

**“His heart was moved
with pity for them,
for they were like sheep
without a shepherd”**

Festival 2015

Procession in Honor of St Anne
July 26 – 12 Noon Mass



NOVENA PRAYERS INSIDE CHURCH BEFORE PROCESSION

The Procession route will head north on Kennedy Boulevard, left down Congress Street, then turning left onto Nelson Avenue. We will continue south on Nelson Avenue to Bleecker Street, around the corner onto Kennedy Boulevard (north) ending in front of the Church. (Kennedy Blvd. and Nelson Ave. will be closed from 1:15 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. or until procession is over).

Festival Committee members will be in church vestibule to greet the parishioners for the 12:00 Mass. At the conclusion of the Novena, just before the final hymn begins, Kathy Weber will make a brief announcement from pulpit:

- Informing the group representatives to report to their positions.
- Informing the remaining congregation of the exiting procedures.

Once the final hymn begins, the ushers will assist the congregation in exiting. Upon leaving

church, all will join behind the banner personally as one "United Parish Family of Saint Anne". The church doors will close briefly while the statue is prepared to be presented to the congregation. Red Mike's Band will play a musical assortment during this time.

- It is the responsibility of the organization representatives to bring their respective banners to the 12:00 Mass on Sunday. The banners should be placed under the sign marked "BANNERS" in the space outside the church. Please do not take your banner to mass with you.
- All organization representatives who will be carrying the banners are asked to be seated in the rows marked "RESERVED" towards the front of the church for easy exiting. Immediately following **Kathy Weber's** announcement, all representatives will **exit the side door** and proceed to front of the church to retrieve their respective banners and gather behind Red Mike's Band. You will process directly behind the band for the duration of the procession.

Procession Order as Follows

1. Altar Servers
2. St. Anne Statue
3. Clergy
4. Red Mike's Band
5. Banner Personnel
6. Parish Family of Saint Anne's

The church doors open; Red Mike's Band will begin playing "Good Saint Anne".

Saint Anne is presented (a brief pause on the top step to allow the Fil-Am to gain footage) and will immediately proceed into the street and begin the Procession.

The Clergy is behind the statue in the church

End of Procession

Once St. Anne reaches the front of the Church, she will be placed for all to view. Upon reaching Saint Anne's final resting place we ask that you proceed to the front of the church and gather around to the front of the church. This will allow additional room for the congregation towards end of the procession to fill in and allow everyone visibility to the Saint.

Safeguarding Children and Addressing Abuse

We Are All Hurt By Child Sexual Abuse

When someone commits an act of abuse against a child – whether within the Church or in public schools, town organizations or in homes – all of society suffers. For that reason, the Archdiocese requires everyone who works with children to be trained in sexual abuse awareness and to

undergo a background check. By participating in this effort, we all say "We do not condone abuse within the Church, and are taking steps to eliminate it."

The Protecting God's Children® program is a requirement for those working with children, but is open to all adult parishioners or school parents

who wish to learn more about how to ensure safe environments for children in our society.

For a listing of the current sessions of Protecting God's Children®, or to learn more about the Archdiocese's safe environment policies and procedures, visit the Archdiocese of Newark website at www.rcan.org/charter.

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ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW - ALL THE OPPORTUNITIES TO GET INVOLVED

Soda And Water Donations

The Festival Committee 2014 will begin **Soda Sunday...and Saturday Nights** too! Each weekend beginning **June 20th thru July 19th**, we're asking parishioners to donate cases of soda (regular or diet) and water to help lower our costs for the festival. With summer here, you're sure to spot great discounts on cases of soda and water at your local supermarket; so when you do, please pick 1 up and drop it off in the church vestibule on your way to Mass during any of our Soda Sundays...and Saturday Nights and we'll keep them on ice for you until the festival! **Many thanks in advance for your continued generosity.**

The Sweet Life Booth

CELEBRATE THE MOVIES!

Celebrate "the Movies" at this year's SWEET LIFE booth. Your monetary donations would be greatly appreciated, they allow us to purchase the "Sweets and Treats" for this booth. Please mark the donation envelope "Festival Sweet Life Booth" and drop it off at the rectory or give it to a festival committee member.

