



St. Anne's Church

3545 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City

Our Parish is Served by:
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Rev. Titus C. Njoku, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Eduardo T. Veluz, Parochial Vicar
Sr. Alberta Manzo, Pastoral Associate — D.R.E.
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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

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 contact our principal, Mrs. Gina Iacona. 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

Boy Scouts: 973-368-7627

Girl Scouts: 973-429-7499

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 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

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 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.



Schedule of Masses August 22nd-28th, 2011			
Day	Time	Requested for	Requested by
Mon. 8/22	7 AM	Rose Janneire	Agnes Cassely & Kathleen Pollock
	9 AM	Cua It Yao	Chao Family
Tues. 8/23	7 AM	Rose Janneire	Eric & Maureen Pollock
	9 AM	Rita Villacorta	Rose Villanueva
Wed. 8/24	7 AM	Rose Janneire	Pat Santana
	9 AM	Kathleen & Patrick Burke Jr.	Christina & Catherine Burke
	7 PM	Rosemary Maffei	Family
Thurs. 8/25	7 AM	Rose Janneire	Mildred Bombich
	9 AM	Rosemary Maffei	Family
Fri. 8/26	7 AM	Rosemary Maffei	Family
	9 AM	Kathleen & Patrick Burke Jr.	Christina & Catherine Burke
Sat. 8/27	9 AM	Mary Fernandez	Zenzius Family
	5:30 PM	Frances Muzikar	Joy
	7 PM	Julio Gonzalez	Zoraida Montalvo
Sun. 8/28	7:30 AM	For The People Of The Parish	
	9 AM	Ruth Johnston	Family
	10:30AM	Emmidio D'Allesandro	M/M Angelo Tango
	12 noon	Monica Keenan	Keenan Family

Sanctuary Gifts August 21st-27th, 2011		
Gift	In Memory	Requested By
Altar Wine	Special Intention	
Altar Bread	Augustina Lambertien	Suntoso Jacob,Lia Suntoso,James F. Sundah,Philip SS
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:

Hazel Holmes, Anne Marie Williams, Bill Waddleton Sr., Mary Wisniewski, Dianne O'Sullivan, Carl Carlson, Nina Kidney, Dorothy Goellner, Helen Hogger, Sister Renee Donahue, Donald Westcott, Katie Capers

MONTHLY AVERAGE COMPARISONS:

Month	2010	2011
July	\$2,885.	\$2,710.
August	\$3,008.	\$2,742.



Our Weekly Offering 2011

August 13/14	\$ 2,537.
Mailed in, thank you	\$ 370.
Week's Total	\$ 2,907.
Month's Total	\$ 5,485.
Weekly Average	\$ 2,742.

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

MONDAY: 1Thes 1:1-5,8b-10; Ps 149:1-6,9;

Mt 23:13-22

TUESDAY: 1Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-6; Mt 23:23-26

WEDNESDAY: Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-13,17-18;

Jn 1:45-51

THURSDAY: 1Thes 3:7-13; Ps 90:3-5,12-14,17;

Mt 24:42-51

FRIDAY: 1Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1-2,5-6,10-12;

Mt 25:1-13

SATURDAY: 1Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1,7-9; Mt 25:14-30

NEXT SUNDAY: 22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY

TIME Jer 20:7-9; Ps 63:2-6,8-9; Rom 12:1-2;

Mt 16:21-27

Scriptural Reflections on Stewardship



As Eliakim is given authority as master of the palace, so does Jesus confer upon Peter authority to bind and to loose. To Jesus, who promised to be with his Church for all time, be glory for ever and ever!

"Or who has given the Lord anything that he may be repaid?"
Romans 11:35

St. Paul reminds us of a central fact of stewardship. We cannot give the Lord anything, because God already owns it all. God made everything. All that we can do is return a portion of God's many gifts back to Him. The good steward does this with gratitude.



There will be no Holy Hour for the months of JULY & AUGUST.

Please be faithful to continue the Holy Hour at home with prayers for priests, religious men and women and an increase of vocations to the religious life of the Church.

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.

- * **Beginning Sept. 5, every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Class Cards can be picked up in CCD Office from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm;**
Sunday, Sept. 18 - Class card pick up ONLY between 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

- * **Sept. 11** - Teacher Orientation 10 am CCD Office
- * **Sept. 18** - Catechetical Sunday; Commissioning of teachers/catechists 9:00 am Mass
- All Confirmation Candidates (receiving Confirm Nov. 19) pick up class cards and Confirmation schedule of activities.
- * **Sept. 25** - Confirmation classes begin; Candidates attend 10:30 am Mass then attend class 11:30-12:30 every Sunday
- Parents/Guardians Confirmation Candidates Meeting 12 noon in Chapel Hall
- * **Oct. 2** - First Day of CCD Class grades K-8

