



# Saint Anne Catholic Church



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## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekday

Monday-Saturday: 8:00am  
Wednesday: 7:00 pm  
First Friday: 7:30 pm  
(except during Lent)

### 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)

## THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2025**

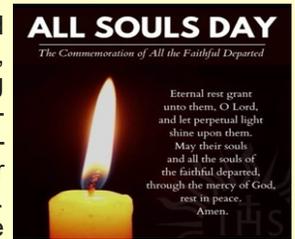
"And this is the will of the one who sent me, that I should not lose anything of what he gave me, but that I should raise it on the last day. For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life, and I shall raise him up on the last day." - Jn 6:39-40



## *From the desk of Fr. Ben*

Dear Friends,

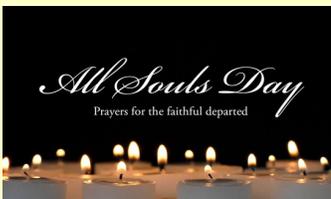
Today, as we commemorate All Souls, we reflect on the noble men and women who have gone before us. Though they have departed this life, many still require purification from venial sin and its effects before entering the joy of heaven. The Catechism of the Catholic Church beautifully explains this process: “All who die in God’s grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death, they undergo purification to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven. The Church calls this final purification of the elect Purgatory, distinct from the punishment of the damned” (#1030–31).



All Souls’ Day invites us to focus on two important aspects. First, it is a powerful call to pray for those who have died, assisting them in their final preparation for the Beatific Vision. While God is self-sufficient, it is His divine will for us to be active participants in His grace. By praying for the souls in Purgatory, especially today, we are assured that God provides all they need for their complete purification. The Mass, in particular, is a potent means of offering mercy to our loved ones who have departed and remain unperfected. Embrace this solemn duty to pray for these “poor souls.” In today’s culture, some hold the mistaken belief that a good person immediately ascends to Heaven or becomes an angel upon death. This heartfelt yet erroneous notion can leave many souls unprayed for, highlighting the importance of our prayers, which God desires us to offer lovingly.

The second focus on All Souls’ Day is a deep reflection on our own souls. This day reminds us of the vital importance of our ongoing journey of conversion. Each of us is called to be a saint, making it imperative that we strive to attain holiness in this life rather than wait for purification in Purgatory. Pursuing sainthood demands our whole being—absolutely everything. It entails diligently seeking out every sinful attachment within us and tearing them away, consistently seeking God’s mercy, confessing our sins, receiving forgiveness, and transforming our lives completely.

To better understand Purgatory, we can look to the wisdom of great masters of the spiritual life like Saint John of the Cross and Saint Teresa of Ávila. These two Doctors of the Church have written extensively about the path a soul traverses toward divine union, also known as mystical marriage. Saint Teresa describes a series of seven interior dwelling places that each person must journey through, requiring deeper levels of purification, culminating in the innermost presence chamber where divine union and full purification occur. Only those who attain this deepest union with God in this life will bypass the purification of Purgatory.



Saint John of the Cross elaborates on a similar purification journey with unique terminology. He describes two main stages: the dark night of the senses, where bodily senses and appetites are purified, followed by the dark night of the spirit, which purifies the intellect, memory, and will through infused faith, hope, and charity. The purgative way precedes the first purification, while the illuminative way follows the first and precedes the second. Completing the second purification leads the soul to the unitive way or mystical marriage, paralleling Saint Teresa’s seventh dwelling place.

This broad overview of their profound writings illustrates that perfection is a challenging yet essential journey, necessitating that either in this life or the next, every soul must prioritize personal sanctity. When personal sanctity becomes one’s exclusive mission, all aspects of life fall into harmony. Virtues flourish, love for family and friends deepens, responsibilities are joyfully fulfilled, and God is glorified.

As we engage in this Commemoration of All Souls today, let us commit ourselves to praying for those in need of final purification. Purgatory stands as God’s act of final mercy, born from His profound and purifying love for those He holds dear.

*Blessings,*

*Fr. Ben*

## 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-Friday 10:00 AM-6:00 PM

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.

# The Word of the Lord Weekly

## Weekly Prayer

### Sunday's Readings

#### First Reading:

Those who trust in him shall understand truth,  
and the faithful shall abide with him in love. (Wis 3:9)

#### Psalm:

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. (Ps 23)  
OR  
Though I walk in the valley of darkness, I fear no evil, for you  
are with me.

