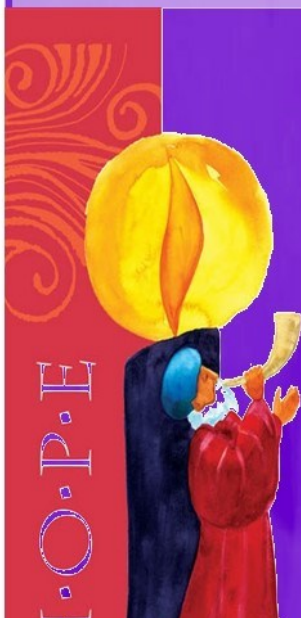




First Sunday of Advent

November 29, 2020

Saint Anne Catholic Church | Union City



We are filled with joy to be able to welcome you back to church for the celebration of public Mass indoor. Our parish plan has been prayerfully put together with the safety and health of all who gather to celebrate the sacraments that are essential to our spiritual lives. While we are able to reopen, there are many restrictions and limitations that we have to abide by that have been set by the Alameda County Health Officer and the Diocese of Oakland. Our maximum capacity inside the Church is 100 people in total, to include clergy and ministers. Doors will close once we have reached capacity.

Bishop Michael Barber has extended the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday and Holy Day Masses until further notice. Although this dispensation has been extended, all are encouraged to participate in prayer as Mass continues to be offered live stream. Those who are sick, not feeling well, and/or are at a higher risk of contracting the COVID-19 virus are encouraged to remain at home as an act of charity to all. As we resume public Mass, we ask for your continued prayers, understanding, patience, and cooperation as we celebrate the sacraments during this time of pandemic.

We look forward to celebrating the Mass as One Body of Christ!

Liturgical Schedule

Daily Mass (Mondays-Saturdays) 12:00PM
Live Streaming ONLY on Facebook, YouTube, and the Parish Website

Sunday Mass 5:00PM
 (Saturday Evening Anticipated Vigil)

In person (no reservation required – first come, first served) inside the Church (not available via live stream)

12:00PM

In person (no reservation required – first come, first served) Outdoor Mass in the Church Parking lot
 Live Streaming on Facebook, YouTube, and the Parish Website (Distribution of Holy Communion available after Mass till 1:15PM)

6:00PM

Monday-Friday
 Saturday
 Sunday

10:00AM-5:00PM
 After the 5:00PM Mass
 After the 12:00PM and 6:00PM Mass



The proper use of face coverings and social distancing must be observed at all time.

Please ring the red bell for service.

Come visit us for Mass Intentions, Votive Candles, etc. We look forward to seeing you!

Prayer Courtyard

The Prayer Courtyard will be open for personal prayer and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Monday-Friday 1:00PM-7:00PM

Access to the Prayer Courtyard is available through the gate next to the church entrance doors on Cabello Street

Face coverings are required at all times. Social Distancing must be observed. Please sanitize hands.



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Reconciliation Saturdays at 3:30PM
Located in the Holy Family and Blessed Virgin Mary Prayer Gardens or by appointment.

Baptism Monthly
We offer the Rite of Baptism for Infants monthly (except during the Lenten season). Please visit www.saintannecatholic.org/baptism for all information. Registration must be made with the Parish Office. Space is limited due to the current State and County Health orders.

Christian Burial At Need
Funerals and the Rite of Christian Burial are made in conjunction with the Mortuary of your choosing. Please contact the Mortuary first. Due to the current State and County Health Orders, restrictions may apply. Our clergy are available to celebrate Vigil services as well.

Holy Matrimony Varies
Please contact the Parish Office at least six months prior to your wedding date to begin the marriage preparation required by the Diocese of Oakland. Due to the current State and County Health Orders, restrictions may apply.

Holy Orders By Call
Is God calling you to the Priesthood, Diaconate, or Religious Life? God doesn't call the qualified. He qualifies the called. Call us today to setup a discussion with one of our clergy where you can continue discerning God's call.

Holy Communion Ongoing
We have a few programs available for those who have not yet received their First Eucharist. Please see our Faith Formation sections for more information.

Confirmation Ongoing
We have a few programs available for those who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please see our Faith Formation sections for more information.

Anointing of the Sick Request
If you or someone you know are in need of receiving the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call our parish office to schedule.

