



# St. Anne's Church

3545 Kennedy Blvd., 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.**

**Mrs. Georgene DeBenedetto, Admin. Assist**

**Mrs. Gina Iacona - Principal, St. Anne's School**

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## We Invite You To Join Us In The Celebration Of The Eucharist

**Saturday Evening:** (anticipated for 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.

### 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 con-

tact our principal, Mrs. Marlene Bartram. For information on St. Anne's 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

**Rosary Society:** 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 each Monday at 7 PM in the Rectory. 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 Chapel Hall (school gym). 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.

**Knights of Columbus:** Every 2nd Friday at 7 PM in rectory meeting room.

### Parish Prayer Groups

**Padre Pio Prayer Group:** 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 2nd & 3rd Friday at 7:00 P.M. in PC #4 - Quarterly Healing Mass in Church (Sept/Dec/March/June).

### Novena & Holy Hours

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

**Sacred Heart:** First Friday of month after daily Mass

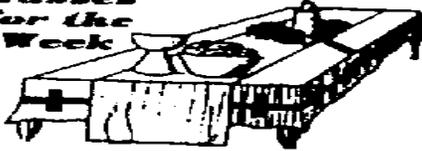
**Mass Our Lady of Fatima:** First Saturday of the month after daily Mass

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help:** Every Wednesday 7:00 PM

**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.**

Masses  
for the  
Week



**Schedule of Masses July 14th-20th, 2008**

Day	Time	Requested for	Requested by
<b>Mon.</b> 7/21	7 AM	Asterina Bianco	Toni Belfiore
	9 AM	Anthony Sam Lipari	Millie Favazzi
	7 PM	Mary Gallesich	Theresa Lattanzi
<b>Tues.</b> 7/22	7 AM	Charles Reitzel	Debra, Denise, Joy
	9 AM	Eileen T. Doherty	Christina Burke
	7 PM	Margaret McNamara	John & Debby Faherty
<b>Wed.</b> 7/23	7 AM	Charles Reitzel	Fusco Family
	9 AM	Ernest Meyer	Albert Koska
	7 PM	For The People Of The Parish	
<b>Thurs.</b> 7/24	7 AM	Charles Reitzel	Danny & MaryAnn Coyle
	9 AM	(Liv) Pat Roda	St. Joseph Prayer Group
	7 PM	Margaret McNamara	John & Sloan
<b>Fri.</b> 7/25	7 AM	James MocarSKI	Mother & Joseph
	9 AM	(Liv) Pat Roda	Padre Pio Prayer Group
	7 PM	Virginia Bald	Festival Committee
<b>Sat.</b> 7/26	9 AM	St. Anne	Gemma
	5:30 PM	Ann Marie Simone-Alfano	Michael
<b>Sun.</b> 7/27	7:30 AM	James MocarSKI	Mom & Joseph
	9 AM	Alessandro Belfiore	Nancy McGrath
	10:30AM	Annita D'Amico	Family
	12 noon	Louis Carbone	Family

**Sanctuary Gifts July 20th-26th, 2008**

Gift	In Memory	Requested By
<b>Altar Wine</b>	Virginia Bald	Georgene De-Benedetto
<b>Altar Bread</b>	Robert Perez	Barbara Verdonck
<b>Sanctuary Lamp</b>	Margaret McNamara	McGrath Family
<b>Altar Candles</b>	Robert Perez	Lorraine Dewan



**LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK**

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

Catherine McMichael, Steve Borland, Paul Skoyec, Dorothy Kelly, Diane O'Sullivan, Margaret Lack, Carl Carlson, Patricia O'Donnell, Donald Jordan, Sister Alberta Manzo, Sandro Robalino, Lina Kidney, Lucila Newman, Dolores Angevine

**MONTHLY AVERAGE COMPARISONS:**

Month	2007	2008
June	\$3,050.	\$3,229.
July	\$4,696.	\$3,205.

**Our Weekly Offering 2008**



Month of July

<b>July 12/13</b>	\$ 2,792.
Mailed in, thank you	\$ 310.
Month's Total	\$ 6,411.
Month's Average	\$3,205.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**MONDAY** Mi 6:1-4,6-8; Ps 50:5-6,8-9,16bc-17,21,23;  
Mt 12:38-42

**TUESDAY** Mi 7:14-15,18-20; Ps 85:2-8; Jn 20:1-2,11-18

**WEDNESDAY** Jer 1:1,4-10; Ps 71:1-4a,5-6b,15,17;  
Mt 13:1-9

**THURSDAY** Jer 2:1-3,7-8,12-13; Ps 36:6-7b,8-11;  
Mt 13:10-17

**FRIDAY** 2Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1b,2-6; Mt 20:20-28

**SATURDAY** Jer 7:1-11; Ps 84:3-6a,8a,11; Mt 13:24-30

**NEXT SUNDAY: 17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY**

**TIME** 1Kgs 3:5,7-12; Ps 119:57,72,76-77,127-130;  
Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52



### *Scriptural Reflection on Stewardship*

The good Samaritan was also a good steward, giving his time and his treasure to meet his neighbor's need. At the end of this familiar story, Jesus urges His hearers - and us - to go and do the same!

