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June 8, 2014

Pentecost Sunday

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Religious Education Program: Please contact rectory!

WEEKLY PLANNER

SUNDAY 6/8 ● PENTECOST SUNDAY

10AM—12 Noon CCD Registration *Cent Hall*
1—3 PM Fil-Am Mtg *Cent Hall*
5—7 PM OLG Dance Pract for Festival
Cent Hall

MONDAY 6/9

1—4PM St. Anne Seniors *Cent Hall*
3 PM Legion of Mary *Convent*
6—8 PM Cadette Trp 2828 Mtg *Cent Hall*

TUESDAY 6/10

12:15 PM Bingo *Cent Hall*
3—4 PM Holy Hour for Priests
Cnvt Chapel

WEDNESDAY 6/11

Saint Barnabas, Apostle
6—8 PM Daisy/Brow/Jr Mtg *Cent Hall*

THURSDAY 6/12

7—8 PM OL Guadalupe Mtg *Cent Hall*

FRIDAY 6/13

St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor
12:15 PM Bingo *Cent Hall*
3:30-4:30 PM (setup) St. Anthony Celebration
Cent Hall
7 PM—10 PM Feast of St. Anthony *Cent Hall*
7:30-8:30 PM J&M Prayer Mtg *Convent*

SATURDAY 6/14

Flag Day
2 PM—4 PM St. Padre Pio Prayers/Mtg
Cent Hall

SUNDAY 6/15 ● MOST HOLY TRINITY

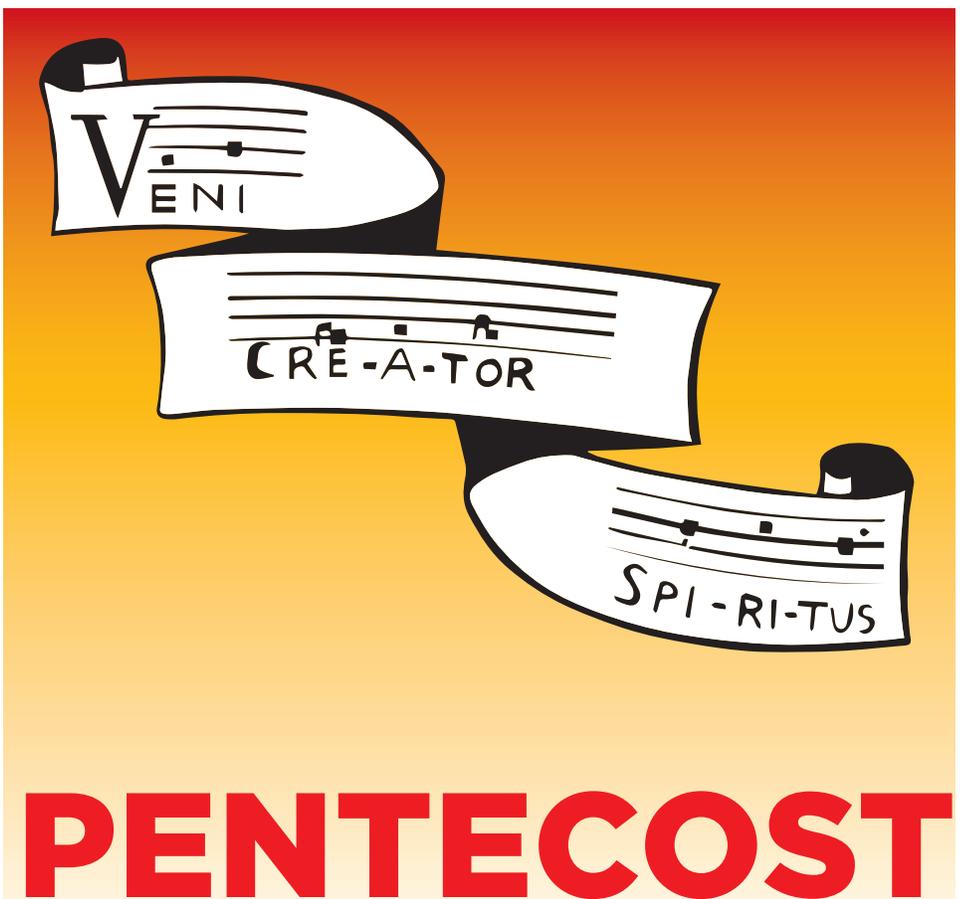
Father's Day

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST IN CHURCH

Saturday Evening English 5:30 PM
(anticipating Sunday) Misa Español 7 PM
Sunday 8 AM, 10 AM, 12 Noon

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST IN THE CONVENT

Monday ▶ Friday: Communion Service 7 AM
Monday ▶ Saturday: Mass 9 AM
Wednesday: Mass 7 PM



PENTECOST

VENI CREATOR SPIRITUS!

