

# Saint Anne Catholic Church

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## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekday

Monday-Saturday: 8:00am  
Wednesday: 7:30 pm  
First Friday: 7:30 pm

### Weekend

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:00 am  
12:00 pm & 5:00 pm

### Youth Mass

Every 2nd and 4th Sundays  
at 5:00 pm

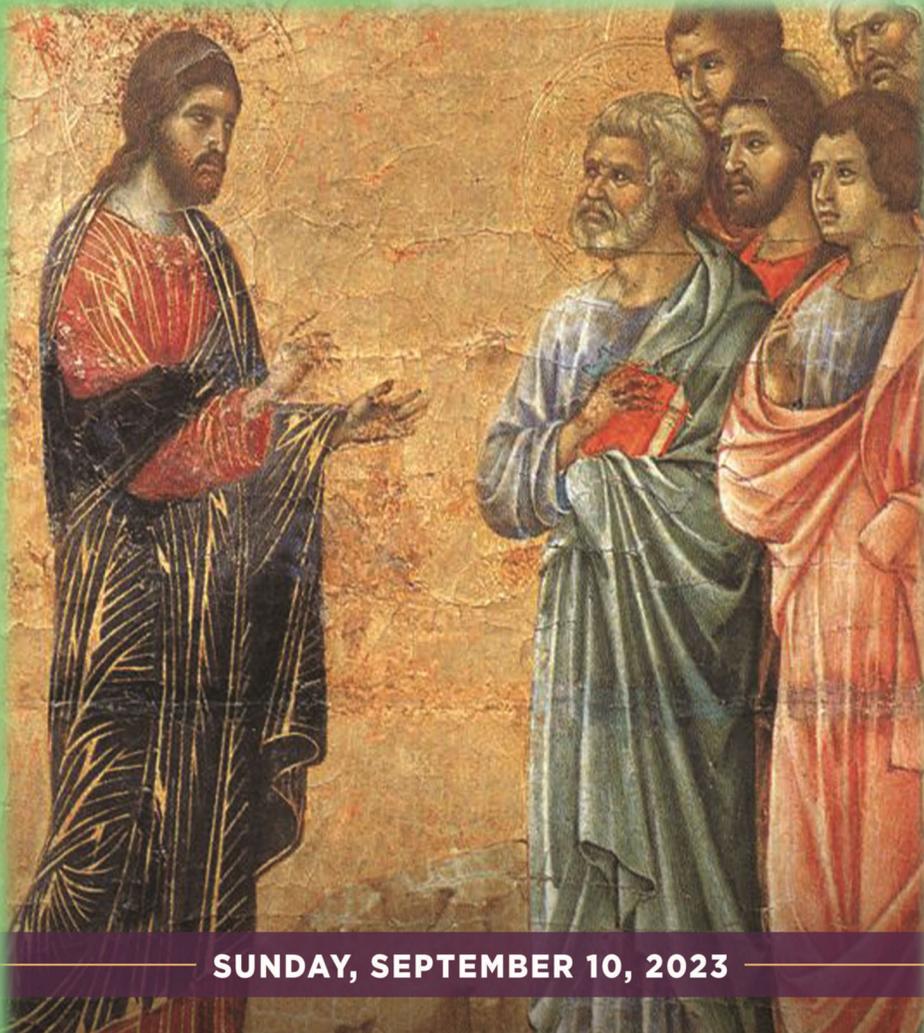
### Spanish Mass

Every 2nd Sunday at 2:00 pm

### Indonesian Mass

Every 3rd Sunday at 2:00 pm

Exposition and Adoration of the  
Blessed Sacrament  
Every Friday after the end of  
8:00 am Mass to noon  
(except First Friday)



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

## 23<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have won over your brother." - Mt 18:15

## Sacramental Information

### **Reconciliation** **Saturdays at 3:30 PM**

Please proceed to the reconciliation room in the church or call the Rectory Office for appointment.

