



## St. Anne's Church

3545 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City

**Our Parish is Served by:**  
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**Rev. Eduardo T. Veluz, Parochial Vicar**  
**Sr. Alberta Manzo, Pastoral Associate — D.R.E.**  
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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 (201-653-0392) and Saint Nicholas School (201-659-5354).

### 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 every Saturday at 4:00 PM in the Rectory (during winter months). 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 Centennial Hall. 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.

#### 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

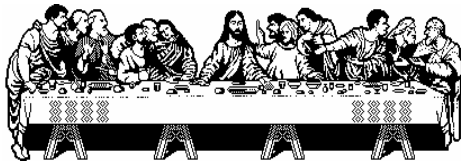
**Mass Our Lady of Fatima:** First Saturday of the month after daily Mass

**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 May 2nd-8th, 2011**

Day	Time	Requested for	Requested by
<b>Mon.</b> <b>5/2</b>	7 AM	John Sullivan	Marie & Tom Dolan
	9 AM	Margaret O'Toole	Catherine Burke
<b>Tues.</b> <b>5/3</b>	7 AM	Joan DiPaula	Staranka Family
	9 AM	John Calamar I	Joseph Ferrara & Family
<b>Wed.</b> <b>5/4</b>	7 AM	Purita Climaco	Tina Edelmann
	9 AM	John L. Sullivan	Nora Browne & Family
	7 PM	Brian Ellerson	Gen & Judi Reilly
<b>Thurs.</b> <b>5/5</b>	7 AM	Jeff Fernandez	Dolly Sanvicente
	9 AM	Karl Kopp	Jewell
<b>Fri.</b> <b>5/6</b>	7 AM	Juan Ortiz	Tina
	9 AM	John L. Sullivan	Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Chiara
<b>Sat.</b> <b>5/7</b>	9 AM	Michele Fusco	Assunta Fusco
	5:30 PM	All Mothers	
	7 PM	All Mothers	
<b>Sun.</b> <b>5/8</b>	7:30 AM	All Mothers	
	9 AM	All Mothers	
	10:30AM	All Mothers	
	12 noon	All Mothers	

**Sanctuary Gifts May 1st-7th, 2011**

Gift	In Memory	Requested By
<b>Altar Wine</b>	Special Intention	
<b>Altar Bread</b>	Special Intention	
<b>Sanctuary Lamp</b>	Michele Fusco	Teresa
<b>Altar Candles</b>	Special Intention	

**LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK**



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

*Frank Spinello, Anne Marie Williams, Thomas Connors, Dennis Columbo, Bill Waddleton Sr., Mary Wisniewski, Dianne O'Sullivan, Carl Carlson, Nina Kidney, Tracey Goglucchi, Kiara Argueyes, Bernice Danchisko, Helen Ferris, Elizabeth Strongin, Lillian Grissett*

**MONTHLY AVERAGE COMPARISONS:**

Month	2010	2011
March	\$3,291.	\$3,200.
April	\$4,867.	\$4,589.



**Our Weekly Offering 2011**

April 16/17	\$ 3,669.
April 23/24 (EASTER)	\$ 7,925.
Mailed in, thank you	\$ 154.
2 Week's Total	\$11,748.
Month's Total	\$18,356.
Weekly Average	\$ 4,589.

**EASTER COLLECTION-TO-DATE: \$11,444.00**

AS YOU ENTER THE HOUSE OF GOD TO WORSHIP, PLEASE RESPECT THOSE AROUND YOU WHO ARE HERE TO WORSHIP & PRAY - **BE COURTEOUS - SILENCE ALL CELL PHONES AND BEEPERS BY TURNING OFF OR PUTTING ON VIBRATE MODE!** Thank you

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**MONDAY** Acts 4:23-31; Ps 2:1-9; Jn 3:1-8

**TUESDAY** 1Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14

**WEDNESDAY** Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21

**THURSDAY** Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2,9,17-20; Jn 3:31-36

**FRIDAY** Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1,4,13-14; Jn 6:1-15

**SATURDAY** Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2,4-5,18-19;

Jn 6:16-21

**NEXT SUNDAY: 3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Acts 2:14,22-33; Ps 16:1-2,5,7-11; 1Pt 1:17-21;

Lk 24:13-35

### *Scriptural Reflections on Stewardship*



Thomas believed because he saw the risen Jesus. Although we have never seen him, we believe in him. We give thanks to the Lord for this gift of faith, especially when we gather for the breaking of the bread and the prayers.

