-4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priest-Church  
6:30 PM-8:30 PM Arya Dance Academy-ChapelHa  
7:00 PM-9:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Church

## WEDNESDAY 2/3

**Feast of St. Blaise  
(individual Blessing of Throats at all Masses)**

6:00 PM-8:00 PM G.S.-Cent Hall  
7:30 PM Bible Study-Rect. Mtgrm

## THURSDAY 2/4

6:30 PM-8:30 PM Cub Scouts-Cent Hall

## FRIDAY 2/5

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall  
3:00 PM Parish Comm. Break setup-Cent Hall  
7:00 PM-8:00 PM J&M Healing Mass-Chur/CentH  
7:00 PM-9:00 PM OLG (Reina)-Chapel Hall

## SATURDAY 2/6

10:00 AM-4:30 PM Don&Rosita Dance-ChapelHal  
10:00 AM Parish Comm Breakfast setup-Cent Hal

## SUNDAY 2/7

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
9:00 AM CCD Class  
9:00 AM-1:00 PM Parish Comm Breakfast-CentH  
10:30 AM-11:45 AM Confirmation Class  
1:00 PM-4:00 PM Fil-Am Line Dcng-Chapel Hall  
2:30 PM OL Guadalupe-Cent Hall

## MONDAY 2/8

1:00 PM-4:00 PM St. Anne Seniors-Cent Hall  
6:00 PM-8:00 PM Girl Scout Mtg-Cent Hall  
6:00 PM Legion of Mary—Rect Bsmnt  
6:30 PM-8:30 PM Arya Dance Acad-Chapel Hall

## TUESDAY 2/9

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall  
3:00 PM-4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-Church  
6:30 PM-8:30 PM Arya Dance Acad-Chapel Hall  
7:00 PM Adult Choir Practice-Cent Hall  
7:00 PM-9:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Church

## WEDNESDAY 2/10

7:00 PM OL Guadalupe Mtg.-Cent Hall  
7:30 PM Bible Study-Rec Mtgrm

## THURSDAY 2/11

6:30 PM-8:30 PM Cub Scouts-Cent Hall

## FRIDAY 2/12

Lincoln's Birthday  
12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall  
4:00 PM-10:00 PM School Dance-Cent Hall  
7:00 PM-9:00 PM OLG (Reina)- Chapel Hall  
7:30 PM J&M Prayer Group-Rect Mtgrm

## SATURDAY 2/13

10 AM-4:30 PM Don & Rosita Dance-ChapelHall  
2:00 PM-4:00 PM Padre Pio Mass/Mtg-Ch/CentHa  
8:00 PM-9:30 PM Fil-Am Valentine Dance-CenHa

## **INFORMATION PAGE**

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