### **Baptism** **Monthly**

We offer the Rite of Baptism for Infants monthly (except during the Lenten season). Please visit [www.saintannecatholic.org/baptism](http://www.saintannecatholic.org/baptism) for all information. Registration must be made with the Parish Office. Space is limited on a first come per served basis.

### **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.

## **Hours of Operation**

### **Parish Office**

*Phone calls and in person visits (outside counter)*

Monday-Thursday 9:00 AM-7:00 PM

Friday 9:00 AM-5:00PM

Please ring the red bell for service.

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

## **New to Saint Anne?**

**Welcome! To register, please visit our Parish Office or register online at [www.saintannecatholic.org](http://www.saintannecatholic.org)**

**We are here to serve you!**

## **Our Parish Vision**

**Patterned in the spirituality of Saint Anne, we aspire to be an all-embracing, Christ-centered Catholic community fostering collaboration, cooperation, and communion with each other.**

## **Our Parish Mission**

**We, the people of Saint Anne Parish are called to be witness of our Catholic Faith.**

- We are called to faithfully listen, live, and grow in our understanding; and evangelize the message of Jesus.
- United, we gather together to ensure that our Eucharistic celebrations are welcoming, vibrant and meaningful.
- We uphold the dignity of the human person, the importance of family, and the common good of our society, so that our nation may continue to be transformed by the saving power of Christ.
- By virtue of our common priesthood through Baptism, we carry out our missionary endeavor to share the gifts God has given us to the homeless, hungry, and underprivileged In our community.

## **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.

# Weekly Prayer

## Sunday's Readings

### First Reading:

If I tell the wicked, "O wicked one, you shall surely die," and you do not speak out to dissuade the wicked from his way, the wicked shall die for his guilt, but I will hold you responsible for his death. (Ez 33:8)

### Psalms:

If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts. (Ps 95)

### Second Reading:

Love does no evil to the neighbor; hence, love is the fulfillment of the law. (Rom 13:10)

### Gospel:

"If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have won over your brother." (Mt 18:15)

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## Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Our personal relationship with Christ is important, yes – but thank God, that is not all there is to being a Christian. We depend upon the support, the encouragement, and even the correction of the rest of the Body of Christ.

## Observances for the week of September 10, 2023

- Sunday:** 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; Grandparents' Day
- Monday:** Patriot Day
- Tuesday:** The Most Holy Name of Mary
- Wednesday:** St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
- Thursday:** The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
- Friday:** Our Lady of Sorrows
- Saturday:** Sts. Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs
- Next Sunday:** 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catechetical Sunday



## Saint of the week

Servant of God Thomas Frederick Price survived severe illness and a shipwreck as a young man before becoming a priest. He cofounded the Catholic Foreign Mission Society of America, better known as Maryknoll, and led the institution's first mission to China.

## Prayer

Heavenly Father, You so inspired Father Thomas Frederick Price with love for You and zeal for the Gospel that he dedicated his life to serve You and Your Church, first in North Carolina, his home state, and then in the foreign missions. Grant that by his example we may grow in holiness and into a deeper union with Our Lord Jesus Christ. Help us to be authentic witnesses of the Gospel and proclaim the Holy Name of Jesus throughout the Diocese of Raleigh and to all the people and in all the places we are sent to love and serve. If it be according to Your will, glorify Your servant, Father Thomas Frederick Price, by granting the favor I (we) now request through his prayerful intercession (mention your request here) I (we) make this prayer confidently through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

# Worship & Meditation

## Readings for the week of September 10, 2023

### Sunday:

Ez 33:7-9/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20

### Monday:

Col 1:24-2:3/Ps 62:6-7, 9/Lk 6:6-11

### Tuesday:

Col 2:6-15/Ps 145:1b-2, 8-9, 10-11/Lk 6:12-19

### Wednesday:

Col 3:1-11/Ps 145:2-3, 10-11, 12-13ab/Lk 6:20-26

### Thursday:

Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 13:1-17

### Friday:

1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14/Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 11/Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