*"Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." - John 20:21*

Jesus offers us peace, not when we sit quietly in a pew, but when we allow Our Lord to send us out into the world to do His work. We will find great peace, when we to turn away from the materialism of the world and instead care more deeply for those in need.



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.

### *Divine Mercy Celebration*

St. Padre Pio and Morning Prayer Groups will sponsor a Divine Mercy Celebration on **May 1st at 3 pm** in St. Anne's Church; with Holy Mass and Divine Mercy Chapel. Refreshments will be served afterwards in Centennial Hall. All are welcome. Please join us!

### *Second Collection*

There are many dioceses right here in the United States whose parishes struggle to keep their doors open. These dioceses are classified as home missions and cannot maintain pastoral programs like catechesis, youth ministry, and seminary formation on their own. The **Catho-** 3

### *Home Missions Appeal Collection*

**TODAY** supports these dioceses by funding essential ministries, including aid to vulnerable parishes. Please be generous in this Appeal and help strengthen the Church at home.

### *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.**

### RESERVED PEWS FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:

- \* **April 30- 5:30 pm** First Holy Communion
- \* **May 1 - 12 noon** Mass First Holy Communion & May Crowning

Children from St. Anne's School and Religious Education Program will be receiving First Holy Communion; front pews on each side will be reserved for them.

### *2011 Anniversary Masses in Newark*

Annual tradition of honoring those couples in our Archdiocese who will be celebrating five, twenty-five and fifty years of Christian marriage in the year 2011. These anniversary liturgies will be celebrated by Archbishop John J. Myers in the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark as follows:

**5TH & 25TH ANNIVERSARY - JUNE 12 3:00 PM**

**(DEADLINE TO REGISTER-JUNE 3)**

**50TH ANNIVERSARY - JUNE 5 3:00 PM**

**(DEADLINE TO REGISTER MAY 27)**

If interested in celebrating your "special" anniversary in Newark, please contact St. Anne's Rectory to register.



## Happy Mother's Day

All Masses on Mother's Day have been set aside and are offered as a Novena of Thanksgiving for our living and deceased Mothers.

Spiritual Bouquets are available in the back of Church. Each comes with a special Mother's Day card. A white carnation will be added to St. Anne's altar for each mother. Please place your offering in the depository (by May 5<sup>th</sup>) next to the altar.

Your dedication will be posted in the back of the Church for Mother's Day.

SAINT ANNE'S SCHOOL  
PRESENTS

## "Groovy"

Wednesday, May 11, 2011

&

Thursday, May 12, 2011

@ 7:00 pm in Centennial Hall

(3545 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City-Congress Street Entrance)

(Doors open @ 6:15pm)

### Ticket Prices

Adults \$6.00

Students \$4.00

Children under age 3 . Free

NO RESERVED SEATING

Tickets available in the school office (201-659-0450)  
and at the door.

During Easter Recess (April 21-May 1<sup>st</sup>), tickets will be available in the RECTORY DURING THE DAYTIME. Please contact Georgene. Thank you.

## First Holy Communion

Congratulations! On April 30th at 5:30 pm Mass & May 1st at 12 noon Mass, children from both St. Anne's School and Religious Education Program will receive First Holy Communion. They are:

Ceara Acosta, Lorianne Andrades, Orpha Bernal, Christian Canillas, Christalo Castro, Darian Constantine, Nathan DeFrias, Jordi DeLeon, Jaren De Los Santos, Jayden Diaz, Madison Diaz, Gabriella Facchini, Gina Fragliossi, Jackson Galindo, Mia Garcia, Michael Gonzalez, Catherine Gonzalez, Sebastian Gonzalez, Stefany Gonzalez, Ian Gray, Benjamin Hernandez, Brianna Henriquez, Uchechi Ihenacho, Geninah Intoy, William Kunga, Diego Manosalvas, Justin Medrano, Nicole Meiles, Aidan Mjartan, Alicia Mary Nostrame, Ryan Oldfield, Fabiana Penachi, Nicholas Privitera, Andrea Rezabala, Joseph Rivera, Kaycy Anne Rivera, Juan Carlos Ugarte

## Monthly Stewardship Enrichment Collection

There will be a 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection EVERY FIRST SUNDAY of the month for the **STEWARDSHIP ENRICHMENT COLLECTION**. This MONTHLY collection has been put into effect to help reduce the debt due to the Archdiocese.

