

# St. Anne's Church

3545 Kennedy Polvd., Jersey City

Our Parish is Served by:

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Rev. Titus C. Njoku, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Edwardo T. Veluz, Parochial Vicar

Rev. John Ranieri - Weekend Assistant

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 (Misa Dominical)

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

<u>Parish Membership:</u> 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.

#### Los Sacramentos:

Llame a la oficina para registrarse y pedir

Sacrament of Baptism
Infant Baptisms take place on the 4th
Sunday of each month at 1:30 pm. Prior
arrangements are necessary. A prebaptismal program will take place on the
3rd Sunday of each month at 1:30 pm
for parents and godparents 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**

*Cub 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 Monday at 3:00 PM in the Rectory. All are invited to join

<u>St. Anne's Seniors:</u> Meets 2nd & 4th Monday of every month at 1 PM in Centennial Hall. All are invited to join. *Fil-Am Association:* General meeting on

**Fil-Am Association:** General meeting on the 2nd Sunday of the month in Centennial Hall

<u>Our Lady of Guadalupe Society:</u> General meeting on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7 PM in Centennial Hall.

### Parish Prayer Groups

<u>Padre Pio Prayer Group:</u> 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.

# 30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Schedule of Masses October 24th-30th, 2011			
Day	Time	Requested for	Requested by
Mon. 10/24	7 AM	Pietro Pisciotta	Family
	9 AM	Rose Janneire	Special Fundraising Committee
Tues. 10/25	7 AM	Carmine Principe	Toni Belfiore
	9 AM	Samir Eid	Family
Wed. 10/26	7 AM	Helen Leuture	Eve Jordan
	9 AM	Ray & Marion Ker- win	Kerwin Children
	7 PM	Rose Janneire	Diane Floyd
Thurs. 10/27	7 AM	Mrs. Rin	Denise Onori
	9 AM	Charles Nierstedt	Stephen & Lorraine Zadroga & Family
Fri. 10/28	7 AM	Honor of St. Jude	Gerardo Fusco
	9 AM	Honor of St. Jude	Frank & Gemma
Sat. 10/29	9 AM	Chiara Ruggiero	Fioccola Family
	5:30 PM Fr. Titus	Liv/Dec Members Krieger Family	Joy
	7 PM Fr. Nigel	San Judas	Marquez Family
Sun. 10/30	7:30 AM Fr. Nigel	David Rodrigues	Kathy Santoro
	9 AM Fr. Titus	For The People Of The Parish	
	10:30 AM Fr. John	Honor of St. Jude	Frances
	12 noon Fr. Ed	Frank & Tommasina Tango	Mr. & Mrs. Angelo Tango

Sanctuary Gifts October 23rd-29th, 2011				
Gift	In Memory	Requested By		
Altar Wine	Special Intention			
Altar Bread	Special Intention			
Sanctuary Lamp	Special Intention			
Altar Candles	Special Intention			

# LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK



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

Ursula Velazquez, Alexa Hall, Helen Ferris, Anne Marie Williams, Bill Waddleton Sr., Mary Wisniewski, Dianne O'Sullivan, Carl Carlson, Nina Kidney, Dorothy Goellner, Mary Sarsano, Jessica Paredas

# Scriptural Reflections on Stewardship

We are to love the Lord with our whole heart and our neighbor as our self. By thus fulfilling these two great commandments, we hope to become models of faith and imitators of the Lord who gave himself totally for our sakes.

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.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY: Rom 11:29-36; Ps 69:30-31,33-34,36;

Lk 14:12-14

**TUESDAY:** Rv 7:2-4,9-14; Ps 24:1-4ab,5-6; 1Jn 3:1-3;

Mt 5:1-12a

**WEDNESDAY:** Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11;

Jn 6:37-40

**THURSDAY:** Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1,4,13-14;

Lk 15:1-10

**FRIDAY:** Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 16:1-8

**SATURDAY:** Rom 16:3-9,16,22-27 Ps 145:2-5,10-11;

Lk 16:9-15

**NEXT SUNDAY: 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY** 

**TIME** Wis 6:12-16; Ps 63:2-8; 1Thes 4:13-18;

Mt 25:1-13

# 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.

- Oct. 23 CONFIRMATION STUDENTS ONLY letter to Pastor and Bishop DUE TODAY!
- Oct 30 All Saints/Halloween Party in Centennial Hall for refreshments. Children who dress up as "saints" will participate in the procession around the church.
- \* **Nov. 5** 1:00-2:30 pm Confirmation Candidates practice in church.
- \* **Nov. 12** 12:00-1:30 pm Confirmation Candidates practice in church.
- \* Nov. 6 11:30 am CCD Teachers' Meeting
- Nov. 8 ALL CONFIRMATION SERVICE WORK DUE Confirmation Candidates Retreat at St. Joseph Shrine in Sterling, NJ; All Candidates meet in front of St. Anne's Church at 8:30 am
- Nov. 14 7:00 pm in Church, Sponsors for Confirmation Practice

# **CONFIRMATION DAY**

St. Anne's Parish will be administering the **Sacrament** of Confirmation on Saturday, November 19th at 2:00 pm.