### Saturday:

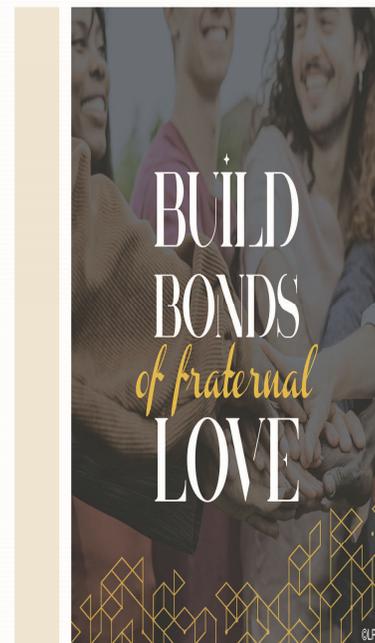
1 Tm 1:15-17/Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7/Lk 6:43-49

### Next Sunday:

Sir 27:30-28:7/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 (8)/Rom 14:7-9/Mt 18:21-35



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## Gospel Meditation

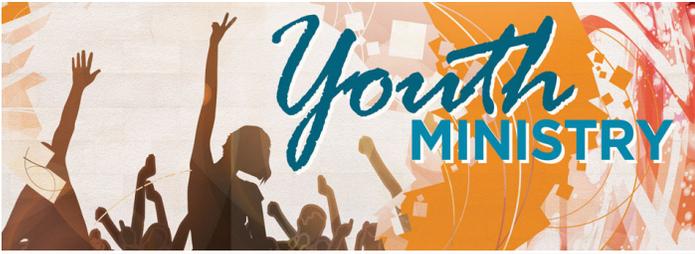
### Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

What are you supposed to do about the bad behavior of the people around you? You know who I'm talking about. That family member, friend, coworker, or acquaintance who is quite immoral. On this front there are two lively options in our culture: bash the person to others (probably online) or pretend everything's fine. The former damages the person. The latter ignores reality. What to do?

Jesus' strategy in the Gospel of Matthew is as wise as it is difficult: go directly to the person, and then gradually expand the circle of intervention. Simple, often effective, and hard. But what we often miss is the context of the Lord's strategy, "If your *brother* sins against you..." Notice the italicized words. Is the person in a Christian familial bond with you? And was the action in question against you? If so, proceed with the plan. Fine. But how often we fret over the sins of those who either aren't our spiritual siblings or have done nothing directly to us. This is not an invitation to ignore injustice in the world. Rather, we should build bonds of fraternal love, and carefully discern when and how others' sins are indeed our concern. Sometimes they are. Other times – frequently, perhaps – they simply are not.

— Father John Muir

# Nurturing the Faith for All Ages



## St. Anne Youth Ministry 2023-2024

Saint Anne's Youth Ministry is ready to start classes on September 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. **Registration is still open** and we are gladly accepting registrations for incoming high school students and older. You may find out information about Youth Ministry and Confirmation at: <https://saintannecatholic.org/ym>

## Confirmation Registration 2023-2024

If you were in the 2022-2023 Youth Ministry program and would still like to enroll in this upcoming Confirmation program, please contact the Youth Ministry Office at: [ym@saintannecatholic.org](mailto:ym@saintannecatholic.org) or call 510-471-7766 ext. 22. Confirmation classes will begin on Sunday, September 10 at 2:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall for students and parents.