“Holy Spirit, the Lord and life-giver.” These words are in the Creed. Today we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit; he came to bestow a share in divine life upon God's chosen and covenanted people. There is sound, wind and fiery light as signs of the gift. People experience the reversal of the fall of Babel. Everyone hears in his or her own language the Apostles speaking. They speak about the marvels of God. The Spirit is given to each for a good purpose—building up Christ's body. *Veni Creator Spiritus!*

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Sacrament of Penance

Saturdays in Church 5 PM
or by Appointment

Today's Readings

First Reading: Acts 2:1-11
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13
Gospel: John 20:19-23

This Week's Readings

Monday 1 Kgs 17:1-6/Mt 5:1-12
Tuesday 1 Kgs 17:7-16/Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday 1 Kgs 18:41-46/Mt 5:20-26
Friday 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Mt 5:27-32
Saturday 1 Kgs 19:19-21/Mt 5:33-37

Mass intentions

Monday, June 9, 2014

9 AM Novena

Tuesday, June 10, 2014

9 AM † Jose Mallari (Mallari Family)

Wednesday, June 11, 2014

9 AM † Sal Favazzi (Favazzi Family)

7 PM Special intention

(OL Perpetual Help Group)

Thursday, June 12, 2014

9 AM John Shin (Shin Family)

Friday, June 13, 2014

9 AM Thanksgiving to St. Anthony
(Pat Santana)

Saturday, June 14, 2014

9 AM Infante & Ippolito Families
(Frank & Gemma Infante)

5:30 PM All Fathers of the Parish

7:00 PM All Fathers of the Parish

Sunday, June 15, 2014

8 AM All Fathers of the Parish

10 AM All Fathers of the Parish

12 PM All Fathers of the Parish

Sanctuary Gifts

For the week of June 7th — June 14th 2014
the gifts are offered in memory of:

Altar Wine	William Waddleton Sr. (Loretta Dempsey & Patrick Merritt)
Altar Bread	William Waddleton Sr. (Pat Roda & Stella)
Sanctuary Lamp	Thomas Engelhardt Jr. (Kathleen Castle)
Altar Candles	William Waddleton Sr. (Nelson Ave Block Assn)

Praying for the Sick

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

Teresa Fusco ● Antoinette Maddi ● Carol Jordan ●
Anthony Biggio ● Sammy DeLeon ● Shane Quinn
● Alice Daly ● Sadie Krieger ● Emilie Jaworowski
● Dolores DelMonte ● Dianne O'Sullivan ●
Carl Carlson ● Larry Bello ● Miyuki Campbell ●
Dennis Reilly ● Diane Albert ● Joseph Callandrillo
● Julia Annicchiarico ● Marie Carlson ● Meghan
Connaughton ● Tina DelGiodice ● Marie Portelli

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. Please fill out form below to be-
come a parishioner of Saint Anne's Parish:

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

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Phone: _____

COMING SOON

★ JUNE 21 to JULY 4, 2014 ★

FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM **FREEDOM TO SERVE**
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The Fortnight for Freedom: Freedom to Serve will take place from June 21 to July 4, 2014, a time when our liturgical calendar celebrates a series of great martyrs who remained faithful in the face of persecution by political power—St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher, St. John the Baptist, SS. Peter and Paul, and the First Martyrs of the Church of Rome. The theme of this year's Fortnight will focus on the freedom to serve the poor and vulnerable in accord with human dignity and the Church's teaching. A Parish Celebration will be held on Saturday June 28th 2014 from 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. at St. Anne's Roman Catholic Church 3545 John F. Kennedy Boulevard Jersey City, New Jersey City 07307. Refreshments will be served in Centennial Hall after the prayer service.