### *Food Pantry*

**Reminder:** Please continue contributing to St. Anne's "shared" Food Pantry on a monthly basis. Please place food in receptacle provided in the church vestibule.

**Holiday baskets will be distributed from St. Nicholas utilizing the food we donate throughout the year.**

**Thank you.**

St. Nicholas is requesting a volunteer from St. Anne's to help with sorting the food on the **2nd THURSDAY of each month** at 4:30 p.m. in St. Nicholas Rectory on Ferry Street, JC. If you're able to be help, please contact Georgene at the rectory. The next Food Pantry "Stocking" will be **AUGUST 14TH** for about an hour.

### *Class Reunion*

St. Cecilia's High School, Englewood, Class of 1958, 50th REUNION is planned for September 20, 2008 at the Clinton Inn, Tenafly, 7:30 pm. We are still looking for classmates, if you know of anyone who graduated from Saints in '58,

please contact Pat Schroth Quianna at 845-831-6826.

### *Bible Study*



**Father Titus Njoku offers a Bible Class to all parishioners and friends every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Rectory Basement. All are welcome; no fee. For information, please call the Rectory at (201) 656-2490 or (201) 653-4785. This Bible Class is currently on-going.**



### VOCATIONS



The Gospel today is one of patience. Christ is explaining the patience God has with humanity by using the parable of the man who sowed good seed in a field. The duty of the priest and religious is to demonstrate that same patience to the flock entrusted to his pastoral care.

Are you willing to become a priest or religious of patience, just as Christ is? If so, you may have a vocation to the priesthood or religious life. Pray for the patience Christ demonstrated, even from the cross, and contact the Vocation Office at 973.497.4365 or email [kellybar@rcan.org](mailto:kellybar@rcan.org).

# *Saint Anne's on the Boulevard*

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of Fun, Food, Music,  
Entertainment, Surprises and  
a Whole Lot More!!!

*Show starts at  
7:00 PM*

*Featuring:*

Blue Angel on July 25

The Passions on July 26

The Tercels on July 27

**The Best-Ever 50-50 Grand Raffle  
to be Held at 10:00 PM on July 27**

# **2008 FESTIVAL**



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### GOD IS LOVE

Lord Jesus, Savior of the world and source of holiness, **you tell us that in the end times it will be difficult to remain loving, but loving we must be.**

Please, look with kindness upon us and help us to have a divine heart. **Lord, we ask You to send us the Holy Spirit to fill us with His gifts so that we will have hearts that love you above all, and hearts that will reflect your love to all we meet.** We ask you Lord, to keep us from evil and to aid us in our commitment to do your will. We desire to be one with you as you are one with your Father. Amen

**Each one of us are called to be a living book of Scripture, and to live our life as a Spirit-filled revelation of Jesus in our world.** We are called first and foremost to be like Mary in the Annunciation: Instruments of Christ doing the Father's Will in the midst of our world in the reality of this present moment. We are called to allow Jesus to work through us like he worked through Mary. We are called to say "yes" to the Will of God in our lives.

**The life that each one of us is called to must be founded on faith** lived in a constant awareness of God's Presence. This life is exemplified through love in action by being of service to our sisters and brothers and striving to be a "Peacemaker" in Our world. **Lord Jesus Christ, grant me a loving heart....**

(Book: Loving Heart/J.F.CampoliBreig) (Pastoral Council/Word/L.D./7/7/08)

### ***ATTENTION STUDENTS WHO WILL APPLY TO CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL THIS FALL!***

**In order to apply to the 32 Catholic high schools in the four counties within the Archdiocese of Newark, students in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade must take the 2008 COOP Exam.**

**The exam will be given on Friday, November 7, 2008. For more information, visit [www.coopexam.org](http://www.coopexam.org) or call 1-888-921-COOP.**

### ***From the Desk of.... the Bulletin Editor***

The Church bulletin is published on our website [www.stannesjc.com](http://www.stannesjc.com). The following criteria needs to be met in order for this information to be emailed to our webmaster:

- Information to be put in the bulletin needs to be at the rectory **10 days prior to publication (Thursday morning** of the week before)
- One of the following formats need to be used: **Microsoft PowerPoint, Microsoft Publisher or Microsoft Word** (in that order of preference).
- "Flyer" notices need to be put on disc and dropped off at the rectory OR emailed to me at [sarc2000@verizon.net](mailto:sarc2000@verizon.net).  
Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.  
**Georgene DeBenedetto**

It's Candy Time Again...

