



St. Anne's Church

3545 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City

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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.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT





Sanctuary Gifts March 13th-19th, 2011

Gift	In Memory	Requested By
Altar Wine	Doris Sweeney	Kathleen Sheekey
Altar Bread	Doris Sweeney	Kathleen Sheekey
Sanctuary Lamp	Doris Sweeney	Kathleen Sheekey
Altar Candles	Doris Sweeney	Kathleen Sheekey

Schedule of Masses March 14th-20th, 2011

Day	Time	Requested for	Requested by
Mon. 3/14	7 AM	Jeff Fernandez	Gert Waller
	9 AM	Emidio D'Alessandro	Carmela Favazzi & Family
Tues. 3/15	7 AM	Luisa Fusco	Teresa Fusco
	9 AM	Giuseppina DiGeronimo	Virginia Sarni
Wed. 3/16	7 AM	Jeanne & Leroy Boursiquoy	Eve Carmel Jourdan
	9 AM	(Liv) Theresa Fusco	Padre Pio Prayer Group
	7 PM	Amiddio D'Alessandro	Tarallo Family
Thurs 3/17	7 AM	Lillian Koska	Albert Koska
	9 AM	Dan & Patrick Kelly	Nora & Family
Fri. 3/18	7 AM	Donald Wetzel	Rakoski Family
	9 AM	(Liv) Theresa Fusco	Frances Spazian
Sat. 3/19	9 AM	Guiseppi Belfiore	Toni Belfiore
	5:30 PM	St. Joseph	Gemma
	7 PM	Hilariana Meza	Ursulina Velazquez
Sun 3/20	7:30 AM	Camilla Belfiore	Toni Belfiore
	9 AM	Luis Pizarro	Leo Pizarro
	10:30AM	Christopher Keenan	Keenan Family
	12 noon	For The People Of The Parish	

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, Marie Jacobson, James Edward Barker, Nina Kidney, Lynn Munley, Warren Lewis

MONTHLY AVERAGE COMPARISONS:

Month	2010	2011
February	\$3,168.	\$3,025.
March	\$3,291.	\$3,079.

Our Weekly Offering 2011



March 5/6	\$ 2,652.
Mailed in, thank you	\$ 427.
Week's Total	\$ 3,079.
Month's Total	\$ 3,079.
Weekly Average	\$ 3,079.

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

<p>MONDAY Lv 19:1-2,11-18; Ps 19:8-10,15; Mt 25:31-46</p> <p>TUESDAY Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-7,16-19; Mt 6:7-15</p> <p>WEDNESDAY Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4,12-13,18-19; Lk 11:29-32</p> <p>THURSDAY Est C:12,14-16,23-25; Ps 138:1-3,7c-8; Mt 7:7-12</p>	<p>FRIDAY Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-8; Mt 5:20-26</p> <p>SATURDAY 2Sm 7:4-5a,12-14a,16; Ps 89:2-5,27,29; Rom 4:13,16-18,22; Mt 1:16,18-21,24a</p> <p>NEXT SUNDAY: SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT Gn 12:1-4a; Ps 33:4-5,18-20,22; 2Tm 1:8b-10; Mt 17:1-9</p>
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Scriptural Reflections on Stewardship



Like Adam and Eve, Jesus was tempted, but did not sin. Our sinfulness is acquitted through one man, Jesus Christ, in whom we are justified.

“It is written: The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve.” - Matthew 4:10

The world tempts us with so much. Like Jesus on the top of the mountain, we can all see magnificent possessions, power, adventures, activities or accomplishments that tempt us to push God into the background of our lives. Yet, we must follow the example of Jesus and back away from the temptations of the world so that we have more time in our lives to worship and serve God. Lent provides us with the perfect opportunity to make a change that will last not just for forty days but for a lifetime.



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.

* **March 12/13** - Irish Soda Bread sale at all Masses

- * **March 13** - Extra classes for First Communicants 11:30-12:30 pm; please bring snack
- * **March 13 & 14** - Parent/Guardian of First Communicants-Conferences with Sr. Alberta CCD Office or Convent
- * **March 20** - Confirm Enroll Ceremony 9 am Mass
- * **March 22** - Parent/Guardian Conference with Msgr. Paul Bochicchio at 7 pm Chapel Hall
- * **March 26** - Confirmation Retreat 12 noon Centennial Hall with Msgr. Paul Bochicchio
- * **March 27-** “Come To The Feast” Puppet Show in Centennial Hall; live performance for First Communicants, parent/guardian, teachers, friends, family, CCD students. Come enjoy & support our fundraiser.

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday
During Lent

1:00 PM
7:00 PM



St. Anne's Church

Evangelization Corner.....