Religious Education

- The RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE is located in St. Anne's Rectory – 3545 Kennedy Blvd. Office Hours: Monday thru Wednesday—9:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Sunday 9:00 AM-12:00 Noon.
- **June 8 REGISTRATION** in Centennial Hall between 10:00 am and 12 noon.
- **Parents of first communion children—please come to rectory (during office hours above) to pick up your child's penance and first communion banners**

Registration for St. Anne's Religious Education Program is done every year; if your child was registered last year in our Program, you **MUST REGISTER AGAIN** for 2014-15. New registrants—please bring a copy of your child's baptismal certificate at time of registration.

Novena of Masses—June 2014

Requested for	Requested by		
Frank Masiello	Ralph & Sallie Donato Family	Nick Sessa	Friends at 7 am Communion Service
† Ladislao Cruz	Villanueva Family	† Aurette Rivera	Tina Edelmann
Lawrence Shin	Shin Family	† Ernest Abad	Tina Edelmann
† Filomena Chiara	Teresa Fusco	† Thomas Engelhardt	Pat Roda & Joe Stella
Teresa Mahoney	Mildred Bombich	† Mike Shannley	Joe Stella
† George Smith	Sharon Grant & Frank Reddington	† Jimmy Dupree	Joe Stella
		Jude Tyler	Kathleen Castle
		Loretta Dempsey	Kathleen Castle
† Laraine Bove	Mildred Bombich	† Colleen Castle	Kathleen Castle
Antoinette Maddi	Marie, Frances & Anthony	† Thomas J. Engelhardt	Ann Komorowski
		† Kenneth Krieger	Family

THIS WEEK



Feast of Saint Anthony

The St. Padre Pio Prayer Group will honor our beloved St. Anthony by celebrating His Feast Day on June 13th.

There will be a 7 p.m. Prayer Service in St. Anne's Church with distribution of 'Blessed Bread'. All are welcome to come and spend some spiritual and happy time together.

Ticket donation of \$3 can be acquired at the rectory; NO Tickets will be sold at the door.

For more information, contact Fran Spazian at 201-653-1318.

When a child drowned near the Basilica of St. Anthony in Padua as it was still being built in 1263 AD, the mother besought St. Anthony and promised that if her child were restored to life, she would give to the poor an amount of wheat equal to the weight of her child. Her son was saved, and her promise was kept. "St. Anthony's Bread," then, is the promise of giving alms in return for a favor asked of God through St. Anthony's intercession, and often involves loaves of bread that is blessed and given away.

*Get away from any man
who always argues
every time he talks.*

—THOMAS MERTON

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One Minute Meditations

St. Aloysius Gonzaga

As the son of a marquis, Aloysius Gonzaga was accustomed to life at court but chose religious life instead.

Influenced by St. Charles Borromeo, he renounced his title and inheritance and joined the Jesuits in 1585.

Aloysius was a brilliant and pious student. In fact, he had to be told to tone down his penances. When a plague struck Rome, Aloysius tirelessly nursed patients but caught the disease himself. He died at the age of 23.

The face of Christ

How do you show the face of Christ to people in your community? Do you bake for others? Can you sing or play music for others' enjoyment? If you have a car can you drive people who need rides to church or their doctors? Whatever you can offer, your community can use it. Call your parish to find out how you can help.

"One loving spirit sets another on fire."

St. Augustine
(Confessions)



11 easy ways to show love

"This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another" John 13:35.

1. **If someone makes you mad,** anonymously gift that person with a flower or sweet treat daily until you are over it.

2. **Light a candle every Sunday** and pray for a different person each time.

3. **Open the door for a someone.**

4. **Choose a picture or an article from the newspaper** and pray for the people involved.

5. **Put a quarter in an expired parking meter.**

6. **Invite someone with whom you disagree** to coffee and listen more than you talk.

7. **Leave a gift for someone in a random public place** such as on a park bench, at a bus stop, the library, a coffee house, or restaurant.

8. **Tutor a young person in reading.** Perhaps your parish school needs volunteers or call your local school district to be matched up with a school or reading program.

9. **Talk to the person at the party who isn't having fun.** You will be showing great kindness to someone who struggles with socializing.

10. **Choose your words carefully.** Use your words to bless, heal, or bring peace.

11. **Let cars go in front of you in traffic.** Let someone go in front of you in line at the grocery store.



Why Do Catholics Do That?

Why aren't Catholic priests married?

