



St. Anne's Church

3545 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City

Our Parish is Served by:
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Rev. Eduardo T. Veluz, Parochial Vicar
Rev. John Ranieri - Weekend Assistant
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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 (Misa Dominical)**

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**

**** EFFECTIVE APRIL 4TH, ALL WEEKDAY MASSES ARE HELD IN SAINT ANNE'S CONVENT CHAPEL!**

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.

Los Sacramentos:

Llame a la oficina para registrarse y pedir

Sacrament of Baptism

Infant Baptisms take place on the **4th Sunday of each month at 1:30 pm**. Prior arrangements are necessary. A **pre-baptismal program** will take place on the **3rd Sunday of each month at 1:30 pm** for parents and godparents 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

Cub 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 Monday at 3:00 PM in the Rectory. All are invited to join.

St. Anne's Seniors: Meets 2nd & 4th Monday of every month at 1 PM in Cen-

tennial Hall. All are invited to join.

Fil-Am Association: General meeting on the 2nd Sunday of the month in Centennial Hall.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Society: General meeting on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7 PM in CCD Conference 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 every Friday at 7:30 P.M. in CCD Conference Room - 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

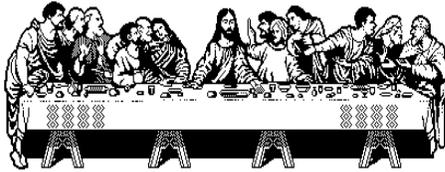
Mass Our Lady of Fatima: First Saturday of the month after daily Mass

Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Every Wednesday 7:00 PM in St. Anne Convent
San Lorenzo Ruiz de Manila: Last Wednesday every month 7:00 PM in St. Anne's Convent

Holy Hour for Priests: Tuesday afternoons 3 PM to 4 PM in St. Anne's Convent, **except June, July, August.**

****Except School Masses & Holy Days until June 14th!!**

Our St. Joseph's Morning Prayer Group invites you to join them as they pray the Rosary publicly after Mass.



**REMINDER: ALL DAILY MASSES ARE HELD IN SAINT ANNE'S CONVENT CHAPEL (246 CONGRESS ST) EXCEPT 9:00 AM SCHOOL MASSES WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING DATES:
MAY 9, 17, 23, JUNE 1, 8, JUNE 14TH (LAST DAY OF SCHOOL)**

Sanctuary Gifts May 6th-12th, 2012

Gift	In Memory	Requested By
Altar Wine	Michael Fusco	Fusco Family
Altar Bread	Michael Fusco	Fusco Family
Sanctuary Lamp	Anna Fischer	Jim & Vincent
Altar Candles	Nuestra Señora de la Medalla Milagrosa	Ursulina Velazquez

Schedule of Masses May 7th-13th, 2012

Day	Time	Requested for	Requested by
Mon. 5/7	7 AM	Michele Fusco	Fusco Family
	9 AM	Pacita Llamas	Gonzales Family
Tues. 5/8	7 AM	Honor of Holy Rosary	Assunta Fusco
	9 AM	Doris & Lyda Cullen	Ruth Cullen
Wed. 5/9	7 AM	Quinn Family	Mildred Bombich
	9 AM	Toni Ann Atkins	Carol Fontana & Diaz Family
	7 PM	Luz Palomares	Aniway Olaya
Thurs. 5/10	7 AM	Cristina Flor Peralta	Lily Nator
	9 AM	Pauline Delurski	Bernice, Jane & Salvatore
Fri. 5/11	7 AM	Agnes Taylar	Michele Rizzuto
	9 AM	(Liv) Angela Aver-sano	Mary Shin
Sat. 5/12	9 AM	Ernesto Voza	Virginia Sarni
	5:30 PM Fr. Ed	All Mothers	
	7 PM Fr. Nigel	All Mothers	
Sun. 5/13	7:30 AM Fr. Nigel	All Mothers	
	9 AM Fr. Titus	All Mothers	
	10:30 AM Fr. Titus	All Mothers	
	12 noon Fr. Ed	All Mothers	

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK



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

Bill Waddleton Sr., Dianne O'Sullivan, Kenneth and Sadie Krieger, Carl Carlson, Karen Haughney, Paul Grundling, Catherine Carlson, Anthony Biggio, Warren Lewis

Scriptural Reflections on Stewardship



Saul witnesses the risen Jesus and boldly proclaims his Lordship. We proclaim our belief in Jesus by our love for one another. He is the vine and we the branches. Together let us praise his name in our assembly of worship.