#### Second Reading:

But God proves his love for us  
in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us. (Rom 5:8)

#### Gospel:

"For this is the will of my Father,  
that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him  
may have eternal life,  
and I shall raise him on the last day." (Jn 6:40)

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### Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

To live with Christ, we must die with him.  
But what does this mean? What does this  
look like in the ordinary life of a Christian?  
We must ask God for the wisdom to see  
our own crosses, so that we may carry  
them into the newness of life.

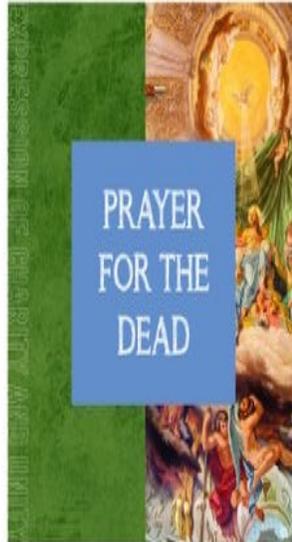
### Observances for the week of November 2, 2025

**Sunday:** The Commemoration of All the Faithful  
Departed (All Souls' Day);  
Daylight Savings Time Ends

**Monday:** St. Martin de Porres, Religious

**Tuesday:** St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop; Election Day

**Next Sunday:** The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica



### Devotions, Explained!

God is not subject to the  
constrictions of time as we  
understand them. Our prayers  
for the dead are, like our prayers  
for the living, an expression of  
charity and the unity which exists  
between all members of the Body  
of Christ.

### Prayer during Loss

O God,  
In the midst of my grief, be with me.  
Cover this season with Your  
comfort and consolation,  
help me to know Your presence  
and Your grace.  
Bring comfort to my affliction,  
and hope to my heart.  
Amen.

### Readings for the week of November 2, 2025

#### Sunday:

Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/  
Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40

#### Monday:

Rom 11:29-36/Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36/  
Lk 14:12-14

#### Tuesday:

Rom 12:5-16b/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/  
Lk 14:15-24

#### Wednesday:

Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9/  
Lk 14:25-33

#### Thursday:

Rom 14:7-12/Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14/  
Lk 15:1-10

#### Friday:

Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/  
Lk 16:1-8

#### Saturday:

Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5,  
10-11/Lk 16:9-15

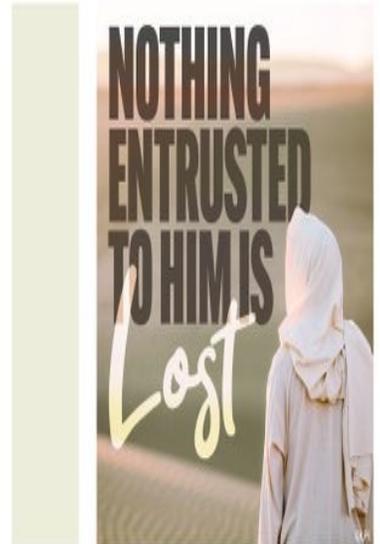
#### Next Sunday:

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/  
1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22



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## Worship & Meditation



### Gospel Meditation

#### Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

I lost my wallet this year. It was such an annoyance to  
replace everything in it. A friend, moved by sympathy,  
gave me a beautiful new one. One month later I lost that  
one, too, with all my newly replaced cards. No matter what  
I did, I couldn't find what I had lost. I resigned myself to  
never seeing either of my wallets again.

Fortunately, the Lord Jesus is not like me in this regard. In  
today's Gospel (John 6:37-40), he says, "This is the will of  
the one who sent me, that I should not lose anything of  
what he gave me." Jesus, unlike me, is ever vigilant with  
what the Father has given him. He searches for every lost  
soul – as the shepherd leaves the ninety-nine to pursue  
the one lost sheep, or the woman rejoices upon recovering  
a lost coin – and even descends to the depths of loss on  
the cross and into the realm of the dead to recover that  
which seems forever lost.

On All Souls' Day, as we remember our faithful departed,  
these words kindle a hope beyond hope in our hearts.  
Even the dead are not lost to Jesus, though they may  
seem so to us. Nothing entrusted to him by the Father is  
ever truly lost. So, we may hope that every soul, no matter  
how wandering or forgotten in life, is secure in his loving  
care and destined to be raised on the last day. Of what the  
Father gives him, he loses nothing.

— Father John Muir

# Nurturing the Faith for All Ages



## Saint Anne High School Youth Ministry 2025-2026

St. Anne Youth Ministry will meet on Monday, November 3rd at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Snacks are available outside the Hall starting at 6:15 p.m. Many of us

fall into the trap of focusing on our age and we ask, "How could God use someone like me?" Many people around us would be wise to remember this quote: God doesn't call the qualified, He qualifies the called! For this Youth Ministry meeting we're be talking about..."Young Saints, they're all around us!"