In preparation for this Sacrament, beginning next Sunday, there will be a display of doves in the church vestibule (signs for the Holy Spirit) with a name of each Candidate. Please peel off the name of the candidate you select as partners of prayers.

We would like you to select one name to be a "Prayer Partner" for him/her. Please pray that the Holy Spirit will guide these Candidates and will continue to keep their faith to be bearers of the Word of God. (Please don't take the doves; only the name you select)

# Thanksgiving Food Pantry Update

With Thanksgiving quickly approaching we are asking for assistance in gathering the necessary items to create 20 Food Baskets for distribution to families in our parish. Items needed for the Thanksgiving Baskets are:

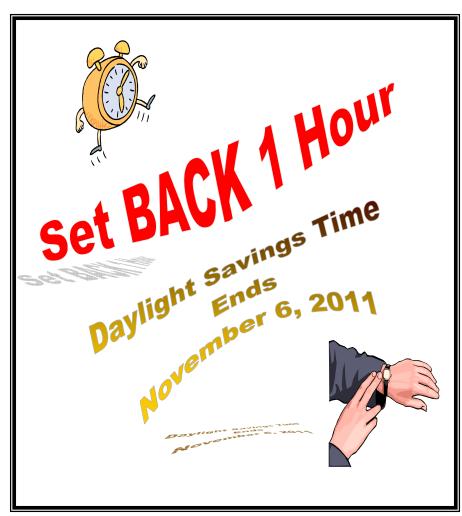
Stuffing, Turkey Gravy, Canned Soup, Canned Vegetables, Pasta Sauce, Pasta, Jell-O & Pudding, Canned Fruit, Rice, Coffee, Tea, Hot Cocoa

Donations can be dropped off in the containers located as you enter the Church or dropped off at the Rectory. No donation is too small and all donations are always appreciated.

Thank you,

Tina Edelmann & John Seborowski





## **OPEN HOUSES**

## Hudson Catholic Regional High School (790 Bergen Ave., Jersey City) will host an Open House on Wednesday October 26th at

# Wednesday October 26th at 7:00 pm.

Young men and women in the 6th,7th and 8th grades, along with their families, are welcome to visit with the administration, faculty, students, staff and coaches at this time.

## Queen of Peace High School (191

Rutherford Place, North Arlington) will host an Open House: **Tuesday, November 8th** from 7:00-8:30 pm.

Saint Mary High School (64 Chestnut St., Rutherford) cordially invites 6th, 7th and 8th grade students to attend Open House on Tuesday, November 29th from 7:00 pm-9:00 pm. For further information, please call 201-933-5220.

### Excerpts of the people's parts from the Roman Missal

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On November 27, 2011, the English speaking Church in the USA will begin using a new translation of the prayers used at Mass (The *Roman Missal*). In order to become familiar with these changes before they are implemented, samples of the new texts will be printed here. Please check here weekly.

## **Nicene Creed**

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God,

### born of the Father before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,

begotten, not made, **consubstantial with the Father**; through him all things were made

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

# and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,

and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on

# the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead

and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds

from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son

**is adored** and glorified, **who** has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection

of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

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# **NOTICIAS**



#### **CIRCULO DE ORACION**

Nos reunimos para orar de manera espontánea, y movidos por el Espiritu Santo alabar y cantarle al Señor.

Acompañanos los martes a las 7:00 de la noche aqui en la Iglesia.

La Sociedad Nuestra Sra. de Guadalupe se prepara para elegir su nueva directiva. Invitamos a las personas interesadas en formar parte de este comite, a que nos acompañen en nuestra próxima reunión, el Miercoles 12 de Octubre a las 7:00pm, en el salón de conferencias de la rectoria.

Te esperamos...

#### Sacramentos

Las clases de preparación para el Sacramento del Bautizmo en español ya estan abiertas. Para más información, favor llamar al Sr. Antonio Macias al 201-850-3634.

El rosario es la oración especial para honrar a Maria nuestra madre. El Rosario es también Una verdadera fuente de gracias. Maria es medianera de las gracias de Dios. Dios ha querido que muchas gracias nos lleguen por su conducto, ya que fue por ella que nos llegó la salvación.

Si deseas compartir tu casa para rezar el rosario a la Virgen, por favor comunicate con Maria Teresa al 201-657-2512 o con cualquier otro representante del grupo.

#### MISAS

Las personas interesadas en apartar misas para sus familiares difuntos u otra ocasion especial, aún quedan algunas disponibles para el resto del año. Les recordamos además, que el vino, el pan, las velas y las lamparas del Santuario pueden ser ofrecidas y también estan disponibles. Para más información, chequear en la rectoria.

