



Saint Anne's Church

3545 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City

The logo is composed of a square, bordered field on which a boat, symbolizing the Church, is represented as sailing on a graphically minimal representation of waves. The main mast of the boat is a cross from which sails are displayed in the form of dynamic signs which compose the trigram of Christ (IHS). The background to the sails is a sun which, associated with the trigram, refers also to the Eucharist.

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.*

Sacrament of Baptism

Infant Baptism take place on the **4th Sunday of each month at 1:30 PM in church. Prior arrangements are necessary; please contact the rectory.**

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 Matrimony

Couples who are contemplating sharing the Sacrament of Marriage should contact the Parish Priest 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.

Religion classes are not only for the Sacraments but are to help children grow in their faith; religious instruction is continuous. Sacramental Classes (First Eucharist/Confirmation) are a two-year preparation.

Children attend Sunday 9:00 AM Mass with their families; class begins immediately following Mass until 11:30 AM.

For more information on St. Anne's Religious Education Program, please contact Sister Alberta Manzo, our Parish Catechetical Leader.

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.**

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

Rectory: 201-360-0838 * Fax: 201-721-5996
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201-963-0998

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Website: www.stannesjc.com

TRUSTEES:

Lt. James Carroll
Mrs. Judith Waddleton

Pastoral Notes

Lent

The forty days of Lent begin this week with the distribution of ashes on Wednesday. All *Ash Wednesday* services will take place in church. Anyone who would like to volunteer to distribute ashes in church or to the homebound is asked to contact the rectory, (201) 360-0838.

Lent is an Old English word for Spring. It is a time to do some spiritual spring cleaning, to prepare ourselves for the great fifty day Sunday of Easter. Many Roman Catholics are in the habit of giving something up for Lent; e.g., chocolates, coffee, ice cream, or (gasp!) technology. For Lent 2013 join me in going a little deeper, join me in giving up and throwing out all that stands in contradiction to Jesus and Holy Communion - jealousy; envy; covetousness; rivalry; contentiousness; and of course, the oldie but goodie, gossip, and rumor mongering, that fuel all the others, and can even disguise them as Christian charity. Chocolates did not cause the Crucifixion.

AAA

The Archbishop's Annual Appeal (AAA) got off to a bumpy start due to problems with the heat in church. As a result, a spur of the moment decision was made to postpone the presentation at the Saturday evening Masses, in an effort to get everyone out of a very cold building as soon as possible. For those who missed it, the Appeal will be presented at the 5:30 and 7PM Masses on the First Sunday of Lent.

The heat was back on by the 7:30AM Mass on Sunday, and the presentation was made at all four Masses that day. For those who took home a brochure that day, a reminder that you may drop your pledge downpayment or one time donation in the collection basket on any Sunday, or, you may send it in to the Archdiocese directly. As long as you indicate what parish you belong to, the amount will be credited to Saint Anne. The parish number is 0375 if you want to make extra sure.

Brochures are available for those who are interested in contributing to the Appeal. Look for them in the narthex (lobby) of the church, or stop by the rectory for a copy.

The Year of Faith

In October of 2012, Pope Benedict XVI announced the opening of the Year of Faith. It is a year to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the Second Vatican Council (commonly referred to as Vatican II); and the twentieth anniversary of the promulgation of the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC). The prayer for the Year of Faith is the *Nicene Creed* - the one which is usually recited at Sunday Mass. In observance of the Year of Faith the parish bulletin will feature reflections and teachings taken from the Holy Father's letter declaring the Year of Faith, the four major documents of Vatican II, and the CCC. The Faithful are also encouraged to learn the *Nicene Creed* by heart, by contemplating what it proclaims and praying it often.

Liturgy

While on the topic of the Creed, the Office of Divine Worship has asked all parishes to consider reciting the *Apostles Creed* during the season of Lent. This is the creed that is usually recited when praying with the rosary. The *Nicene Creed* is the prayer of the Year of Faith, but because it is recited communally every Sunday, we can sometimes become desensitized to the radical meaning at its core. Substituting it with the *Apostles Creed* during these forty days gives a chance for contemplating it privately, and then, at the dawn of the Great Sunday, the fifty days of Easter, proclaiming it with a renewed conviction and vigor.