Celibacy, "the renunciation of marriage ... for the more perfect observance of chastity" (*Catholic Encyclopedia*) allows a priest to focus on his ministry.

The goal of celibacy is for priests to "consecrate themselves with undivided heart to the Lord and

to 'the affairs of the Lord' (1 Corinthians 7:32). They give themselves entirely to God and to men" (CCC 1579).

Note: *there are some circumstances under which married priests are permitted. There are several hundred serving in the United States.*



What will you do for a friend in need?

Most of us will do anything we can to save a friend who we observe is heading for trouble. However, taking indirect action may be the best thing we can do in many situations. Consider these three ways to help.

Pray. Bring God in right from the start – not as the last resort. Who can handle it better than he can? Plus, praying for others brings grace to us and to those for whom we pray.

Set an example. The best way to tell someone



what to do is to do it ourselves. You can help others live a holier and happier life by showing them how. After all, your first task is to save your own soul.

Keep silent. Learn to hold your tongue unless your duty obliges you to speak.

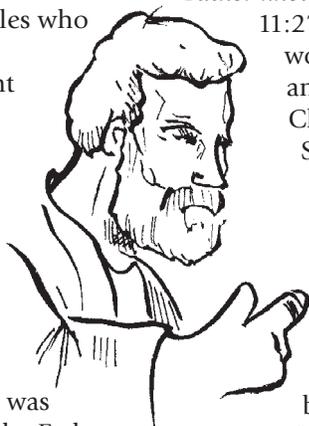
Keeping silent prevents the flaring of tempers or the spreading of gossip. Also, it is in the silence of the soul that we hear God's voice, but we can't hear him if we're doing all the talking.

from Scripture **Matthew 16:13-19, The Rock for ages**

The events in this passage lay the foundations for the Catholic Church.

Jesus first asked his disciples who people say he was. Their answers named the ancient prophets reincarnated. Then Jesus asked, "Who do you say that I am?" Simon Peter answered for the group and identified Jesus as the Son of God. This highlighted Peter's role as spokesperson for the disciples.

Jesus pointed out that it was only by inspiration from the Father that Peter was able to recognize the truth about Jesus. (*"No one but the Son*



Father knows the Son," Matthew 11:27.) Divine inspiration would lead Peter to speak and act in truth as head of Christ's Church. The Holy Spirit guides the pope to speak and act in truth today. The Church has to last until the end of time. When Jesus changed Simon's name to "Peter," he signaled that he was building his Church on "rock," a solid foundation upon which a wise man will build his home (Matthew 7:24).

Q & A I'm confused. What does the Bible say about Mary Magdalene?

Mary Magdalene is one of the most misunderstood figures in the Bible. For some reason she became associated with the "sinful woman" in Luke 7:36-50 or the penitent woman who anointed Jesus a few days before his crucifixion (Matthew 26:6-13). In truth, she is neither.

What we do know about Mary Magdalene is that she came from Magdala, on the west shore of Lake Tiberias, was converted by Jesus and became a faithful follower who stayed with him through his final ordeal. Jesus cast out seven demons from her (Mark 16:9), and in gratitude she helped to finance his public ministry (Luke 8:1-2).

Nowhere in any of the four Gospels is Mary Magdalene referred to as a sinful woman or a prostitute – reformed or otherwise. However, she is the only person all four Gospels agree saw the empty tomb on Easter morning and the first to whom the risen Jesus appeared.

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Feasts & Celebrations

June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. The image of Jesus with his flaming heart exposed is a reminder of his intense and eternal love for us.

June 5 - St. Boniface (754). Called the Apostle of Germany, St. Boniface was a monk dedicated to spreading the Gospel in Germany. He converted many to Christianity and was instrumental in restoring dioceses in Bavaria, Thuringia, and Franconia.

June 11 - St. Barnabas (1st Century). The Apostles changed his name from Joseph to Barnabas, which

means "son of encouragement" because he sold his property and gave the much needed funds to the Jerusalem community. He accompanied St. Paul on his first evangelical journey.



Festival 2014

The Sweet Life Booth

LIVE YOUR LIFE LARGE!

We're featuring **giant sized candy** in this year's **SWEET LIFE** booth. It is your generosity that makes the booth truly successful. Your monetary donations would be greatly appreciated to allow us to purchase the "sweets and treats"; please mark donation envelopes "Festival Sweet Life Booth". They can be dropped off at the rectory or given to a festival committee member.