# Cómo es posible hacer el bien a quien nos hace daño?

El perdón y el buen trato a quienes nos an hecho daño es, ciertamente, dificil. Pero no imposible. Además, nos lo ordena muy estrictamente, Dios nuestro Señor.

Hay que recordar que seremos perdonados por Dios como nosotros perdonemos a nuestros semejantes.

Es preciso evitar todo sentimiento y pensamiento de rancor, de resentimiento, de falta de perdón, que pretendan anidar en nuestra alma. Dios, que todo lo ve y todo lo conoce, se da cuenta de nuestros sentimientos en contra de nuestros semejantes. El nos exige amar como El nos ama. Y El nos amó hasta la muerte... a pesar de nuestras faltas, de nuestras infidelidades para con El, de nuestros "no" a sus deseos.

Un buen ejercicio de oración para aprender a perdonar es precisamente la frase del Padre Nuestro: "Perdona nuestras ofensas como nosotros perdonamos a los que nos ofenden". Al rezar el Padre Nuestro y al repetir esta frase, se puede pensar en los que nos han ofendido y ponerlos ante el Padre celestial, tal vez diciendo interiormente al Señor: "Tú sabes, Señor, lo que me cuesta. Tú sabes, Señor, lo que siento. No puedo perdonar. Pero si quiero perdonar, porque Tú me lo pides. Perdona Tú en mi, Señor.

Debemos buscar a Dios en la oración. Debemos orar para perdonar.



# Pastoral Council Meeting

**REMINDER:** There is a Pastoral Council Meeting <u>every last Thursday of the month</u> at 7:00 p.m. in Centennial Hall, except during the months of July, August and December.

Next meeting will be October 27th!

# THE CATHOLIC ADVOCATE

St. Anne's will no longer be receiving The Catholic Advocate for its parishioners after the month of October. As suggested a few years ago, parishioners can subscribe to The Catholic Advocate for home delivery; please call 973-497-4200 and ask for Circulation Department.

The cost for one year subscription: Senior Citizens (age 62) is \$14.00; all others is \$17.00.

# Weekly Planner

## **SUNDAY 10/23**

## **30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**World Mission Sunday** 

10:00 AM CCD Parents' Welcome Mtg-Cent Hall

1:30 PM Baptism-Church

## **MONDAY** 10/24

3:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect Bsmnt

6:00 PM-7:00 PM Girl Scout-Rectory

## **Tuesday 10/25**

12:15 PM 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

7:00 PM HNS Board Mtg-Rectory Mtgrm

7:00 PM-9:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Church

## WEDNESDAY 10/26

9:00 AM (setup) School Math Night-Cent Hall

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# THURSDAY 10/27

School Math Night-Cent Hall

7:00 PM-8:00 PM Pastoral Council Mtg-Cent Hall

# FRIDAY 10/28

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall Hall

7:30 PM J&M Prayer Mtg-Rect Mtgrm

# SATURDAY 10/29

 $8{:}00~\mathrm{AM}\text{-}5{:}00~\mathrm{PM}$ J&M Day of Renewal-Cent Hall

## **SUNDAY 10/30**

### 31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10:00 AM Celeb All Sts Day-Cent Hall

## **MONDAY** 10/31

Halloween

3:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect Bsmnt

6:30 PM Antic. Mass for Holy Day-Church

## Tuesday 11/1

#### ALL SAINTS DAY

HOLY DAY MASS TIMES: 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 6:30 PM

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall

3:00-4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-Church

7:00 PM-9:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Church

## WEDNESDAY 11/2

#### **ALL SOULS**

7:00 PM San Lorenzo Mtg-Cent Hall



## THURSDAY 11/3

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

## FRIDAY 11/4

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall Hall

7:30 PM-3:00 AM J&M All Night Vigil-Ch/CentHa

## SATURDAY 11/5

1-2:30 PM Confirmation Practice-Church

8:00 PM-9:30 PM OLG Social-Cent Hall

# Evangelization Corner.....

**Reflecting On The Gospel** - Sometimes we find it hard to understand what Jesus teaches us in Scripture; we have to ponder his words in our hearts and understand the culture of his time.

But today's Gospel gives us Jesus' greatest commandment and he's very clear - no question about it. We don't need any background to understand what Jesus says. He tells us to love God with all our heart, soul, and mind, and to love others as we love ourselves. And because we want to be disciples of Jesus and follow his teachings, what do we do? Can we just get ready, set, go? Maybe. Just dashing into love is very difficult for most of us and it's hard to keep up. We need to work at love and make loving choices most of the time. But sometimes we fail because we put ourselves and what we want first.

Sharing Ideas - How is it that we can learn about love when we fail to love?

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