Reflecting On The Gospel - If you've ever been in a desert, you know how tough it can be there. It's hot and there isn't much vegetation that gives shady relief from the scorching sun. There isn't much water, so one can become thirsty in a very short time. And the desert is a lonely place. In some deserts, you can go hundreds of miles and find no residence or business.

In today's Gospel, Jesus goes into the desert for 40 days and 40 nights. Jesus knows that it's going to be very hard to exist in the desert, but he knows that he wants to be with God and to hear God's voice tell him what to do with his life. In the desert, Jesus is alone with his Father. In the desert, Jesus give his life over to his Father's will. Jesus' time in the desert with God prepares him for his public ministry.

The 40 days of Lent that we observe are like Jesus' 40 days in the desert. We don't actually suffer horrible heat and the pounding sun, thirst and loneliness. But during Lent, we can choose to do things that make us think of Jesus' experience in the desert. We can have a spiritual desert experience. We can choose to be a little bit thirsty or hungry. We can choose to be alone. In each of these situations, we can choose to be like Jesus - to focus on God and to listen deep in our hearts to what God says to us. And like Jesus, we will be tempted by Satan.

Sharing Ideas - What are some ways that Satan can tempt us but especially during Lent?



ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK 2011 LENTEN REGULATIONS



1. The days of both Fast and Abstinence during Lent are **Ash Wednesday and Good Friday**. The other Fridays of Lent are days of Abstinence.

On a day of Fast, only one (1) full meal is permitted.

Those between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast.

On a day of Abstinence, no meat may be eaten.

Those who have reached the age of 14 are obliged by the law of abstinence.

2. The obligation to observe the laws of Fast and Abstinence ~~is~~ **substantially**, or as a whole, is a serious obligation.

3. The Fridays of the year, outside of Lent, are designated as days of penance, but each individual may substitute for the traditional abstinence from meat some other practice of voluntary self-denial as penance.

4. The time for fulfilling the Paschal Precept (Easter Duty*) extends from the **First Sunday of Lent, March 13, 2011 to the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity, June 19, 2011.**

*Canon 920, §1. *All the faithful, after they have been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year.*

St. Anne's Parish Community Social

All are welcome to St. Anne's Parish monthly Parish Social sponsored by the "Community Service and Community Building Clusters" of our Parish Pastoral Council. Next Social is:

SUNDAY, MARCH 20th

(After All **SUNDAY** Masses)



All are encouraged to visit Centennial Hall to enjoy friendly conversation and coffee/tea.

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 rectoría

Bautismo: El último 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!

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!.

CENA—BAILE DIA DE LAS MADRES



La Sociedad Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe te invita a celebrar el Día de las Madres en familia, Abril 30 a partir de las 8:00PM, en el Centennial Hall. Para más información favor de chequear con Maria o Maria Teresa. Evento pro fondos para la parroquia.

Cuando entres a la casa de Dios para la misa por favor respeta a los que están a tu alrededor. Se cortés, y no olvides apagar o poner en vibrador tu teléfono celular o beeper! Gracias!

Coro

Estamos reorganizando nuestro coro, Si te gusta cantar, o sabes tocar algun instrumento, nuestro coro te necesita. Por favor acercate a la Sra.

Rosa para más información. Recuerda, cantar es orar dos veces.

La Cuaresma

La Cuaresma es el tiempo litúrgico de conversión espiritual, que marca la Iglesia para prepararnos a la gran fiesta de la Pascua. Es tiempo para arrepentirnos de nuestros pecados y cambiar algo de nosotros para ser mejores y poder vivir más cerca de Cristo.



La Cuaresma dura 40 días; comienza el Miércoles de Ceniza y termina antes de la Misa de la Cena del Señor del Jueves Santo. El color litúrgico de este tiempo es el morado que significa luto y penitencia. Es un tiempo de reflexión, de penitencia, tiempo de preparación al misterio pascual.

La Iglesia nos invita a vivir la Cuaresma como un camino hacia Jesucristo, escuchando la Palabra de Dios, orando, compartiendo con el prójimo y haciendo obras buenas.

En Cuaresma, aprendemos a conocer y apreciar la Cruz de Jesús. Con esto aprendemos también a tomar nuestra cruz con alegría para alcanzar la gloria de la resurrección

Second Collection

Today we support the Holy Father in his charitable works. The Peter's Pence Collection is taken up worldwide in an effort of solidarity to support the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disaster and

others in need of emergency assistance. Pope Benedict XVI has said, "God's love...gives us the courage to continue seeking and working for the benefit of all" (*Caritas in Veritate*, no. 78). Cast the love of Christ upon the world - please be generous in today's Collection.