Also, as many of us know, during the season of Lent the Church sings neither the *Gloria* nor the *Alleluia*, these two are reserved especially for the Day of the Resurrection.

Retreat

March the 2nd and March the 9th will be days of retreat and reflection for men and women respectively, of the Archdiocese of Newark. Information is in this bulletin and is also featured on the boards in the narthex. World class speakers, the opportunity to connect with a broader swathe of our Church community; access to the Sacrament of Penance in varied languages; celebration of the Eucharist with the Archbishop; breakfast and lunch provided; all on the beautiful grounds of Seton Hall University. Please consider making this your annual Lenten day of reflection. Because it is men one weekend and women the next makes it easier for many couples with young children to attend. Also, there is a \$25. registration fee, but please do not let money decide whether you go or not. If anyone has difficulty with the registration fee, please come to the rectory.

Rectory Hours

While on the topic of the rectory, please note that the rectory hours are as follows, unless otherwise noted.

Monday through Friday, 9AM to 7PM, Saturday, 9AM to 8:30PM and Sunday, 9AM to 1:30PM.

All office staff are entitled to a lunch break of at least half an hour, which is usually taken from 12PM to 12:30PM on weekdays, and 3PM to 4PM on Saturdays. It is the policy of the Archdiocese of Newark that all staff are off on legal and/or public holidays, therefore the office will be closed on Monday February 18th, Presidents' Day.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY: Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a,5-6,10,12,24,35c;
Mk 6:53-56

TUESDAY: Gn 1:20-2:4a; Ps 8:4-9; Mk 7:1-13

WEDNESDAY: Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-6a,12-14,17;
2Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6,16-18

THURSDAY: Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4,6;
Lk 9:22-25

FRIDAY: Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-6a,18-19; Mt 9:14-15

SATURDAY: Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32

NEXT SUNDAY: 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT Dt 26:4-10; Ps 91:1-2,10-15; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. Anne's Adult Choir



Schedule of Masses February 11th-17th, 2013

Day	Time	Requested for	Requested by
Mon 2/11	7 AM	Nancy Masiello	Ralph & Sallie Donato & Family
	9 AM	(Liv) Angela Aver-	Shin Family
Tues 2/12	7 AM	Michael Maffei	Fusco Family
	9 AM	Doris & Lyda Cullen	Ruth Cullen
Wed 2/13	7 AM	Rosalina Leone	Angelo Tango
	9 AM	Agripina Cruz	Lucila Samson
	7 PM	Special Intention	OL Perpetual Help Group
Thurs 2/14	7 AM	Capparelli Family	Roseann Capparelli
	9 AM	Michael Maffei	Nancy DelGiodice
Fri 2/15	7 AM	Michael Maffei	Anganette
	9 AM	Pacita Llamas	Lucila Samson
Sat 2/16	9 AM	Michael Maffei	Chris & Cathy Burke
	5:30 PM	Kenneth Krieger	Debra & Denise Pisani
	7 PM	Ricardo Berrocales	Family
Sun 2/17	7:30 AM	Michael Maffei	Holy Name Society
	9 AM	Michael Maffei	CCD Teachers & Children
	10:30 AM	Eileen Drennan	Steve & Fran Drennan
	12 noon	Angelina Crincoli	Steven Yerow

Saint Anne's Masses in English are in need of a song leader. If you're interested in being our "Leader of Song" for our Masses in English, please contact the rectory.