For questions please contact **Debby DeVenezia** or **John Faherty** at 201-222-3475 ddevenezia@hotmail.com Thank you in advance for your contribution. It is your generosity that makes the festival truly successful.

Gift Wheel Donations

The St. Padre Pio Prayer Group has been very successfully running the Gift Wheel at St. Anne's Festival the past few years; we are proud to say you have helped to make this possible. Once again, we are asking for new gifts or monetary donations to help make this year's Gift Wheel more successful than ever.

Please mark your donation envelope or gift donation "Festival-Gift Wheel" and drop your donations at the rectory or call **Fran Spazian** at 201-653-1318 for more information. Thank you for your past and continued generous support.

CUT OUT THE VOLUNTEER SIGN UP AND HAND IN TO RECTORY

St. Anne's Festival 2015 VOLUNTEER WORK SIGN-UP SHEET

Name:

Telephone:

Address:

Email:

Please check where you would like to work:

- Money Handler—must be 18 years old
- Game Booth Assistant
- Hourly 50-50 Raffle (must be 18 years old)
- Floater—Willing to work where needed
- Food Server—work in food concessions
- Set-up and breakdown of Booths includes merchandise inventory
- Runner—Must have a car and valid drivers license

Please check times of availability:

Thursday—July 23

- Help setting up the Festival

Friday—July 24

- 5:30 PM—8 PM
- 8 PM—11:30 PM

Saturday—July 25

- 3:30 PM—7:30 PM
- 7:30 PM—11:30 PM

Sunday—July 26

- 12 Noon—4 PM
- 4 PM—8 PM
- 8 PM—11:30 PM

Monday—July 27

- Help in cleaning up
- I Am Available Any Time During The Feast

Questions? Please contact St. Anne's Rectory @ 201-360-0838 or ST.ANNEPRAY4US@GMAIL.COM

Getting Involved

Festival Committee Members have been meeting monthly making plans for this year's Festival – happening **July 24,25,26, 2015!** Volunteers are needed to make the Parish Festival a success. If you've been involved with the Festival in the past, then you know it takes a lot of planning and organizing. If you have never been involved with the Festival and would like to help, feel free to attend the next Festival Meeting to find out what area you may be helpful – a Volunteer Work Sheet is also available to the right.

The Festival Meetings are held in Centennial Hall at 7 PM. The next and final meeting is scheduled for July 21.

Raffle tickets have been mailed out to our registered parishioners; additional raffle tickets are being sold by the Festival Committee at the weekend Masses outside church or you can purchase raffle tickets from St. Anne's Rectory.

Evening Entertainment

Friday The Jersey Terrels

Saturday The Jersey Four

Sunday Blue Meadow/Tiny G Band

Festival Food

Enjoy many different kinds of food at St Anne's Parish Festival 2015!

American • Filipino • Spanish

Some featured options include: Water/Soda, Beer/Wine, Pizza, Hot Dogs, Zeppoles, Sausage & Peppers and much more!

50/50 Raffle

Purchase tickets for our annual 50/50 Raffle. The drawing will take place on **Sunday July 26 at 10 PM.**

Games/Rides

Indoor games will be located in air-conditioned Centennial Hall and Outdoor games/rides will be located on Congress St. And Kennedy Blvd.



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Pastoral Team

James Carroll	Trustee
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Fr. D.X. Stump, S.J.	Weekday Assistant
Mrs. J. Waddleton & Lt. J. Carroll	Trustee

Weekly Planner

SUNDAY 7/19 • 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
12 PM St Anne Novena Church

MONDAY 7/20
9 AM St Anne Novena Church
3:30-4:30 PM Legion of Mary Convent
7 PM St Anne Novena Church

TUESDAY 7/21
9 AM St Anne Novena Church
12:15 PM BINGO Cent Hall
7 PM St Anne Novena Church
7:30-8:30 PM Festival Meeting Cent Hall

WEDNESDAY 7/22
9 AM-5 PM H.N.S. Food Prep for Festival Cent Hall
9 AM St Anne Novena Church
7 PM St Anne Novena Church

THURSDAY 7/23
9 AM-5 PM H.N.S. Food Prep for Festival Cent Hall
9 AM St Anne Novena Church
7 PM St Anne Novena Church