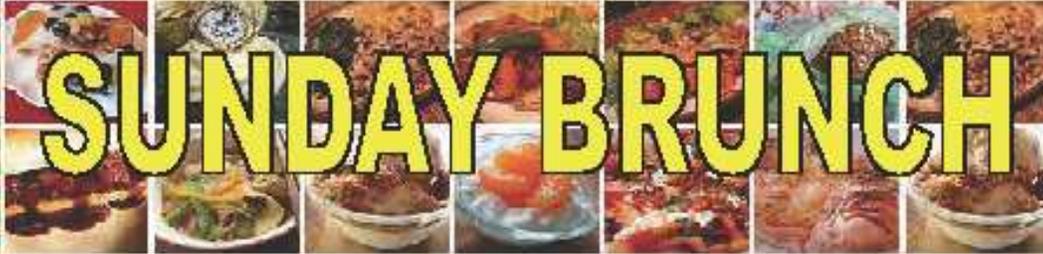
Cub Scout Registration

CUB SCOUT OPEN HOUSE / REGISTRATION on FRIDAY, SEPT. 16, 7-8 PM, CENTENNIAL HALL. All boys in grades 1-5 are invited to join St. Anne's Cub Scouts. Meet twice a month on Thursday evenings. Registration \$20, annual dues \$40. Contact: Dave 973-885-2150 or Susan 201-659-1234. See meeting schedule on Web site www.LeagueLineUp.com/Pack475

CHILDREN'S SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Children's Scholarship Fund Jersey City program is currently accepting new applications for partial-tuition scholarships for the 2011-2012 academic year. Families with students entering Kindergarten at a Catholic school or transferring in Grades 1-8 and from a public school to a Jersey City area Catholic school are encouraged to apply. Jersey City urban areas include Bayonne, Hoboken, Weehawken, Kearny, Union City, West New York, and North Bergen. For additional information applicants can go to <http://www.sficnj.org> or call Jasmin Santos, Program Coordinator at 973 497-4279.

Please Come and Join



August 28, 2011

After 9:00 a.m. mass to 2:00 p.m.
at the St. Anne's Centennial Hall

7 yrs. old above \$6.00

3 to 6 yrs. old \$4.00

Sponsored by:

St. Anne's Fil-Am Association

For reservation and information, please contact

Greg Gonzales (201)7365844

Ticket are also available at the gate

ANNULMENT INFORMATION EVENING

An Annulment Information Evening is scheduled for **Tuesday, September 13, 2011**, at **Our Lady of Sorrows Church, 217 Prospect Street, South Orange, NJ**, starting at **7:30 PM**.

A staff member 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 end of the session.

Pre-registration is not necessary, but for directions, please call the parish at **(973) 763-5454**.

Facilitator Training

Are you interested in becoming part of the ministry to the bereaved in your parish? An eight-week training program is offered by the Office of Family Life Ministries of the Archdiocese of Newark and is now open for registration. Sessions begin in **September and continue into November and are offered**

on Tuesday mornings or on Thursday evenings.

For class locations, registration and fee information, please contact the Office of Family Life Ministries of the Archdiocese of Newark at 973-497-4327 or at mccormja@rcan.org Pre-registration is required; class size is limited.

St. Anne's Fil-Am Association Fundraising Event

ACTIVITY: ATLANTIC CITY TRIP
DATE: AUGUST 27, 2011
CASINO: RESORTS HOTEL & CASINO
TIME: 8:30 AM
**LOCATION: 3545 KENNEDY BLVD.,
JERSEY CITY, NJ**
PRICE: \$30.00
REFUND: \$22.00 CASINO REFUND

Please join us and enjoy the food when in the bus.

For reservations, please call:

Lou Mallari 201-656-6567

Daisy Berberabe 201-656-2536

Thank you for your support.

SUNDAY BINGO

September 11

@ 2:00 PM

Doors open 12 noon

Location:

**St. Anne's Parish
3545 Kennedy Blvd. -
Centennial Hall**

To Benefit St. Anne's School



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 Nigel R. Mohammed

GRUPO DE ORACION



Acompañanos en nuestros encuentros semanales los Martes a las 7:00 de la noche.

Te esperamos!

FONDO DE BECAS

El Fondo de Becas para niños de la ciudad de Jersey City esta aceptando nuevas solicitudes de becas **parciales** para el año escolar 2011-2012. Las familias con niños que ingresan al jardín de infantes en una escuela católica o que tienen estudiantes de 1er a octavo grado que deseen transferir de una escuela pública a una escuela católica en la zona de Jersey City, pueden solicitar mayor información visitando el sitio www.sficnj.org. También pueden llamar a Jasmine Santos, Coordinadora del Programa al teléfono 973-497-4279.