TODAY'S READINGS
First Reading — We are the clay and you, O Lord, are the potter: we are the work of your hands (Isaiah 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7).
Psalm — Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved (Psalm 80).
Second Reading — God is faithful; by God you were called to fellowship with the Son (1 Corinthians 1:3-9).
Gospel — Be watchful! Be alert! You do not know when the time will come. (Mark 13:33-37).
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READINGS FOR THE WEEK
Monday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22
Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 15:29-37
Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27
Friday: Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31
Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6; Mt 9:35 — 10:1, 5a, 6-8
Sunday: Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 85:9-14; 2 Pt 3:8-14; Mk 1:1-8

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES
Sunday: First Sunday of Advent
Monday: St. Andrew, Apostle
Tuesday: World AIDS Awareness Day
Thursday: St. Francis Xavier
Friday: St. John Damascene
Friday: First Friday
Saturday: First Saturday

MARK'S JESUS
Mark's Gospel is the shortest and tersest of all four. The discourses of Jesus tend to be terser as well. Mark's portrayal of Jesus has none of the poetry of the Sermon on the Mount or the Sermon on the Plain as in Matthew or Luke, nor the extensive, reflective "I Am" discourses as in John. Mark's Jesus "cuts to the chase," we would say today. This is reflected quite well in today's passage.
It is no accident that the dialogue of Jesus at this point in the Gospel according to Mark—the concluding words about the end of the world—immediately before his passion, is riddled with exclamation points and an overall sense of urgency.
We would do well to re-tool our own way of living this Advent, for we live in a world urgently in need of hearing the message of Jesus proclaimed. It's time for us to "wake up!" and get out into the world to do it.
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Mass Intentions for the week

November 28, 2020 - December 5, 2020	
<u>Saturday, November 28</u>	
5:00 pm	† Fabian Guevarra
<u>Sunday, November 29</u>	
12:00 pm	† Teresita Abad
	† Epifania & Felicidad Abenojar
	† Jennifer Garcia
6:00 pm	For the People
<u>Monday, November 30</u>	
12:00 pm	† Maria Souza
<u>Tuesday, December 1</u>	
12:00 pm	† Fernando Cabiles
<u>Wednesday, December 2</u>	
12:00 pm	† Virginia Wijangco
	† Carmen Consing
<u>Thursday, December 3</u>	
10:00 am	† Wilma Kop
<u>Friday, December 4 (FIRST FRIDAY)</u>	
12:00 pm	† Aurea Poblete
	Alan Consing - Spe. Int.
<u>Saturday, December 5</u>	
12:00 pm	Maryann Carter - Spe. Int.
5:00 pm	For the People



We lift up our sick and home bound in prayer:

Cindy Abapo
Cristyl Beltran
Rosemarie Briones
Maricris Dologmandin
Melissa Futagaki
Jose Pepito Geronimo
Alexandru Gheorghiu
Ernie Ko

Marissa Magno
Manny Moya
Antonio Nimis, Jr.
Krisa Oppenheim
Ashley Pereira
Danny Sancho
Enzo Soriano

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO INCLUDE NAMES AND PROVIDE A CONTACT SO OUR MINISTERS CAN FOLLOW-UP. NAMES WILL BE CLEARED AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

To request Special Intentions of the Mass,

Sunday, November 29, 2020

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Weekly Collection Goals

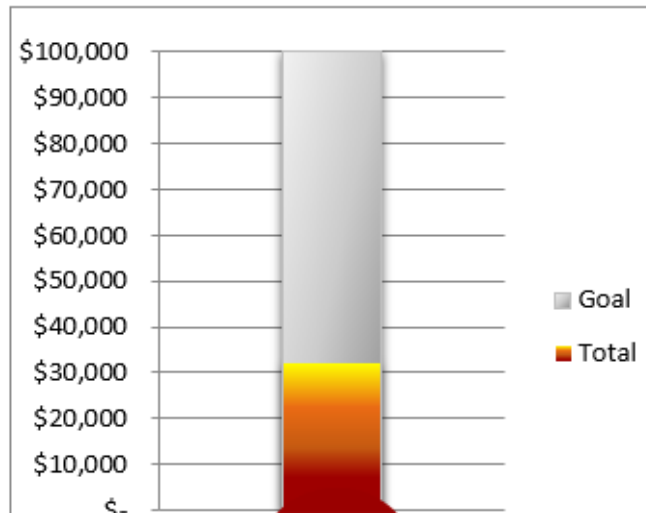
Sunday, November 22, 2020	\$2,928.00
Online Giving	\$ 5,100.00
Total	\$ 8,028.00
Budget	\$14,000.00
Over (Under)	(\$5,972.00)

Thank you, for your continued support of our parish!

	WEEK OF	
	Nov. 11 - 17	Nov. 18 - 24
Plate Collections	\$ 3,895.00	\$ 2,928.00
All Saints / All Souls	55.00	-
Online Giving	4,430.00	5,100.00
Total	\$ 8,380.00	\$ 8,028.00

Fund A Need

Cash & Checks	\$ 26,040	as of 11/25
Online Giving	\$ 5,858	as of 11/23
Total Received	\$ 31,898	
Goal	\$ 100,000	
Percentage to Goal	32%	





Saint Anne Confirmation 2020-2021

Saint Anne Confirmation candidates will meet via Zoom on Sunday, November 8th at 3:30 p.m. with Sponsors. We will be discussing Module Three of *The Call To Mercy Series: The Gift of Happiness*.

