

St. Anne's Church 3545 Kennedy Blud., Jersey City

Our Parish is Served by: Rev. Jose Saltarin, Pastor Rev. Titus C. Njoku, Parochial Vicar Rev. Edwardo T. Veluz, Parochial Vicar Sr. Alberta Manzo, Pastoral Associate — D.R.E. Ms. Begonia Jensen - Adult Education (RCIA)

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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 <u>Parish Membership</u>: Dur 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. Anneøs 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

<u>Rosary Society:</u> 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 <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.

JANUARY 30th, 2011

4th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Schedule of Masses Jan. 31-Feb. 6, 2011					
Day	Time	Requested for	Requested by		
Mon. 1/31	7 AM	Doris Sweeney	Friends of St. Anne		
	9 AM	Terry Tyler	St. Joseph Prayer Group		
Tues	7 AM	Theresa Lattanzi	Waddleton Family		
<i>Tues.</i> 2/1	9 AM	Theresa Lattanzi	St. Joseph Prayer Group		
	7 AM	Doris Sweeney	Waddleton/Bald Families		
Wed. 2/2	9 AM	Theresa Lattanzi	Frances		
2/2	7 PM	Laureta Sonaco	Violeta & Mineses Families		
	7 AM	Theresa Lattanzi	Sr. Alberta Manzo		
	9 AM	Theresa Lattanzi	Angela		
Fri.	7 AM	Theresa Lattanzi	Angela Maffei		
2/4	9 AM	Joseph Creazzo	Grace Salvemini		
	9 AM	Fiore Dalessandro	Aniello & Caterina Russo		
Sat. 2/5	5:30 PM	Rita Hogan	Family		
2/3	7 PM	Juan Antonio Guzman	Glenys Merejo		
	7:30 AM	Purificacion Gonza- les	Victorino Family		
Sun 2/6	9 AM	For The People Of The Parish			
	10:30AM	Anna Fischer	Jim Fischer & Vin- cent		
	12 noon	Bridget Burke	Christina & Cath- erine Burke		

Sanctuary Gifts Jan. 30-Feb. 5, 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:

Anne Marie Williams, Thomas Connors, Dennis Columbo, Bill Waddleton Sr., Mary Wisniewski, Dianne O'Sullivan, Carl Carlson, Nina Kidney, Lynn Munley, Harry Fahner

MONTHLY AVERAGE COMPARISONS:				
Month	2009	2010		
December	\$3,327.	\$3,328.		
Month	2010	2011		
January	\$3,127.	\$2,943.		



January 22/23	\$ 2,853.
Mailed in, thank you	\$ 518.
Week's Total	\$ 3,371.
Month's Total	\$11,774.
Weekly Average	\$ 2,943.
Christmas Collection	to-date \$ 15.679

AS YOU ENTER THE HOUSE OF GOD TO WORSHIP, PLEASE RESPECT THOSE AROUND YOU WHO ARE HERE TO WORSHIP & PRAY - BE COURTEOUS - <u>SI-</u> LENCE ALL CELL PHONES AND BEEPERS BY TURN-ING OFF OR PUTTING ON VIBRATE MODE! Thank you 2

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY Heb 11:32-40; Ps 31:20-24; Mk 5:1-20 TUESDAY Heb 12:1-4; Ps 22:26-28,30-32; Mk 5:21-43 WEDNESDAY Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40

THURSDAY Heb 12:18-19,21-24; Ps 48:2-4,9-11; Mk 6:7-13

Scriptural Reflections on Stewardship

Blessed are the humble of the earth, blessed are the poor in spirit! Such are the ones God has chosen to confound the strong of this world.

"Consider your own calling, brothers and sisters." - 1 Corinthians 1:26

In his letter to the Corinthians, St. Paul reminds us that all of us are called to participate in the work of the Church. There can be no excuses. We cannot say that we are not wise enough, powerful enough or smart enough. We cannot say that we do not have the time, the talents or the skills. God can use each of us. All we have to do is offer our humble lives to Him and then be willing to follow where He leads.

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.

 Jan. 30 - Confirmation Parent Meeting of New Candidates 1:00 PM Chapel Hall
 <u>Open House 11:00 am to 12:00 pm</u>-parents will visit classrooms and receive report cards **FRIDAY** Heb 13:1-8; Ps 27:1,3,5,8-9; Mk 6:14-29 **SATURDAY** Heb 13:15-17,20-21; Ps 23:1-6;

Mk 6:30-34

NEXT SUNDAY: 5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY

TIME Is 58:7-10; Ps 112:4-9; 1Cor 2:1-5; Mt 5:13-16

from teachers; parents to meet in Chapel Hall after 9 am Mass.

- Feb. 6 PARISH FAMILY COMMUNION BREAKFAST; No Class; students are to attend Breakfast or be marked absent.
- Feb. 12 Parent/Guardian Conference with Msgr. Bochicchio
- Feb. 13 (for new candidates) Confirmation extra classes 11:30-12:30 pm (PS students ONLY)
- Feb. 14,16,17 Penance practice in church 3:00-4:30 pm
- Feb. 20 NO CLASS; Presidents' Weekend
- Feb. 26 Sacrament of Reconciliation Ceremony in church 1:00 pm; followed by social in Centennial Hall
- Feb. 27 Teachers' Meeting 11:30; Confirmation class in session

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS NEEDED

St. Anne's Finance Committee is looking to increase its membership to assure monthly meetings. Anyone who is interested, please speak to Father Jose directly or contact the rectory. Thank you.