## **2023-2024 Children Faith Formation Children Faith Formation (Grades 1-8)**

**Our 2023-2024 CFF registrations  
will open on June 1, 2023  
until September 2023**

**You can visit our parish website  
for more information.**

**Email: [cff@saintannecatholic.org](mailto:cff@saintannecatholic.org)**



**RCIA** – The Rite of Christina Initiation for Adults The RCIA is the normal way in which adults become full, active, participating members of the Catholic Church. If you, a friend, or family member is interested in becoming Catholic, the RCIA is here to fulfill that yearning. Have you, a friend, or family member desires to receive the Sacrament of Baptism to become Catholic, then this program is for you. This program will culminate on Easter Vigil which will include being baptized as a Catholic, receive First Communion, and the Sacrament of Confirmation and there become fully initiation to the Catholic Church. Classes will commence on **September 19th**. Sessions will be held once a week every **Tuesday 7:00PM., Rm. #103**. Please call the Rectory Office or Deacon Sen for more info.

**ADULT CONFIRMATION** The Sacrament of Confirmation is commonly the final Sacrament of Initiation that confirms our Baptism. A large number of Catholics have received the Sacrament of Baptism, and maybe First Communion but not Confirmation. Many don't realize this until you register to be a valid Godparent and are advised they must be fully initiated Catholics. Our Adult Confirmation program is here to help you fully enter the Catholic Church. And if by chance you have not received too First Communion, then you will too. This program will commence on **September 19th** and will last till Easter Vigil also. Sessions will also be held every **Tuesday** like the RCIA, once a week at **7:00PM Rm #103**. Please call the Rectory Office or Deacon Sen for more info. Be sealed with the Gifts of the Holy Spirit!

**Registrations for**

**CYO 2023-2024**

**Girls Volleyball and Boys Basketball  
for 3rd to 8th Graders**

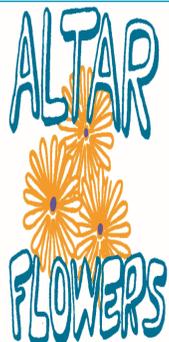
**are now closed**

**Thank you to all who submitted their registrations!**

**We have received close to 200 sign-ups!**

**We appreciate your patience as we review  
each registration.**

**Please be on the lookout for email communication informing you  
of the status of your child's registration by  
Friday, September 8, 2023.**



## **Art & Environment Group Flower Fund**

We are accepting all year round donations towards floral arrangements or potted plants to beautify our church *sanctuary*. You may drop off your donation at the Parish Office or send by mail. For info or special requests such as dates, colors, or events (e.g., anniversary, birthday, memorial, etc.), please call Zella at the Rectory Office 510-471-7766. Thank you!!!

*Prayer Corner*



**September 9, 2023 - September 16, 2023**

**Saturday, September 9**

5:00 pm Tessie Zurbano - Spe. Int.

**Sunday, September 10**

8:00 am † Beltram Hidalgo

10:00 am For the People

12:00 pm † Roberto Benitez

5:00 pm † Dominador Cabardo

**Monday, September 11**

8:00 am † Aelred Whelan

**Tuesday, September 12**

8:00 am † Eugenio "Nonoy" Ocampo

**Wednesday, September 13**

8:00 am † Salvacion Dacuycuy

7:30pm † Alfredo Roque

**Thursday, September 14**

8:00 am † Flocerpida Olarte

**Friday, September 15**

8:00 am † Virgilio Canivel, Jr.

**Saturday, September 16**

8:00 am Linden Bryce Tecson - Spe. Int.

5:00 pm † Ramon Navarro



*We lift up our sick and home bound in prayer:*

Rizalino De Ala	Enrico Macandili	Leonardo Sabado
Cynthia Dang	Tess Macandili	Danny Sancho
Deven Decena	Marissa Magno	Jay Soriano
Angelina Dizon	Jovita Marquez	Jocelyn D. Tibayan
Antonio Docelen	Sue Morris	Deity Trocino
Maria Docelen	Melosi Meredith	Tomas Valenton III
Arlene Doyle	Edward Oliva	Cynthia Dela Paz Vallar
Janet Lacap	Alex Paras	Lourdes Vallar
Maela Geronimo Lee	Ruben Real	Ramelo Vallar
Ampy Leus	Lourdes A. Reyes	Roberto Vallar
	Romeo Rivera	

**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, Memorial intentions, intentions for the sick, or intentions for recently deceased, please contact the parish office.