CORO



Si te gusta cantar o sabes tocar algún instrumento, nuestro coro te necesita. Acercate a la Sra. Rosa o algún otro miembro de nuestro coro para más información. Recuerda que cantar es orar dos veces.

El mes de agosto es el mes dedicado al Anciano. Durante nuestra niñez ellos nos enseñaron a amar a Dios, y nos han enriquecido con sus experiencias y sabiduría. Aprovechemos estos días para reciprocarnos nuestro cariño y no olvidemos incluirlos en nuestras oraciones.

La Confesión, una herramienta de conversión.



Los Sacramentos son instrumentos que nos dejó Jesucristo para ayudarnos a llegar al Cielo más fácilmente.

La Confesión o reconciliación es el Sacramento mediante el cual Dios nos perdona los pecados cometidos después del Bautismo.

Es la gran oportunidad que tenemos para acercarnos de nuevo a Dios que es nuestra verdadera felicidad.

Debemos confesarnos cada vez que caigamos en pecado grave o por lo menos una vez al año durante el tiempo de Pascua.

Existen quienes piensan que el sacramento de la Reconciliación no fue instituido por Cristo, sino que es un invento de la Iglesia. Cristo lo instituyó cuando le dijo a los apóstoles: “Recibid el Espíritu Santo. A quienes perdonéis los pecados les serán perdonados, pero a quienes se los retengáis les serán retenidos”. (Jn.20,23; Mt.18,18; 16, 18-19).

Cuando nos reconciamos con alguien: esposa, esposo, hijos, amigos, después de haber tenido un periodo de separación a causa de una pelea, de un mal entendido o una ofensa, nos sentimos en paz, nos da una gran alegría. Con más razón cuando nos reconciamos con Dios a quien hemos ofendido con nuestros pecados. Cómo podemos darle la espalda a Aquél que nos ha dado todo?

El sacramento de la Reconciliación es algo maravilloso. En él encontraremos la paz que tanto buscamos. Perdamos el miedo a este sacramento y acerquémonos a él frecuentemente.

Gracias por haber compartido con nosotros esta Eucaristía. Te esperamos todos los sábados a las 7:00pm.

Weekly Planner

SUNDAY 8/21

21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1:30 PM Baptism Class-Rect Mtgrm

MONDAY 8/22

3:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect Bsmnt

TUESDAY 8/23

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall

7:00 –9:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Church

FRIDAY 8/26

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall

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

SUNDAY 8/28

22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 AM-2:00 PM Fil-Am Brunch-Cent Hall

1:30 PM Baptism-Church

MONDAY 8/29

3:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect Bsmnt

Festival WrapUp - Cent Hall (time to be announced)

TUESDAY 8/30

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall

7:00 PM HNS Board Mtg-Rec Mtgrm

7:00 –9:00 PM OLG Prayer Group-Church

THURSDAY 9/1

7:00-8:45 PM OLG Bible Study-Rect Mtgrm

FRIDAY 9/2

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall

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

SATURDAY 9/3

8:00-9:30 PM OL Guadalupe Social-Cent Hall

Going to Rutgers in New Brunswick?

The Catholic Center at Rutgers, located at 84 Somerset Street on the College Avenue Campus, is looking forward to welcoming you to the New Brunswick/Piscataway campuses. Please note the following information:

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses:

12:00 PM Busch Student Center, Rm.. 120ABC

8:00 PM St. Peter's Church, 94 Somerset St. (CAC)

9:00 PM Cook Campus Center, G.H.Cook Room

10:00 PM Livingston Student Center, Rm.202ABC

Daily Mass (Monday - Friday):

12:15 PM The Catholic Center Chapel (located inside the Catholic Center)

Opening Activities:

Wed. Aug. 31, 6 pm Welcoming BBQ, Livingston

Thursday Sept. 1, NCC at RU; Tailgate 5:30 pm

Friday, Sept. 2, Card Sharks & Big Gamers, 8 PM at the Catholic Center

Monday Sept. 5 Beach Trip, 10 am - 6 pm

Tuesday Sept. 6, First Spirit Nite: Topic "I Will Survive" - learn how to make it at Rutgers!

Thursday Sept. 8, 6 pm Welcoming BBQ, C/D

Check us out at the Involvement Fair on Aug. 30!!!!

Visit us online at www.catholic-center.rutgers.edu

Parents Grieving Death of a Child

The Office of Family Life Ministries of the Archdiocese of Newark sponsors two support groups for Parents Grieving the Death of a Child. Groups meet year 'round on the first Wednesday of each month at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish Center, 60 Byrd Avenue, Bloomfield, and on the third Monday of each month at St. Peter the Apostle Parish Center, 445 Fifth Avenue, River Edge. There is no preregistration and there is no fee. All meetings begin at 7:30 PM. For further information, please contact the Office of Family Life at 973-497-4327 or email mccormja@rcan.org.

INFORMATION PAGE

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