Sweets for St. Anne's Festival 2008  
CANDY BOOTH

This year, we hope to make our candy booth bigger and better than ever! We need your help for this to happen.

Any Contributions would be greatly appreciated: Monetary Donations to purchase "the "Sweets" or Candy Donations. We thank those who have already contributed.

Please contact Georgene at the rectory or call Marie Pianese at 201-798-6534. We Thank You in advance.

## 50/50 Raffle Drawing

### Sunday, July 27th

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**10 p.m.**

*IF YOU HAVEN'T ALREADY DONE SO, PLEASE SEND IN YOUR RAFFLE FOR THE  
GRAND 50/50 BEING DRAWN AT ST. ANNE'S FESTIVAL.*

WE'VE CURRENTLY COLLECTED \$2,995.00.

## Gift Wheel

The Padre Pio and St. Joseph Prayer Groups invite you to make their "Gift Wheel" a great success as in the past. Come and win a beautiful gift and help our beloved St. Anne's at the same time.

Donations of new/unused gifts are now being accepted at the rectory. If you do not have time to shop, monetary donations will be gladly accepted.

Items or donations can be dropped off at the rectory marked "Gift Wheel-Festival" or call Frances Spazian at 201-653-1318.

Thank you in advance for your continued support.

## Weekly Planner

### SUNDAY 7/20

#### **16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 AM-1:00 PM Liberty Cheerleaders-Star Lite

**12 noon St. Anne Novena Mass-Church**

1:00 PM-4:00 PM Fil-am Dcng Lsns-Chapel Hall

### MONDAY 7/21

**9:00 AM & 7:00 PM St. Anne Novena Mass-Church**

7:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect. Library

Festival Use-Cent. Hall

### TUESDAY 7/22

**9:00 AM & 7:00 PM St. Anne Novena Mass-Church**

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent.Hall

Festival Use-Cent.Hall

### WEDNESDAY 7/23

**9:00 AM & 7:00 PM St. Anne Novena Mass-Church**

7:30 PM Bible Study-Rect. Mtgrm

Festival Use-Cent.Hall

### THURSDAY 7/24

**9:00 AM & 7:00 PM St. Anne Novena Mass-Church**

Festival Use-Cent.Hall

### FRIDAY 7/25

#### **ST. ANNE'S FESTIVAL**

**9:00 AM & 7:00 PM St. Anne Novena Mass-Church**

7:00 PM OLG (Reina)-Chapel Hall

7:30 PM J&M Prayer Group-Rect Mtgrm

NO BINGO

### SATURDAY 7/26

#### **FEAST OF ST. ANNE**

#### **ST. ANNE'S FESTIVAL**

**9:00 AM & 5:30 PM St. Anne Novena Mass-Church**

6:00 PM Arya Dance Academy-Chapel Hall

### SUNDAY 7/27

#### **17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

#### **ST. ANNE'S FESTIVAL**

9:00 AM-1 PM Liberty Cheerleaders-Star Lite

**St. Anne Procession following 12 noon Liturgy**

### MONDAY 7/28

7:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect. Library

### TUESDAY 7/29

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent. Hall

### WEDNESDAY 7/30

7:30 PM Bible Study-Rect.Mtgrm

### FRIDAY 8/1

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent. Hall

7:00 PM -9:00 PM OLG (Reina)-Chapel H

7:30 PM J&M Healing Mass-Church

### SATURDAY 8/2

6:00 PM -8:00 PM Arya Dance Academy-Chapel H

8:00 PM -10:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Chapel Hall

8:00 PM -9:30 PM OLG Social-Cent.Hall

# St. Anne's Festival 2008-July 25,26,27



Religious Education News  
*from Sister Alberta*

**CCD Office Hours: September-June; Sunday 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Monday thru Wednesday 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; CLOSED THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY. Please call before coming: Office 201-659-1794/ Convent 201-963-0998.**

- In the absence of Sister Alberta, the CCD Office will NOT have its regular hours for the summer - please

contact the rectory. CCD Registration forms can be filled out and left (along with \$50 fee) at the rectory; please bring Baptism Certificate when registering. **PLEASE CALL BEFORE COMING.**

- CCD Program is in need of new teachers and many helpers for September. Could you volunteer your services for a couple of hours a week? Without interested parents, there would be no religious education program; please consider helping for the welfare of our children.

## **INFORMATION PAGE**

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