



Second Sunday of
ADVENT
Segundo Domingo de
ADVIENTO

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Saint Anne's Church
3545 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City

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) in Church**

Sunday: 7:30 AM; 9:00 AM; 10:30 AM; and 12:00 Noon in Church

Monday thru Friday 7:00 AM & 9:00 AM Mass; Saturday 9:00 AM Mass; Wednesday 7:00 PM Mass-
All Weekday Masses are held in SAINT ANNE'S CONVENT CHAPEL located at 246 Congress Street!

Sacrament of Penance: by Appointment or **Saturdays 1:00-1:30 PM in Church**

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.*

Our Parish is Served by:

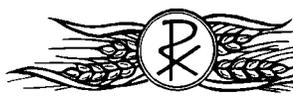
Very Rev. Nigel R. Mohammed, VF - Pastor
Rev. John Ranieri - Pastoral Associate
Sr. Alberta Manzo, Parish Catechetical Leader
Ms. Begonia Jensen - Adult Education (RCIA)
Mrs. Cristina Pardo - Adult Education (RICA Spanish)
Mrs. Georgene DeBenedetto - Administrative Assistant

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201-963-0998

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TRUSTEES:

Sgt. James Carroll
Mrs. Judith Waddleton



Mass Intentions for the Week

Schedule of Masses December 10th-16th, 2012

Day	Time	Requested for	Requested by
Mon. 12/10	7 AM	Thomas F. Dolan	Catherine Burke
	9 AM	Nicholas DelGioldice	Jackie O'Donnell
Tues. 12/11	7 AM	Thomas Dolan	Loretta Dempsey
	9 AM	(Liv) Angela Aver-sano & Family	Mary Shin
Wed. 12/12	7 AM	Annabelle Chua	Chua & Trattles Families
	9 AM	Liv/Dec. Grillo Family	Frances & Bruno
	7 PM	In Honor of Our Lady	Parish Intention
Thurs. 12/13	7 AM	Honor of St. Lucy	Gerardo Fusco
	9 AM	St. Lucy	Gemma & Frank
Fri. 12/14	7 AM	Theresa Lattanzi	Loretta Dempsey
	9 AM	Bob Murtha	Steve & Fran Drennan
Sat. 12/15	9 AM	Nicholas E. DelGioldice	Mae Baker & Frank Simone
	5:30 PM	Ernestina & Giuseppe Dellaccio	Family
	7 PM	Ricardo Berrocales	Family
Sun. 12/16	7:30 AM	Lawrence Weber	Loretta Dempsey
	9 AM	For The People Of The Parish	
	10:30 AM	Mary Baker	St. Joseph Prayer Group
	12 noon	Rosalina & Giuseppe Leone	Mr. & Mrs. Angelo Tango

Sanctuary Gifts December 9th-15th, 2012

Gift	In Memory of	Requested By
Altar Wine	John J. Caruso, Jr.	O'Neill Family
Altar Bread	Russell Grish	Mildred Bombich
Sanctuary Lamp	Robert Jones	Carmela Nigro
Altar	Anthony Cuozzo	Mark Ciaston

Scriptural Reflections on Stewardship



“And this is my prayer: that your love may increase ever more and more in knowledge and every kind of perception, to discern what is of value....” (Philippians 1:9-10)

Glittery holiday ads can blind us to our stewardship values and distort our needs and wants. It is important that during this season of endless buying we remember that each of us also has the need to give back to God.

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

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



Mercedes Patron, Warren Lewis, Charles Kaufman, Bill Waddleton Sr., Dianne O'Sullivan, Sadie Krieger, Carl Carlson, Helen Ferris, Mary Rej, Carol Jordan

Parish Support

E-GIVING (Electronic Donations)

Make your donation to St. Anne's Church through **E-GIVING**; visit our website at www.stannesjc.com

- E-GIVING Online is a secure site
- View your online transactions
- You exclusively control your activity
- No interaction with another party
- “E-GIVING Envelope” (easily printable) that displays your electronic contribution for the collection basket

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY: Is 35:1-10; Ps 85:9ab-14; Lk 5:17-26

TUESDAY: Is 40:1-11; Ps 96:1-3,10-13; Mt 18:12-14

WEDNESDAY: Zec 2:14-17; Ps 45:11-12,14-17;

Lk 1:26-38

THURSDAY: Is 41:13-20; Ps 145:1,9-13ab;

Mt 11:11-15

FRIDAY: Is 48:17-19; Ps 1:1-4,6; Mt 11:16-19

SATURDAY: Sir 48:1-4,9-11; Ps 80:2-3,15-16,18-19;
Mt 17:10-13

NEXT SUNDAY: 3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Zep 3:14-18a; (Ps)Is 12:2-6; Phil 4:4-7;

Lk 3:10-18



The RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE has been moved; new location is located in St. Anne's Convent, 246 Congress Street.