It IS NOT too late to register for Youth Ministry. Youth Ministry registration forms will be available on the Youth Ministry link on the Parish website: <https://saintannecatholic.org/ym> If you'd like to pick up a registration form they available at the Parish Office. Just a reminder, the Youth Ministry program is considered the first year of the two-year preparation for Confirmation program. **All are welcome!!!**

## St. Anne Confirmation Program 2025-2026

St. Anne Confirmation has a series of meetings coming up. On Sunday, November 9 . Parents and 2<sup>nd</sup> year Confirmation Students will meet at 1:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall for the Confirmation retreat information meeting

(this is a mandatory meeting). Regular Confirmation class will start at 2:30 p.m. WITH Sponsors. Youth Mass will follow with the Rite of Entrance for the Confirmation students.

### TRUNK OR TREAT on Halloween!!

Thank you to all who participated in Friday's Trunk or Treat activity. It was a gift from you to St. Anne's community.

### **November 2, 2025 • All Souls Day**

Sunday's Gospel is focused on a short tax collector and his encounter with Jesus. Zacchaeus must have often felt like the underdog. He was so short that he had to climb a tree just to see Jesus. His occupation made him an object of scorn and hatred for many Jews, who associated him with the Roman Empire for which he collected the tax. In addition, many tax collectors at the time were cheating the people by charging more tax than was required and keeping the difference for themselves. We don't know whether or not Zacchaeus was a cheat. What we do know is that his encounter with Jesus changed his life. Zacchaeus promised to not just be fair or just, but to be charitable with anyone whom he had mistreated. Your challenge this week is to examine your own life to see if you have been unjust to someone else—in your family, your school or workplace, your neighborhood or larger community. What can you do to right that wrong? How can your own encounters with Jesus give you the courage and compassion you need to treat others more justly and more lovingly? © Center for Ministry Development. Published by the Pastoral Center / [www.pastoral.center](http://www.pastoral.center). All rights reserved.

## **SCHOOL OF FAITH FORMATION CCD 2025-2026**

**Sacraments of Reconciliation, Communion & Continuing Catholic Education.  
(Grades 1- 8)**

**Registration is closing soon!**

**Sign up Online: [saintannecatholic.org/cff](https://saintannecatholic.org/cff)**

*Come Join*  
St. Anne's  
**Children's Choir**

First Sundays of the Month at 5pm  
Second Saturdays of the Month at 5pm

**REHEARSALS**  
One hour before Mass starts  
(YouTube video links emailed a week before scheduled Mass)

For more information :  
**SYBIL PAULE**  
[sighbill@gmail.com](mailto:sighbill@gmail.com)

**"Bingo Night" at St. Anne. Join us on November 22 (Saturday) at 6:00 pm at the Parish Social Hall for games, prizes, fun and fellowship! All for a good cause: This fundraising is for the Social Hall's floor stripping, cleaning and polishing. Tickets are \$30.00 (for 5 game cards, 1 marker and snack). See you there!**

*Prayer Corner*



**November 1, 2025 - November 8, 2025**

**Saturday, November 1**

5:00 pm † Dec. Members of Camacho-Santiago Family

**Sunday, November 2**

8:00 am For the People

10:00 am † Dec. Mem. of Presidium Mary Mother of God

12:00 pm † Mercedes & Vicente Cosme

5:00 pm † Justin Thomas Martinez Malvas

**Monday, November 3**

8:00 am † Paul Voigtlander

**Tuesday, November 4**

8:00 am † Jonathan Garcia

**Wednesday, November 5**

8:00 am † Isabel Garcia

7:00 pm † Alberto Pagtakhan

**Thursday, November 6**

8:00 am † Lupita Alvir

**Friday, November 7**

8:00 am † Clarence Dietcher

7:00 pm † Natividad Dacuycuy Yanos

**Saturday, November 8**

8:00 am † David Ruizzorrilla

5:00pm † Francis Nghlem Phu



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

Rolly Apostol	Janet Lacap	Beatrice Park
Cindy Abapo	Ampy Leus	Josephine Ramos
Crismarie Agbayani	MariSSa Magno	Danny Sancho
Jose Caluya	Jovita Marquez	Jay Soriano
Paige Brady	Elaine Martin	Deity Trocino
Mary Campos	Vienvenar Mendoza	Tomas Valenton
Pacita Castillo	Malosi Meredith	Norma Veloso
Veronica Chiong	Tomas Miranda	Roseann Cabrera-
Arlene Doyle	Ricardo Morelos	Ward
Millette Fulgar		
Lita Kayas		