From September 2008 to present, the Parish has had difficulty in meeting its Operating Expenses and was, therefore, not able to pay any Archdiocesan bills: **Catholicare** (medical/dental coverage), **Insurance** (worker's comp, car insurance, property/liability), **Priests' and Lay Pension**, **Parish Assessment**. This Stewardship Collection will be used to pay these past due bills.

A green Monthly Stewardship Enrichment Collection envelope is included with your bi-monthly Sunday envelope mailing. For those who don't use envelopes, please find the *Stewardship Enrichment Collection* envelopes in the church vestibule. **Thank you for your generosity!**

**As of 4/21/11**

### ***DUE TO CHANCERY***

**Past Due**

**PAID**

#### **CHURCH**

Catholicare		\$43,330.00 2008-09	
Catholicare		\$56,413.00 2009-10	
Catholicare		\$45,210.00 2010-11	4434
Arch of Nwk	Priests Pension	\$11,000.00 2010-2011	
Arch of Nwk	Priests Pension	\$11,000.00 2009-2010	
Arch of Nwk	Lay Pension	\$3,823.00 2009-10	
Arch of Nwk	Property/Liability Ins	\$13,140.00 2010-11	
Arch of Nwk	Car Insurance	\$3,231.00 2010-11	
Arch of Nwk	Workers Comp	\$2,440.00 2010-11	
Arch of Nwk	Assessment	\$50,700.00 2008-09	
Arch of Nwk	Assessment	\$37,200.00 2009-10	
Arch of Nwk	Assessment	\$19,075.00 2010-11	\$13,625
<b>TOTAL CHURCH debt to Chancery</b>		<b>\$296,562.00</b>	<b>18059</b>

#### **SCHOOL**

Catholicare		62,501 2008-09	
Catholicare		89,046 2009-10	
Catholicare		71,389 2010-11	7195
Arch of Nwk	Asbestos Surviellance	325 2010-11	
Arch of Nwk	Property/Liability Ins	7,546 2010-11	
Arch of Nwk	Workers Comp	6,670 2010-11	
Arch of Nwk	Workers Comp	3,877 2009-10	
Arch of Nwk	Lay Pension	13,782 2008-09	
Arch of Nwk	Lay Pension	12,226 2009-10	
<b>TOTAL SCHOOL debt to Chancery</b>		<b>267,362</b>	<b>7195</b>

### ***ATLANTIC CITY FUNDRAISING EVENT***

St. Anne's Fil-Am Association is sponsoring a trip to Atlantic City on May 14th to Resorts Hotel and Casino. Bus will

leave at 8:30 AM from in front of St. Anne's Church, 3545 Kennedy Blvd.; price is \$30.00 - Casino Refund \$22.00. Please join us and enjoy the food while on the bus. For reservations, please call: Lou Mallari at 201-656-6567 or Daisy Berberabe at 201-656-2536. Thank you for your support.

# SPANISH SECTION



Misa dominical: Los sábados a las 7:00 PM

Confesiones: los sábados de 1:00 PM a 1:30 PM o pedir cita en la rectoria

Bautismo: El ultimo sábado de cada mes

Matrimonio: Llame a la oficina para registrarse y pedir una entrevista con el padre José Saltarin



## ADORACION AL SANTISIMO

Cada Martes de 3 a 4 de la tarde, en la Iglesia.. Venid y Adorad!



## Domingo de la Divina Misericordia

El objetivo principal de ésta fiesta es hacer llegar a los corazones de cada persona el mensaje de que Dios es Misericordioso y nos ama a todos. Cuanto más grande es el pecado, más gran-

de es el derecho que tiene a Su misericordia. En este mensaje, que Nuestro Señor nos ha hecho llegar por medio de Santa Faustina, se nos pide que tengamos plena confianza en la Misericordia de Dios, y que seamos siempre misericordiosos con el prójimo a través de nuestras palabras, acciones y oraciones...

*La Sociedad Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe y el Grupo de Oración- extienden un caluroso abrazo a todas las Madres en su día. Que Dios nuestro Señor las proteja y siga bendiciendo por muchos años mas.*

*Felicidades Mamá...*



## GRUPO DE ORACION

Te invita a que nos unamos en oración por cada una de tus necesidades. Seremos una gran familia en nuestros encuentros semanales parroquiales.



