



## SAINT ANNE PARISH

20 Boston Road Southborough, MA 01772

### ST. ANNE PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of St. Anne Parish, Southborough, in the Diocese of Worcester are called through Baptism to become one faith family. We commit ourselves to embody the presence of Christ in Word and Sacrament; by using our ministries to welcome all who are seeking Jesus and to share in the life and work of our Catholic faith. In the spirit and truth of the Holy Trinity, we will use our time, talents and treasure to answer God's command to love one another as He has loved us, in holy worship, prayer, Catechetical formation for all, evangelization and service to others.

**JANUARY 3 & 4, 2026**  
**THE EPIPHANY**  
**OF THE LORD**

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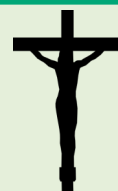


### The Epiphany of the Lord

“Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.”  
 (MATTHEW 2:11)

The image of the Magi kneeling before the infant Jesus and opening their treasure chests for Him is an image that we should all try to follow each day. In gratitude for all that we have been given, we are called to generously share all our gifts, not just the ones we pick and choose. God wants us to be generous with everything, but especially that one thing that means the most to you.

**We welcome all visitors to St. Anne parish. If you would like to join our faith community please call the Parish Office to register: 508-485-0141.**



### Lord's Day Mass Schedule:

Saturday ~ 5:00 pm  
 Sunday ~ 8:30 am, 10:30 am

### Daily Mass Schedule:

Weekday Mass  
 Monday-Thursday: 9:00 am  
 First Friday: 9:00 am  
 Healing Mass: 7:00 pm  
 First Wednesday of Each Month

### Confessions:

Saturday ~ 4:15 pm  
 First Wednesday of the month  
 6:30-7:00 pm  
 Anytime upon request.

### Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Wednesday ~ 9:30 am to 6:00 pm

### Sacrament of Baptism

Call the Parish Office to schedule a Baptism.

### Sacrament of Marriage

Call the Parish Office to make an appointment with Fr. Albert.

### Visitation of the Sick

Fr. Albert is pleased to Anoint the Sick and bring Holy Communion to the homebound.

# Parish Information



## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Sr. Yvette, Fr. Thirburs Millot, Joy, Thomas Chemmanur, Janet Mattioli, Michael, Diane Higgins, Annette LaHaye, Val Provencher; Fr. Conrad, Michael Philbin-Pelland, Jamie Farley, Jim Garden, Millie Garden, Dave Lemoine, Brookie Sullivan, Beth Stephens, Karen Bouley, Susan Cioppa, Peter Bradstreet, Cecilia Lynch, Susan, Catherine, Walter McClain, Frances Robertson, CMR, Raphaela, Bong Sanchez, Lisa Moeller, Joan Gilroy, Lorraine Gasparoni, Michael, Justine Acosta, Helen McCollough, Leo, Joan Patchell, Nora O'Donnell, Lois Carney, Helen Curran, Diane, Roger, Pat, Loraine Bradley, William, Maria Martin, Nancy, Barbara Malloy, Fran Allen, Kathy, Pat LeBron, John Tennaro, Brendan, Matt, Za, Jim, Noah, Michael, Charlotte, Amelia, Carol Jarosz, Kevin, Fr. Sagayam, Al Peterson, Debbie Simon, Patricia Stott, Matt Bernier, Peter Sullivan, Kristen, Lily, Lisa Arnold



## WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

1/3/26 ~ 1/11/26

<b>SATURDAY</b> 1/3	5:00 p.m.	Alfred Garavente By Cheryl Garavente
<b>SUNDAY</b> 1/4	8:30 a.m.	St. Anne Parishioners (In Memory Of)
	10:30 a.m.	John Callinan (6th Anniversary) By Sandy Callinan
<b>MONDAY</b> 1/5	9:00 a.m.	Elizabeth Chovancova & Elizabeth Kolenicova By Josefa Vrabalova
<b>TUESDAY</b> 1/6	9:00 a.m.	Jacqueline Powers By Anne Rider
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 1/7	9:00 a.m.	In Honor of St. Joseph Jim & Millie Garden
Healing Mass	7:00 p.m.	Healing Mass
<b>THURSDAY</b> 1/8	9:00 a.m.	Jacqueline Powers By Pat Russell & Evelyn Walton
<b>FRIDAY</b> 1/9	9:00 a.m.	NO MASS
<b>SATURDAY</b> 1/10	5:00 p.m.	St. Anne Parishioners (Living)
<b>SUNDAY</b> 1/11	8:30 a.m.	Andrew Michael Sheridan (19th Anniversary) By The Family
	10:30 a.m.	Francis "Frank" McGonagle By The Shields Family

## LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

**January 3 & 4, 2026**  
**The Epiphany of the Lord**

5:00 p.m.	Lector	Roger Jolicoeur
	EM's	Laura Schroeder (Host) MaryBeth P-H (Cup) Charlotte Zakarian (Cup)
8:30 a.m.	Lector	Nick Paganella
	EM's	Nancy Denardo (Host) Elaine Yetman (Cup) Doris Campero (Cup)
10:30 a.m.	Lector	Pat Draper
	EM's	Pat Draper (Host) Joseph D'Angelo (Cup) Maggie Raymond (Cup)

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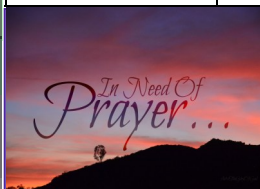
**January 10 & 11, 2026**  
**The Baptism of the Lord**

5:00 p.m.	Lector	Laura Schroeder
	EM's	Charlotte Zakarian (Host) MaryBeth P-H (Cup) Laura Schroeder (Cup)
8:30 a.m.	Lector	Marybeth Gamber
	EM's	Fran Schiebe (Host) Doris Campero (Cup) Elaine Yetman (Cup)
10:30 a.m.	Lector	Janice Brown
	EM's	Maggie Raymond (Host) Joanne Flathers (Cup) Paola D'Angelo (Cup)

## Prayer Line

As a reminder, St. Anne Parish has a Prayer Line to allow anyone to request specific prayer intentions by phone or email. This supplements the prayer intentions book in the church and provides a way for prayers to be submitted whenever needed. To make a prayer request, or to join the Prayer Line prayer group, please email the Prayer Line at:

[PrayerLine@stannesouthborough.org](mailto:PrayerLine@stannesouthborough.org)



## Preventing Child Abuse is Everyone's Responsibility

It is the responsibility of every adult to protect possible victims (of any age) by reporting suspected abuse or neglect to the responsible authorities. The Diocese of Worcester requires Safe Environment Training for all staff and volunteers. For help you may call The Office for Healing & Prevention at: 508-929-4363.





# Parish Announcements

## Capital Campaign Update

12/28/25



Total Goal: \$2,000,000.00  
Total Pledges: \$2,093,183.16  
Payments Received: \$1,535,767.16  
Balance to Receive: \$557,416.00

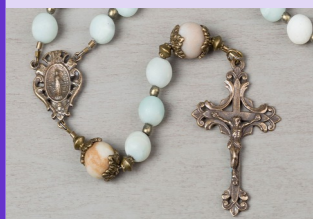
*Thank you for your ongoing support!*

## Angel Connection Rosary Breakfast

Please join us for an uplifting morning full of hope and inspiration in the New Year to welcome 2026!

Saturday, January 17, 2026, 10:00 AM -Noon  
St. Anne Parish Hall

Opening Prayer & Scrumptious Breakfast  
Prayerful Rosary



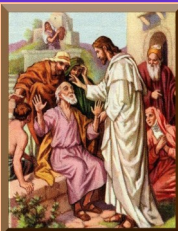
\$30.00 Advanced registration required.