**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.

**Sunday, November 2, 2025**

*Stewardship Corner*

2025	Plate Collections + Online Giving	Over/ (Under) Weekly Budget of \$15,450.00
09/08-09/14	\$15,129.00	\$(321.00)
09/15-09/21	\$14,858.00	\$(592.00)
09/22-09/28	\$14,169.00	\$(1,281.00)
09/29-10/05	\$17,170.00	\$1,720.00
10/06-10/12	\$15,833.00	\$383.00
10/13-10/19	\$15,508.00	\$58.00
10/20-10/26	\$13,618.11	\$(1,831.89)



**SHARE THE WARMTH. MAKE AN IMPACT.**

**SUPPORT OUR MINISTRIES.**

*This fall/winter, act generously and experience the joy of giving.*

Help sustain our church regardless of the weather. 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.**

## Called To Serve



Did you know that the ministry of ushers/greeters is the oldest lay ministry in the Catholic Church? In the Old Testament, they were called "gatekeepers."

Their ministry was so important that they were given living quarters in the temple! Here at St. Anne Church, we could use some new volunteers to help out in the usher/greeter ministry. Here are the Mass days and times we need Ushers. You are welcome to help at the Mass you normally attend and as much as your schedule allows.

Saturday 5pm

Sunday 8am, 10am, 12pm and 5pm

For questions or to sign up, please contact Ben Benitez at 510-366-4293 or speak with one of our current ushers at Mass. We would love to have you join us!

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DO BE DONE IN

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### **VIRTUS Safe Environment Training**

All those who minister (volunteers, employees, and clergy) in the Diocese of Oakland are required to complete the Safe Environment Training. The training is mandatory-first before starting work or volunteering and then every three years thereafter. Please check your email if you are due to retrain. Visit <https://oakdiocese.org/safe-environment> or existing login and / or new volunteer registration.

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## Around the Parish



# Knights of Columbus®

### 2025-2026 Activities

EVERY 1<sup>ST</sup> FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH - 1ST FRIDAY NOVENA WITH SHE MINISTRY. WEAR YOUR RED SHIRT

EVERY 3<sup>RD</sup> SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH - 5PM- KNIGHTS CHOIR. REHEARSAL IN RM 103 @ 4PM. WEAR WHITE CHOIR SHIRT

EVERY 2<sup>ND</sup> THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH - 7P- OFFICER'S MEETING IN RM 104.

EVERY 4<sup>TH</sup> THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH - 7PM - COUNCIL MEETING IN RM 104. WEAR RED SHIRT

## JOIN US!

LEAD, SERVE, PROTECT AND DEFEND

WE ARE CATHOLIC GENTLEMEN WHO  
WE SHARE A DESIRE TO BE

HUSBANDS, FATHERS, BROTHERS, SONS,  
NEIGHBORS AND ROLE MODELS

AND PUT CHARITY AND COMMUNITY FIRST

WE ARE ST. ANNE COUNCIL #8627

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CHARITY, UNITY, FRATERNITY *VIVAT JESUS!* JESUS LIVES! SEMPER!



## ANOINTING OF THE SICK ST. ANNE CHURCH

Every 2nd Friday of the month there will be Holy Mass and Anointing of the Sick at 12:00pm.  
Come experience the healing power  
God's unconditional love.  
Invite and bring family and friends.



## Society of St. Vincent De Paul 510-516-3573

We're inspired by the Gospel to serve our neighbors in need. You're invited to help us! We appreciate contributions through collections, donations on the parish website, or checks and gift cards delivered to the parish office. Maybe you can join us or volunteer for a few hours. The parish website has more information about our ministry:

<https://saintannecatholic.org/st-vincent-de-paul>

### November Activities

#### 11/3, Monday

6:00 to 7:00 pm in Room 106: Monthly Meeting

#### 11/7, Friday

9:00-11:00 am in Room 106: Prepare and deliver food bags for unhoused neighbors.

#### 11/9, Sunday

11:00-1:00: Serve lunches at the St. Vincent de Paul Store on Decoto Road.

#### 11/14, Friday

9:00-11:00 am in Room 106: Set up for the walk-up food distribution.