Choir rehearsal in Spanish takes place in the Church every Wednesday at 7:30 PM. If you'd like to join our Parish Spanish Choir, please attend the rehearsal. *Thank you.*



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

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

- * Feb. 10th - Parents' Mtg. for New Confirmation Candidates
- * Feb. 13th - Ash Wednesday Fish Fry 5:00-8:30 PM-Cent Hall; return form, tickets at rectory
- * Feb. 17th - NO CLASS; President's Day weekend
- * Feb. 24th - New Confirmation Candidates' Classes begin
 - Parents' Last Reconciliation Mtg 1:00 PM Convent
 - 7:30 PM Franciscan Mystery Player Presentation of 'The Way of the Cross'-Church

Novena of Masses

FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2013

<i>Requested for</i>	<i>Requested by</i>
Theresa Lattanzi	Frances & Angela
Pantaleon Sandal	Sandal Family
Patria Sandal	Sandal Family
Roberto Sandal	Sandal Family
Eduardo Aguilar	Blanca Proano
Gloria Tiangco	Blanca Proano
Isayas Tiangco	Blanca Proano

<i>Sanctuary Gifts February 10th-16th, 2013</i>		
<i>Gift</i>	<i>In Memory of</i>	<i>Requested By</i>
<i>Altar Wine</i>	Anna Fischer	Jim & Vincent
<i>Altar Bread</i>	John Lancia	Madeline Gerrity
<i>Sanctuary Lamp</i>	Special Intention	
<i>Altar Candles</i>	James Goldsworthy	Michael & Christina Makofka & Family



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



Scriptural Reflections on Stewardship

Isaiah, a man of unclean lips, beholds the Lord's glory in the temple and is sent on mission. Simon, a sinner, responds to the mission of Jesus by becoming a disciple. Paul, the persecutor, speaks of his call to preach nothing but Christ crucified and risen.

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

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



William Devon, Madeline Gerrity, Miyuki Campbell, Ernest Wicklund, Marie Carlson, Emilie Jaworowski, Dolores DelMonte, Warren Lewis, Charles Kaufman, Bill Waddleton Sr., Dianne O'Sullivan, Sadie Krieger, Carl Carlson, Helen Ferris, Carol Jordan, Juanito Lagmay Sr., Jeffrey Mallari

FISH & CHIPS DINNER



ASH WEDNESDAY – FEBRUARY 13th

St. Anne's Centennial Hall

Takeout: 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM * Eat In: 7:00 PM TO 8:30 PM

**TICKETS NEED TO BE PURCHASED FROM
ST. ANNE'S RECTORY - 3545 Kennedy Blvd.**

ADULTS - \$8.00 in advance/\$10.00 at the door

CHILDREN - \$5.00 in advance/\$7.00 at the door

**ALL ADVANCE TICKETS NEED TO BE PURCHASED
BY FEBRUARY 10TH**



ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK 2013 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 "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, February 17, 2013 to the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, May 26, 2013.**

*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.*

Lenten Healing Mass

There will be a *Lenten First Friday Healing Mass* on **March 1st** here at St. Anne's Church. It will start at 8:00PM with Confession/ Reconciliation, Holy Mass and Healing Service, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction. Our guest Celebrant and Homilist will be the Rev Bill J. Halbing, Director of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal of the Archdiocese of Newark and Pastor of Immaculate Heart of Mary RC Church, Scotch Plains, NJ. Please come and bring a friend, a neighbor or family member(s). For information, you may call Tina [\(201\)653-4785](tel:(201)653-4785) or Chitra [\(1-718\)974-7601](tel:(1-718)974-7601).

St. Anne's Festival 2013

There will be a Festival Meeting on February 20th at 7:00 PM in Centennial Hall to begin planning St. Anne's Festival 2013. All are welcome to attend!



LENTEN FISH FRI

SAINT ANNE'S CHURCH

Fridays during Lent at 5:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. in Centennial Hall

February 22nd, March 1, 8, 15, 22nd

Price \$7.00 in advance; \$8.00 at the door

MENU

Fish, Fries, Cole Slaw, Tartar Sauce & Drink

Dine-in or Take-out

We look forward to enjoying the company of our fellow parishioners and neighbors during this most holy season.

If you are attending the Stations of the Cross, please notify the kitchen staff BEFORE ATTENDING STATIONS.

Thank you.

Tickets are on sale at the rectory.