For more information, please contact:  
Marge Oliveri (508) 320-3498  
faithful1111@aol.com

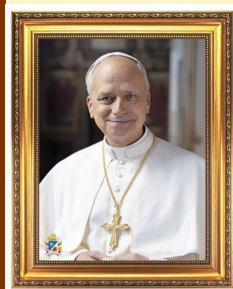
## January Healing Mass

There will be a Healing Mass on  
Wednesday January 7, 7:00 p.m.

A Healing Mass will be held on the first  
Wednesday of each month.



## POPE LEO XIV JANUARY INTENTION



For prayer with the Word of God. Let us pray that praying with the Word of God be nourishment for our lives and a source of hope for our communities, helping us to build a more fraternal and missionary Church.

## Thank you to Hostage Brothers Printers!

We are grateful to HB design, print and marketing for their continued generosity through providing the paper bulletin for St. Anne Parish each week!



## HAPPY NEW YEAR!

May the Lord's grace fill your year with peace, joy and abundant blessings in 2026!



## PARISH STEWARDSHIP REPORTS—12/28/25

Regular Weekly Offering.....\$2,731.00  
Retirement for Religious.....\$10.00  
Christmas Collection.....\$3,441.92  
Immaculate Conception.....\$10.00  
End of Year Gift.....\$1,455.00  
Capital Improvement.....\$110.00

Blue Pay Donations.....\$571.95  
WeShare Donations.....\$625.00

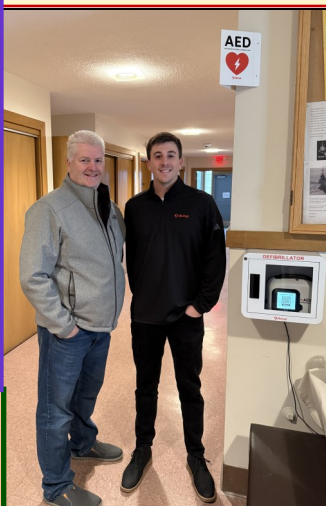
To set up online giving, please call the parish office or visit the [Parish website](#)

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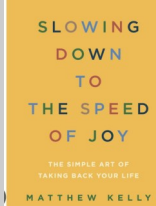
## Grant Awarded and AED's Installed

Please find the new AED's in the church foyer and parish hall. St. Anne received a grant from St. Vincent Healthcare Fund and the Diocese of Worcester to fully support these important purchases. Thank you to John Tommaney and Nick Roche for installing these life saving devices right before Christmas. What an amazing gift to our parish family!



## CHRISTMAS GIFTS & CALENDARS

We wish all parishioners a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! Please be sure to pick up a copy of *Slowing Down to the Speed of Joy*. There is a copy available for each family. The 2026 calendars are also available for all in the foyers of the church and are again sponsored by St. Anne Parish along with the Morris-Johnson Funeral Home.



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### Upcoming RE Class Dates for 2026

January 11 & 25  
February 8 & 22

### Save the Dates:

First Reconciliation Zoom, Meeting  
1/20/26, 7:15 pm

First Reconciliation  
2/1/26, 2:00 pm

First Communion  
5/3/26, 1:30 pm





# The Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

## January 1, 2026



### THE STORY OF THE MAGI

The story of the magi following the star to Bethlehem to find the baby Jesus is one of the most heartwarming parts of the Christmas story. The Greek word for the foreign visitors is best translated “magi” although in popular understanding they are sometimes called the “Three Kings” or the “Three Wise Men.” Whoever they were, they are an example to us of great courage and trust. They willingly left their home countries to travel for an unknown distance in search of a newborn child they knew nothing about. They packed expensive gifts (a dangerous/courageous act when traveling overland in those days) and met with the most powerful man in the country, King Herod, on their quest to find the baby.

When they found the baby in an unassuming little town in an ordinary family, their hearts told them they were in the right place and they were overjoyed. The humble surroundings did not stop them from worshiping the little child and then offering their lavish gifts to him. After that, they dared to listen to their dreams and defy the King, thereby protecting the vulnerable child. Probably none of what they did seemed rational to those around them, but because they followed an inner guidance, we still celebrate their journey today.

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