Blessing of Throats

In memory of **St. Blaise** (Feb. 3rd), there will be General Blessing of the Throats at all Masses the weekend of **January 29/30** and <u>Individual Blessings on Feast Day at</u> <u>7:00 and 9:00 am Masses.</u>

Feast of the Infant of Prague

Come celebrate and honor the Child Jesus; **Sunday**, **January 30th**, St. Anne's Church, Mass at 9:00 am. We will begin with a procession and an offering of candy for the Infant, to be shared later with the children. You may bring your own statue of the Infant to be placed on the altar and blessed during the Mass.

Archbishop's Annual Appeal

On **February 5th and 6th**, we will have the opportunity to contribute to the 2011 Archbishop's Annual Appeal.

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:

<u>5TH & 25TH ANNIVERSARY</u> - JUNE 12 3:00 PM (DEADLINE TO REGISTER-JUNE 3)

<u>50TH ANNIVERSARY</u> - 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.

St. Anne's Parish Family Communion Breakfast

Sponsored by St. Annec Parish Organizations

Sunday, February 6th



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 29/30. 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.

Patrons

For Parish Communion Breakfast Program

St. Anne's Parish Organizations are sponsoring a Parish Communion Breakfast on **Sunday, February 6th**. The Patrons will help defray the cost for this Communion Breakfast.

Parishioners who wish to support the Communion Breakfast may select <u>one or both</u> 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 - \$25	Person's Name
	(Print name clearly, thank you.)
St. Joseph Patron - \$25	Person's Name
	⁵ (Print name clearly, thank you.)

1099 FORMS

The IRS <u>requires a written receipt</u> for charitable donations in excess of \$250 or more. For our parishioners who made total contributions of \$250 or more for 2010 tax year through the use of the collection envelope system, a 1099 Form will be mailed to you by January 31st. Receipts for less than \$250 can be picked up at rectory, if needed.

More Members For Himig Choir

The Himig Choir is looking for more members in its 2011 activities. Please share your time and talents through singing and playing instruments by joining us in our journey to serve the St. Anne's Parish. The Himig Choir sings every last Sunday of the month at the 12 PM mass, the Perpetual Help Novena and its yearly Feast Novena, the San Lorenzo Ruiz De Manila Novena and its yearly Feast, supporting the St. Anne's Adult Choir, weddings, funerals and other religious parish activitites like the St. Anne's Fiesta Mass, Christmas Midnight Mass, yearly Communion Breakfast as part of our Pastoral Service.

For information, please contact Rick Rivera @ 201-673-8679, Danny Morales 201-963-5030 and Gemma Silva @ 201-658-9790. Or email us at jerseycity426@yahoo.com.

Annulment Information Evening

An Annulment Information Evening is scheduled for Wednesday, February 16.. 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 Our Lady of Mercy RC Church, (Farley Center), 40 Sullivan Drive, Jersey City, at 7:30 PM. For additional information, please call the Office of Family Life Ministries at 973-497-4327.

Visitation of the Sick

Due to the "Privacy Act" to protect patients while being hospitalized, a priest is prohibited from seeing a patient unless requested <u>directly</u> from the <u>patient</u> or an <u>immediate family member</u>. While it is of grave concern for our parishioners to be visited by our parish priests, please keep the "Privacy Act" in mind. If you wish a visit from a parish priest, be sure you or an immediate family member contact the rectory or email <u>webmaster@stannesjc.com</u>.

Evangelization Corner.....

Reflecting On The Gospel - Jesus' words in today's Gospel are often called the Beatitudes. With the Beatitudes, Jesus promises that we eventually will find complete happiness; we will know this happiness by turning our lives upside down, ie., by not trying to have what the world says will make us happy. In other words, we are not going to have true and complete happiness just because we have name brand clothes and lots of money.

Genuinely happy people, Jesus says, do not strive to have power and position and things. Rather, they strive to have and offer peace, justice, mercy, forgiveness, charity, respect, patience and love. They try to respond to the needs of other people so that others may know the love of Jesus. They strive to be joyful, even when things don't go just the way they want them to go. This sounds hard, doesn't it?; it is hard if our goal is to get something for ourselves but when our goal is first and foremost to help others and bring peace to every situation in our lives, the grace of God is our strength.

Sharing Ideas - Talk about what each Beatitude means and name one way to live it out.

Weekly Planner

<u>SUNDAY 1/30</u>

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

General Blessing of Throats at all Masses

11:30 AM-12:30 PM Conf. 2011 classes begin CYO Bake Sale-Cent Hall

TUESDAY 2/1

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 Adult Choir Practice-Cent Hall
7:00 PM-9:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Ch

<u>Wednesday</u> 2/2

Groundhog Day

7:30 PM Bible Study-Rect Mtgrm

THURSDAY 2/3

FEAST OF ST. BLAISE (BLESSING OF THROATS) 6:30 PM-8:30 PM Cub Scouts-Cent Hall

<u>Friday 2/4</u>

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

SATURDAY 2/5

10:00 AM (setup) Parish Comm Breakfast-CentHa 4:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect Mtgrm

<u>Sunday 2/6</u>

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time NO CONFIRMATION CLASS

9:00 AM-1:00 PM Parish Communion Breakfast-Cent Hall

TUESDAY 2/8

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall

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

7:00 PM Adult Choir Practice-Cent Hall

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

Wednesday 2/9

7:00 PM OL Guadalupe Mtg-Cent Hall7:30 PM Bible Study-Rect Mtgrm

<u>Friday 2/11</u>

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall7:30 PM J&M Prayer Group-Rect Mtgrm

SATURDAY 2/12

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

2:00 PM-4:00 PM Padre Pio Mass/Mtg-Ch/CenHal4:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect Mtgrm6:00 PM Fil-Am Valentine Dance-Cent Hall



INFORMATION PAGE

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