CCD Office Hours: Monday thru Wednesday 10:00 am to 2 pm, Sunday 10:00 am-12 noon; Please call before coming: 201-963-0998.

Attn Parents: Please pick up Sunday bulletin on weekly basis for updates and current Religious Education News!!

- * Dec. 8 - CONFIRMATION DAY 11:00 AM in Church
- * Dec. 9 - Teacher's Meeting
- * Dec. 16 - 10:00 AM-12 Noon CCD Students' Christmas Party in Centennial Hall
- * Dec. 17 & 19 - First Penance Conferences for Parents/Guardians in Convent; letters will be sent home with appointment time and date.
- * Dec. 23 & 30 - CHRISTMAS RECESS; No Classes; Students and parents are to continue to attend Mass during Holiday Season.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Saint Anne's Parish congratulates its family members who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on December 8th. They are:

Maryrose Cam, Samantha Coulter, John Cuaton, Gabrielle Jan Dizon, Nicole Facchini, Christian Facultad, Noam Fossi, Nicolle Lagmay, Kyle Lee, Ralph Macias, Andy Mascarenhas, Justin Melendez, Jaylah Otero, Carmela Percontino, Mercedes Rivera, Anna Romano, Jaeanne Vincencio

St. Anne's Adult Choir Rehearsals

All Choir rehearsals take place in the Church of St. Anne: If you'd like to join our Parish Choir, please attend the rehearsal. *Thank you.*



- Adult Choir rehearsal (Eng)-Thursdays at 6:00 PM
- Adult Choir rehearsal (Span)-Wednesdays at 7:30 PM



The Gift Shop ***Located in St. Anne's Rectory***

Hours: Tues & Thurs 2-4:30 PM
Sunday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Advent items NOW AVAILABLE in Gift Shop:

Advent Calendars \$1. each

Advent Wreaths with Candles \$10. each

Other Christmas items also on sale!



We are happy to take special gift orders. Come in and browse.



Any Occasion:

Wedding, Baptism, Communion, Confirmation



Simbang Gabi

(Midnight Mass)

at **St. Anne's**



December 15-23
(Monday thru Friday)

7:00 P.M.

(Saturday & Sunday)

5:30 P.M.

Join us for the 9 nights
Mass in preparation for the coming of
Jesus Christ

Potluck Dinner will be served each night after Mass. For more information, please call Greg Gonzales (201)736-5844, Minnie Fernandez (201)467-1078, Ed Morales (201)705-3295, Mary Stewart (201)653-6717

Note: If interested to sponsor one night dinner, please contact above persons.

Peace on
Earth

**Holiday
Mass Schedule
for St. Anne's Church**



CHRISTMAS

Christmas Eve

7:00 p.m. Christmas Vigil (Bi-Lingual)
12:00 Midnight Mass

Christmas Day

9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12 Noon

NEW YEAR

New Year's Eve

7:00 p.m. (antic. Mass for Holy Day)
(Bi-Lingual)

New Year's Day

9:00 am



Annulment Information Evening

An Annulment Information Evening is scheduled for **Wednesday, December 12th**, at Holy Spirit Church, 984 Suburban Road, Union, NJ, at 7:30 PM. A member of the staff of the Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Newark will provide basic information about annulments; the requirements for annulments and how to begin the process of petitioning for an annulment. There will be an opportunity for questions at the session. Pre-registration is not necessary, but for directions, please call the parish at (908) 687-3327.

Facilitator Training for PGC

The Archdiocese of Newark Office of Child and Youth Protection will be holding a **Protecting God's Children** 5

Facilitator training session in the Archdiocese Center on **January 10 and 11, 2013**. Anyone in St. Anne's Parish who is qualified (participated in PGC Program through St. Anne's Parish) and wishes to become a facilitator, must attend BOTH FULL DAYS OF TRAINING - 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Breakfast and lunch will be provided, as will all training materials. There is no charge for the session.

Enrollment must be done through Virtus. Please go to www.virtus.org and register for the session. You must have an existing Virtus ID to register. Registration is either done upon logon or you can go to the Training tab, click Live Training on the left side, and click "Preregister for an upcoming Live training session in your area"; Select the January session. If you do not know your Virtus ID, please see Georgene in rectory.