*Stewardship Corner*

**Sunday, September 10, 2023**

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

**Weekly Collection Goals**

Sunday, September 3, 2023	\$ 10,025
Online Giving	\$ 3,692
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 13,717</b>
Budget	\$ 14,000
Over (Under)	\$ (283)

We appreciate your generous support of our parish.

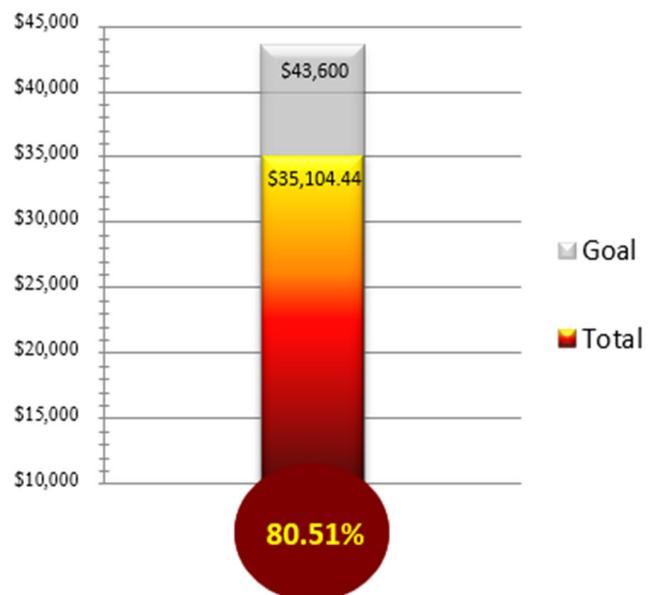
**COLLECTIONS FOR THE WEEKS OF**

	<b>Aug. 14 - 20</b>	<b>Aug. 21 - 27</b>
<b>Plate Collections</b>	\$ 8,753	\$ 10,025
<b>Online Giving</b>	\$ 4,155	\$ 3,692
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 12,908</b>	<b>\$ 13,717</b>

**2023 Bishop's Ministries Appeal Results**

Diocese of Oakland  
(as of July 15, 2023)

Funds Raised	\$ 35,104.44
Overall Goal	\$ 43,600
Percent of Goal	80.51%



## *Around the Parish*



**Please support our 50th Anniversary  
Being one of the  
Major Sponsors**

**As of June 21, 2023**

Thank you Diamond Sponsors!

Huong Tra

Vietnamese Restaurant & Deli

Premier Nissan of Fremont

Claro Gonzales & Family

The Garcia Real Estate Team

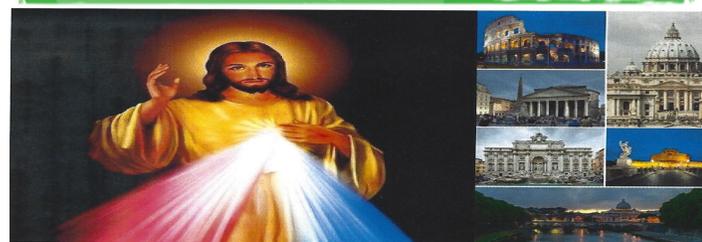
**As of June 20, 2023**

Thank you Platinum Sponsor!

+ In Memory of Amy Narciso

Carlen Gregorio & Family

Ana Canuto ,DDS



### **DIVINE MERCY & THE CENTRAL EUROPE PILGRIMAGE OCTOBER 16-27, 2023**

Fr. Bart would like to invite you to a Pilgrimage Tour to the Divine Mercy of Poland, The Black Madonna of Gasna Gora, Pope John Paul II Home & Museum, Infant Jesus of Prague, elegant countries of Europe-Bavaria, Austria, Vienna, Salzburg etc., and optional pre-tour to the prayer village of Medjugorje. For more information, reservations, and date of first meeting, please contact the coordinator, Faye Magpayo @ 510-676-2258.