Catholic Men's and Women's Conference

In preparation for Lent, St. Anne's Parish is encouraging its parishioners to participate in this Archdiocesan sponsored event. Registration forms for the Men's Conference are located in church and the rectory. Forms for Women's Conference is not yet available but you can register online.

We Walk by Faith! - A Catholic Men's Conference on Saturday, March 2nd, at Seton Hall University in South Orange, NJ. Prayerful, spirit-filled, life changing! The day begins at 8:00 AM and ending around 4:00 PM. Mass will be celebrated by Most Reverend Archbishop John J. Myers along with our local Bishops and Priests concelebrating. A dynamic line-up of speakers is scheduled for this day!

Ticket price is \$25 for adults, \$20 for students and senior citizens and priests & religious free including breakfast and lunch. For registration please visit our website at www.rcanmenscommission.org or contact your Parish Conference Leader.

Tel. 973-497-4545 E-mail: CatholicMen@rcan.org

Caminamos Guiados por la Fe! - Conferencia de Hombres Católicos el Sábado, 2 de marzo del 2013, en Seton Hall University en South Orange, NJ. Un día

de oración, espiritual que te ¡cambiara tu vida! El día comienza a las 8:00 AM y termina a las 4:00 PM con la Santa Misa. La Misa será celebrada por el Reverendísimo Arzobispo de Newark John J. Myers junto a nuestros Obispos locales y sacerdotes de nuestra Arquidiócesis. ¡Contamos con un grupo de oradores dinámicos que inspiraran tu día! Precio de taquilla es \$25 para adultos, \$20 para estudiantes y seniors. Todos los sacerdotes y diáconos entran gratis. Incluye desayuno y almuerzo. Para registraciones visite nuestra página de internet www.rcanmenscommission.org o contacte su Líder de Parroquia o Párroco. Tel. 973-497-4545 E-mail: CatholicMen@rcan.org.

Catholic Women's Conference

Rediscover the Joy of Believing - A Catholic Women's Conference on Saturday, March 9th at Seton Hall University in South Orange; day begins at 8:30 am and ends 5:15 pm. Mass will be celebrated by Most Reverend Archbishop John J. Myers.

Ticket price is \$25 for adults, \$20 for students and senior citizens and priests & religious free including breakfast and lunch. For registration please visit our website at www.rcanmenscommission.org or contact your Parish Conference Leader.

Weekly Planner

SUNDAY 2/10

5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10:30 AM-1:00 PM HNS Mass/Mtg-Ch/Cent Hall
12:00 PM Confirmation Parent Mtg-
1:00-3:00 PM Fil-Am Mtg-Cent Hall

MONDAY 2/11

1:00 PM-4:00 PM St. Anne Seniors-Cent Hall
3:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rectory
6:00-8:00 PM Daisy/Brow/Jr Mtg-Cent Hall

TUESDAY 2/12

Lincoln Birthday

12:15 Bingo-Cent Hall
3:00-4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-Convent

WEDNESDAY 2/13

ASH WEDNESDAY

3:00 PM Service for Distrib of Ashes
5:00-8:30 PM Fish Fry-Cent Hall
7:30 PM Adult Choir Pract (Span)-Church

THURSDAY 2/14

Valentine's Day

7:00 PM OL Guadalupe Mtg-Annex

FRIDAY 2/15

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall
1:00 & 7:00 PM Stations of the Cross-Church
6:00-7:00 PM Daisy/Brow/Jr-Cent Hall
8:00 PM J&M Prayer Mtg-Annex

On Premise 50/50
(sold ONLY at Auction)



**Call rectory today to
reserve your table for 8
or more!**

St. Anne's Parish Family Auction

Sunday, March 3, 2013

Doors open @ 12:00 Noon

Admission Tickets: **ADULTS (12 yrs. +): \$12.00**
 CHILDREN (under 12 yrs.): \$6.00

Admission includes one auction bid-sheet and one meal!

(Admission ticket is needed to receive meal)

Please bring all donations (including Gift Cards and Gift Certificates) to the rectory and label them "Parish Auction".

Volunteers are always needed. If you are interested in volunteering, please inquire with
Judy Waddleton 201-659-4641.

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