For questions please contact **John Faherty** or **Debby DeVenezia** at 201-222-3475 ddevenezia@hotmail.com. Thank you in advance for your contribution!

Soda And Water Donations

The Festival Committee 2014 will begin **Soda Sunday...and Saturday Nights** too! Each weekend beginning **June 22nd** thru **July 20th**, we're asking parishioners to donate cases of soda (regular or diet) and water to help lower our costs for the festival. With summer here, you're sure to spot great discounts on cases of soda and water at your local supermarket; so when you do, please pick 1 up and drop it off in the church vestibule on your way to Mass during any of our Soda Sundays...and Saturday Nights and we'll keep them on ice for you until the festival! **Many thanks in advance for your continued generosity.**

Getting Involved

Festival Committee Members have been meeting monthly making plans for this year's Festival – happening July 25,26,27, 2014! Volunteers are needed to make the Parish Festival a success. If you've been involved with the Festival in the past, then you know it takes a lot of planning and organizing.

If you have never been involved with the Festival and would like to help, feel free to attend the next Festival Meeting to find out what area you may be helpful – a Volunteer Work Sheet is also available above.

The Festival Meetings are held in Centennial Hall at 7:00 pm. The next meetings are scheduled for June 3,17, July 1, 8, 15, 22.

Raffle tickets have been mailed out to our registered parishioners; additional raffle tickets are being sold by the Festival Committee at the weekend Masses outside church or you can purchase raffle tickets from St. Anne's Rectory.

St. Anne's Festival 2014 VOLUNTEER WORK SIGN-UP SHEET

Name:
Telephone:
Address:
Email:

Please check where you would like to work:

- Money Handler—must be 18 years old
- Game Booth Assistant
- Hourly 50-50 Raffle (must be 18 years old to handle money)
- Floater—Willing to work where needed
- Food Server—work in food concessions
- Set-up and breakdown of Booths includes merchandise inventory
- Runner—Must have a car and valid driver's license

Please check times of availability:

- Thursday – July 24**
 - Help setting up the Festival
- Friday – July 25**
 - 5:30 PM – 8 PM 8 PM – 11:30 PM
- Saturday – July 26**
 - 3:30 PM – 7:30 PM 7:30 PM – 11:30 PM
- Sunday – July 27**
 - 12 Noon – 4 PM 4 PM – 8 PM
 - 8 PM – 11:30 PM
- Monday – July 28**
 - Help in cleaning up
 - I Am Available Any Time During The Feast

Questions? Please contact St. Anne's Rectory @ 201-360-0838 or ST.ANNEPRAY4US@GMAIL.COM

St. Anne's Festival 2014 JOURNAL ADVERTISEMENT

St. Anne's Festival 2014 is set to take place on July 25, 26, 27, 2014. Seventeen years ago, our Parish began a 3-day indoor/outdoor Festival in Honor of our Patroness, St. Anne. The response to this new tradition has been a wonderful combination of social and liturgical activities in an effort to strengthen and build our sense of community! In fact, it has become the most anticipated event of the year.

In keeping with our tradition, we will once again be producing a commemorative journal for St. Anne's Festival 2014! The JOURNAL will highlight the different activities during the celebration and contain advertisements and well-wishes (a memoriam, living wishes, birth announcements, congratulations on graduations, engagements, weddings, special anniversaries, etc) to and from many supporters. You may include a picture for your ad at no additional charge! The journal pages are 8 1/2" x 11" and are available at the following rates:

- Full Page (\$125) Half Full Page (\$ 75)
- Quarter Page \$ 50 Special Donors \$25

Please check appropriate box above and attach your ad material to the FORM below. Kindly drop off at rectory, along with payment; Checks are made payable to "Saint Anne's Church".

Name:
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Be sure to enclose your advertisement material. (Please print or type)

Holy Hour

Holy Hour takes place every Tuesday from 3 to 4 PM in St. Anne's Convent Chapel.

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.

Perpetual Help Novena

- June 25th & June 26th** 7:00 PM Mass
in St. Anne's Convent Chapel
- June 27th** 7:00 PM Mass in Church
followed by Fellowship
in Centennial Hall after Mass

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include funding for continued psychological counseling.

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