St. Anne's 2nd Annual

Lent Fish Fri

SPONSORED BY

The Holy Name Society

Fridays during Lent 5pm to 7pm

March 18th, 25th

April 1st, 8th, 15th

Price \$7 in advance & \$8 at the door

St. Anne's Church
Centennial Hall

The Holy Name Society of St. Anne's will be sponsoring a Fish Fry to be held on Fridays during the season of Lent. Dinners will be available for Dine In or Take Home.

Fish		Menu	
	French Fries	Cole Slaw	Tarter Sauce
			Can of Soda

We hope everyone will be able to dine with us on these Fridays and especially look forward to many dining in and enjoying the company of their fellow parishioners. You are welcome to bring along a bottle of wine to share with your neighbor while dining. As an added incentive each week, for dine in only, there will be something special added to the menu. There will be tickets on sale after all the masses starting March 5th.



Questions and Answers on the Mass Changes

March 13, 2011 - Part 2 of 7

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). A series of Questions and Answers on this topic will be posted here to help explain the thinking behind these changes. Please check back weekly.

2. Who is doing the work of translation?

The process of translating liturgical texts from the original Latin is a highly consultative work done by several groups. The International Commission on English in the Liturgy (ICEL) prepares English translations of liturgical texts on behalf of the conferences of bishops of English-speaking countries. The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) and the other member conferences receive draft translations of each text and have the opportunity to offer comments and suggestions to ICEL. Then ICEL proposes a second draft, which each conference approves and submits to the Vatican for final approval. Each conference reserves the right to amend or modify a particular text.

At the Vatican, the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments examines the translated texts, offers authoritative approval (*recognitio*) of the texts, and grants permission for their use. Currently the Congregation is aided by the recommendations of Vox Clara, a special committee of bishops and consultants from English-speaking countries. The translation and review process is guided by the guidelines in *Liturgiam Authenticam*, issued in 2001, an instruction from the Congregation that outlines the principles and rules for liturgical translation. In 2007, the Congregation also issued a *ratio* outlining the specific rules for translation in English.

Weekly Planner

SUNDAY 3/13

1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS BEGINS

10:30 AM HNS Mass/Mtg-Church/Cent Hall
12:00 PM First Comm. Parent Mtg-Chapel Hall
1:00 PM-3:00 PM Fil-Am Mtg.-Cent Hall
Irish Soda Bread Sale after all Masses

MONDAY 3/14

1:00 PM-4:00 PM St. Anne Seniors-Cent Hall
6:00 PM-8:00 PM Jr/Cadette/Sr Mtg-Cent Hall

TUESDAY 3/15

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-9:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Ch

WEDNESDAY 3/16

6:30 PM HSA Meeting-Cent Hall
7:30 PM Bible Study-Rect Mtgrm

THURSDAY 3/17

St. Patrick's Day

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

FRIDAY 3/18

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall
5:00-8:00 PM HNS Lent Fish Fry-Cent Hall
7:30 PM Bible Study-Church
7:30 PM J&M Prayer Group-Rect Mtgrm

Atlantic City Trip

St. Anne's Fil-Am Association is sponsoring a trip to Atlantic City on **Saturday, March 19** to the SHOWBOAT CASINO HOTEL. Bus will leave at 8:30 AM from in front of St. Anne's Church. Price \$30; Casino refund \$30. Please join us and enjoy the food while in the bus. For reservations, please call: Lou Mallari @ 201-656-6567 or Daisy Berberabe @ 201-656-2536. Thank you for your support.

SATURDAY 3/19

St. Joseph

12:00 PM Feast of St. Joseph Celeb-Ch/CentHall
4:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect Bsmnt

SUNDAY 3/20

2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

7:30 AM-3:00 PM Parish Comm Social-Cent Hall
9:00 AM Confirm Enrollment-Church
10:30 AM Confirm Sponsor/Cand Mtg-ChapelHall
1:30 PM Baptism Classes-Rect Mtgrm

TUESDAY 3/22

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 3/23

9:00 AM (setup) School Math Fair-Cent Hall
7:30 PM Bible Study-Rect Mtgrm

THURSDAY 3/24

9:00 AM-2:30 PM School Math Fair-Cent Hall

FRIDAY 3/25

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall
5:00-8:00 PM HNS Lent Fish Fry-Cent Hall
7:30 PM J&M Prayer Group-Rect Mtgrm

SATURDAY 3/26

9:00 AM-5:00 PM Day of Recollection-Cent Hall
4:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect Bsmnt

Trump Plaza Casino trip

Date - **March 19, 2010**
Time - 8:45 PM pick up
Place - Between Kennedy Blvd and Congress St.
Donation : \$30.00 per person
\$20.00 voucher refund

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