Saint Anne Youth Ministry 2020-2021

St. Anne Youth Ministry will be meeting via Zoom this Monday, November 9th at 6:30 p.m. The topic of our meeting will be "Hellos and Goodbyes" the Fall theme of leaves with what we hold close and important in our relationships. The theme in November for Youth Ministry will be Thankfulness as played out in this meeting, the November 16th viewing of *The Chosen*, and our November 23rd meeting around Agape.

Registrations are available for the 2020-2021 St. Anne Youth Ministry program. Youth Ministry is open to ALL high school students! Youth Ministry is the first year of the two-year Confirmation program and is mandatory to be able to register for Confirmation in the spring of 2021. Please contact the Youth Ministry Office for the registration form at: ym@saintannecatholic.org. or 510-471-7766.ext. 22

ST. ANNE SCHOOL OF FAITH FORMATION (GRADES 1- 8)

Children's Faith Formation (Grades 1- 8)

On-Going Registration

2020 – 2021 Online Faith Formation

NEW students (grade 1-8 First Year of Formation)

RETURNING students (grade 2-8 previously enrolled)

FIRST DAY OF CLASSES - SEPTEMBER 14, 15, 16, 17 - It is not too late to sign-up your child to Faith Formation and First Communion program and we will continue to accept registrations. For families who have already registered their children, you will receive your child's class schedule via EMAIL the week of August 31. If you have any questions, please contact our office at 510-471-7766 ext. 20 or email: cff@saintannecatholic.org



Are you an adult Catholic active in your faith but have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation? Maybe now is the time!

Ongoing Formation

We have many opportunities for ongoing formation. Please see our website and social media for updates.

You may also sign-up for FORMED by going to

www.formed.org

Our parish has a subscription for all parishioners.

Simply select our parish when you sign up.

Our FORMED selection for this month is:

[The Search](#)

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Activities November 2020

"All of our scheduled activities for the month of November 2020 are cancelled until further notice in line with the "MANDATORY SHELTER IN PLACE"

St. Anne Parish latest Memorandum of March 19, 2020, and Knights of Columbus Supreme Council separate Directive of March 25, 2020. I will promptly update status should there be any change(s).

For inquiry, please call or text message
Fred Rezendes, Grand Knight at (510) 461-3631



HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL. BE SAFE AND LET'S ALL GIVE THANKS EVERYDAY AND EVERY MOMENT FOR OUR MANY BLESSINGS.

Nov 30 - NO Cenacle
Dec 7 - NO Cenacle

POC: Norma Jovero @ 510-468-5949



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CHRISTMAS BASKETS

St Vincent de Paul, Knights of Columbus and Confirmation Group are collecting non-perishable foods, gift cards (Walmart, Target, Smart and Final, Food Maxx & etc. and cash donations (please no clothing) for our Christmas Baskets for the homeless and low-income families in our community. Christmas Baskets will be distributed on December 19, 2020. Please bring your donation to the parish office

Virtual 4-Part Book Series

Spiritual Guides for Today—*Winter Grace: Spirituality and Aging*

By Kathleen Fischer

December 3, 10, 2020 — 1-2:30pm

\$25. The book is available online or wherever books are sold. Please read chapters 1 & 2 for the November 12 session.

Register by 11/10/20 at http://bit.ly/2020_WinterGrace

Call us for more information at
(510) 933-6360

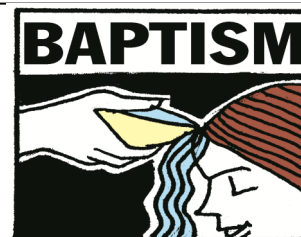
WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

Married couples—Enrich your marriage from the comfort of your own home! Join us on December 7, 2020 from 7-8:30 pm for a Virtual Worldwide Marriage Encounter Enrichment, "Marriage, Communication and dealing with the stresses of life" presented by Fr. Jim Sullivan. Please go to <https://oaklandwwme.org/enrichment.php> or call Joe & Sue @ 925-680-7767 or Ray & Roberta @ 916-806-4601 for more information.



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ST. ANNE'S NOVEMBER 2020 BAPTISM



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Our Parish Mission

We, the Saint Anne Catholic Community, a transformed body of Christ with many parts, empowered by the Holy Spirit, will proclaim and spread the word of God by creating an environment that welcomes all; by being faithful stewards of our time, talent and treasure; by celebrating God's love committed to giving food to the hungry, water to the thirsty, clothing to the naked, shelter to the homeless and by being the sign of unity and peace in the kingdom of God.

Our Parish Prayer

Loving and eternal God, we gather in thanksgiving as your people of Saint Anne Parish, listening to your word and celebrating the presence of your Son, Jesus, in the bread and wine we share. Teach us to love and serve each other as Jesus loved and served us. Guide us with the Holy Spirit so that we may become worthy to be one in the Body of Christ. Amen.

New to Saint Anne?

Welcome! To register, please visit our Parish Office or

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