**The Parish of Saint Anne's
is sponsoring a Giving Tree**

**SHARING THE CHRISTMAS
MESSAGE OF HIS LOVE!**



*The Giving Tree will be placed in the Church vestibule
December 2nd through December 16th, 2012*

*Please take a tag from the tree, purchase the gift, **attach tag to gift and DROP OFF AT THE RECTORY!***

All gifts are requested to be gift-wrapped WITH the original tag attached.

GIFTS MUST BE DROPPED OFF BY SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16TH

Second Collection

Give to those who have given a lifetime. Senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests worked for many years for little, if any, pay. Their sacrifices now leave their religious communities without adequate savings for retirement. Your gift to today's second collection for the **Retirement Fund for Religious** helps to provide prescription medications, nursing care, and more for thousands of elderly religious. Please be generous.

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Done a aquellos que dieron toda una vida. Hermanas, hermanos y sacerdotes católicos de órdenes religiosas laboraron por muchos años con poco o ningún pago. Sus sacrificios ahora dejan a sus comunidades religiosas sin ahorros suficientes para su jubilación. Su donativo a la segunda colecta de hoy destinada al Fondo para la Jubilación de Religiosos proporciona fondos vitales que costean los medicamentos, enfermeros y más, para miles de religiosos ancianos. Sean generosos.



Christmas Flowers

Trees, wreaths and plants have been ordered in preparation for decorating our church for the Christmas Season.

If you would like to make a donation in memory of a loved one while helping to defray the cost of the decorations, please donate by using your **"FLOWER" envelope** and drop it off in the rectory or the Sunday collection basket. A 'donor list' will be posted for those envelopes dropped off by December 19th.



Welcome To Our Family

We recently received a new member into our St. Anne's Parish Family through the Sacrament of Baptism. As he begins his new life of grace, we ask that you remember him in your prayers.

Please welcome:

Ethan Edwin Acosta

Weekly Planner

SUNDAY 12/9

2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

10:30 AM-1:00 PM H.N.S. Mass/Mtg-Ch/CentHall
1:00-3:00 PM Fil-Am Mtg-Cent Hall
5:00 PM OLG Novena-Ch/Cent Hall

MONDAY 12/10

3:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rectory
7:00 PM OLG Novena-Ch/Cent Hall

TUESDAY 12/11

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall
3:00-4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-Convent
7:00 PM OLG Novena-Ch/Cent Hall

WEDNESDAY 12/12

Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

4:00 PM (setup)OLG Feast Celeb-Cent Hall
6:00 PM OLG Feast Celeb-Cent Hall ONLY
7:30 PM Adult Choir Pract (Span)-Church

THURSDAY 12/13

6:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal (Eng)-Church
6:00-8:00 PM Daisy/Brow/Jr Mtg-Cent Hall

FRIDAY 12/14

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall
6:30-8:30 PM Cub Scouts-Cent Hall

8:00 PM J&M Prayer Mtg-Annex

SATURDAY 12/15

10:00 AM (setup)Padre Pio Christmas Pty-CentH
2:00-4:00 PM Padre Pio Mass/Mtg-Cent Hall
5:30-10:00 PM Simbang Gabi-Church/Cent Hall

SUNDAY 12/16

3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

10:00 AM-12:00 PM Children's Chrstm Pty-CenH
5:30-10:00 PM Simbang Gabi-Church/Cent Hall

MONDAY 12/17

3:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rectory
7:00-10:00 PM Simbang Gabi-Church/Cent Hall

TUESDAY 12/18

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall
3:00-4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-Convent
7:00-10:00 PM Simbang Gabi-Church/Cent Hall

WEDNESDAY 12/19

6:00-10:00 PM Simbang Gabi-Church/Cent Hall
7:30 PM Adult Choir Pract (Span)-Church

THURSDAY 12/20

7:00-10:00 PM Simbang Gabi-Church/Cent Hall

Novena & Holy Hours

St. Anne, St. Jude and St. Anthony: Tuesday after daily Mass

Sacred Heart: First Friday of month after daily Mass

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

Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Every Wednesday 7:00 PM in Convent Chapel

San Lorenzo Ruiz de Manila: Last Wednesday every month 7:00 PM in Convent Chapel

HOLY HOUR

Holy Hour will take place every Tuesday from 3:00 to 4:00 pm.

It is an hour of prayer for the priests, religious men and women and an increase of vocations to the religious life of the Church. All are invited to come and spend time with the Lord for these intentions and for any personal requests.

INFORMATION PAGE

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