FRIDAY 7/24
NO BINGO
9 AM St Anne Novena Church
6-11 PM SAINT ANNE'S FESTIVAL
7 PM St Anne Novena Church

SATURDAY 7/25
9 AM St Anne Novena Church
4-11 PM SAINT ANNE'S FESTIVAL
5:30 PM St Anne Novena Church

SUNDAY 7/26 • 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
FEAST OF SAINT ANNE
12:00 PM St. Anne Novena Church;
followed by St. Anne Procession
2-11 PM SAINT ANNE'S FESTIVAL

Liturgies

Saturday Evening Church	English 5:30 PM
(anticipating Sunday)	Misa Español 7 PM
Sunday Church	8 AM, 10 AM, 12 Noon
Monday ▶ Saturday: Mass Church	9 AM
Wednesday: Mass Church	7 PM

Holy Hour

Holy Hour will be suspended during the months of July & August.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturdays Church (Or by Appointment) 5 PM

Ministry to the Sick

We hope to give to all the sick and aged in our parish the opportunity to receive the Eucharist. If you or someone you know can no longer get to church, and would like a Eucharistic Minister to bring you Communion, please call St. Anne's Rectory at 201-360-0838 or email: Webmaster@stannesjc.com

July Prayer Intentions of the Holy Father

General intention: That political responsibility may be lived at all levels as a high form of charity.

Missionary intention: That, amid social inequalities, Latin American Christians may bear witness to love for the poor and contribute to a more fraternal society.

Sunday Readings

First Reading:	Jeremiah 23:1-6
Psalms:	Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6
Second Reading:	Ephesians 2:13-18
Gospel:	Mark 6:30-34

Weekday Readings

Monday

Ex 14:5-18 / Ex 15:1BC-2, 3-4, 5-6 / Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday

Ex 14:21-15:1 / Ex 15:8-9, 10 & 12, 17 / Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday St. Mary Magdalene

Ex 16:1-5, 9-15 / Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28 / Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Thursday

Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b / Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 / Mt 13:10-17

Friday

Ex 20:1-17 / Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 / Mt 13:18-23

Saturday St. James

2 Cor 4:7-15 / Ps 126:1BC-2AB, 2CD-3, 4-5, 6 / Mt 20:20-28

Sanctuary Gifts for July 19th— July 25th

Gift	In Memory/honor of	Requested By
Altar Wine	† Nicolina Ferrari	Ferrari Family
Altar Bread	† Nicolina Ferrari	Ferrari Family
Sanct. Lamp	† Nicolina Ferrari	Ferrari Family
Altar Candles	† Nicolina Ferrari	Ferrari Family

Sick List

Let us pray for the sick (People will remain on sick list for 2 weeks unless otherwise notified):

Vicky Aguillon
● Marie Foley ● Josephine Cermak Rowan ● Steve & Rachel Mastin ● Diane Shea ● Joseph Callandrillo ● Humberto Quintana ● Julia Annicchiarico ● Javier Vega ● Jennifer Moloughney ● Antoinette Maddi ● Carol Jordan ● Anthony Biggio ● Sammy DeLeon ● Shane Quinn ● Alice Daly ● Sadie Krieger ● Dolores DelMonte ● Dianne O'Sullivan ● Carl Carlson ● Larry Bello ● Miyuki Campbell ● Diane Albert ● Meghan Connaughton

Schedule of Masses July 20th– July 26th, 2015

Monday, July 20

9 AM † Fr Joseph A. Shovlin

Tuesday, July 21

9 AM † Fr Edward J. Larkin

Wednesday, July 22

9 AM † Msgr James A. McKenna

7 PM Special Intention OL Perpetual Help Group

Thursday, July 23

9 AM † Fr John K. Gurski

Friday, July 24

9 AM Fr Victor P. Kennedy

Saturday, July 25

9 AM Jose C. Saltarin

5:30 PM People of the Parish

7 PM People of the Parish

Sunday, July 26

8 AM People of the Parish

10 AM People of the Parish

12 PM People of the Parish

Weekend Breakdown

Financial figures will be published at a later date.