Festival Meeting

Next Festival Meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, May 8th** at 7:00 PM in Centennial Hall. More discussion about Festival Committee sponsoring Communion Brunch in June.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-5,15-16; Jn 14:21-26

TUESDAY: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab,21;

Jn 14:27-31a

WEDNESDAY: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8

THURSDAY: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3,10; Jn 15:9-11

FRIDAY: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-12; Jn 15:12-17

SATURDAY: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:2,3,5; Jn 15:18-21

NEXT SUNDAY: 6th SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48; Ps 98:1-4; 1Jn 4:7-10;

Jn 15:9-17

NOW AVAILABLE— ELECTRONIC DONATIONS

St. Anne's Church is now offering **E-GIVING** - an electronic way to make your donation by visiting our website at www.stannesjc.com. We have had numerous requests for the church to explore online giving. E-GIVING is setup through our Collection Envelope distributor, D.P. Murphy. Anyone using E-GIVING will receive their end-of-the-year tax information from them.

Please note, **E-GIVING Online** is a secure site. One of the options is a very helpful view of all of your online transactions. *You exclusively* control your activity; you do not interact with any other party.

For those who are hesitant because you still want to have something to put into the collection basket during worship, there is a feature that allows you to select an 'E-GIVING Envelope' (easily printable) that displays your electronic contribution.

E-GIVING is available to ALL - envelope and non-envelope users! If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact Georgene at the rectory.

HOLY HOUR

Holy Hour will now take place in St. Anne's Convent Chapel every Tuesday from 3:00 to 4:00 pm. with Exposition/Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm.

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. All are invited to come and spend time with the Lord for these intentions and for any personal requests.

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 201-360-0838/ Convent 201-963-0998.

- * **May 6 - May Crowning** after 12 noon Mass. First Communicants will attend this Mass for Crowning of the Blessed Mother.
- * **May 13 - Distribution of Communion Certificates** at 9:00 AM Mass
CCD Auction Day in Chapel Hall; teachers check attendance and bring students down 10:30
- * **May 14th - 7:00 PM Teachers' meeting** in Convent
- * **May 20th - CCD Closing Ceremony**

St. Anne's Adult Choir English & Spanish Rehearsals



All Choir rehearsals take place in the Church of St. Anne:

- * Choir rehearsal (English Liturgies) is held on **Thursdays at 6:30 PM.**
- * Choir rehearsal (Spanish Liturgies) is held on **Wednesdays at 7:30 pm.**

If you'd like to join either Choir, please attend choir rehearsal or feel free to contact Nancy McGrath at 973-473-6443.

Spring Dinner/Dance

The St. Anne's Special Fundraising Committee is sponsoring a "Spring Dinner-Dance" on **Saturday, May 12**, in Centennial Hall from 7 PM - 12 AM. Donation is \$30.00. Please contact Danny and Celia Morales @ 201-963-5030.

2012-13 CALENDAR SCHEDULES DUE

Parish Calendar Meeting will be
on June 14th at 7 p.m. in
Centennial Hall!

- All Parish Organizations who use our facilities are requested to submit their yearly calendar for 2012-13. ALL Calendars need SPECIFIC DATES/TIMES with email address. Please drop off at rectory, attention Georgene.



Deadline for submission is
May 25th!!

- Organizations whose calendars are not previously submitted, will have to accept what's available!
- Each organization is requested to have a representative present at this meeting to discuss any conflicts.

Smoky Mountains, TN Trip

St. Anne's Fil-Am Association is sponsoring a bus trip to Virginia and Smoky Mountains, Tennessee on May 26-29, 2012 (4 days/3 nights). Cost is \$299 (Adults); \$175 (Child)-includes hotel, bus, transportation and tips for driver and tour guide. If interested, please call Greg Gonzales at 201-736-5844. Reservation must be in by May 15th!

Free Support For Caregivers

Catholic Charities Family Support Services Program offers free assistance to Hudson County residents caring for a loved one with mental illness. Please contact Iskra Gomez at 201-798-9925.

Save the Date

Inviting everyone to our:

Vigil of Pentecost on **Saturday, May 26**, at 7:00 PM with Praise and Worship, Eucharistic Celebration and Fellowship Reception at St. John the Baptist Church,

Jersey City. Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Newark Catholic Charismatic Renewal Office, Filipino Pastoral Team. For information may call Tina Edelmann [\(201\) 653-4785](tel:2016534785).

FELICIAN COLLEGE

Proud to announce their **Spring Instant Decision Programs for Freshman and Transfer Students May 7-12 and June 11-16**. This will take place on the Lodi Campus in Kirby Hall (262 South Main Street, Lodi). Call 201-559-6131 for an appointment or feel free to stop by with your High School transcripts/GED/College transcripts & SAT/ACT scores or visit [website admissions@felician.edu](mailto:admissions@felician.edu)

Second Collection

Next weekend, **May 12/13**, there will be an Archdiocesan second collection for **Communicating God's Word**. This collection includes: Communications, Evangelizations, Catholic University and Church of Latin America. Please give generously.