## **Pastoral Team**

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## **Support Team**

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**Housekeeping Attendant**

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### Calling All Catholic Women!

You are cordially invited to join Magnificat, a Catholic Ministry to Women at our April Breakfast for a morning of Praise and Inspiration with our speaker, Fr. Jimmy Macalinao!

Saturday Sept. 30th~ 9:30am-12:30pm  
St. Raymond Church Hall  
11555 Shannon Ave, Dublin, CA

Fr. Jimmy is the parochial vicar at St. Perpetua Parish and serves as the Director of Faith Formation and Evangelization for the Oakland Diocese. A native of the Philippines, Fr. is the first permanent deacon in the Diocese to be ordained to the priesthood! Join us to hear his personal testimony.

Tickets are \$33 if postmarked by 9/16/23 after please call to reserve. Or register online <https://magnificat-ministry.net/chapters/chapter.states-a-c/ca-walnutcreek>  
**For more information call Jennifer Rogers (503) 709-8449 or email [magnificatsotirsvp@gmail.com](mailto:magnificatsotirsvp@gmail.com)**



◆ Has the mid-term elections got you stressed? Take a weekend away from it all.

◆ Give your marriage the gift of time and learn about God's plan for your marriage.

◆ Sign up for an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on November 18-20, 2022 or March 3-5, 2023. Go to [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) to find the Experience that is just right for you!

◆ Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org)



### FREE SERVICES FOR TRI-CITY SENIORS

We all want to thrive independently as we age, but sometimes we need a bit of support. LIFE ElderCare offers a range of services to help YOU stay healthy, independent, and connected to community. How can we help?

LIFE ElderCare provides:

Nutritious, home-delivered meals (Meals on Wheels)

Assisted transportation Visits & companionship In-home exercise & minor home modifications. Help finding services, Medication management & more. For more information about our services or to sign up, please call 510-894-0370, [emailinfo@LifeElderCare.org](mailto:emailinfo@LifeElderCare.org), or visit [www.LifeElderCare.org](http://www.LifeElderCare.org)



November 4, Saturday  
6PM-12AM

CROWNE PLAZA  
32083 Alvarado-Niles Road  
Union City

Music by BUSTA-GROOVE

To purchase your tickets email  
[gala@saintannecatholic.org](mailto:gala@saintannecatholic.org)

Book your room at Crowne Plaza at (510) 489-2200 at the preferred rate under Saint Anne Catholic Church

Ticket cost - \$150  
ATTIRE: FORMAL



SHARE THE WARMTH.  
MAKE AN IMPACT.

### SUPPORT OUR MINISTRIES.

We offer Online Giving as an additional option to strengthen our church's community and support our ongoing mission and ministries. We value this spiritual home, which relies on our **time, talent, and treasure**.

Online Giving helps support our church by allowing you to make donations, payments, and pledges via your mobile phone, smart device, or computer.

**Set up your gift today or consider an additional gift via our Online Giving link on your smart device.**

**Visit our church website [saintannecatholic.org](http://saintannecatholic.org) today and click on Donate to sign up and get started.**

**SAVE THE DATE!  
ST ANNE'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY**

# **NIGHT MARKET**

**CELEBRATING OUR COMMUNITY WITH  
FOOD, VENDORS AND ENTERTAINMENT!**

SEPTEMBER 15, 2023

4PM-9PM



**TO PARTICIPATE AS A VENDOR OR  
FOR ANY QUESTIONS:**

**EMAIL: [SANIGHTMARKET2023@GMAIL.COM](mailto:SANIGHTMARKET2023@GMAIL.COM)**

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