Feast of Saint Anne

July 18–26 (St Anne's Novena)

July 24–26 (Feast in the Street)

We invite you to set the above dates for our annual Novena of Prayer. Please allow this to be like your annual retreat to grow closer to the Lord. Each day will be celebrated with a different theme coming from the readings of the day. Each day we will celebrate a 9 AM Mass and a 7 PM Novena with Benediction. St. Anne has many titles and is Patroness for many needs. Each day Special Blessings and Prayers are dedicated to those seeking particular petitions connected to the many titles of St. Anne as their patron.

On Sunday (JULY 19th), the Novena Mass will be the 12 Noon Sunday Liturgy; on Saturday (JULY 18th & 25th), the Novena will be recited after the 5:30 PM Mass; on Sunday (JULY 26th), there will be a Procession with St. Anne following the Noon Liturgy.

Special Blessing - SATURDAY Day 1

"Those Seeking The Will Of God In Their Lives"

Special Blessing - SUNDAY Day 2

"Those Who Are Sick And Infirm Or Feel Lost And Abandoned"

Special Blessing - MONDAY Day 3

"Homemakers Male Or Female; Those Who Establish A Place For Others To Grow"

Special Blessing - TUESDAY Day 4

"Expectant Mothers And Those Hoping To Get Pregnant"

Special Blessing - WEDNESDAY Day 5

"Grandparents And Grandchildren"

Special Blessing - THURSDAY Day 6:

"Those With Special Concerns For Themselves Or Others"

Special Blessing - FRIDAY Day 7

"For Those Whose Prayers Have Been Answered Or Trust They Will Be Answered"

Special Blessing - SATURDAY Day 8

"Those Seeking A Partner In Life And Those Who Wish To Give Thanks For The Partner They Have"

Special Blessing - SUNDAY (JULY 26th) Day 9

SAINT ANNE, THE PATRONESS OF OUR FAMILY (JOACHIM and ANN, Parents of Mary): "Family And Friends Of St. Anne's Jersey City"

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ:

Because of a lack of parking around the church, some have fallen into the habit of parking their vehicles on the sidewalk or in front of the garage - either up at the doors, or across the entrance to the driveway, while attending mass.

About a year or so ago, I addressed the situation at all Sunday Masses and through a rather lengthy letter carried on the bulletin cover, in which I stated that in the City of Jersey City, it is illegal to park on the sidewalk (3 points on your license) and to obstruct access to a driveway, even if it is your own.

Obviously, obeying the law is a concern, especially for us as Christians, but the laws are in place for reasons of public (and parishioner) safety; so that first responders may have easy and immediate access to all of the buildings in case of an emergency; so that pedestrians are not put at risk.

The fact that some have continued to practice such irresponsible, inconsiderate, and dangerous behavior without consequence, thus far, does not mean that it is condoned by either me or any representative of the Parish Corporation of Saint Anne. To the contrary. If anyone were to sustain injury or worse due to such a flagrant disregard of the law and concern for the safety and wellbeing of others, the liability to the parish would be staggering and, personally, my conscience would not allow me to sleep in peace at night. Hence my writing to you once more asking for your understanding and cooperation in helping to end, once and for all, this seriously vexing issue. Neighbors and members of the wider community, who really harbor no ill will towards the parish, have lodged complaints with the relevant authorities in our area over the past month, complaining of the unsafe conditions created by the parking habits of a few members of our community. Therefore, it is now out of our hands. If you choose to park on the sidewalks or block driveways, whether the rectory, convent, or otherwise, if you choose to park next to a fire hydrant or illegally occupy another's handicap parking spot, please be advised that law enforcement officials will be taking appropriate action.

The owners of Hudson Health Services, corner of Paterson and JFK have graciously allowed us to use their parking lot Saturday after 4PM and all day on Sunday. Walking to the corner of Congress and Kennedy and waiting for the green light to cross to church is a small price to pay if it increases public safety and our neighbors' goodwill.

Thank you for taking the time to read this.

In Christ,

Fr. Nigel

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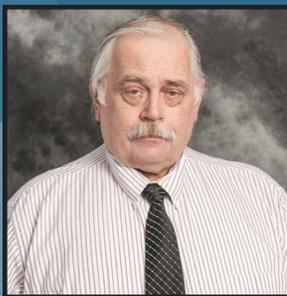
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