St. Anne's School Drama Club Presents

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Wednesday, May 9, 2012

Thursday, May 10, 2012

7:00 pm ~ Centennial Hall

Tickets: Adults \$6.00 Students \$4.00

Children under 5 ~ Free

No Reserved Seating

Tickets can be purchased in the school office or at the door on the night of the performance.

THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME

Welcome To Our Family



We recently received new members into our St. Anne's Parish Family through the Sacrament of Baptism. As they begin their new life of grace, we ask that you remember them in your prayers. Please welcome:

**ERIK CULCAY
GIOVANNI P. YPIL JR.
LUCIA JADE PACHECO
TYLER P. MCGUIRE
ISAIAH ANGEL CHAVEZ
MARCUS RICHARD REYES JR.**

Volunteers Needed!!

Hudson County CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) is in need of volunteers to work in the court system on behalf of foster children. Volunteers must be 21 years of age, be computer literate and have excellent character as well as strong motivation to help abused and neglected children. Orientations are held monthly

and information can be obtained at www.hudsoncountycasa.org or call 201-795-9856.

St. Anne's Gift Shop

The Gift Shop has recently obtained prayer cards and medals of Saint Pauline, the patron saint of diabetes. Pauline, herself suffering from this disease, was a Brazilian nun of Italian decent. She was canonized by Pope John Paul II in 1991.

ANNULMENT INFORMATION EVENING

An Annulment Information Evening is scheduled for **Wednesday, May 9, 2012, Sacred Heart Church, 12 Terrace Avenue, Rochelle Park, NJ, 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 **201-843-1722.**

Happy Mother's Day

(May 13th)

*All Masses on Mother's Day
have been set aside and are
offered as a Novena of
Thanksgiving for our living and
deceased Mothers.*

*Spiritual Bouquets are available
in the back of Church. Each
comes with a special Mother's
Day card.*

*A white carnation will be added
to Saint Anne's altar for each
mother. Please place your
offering in the depository
(located in the church vestibule)
by May 10th.*

*Your dedication will be posted in
the back of the Church for
Mother's Day.*

Weekly Planner

SUNDAY 5/6

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

7:00 AM (setup) Rosary Socty CommBrnch-CentH
10:30 AM HNS Mass/Mtg-Church/Cent Hall
12:00 PM Parish Crowning of Mary-Church
12:00 PM Rosary Socty CommBrunch-Cent Hall

MONDAY 5/7

9:30 AM Schl Play Rehear-Cent Hall
3:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rectory

TUESDAY 5/8

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall
3:00 PM-4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-**Convent**
3:00 PM (setup) Schl Spring Play-Cent Hall
7:00 PM Festival Meeting-Cent Hall

WEDNESDAY 5/9

7:00 PM School Play-Cent Hall
7:00 PM OL Guadalupe Mtg-CCD ConferRm

THURSDAY 5/10

7:00 PM School Play-Cent Hall

FRIDAY 5/11

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall
7:30 PM J&M Prayer Mtg-CCD Conf Room

SATURDAY 5/12

2:00 PM-4:00 PM Padre Pio Mass/Mtg-Ch/CenHal
7:00 PM Spring Dinner/Dance-Cent Hall

SUNDAY 5/13

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mother's Day

1:00 PM-3:00 PM Fil-Am Mtg-Cent Hall

MONDAY 5/14

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

TUESDAY 5/15

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall
3:00 PM-4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-**Convent**
6:00 PM-8:00 PM-Daisy/Brow/Jr Mtg-Cent Hall

WEDNESDAY 5/16

7:00 PM Anticipated Mass for Holy Day-Church

THURSDAY 5/17

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

7:00 AM, 9:00 AM & 7:00 PM MASS in Church
6:30 PM HSA Mtg-Cent Hall

FRIDAY 5/18

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall
7:30 PM J&M Prayer Mtg-CCD Conference Rm

SATURDAY 5/19

3:00 PM (setup) CCD Closing Social-Cent Hall

SFIC Dinner

The Scholarship Fund for Inner-City Children Annual Dinner will be held on **Tuesday May 15, 2012** at Mayfair Farms in West Orange. This year's honorees are Archbishop Peter L. Gerety and Investors Bank. For more information about the dinner, to order tickets or place a journal ad, please call SFIC at 973-497-4279 or visit HYPER-LINK "<http://www.sficnj.org>"www.sficnj.org.

Super 50/50 Cash Raffle

Hudson Hospice Auxiliary, 93 Clerk Street, Jersey City is sponsoring a *Super 50/50 Cash Raffle* to be drawn on **Monday, June 11th at 9:00 pm** at St. Peter's College-McIntyre Banquet Room, 2641 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City. Proceeds to benefit the terminally ill of Hudson County. Tickets are \$20 each; to order your ticket, call the Hudson Hospice office at 201-433-6225! Last year's winner received \$8190.00!

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