**Iglesia Sta Ana, Martes 7:00 de la noche !Acompañanos!.**

## Curso Biblico

Con la Sra. Reina Basualdo  
De la Arquidiócesis de Newark  
Comienza Jueves 5 de Mayo hasta Junio 30,2011, de 7:00PM a 8:45.  
Salón de conferencias de la Rectoría. Más información a través de la Sra. Reina al 973-497-4326.

Este mes la iglesia lo dedica a la más delicada de todas sus creaturas: la santísima Virgen María, alma delicada que ofreció su vida al cuidado y servicio de Jesucristo, nuestro redentor.

Qué se acostumbra a hacer este mes?

Ofrecerle flores.

Reflexionar en los principales misterios de su vida.

Recordar sus apariciones.

Meditar en los cuatro dogmas acerca de la Virgen Maria.

Rezar en familia las oraciones especialmente dedicadas a Maria

Recordarla y honrarla como Madre de todos los hombres.

## FESTIVAL PICTURES FROM THE PAST

“Through The Years” - looking for Festival pictures from past years. Please drop off at rectory.

**Pictures will NOT be able to be returned.**

# Weekly Planner

## **SUNDAY 5/1**

### **2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE SUNDAY)**

10:30 AM HNS Mass/Mtg-Church/Cent Hall  
12:00 PM Parish Crowning of Mary-Church  
3:00 PM Divine Mercy Sunday-Church/Cent Hall  
NO CCD CLASSES

## **MONDAY 5/2**

6:00 PM-8:00 PM Jr/Cadette/Sr Mtg-Cent Hall

## **TUESDAY 5/3**

12:15 Bingo-Cent Hall  
3:00-4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-Church  
7:00-9:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Church  
7:00 PM Rosary Society-Cent Hall

## **WEDNESDAY 5/4**

Dinner/Dance Fundraiser-Cent Hall

## **THURSDAY 5/5**

### **Cinco de Mayo**

6:30 PM-8:30 PM Cub Scouts-Cent Hall  
6:00 PM Sp Bible Study-Rectory Bsmnt

## **FRIDAY 5/6**

12:15 Bingo-Cent Hall  
7:30 PM J&M Healing Mass-Church/Cent Hall

## **SATURDAY 5/7**

6:00 Fil-Am Hawaiian Party-Cent Hall

## **SUNDAY 5/8**

### **3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER**

### **Mother's Day**

1:00 PM-3:00 PM Fil-Am Mtg-Cent Hall

## **MONDAY 5/9**

9:30-11:30 AM School-Cent Hall  
1:00 PM-4:00 PM St. Anne Seniors-Cent Hall

## **TUESDAY 5/10**

12:15 Bingo-Cent Hall  
3:00-4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-Church  
6:00 PM-8:00 PM Daisy/Brow/Jr Mtg-Cent Hall  
6:30 PM Finance Committee Mtg-Rectory  
7:00-9:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Church

## **WEDNESDAY 5/11**

7:00 PM OL Guadalupe Mtg-Chapel Hall  
7:00 PM Festival Meeting-Rectory Bsmnt  
7:00 PM School Play-Cent Hall

## **THURSDAY 5/12**

6:00 PM Sp Bible Study-Rectory Bsmnt  
7:00 PM School Play-Cent Hall

## **FRIDAY 5/13**

12:15 Bingo-Cent Hall  
7:30 PM J&M Healing Mass-Church/Cent Hall

## **SATURDAY 5/14**

2:00-4:00 PM Padre Pio Mass/Mtg-Ch/Cent Hall  
4:00 PM (setup) Rosary Soc Comm Br-Cent Hall

## ***Evangelization Corner.....***

**Reflecting On The Gospel** - In this Gospel, Apostle Paul cannot believe that the other Apostles have seen Jesus. Thomas had not been present when Jesus appeared to them. We know what happened next. Jesus again appears to the Apostles - at a time when Thomas is with them - and Thomas comes to believe that indeed Jesus is raised and lives.

As we imagine what that moment must have been like, we're happy for Thomas that he has the chance to see Jesus and to come to believe that Jesus had been raised from the dead. So might we wish to see Jesus as well?

Perhaps pay very careful attention to what Jesus says to Thomas "Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."

**Sharing Ideas** - Work in pairs and complete the following in six different ways: I believe in Jesus because \_\_\_\_\_. Then join in other pairs and see how many different statements you have.

## **INFORMATION PAGE**

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