#### 11/15, Saturday

9:00-11:00 am in Room 106: Walk-up food distribution

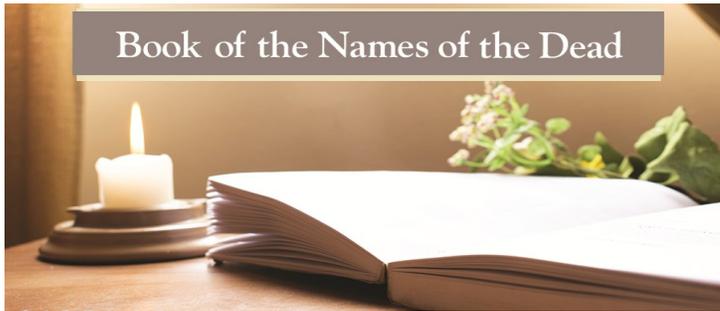
#### 11/22, Saturday

10:00-11:00 am in Room 106: Help prepare bags for the Outreach Lunch.

### October Assistance

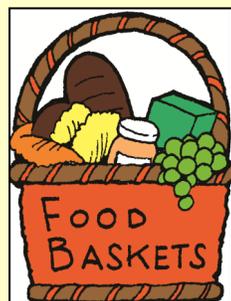
115 lunches served at the St. Vincent de Paul Store  
78 households (157 people) served by the food distribution in Room 106  
\$125 in pantry food (4 people)  
\$460 in gift cards (2 people)  
\$500 in rent assistance (2 people)  
\$100 for transportation assistance (4 people)

## Book of the Names of the Dead



### ALL SOULS

During the month of November, we will be praying for the souls of the dead. The Book of the Names of the Dead will be available for all parishioners to write down the names of their deceased family and friends.



### THANKSGIVING BASKETS

St Vincent de Paul is collecting non perishable foods, grocery gift cards (Walmart, Smart and Final, Food Maxx & etc.) and gas gift cards for our Thanksgiving Baskets for the unhoused and low-income families in our community. Thanksgiving Baskets will be distributed on **November 15, 2025**. Please drop

off food donations at the food barrel located at the church main entrance or at the Parish Office or you may donate a food basket for a family. If you know a needy family who needs a basket, please call St. Vincent de Paul at **510 516-3573** and leave their names and phone number. Thank you!!!

# Thanksgiving

## MASS TIMES

St. Anne will only have **ONE** mass on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday 11/27/25 @ 10:00 AM

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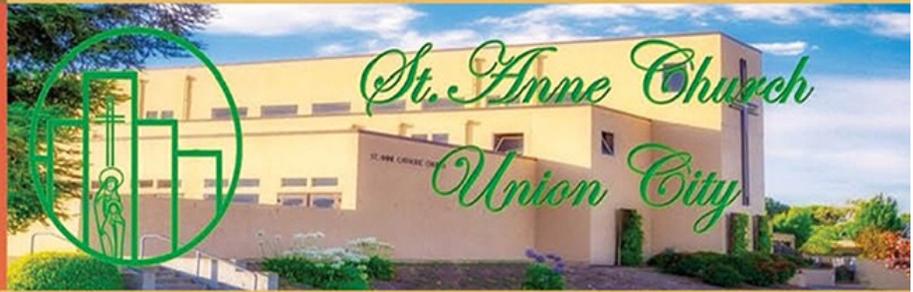
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December 15-23, 2025

Mass Time

7:00 p.m



*St. Anne Church  
Union City*

## Day of Recollection in the Jubilee Year of Hope

“The Door of Hope is Always Open”

### YOUTH AND ADULT DAY WITH JESUS

St. Anne Catholic Church  
32223 Cabello St., Union City, CA 94587

Saturday, November 15, 2025  
8:30am - 4:00pm



Dynamic Speakers Healing Confession Adoration



Fr. Michael Barry, SS.CC  
We want to see Jesus



Fr. Stan Fortuna C.F.R  
We are not left alone



Fr. Benedict Wonganant  
I am the vine; you are  
the branches

**Adult Registration Fee: \$25.00** ■ **Youth: Ages 0-18 are free**

Please make check payable to St. Anne Catholic Church, memo line should indicate for Spiritual Journey event  
We encourage online payments

To register online please scan the QR code or click on this link:

<https://www.osvhub.com/saintannecatholic/forms/a-day-of-recollection-november-15-2025>

Please register early (on or before November 4, 2025) to reserve a free lunch.

Also, the St. Anne Church has limited seating capacity.

For more information: Please call: Office: 510.471.7766 or 510.386.7737 or 510.449.1350





# A DAY OF REFLECTION SCHEDULE



7:00 am Check-In & Light Breakfast (At the Hall)

## At the Church

9:00 am First Talk: I am the vine; you are the branches  
\*Fr. Benedict Wonganant

9:30 am Break

9:45 am Second Talk: We Are Not Left Alone  
\*Fr. Stan Fortuna, C.F.R.

10:45 am Break

11:00 pm Holy Mass – Fr. Stan Fortuna

12:00 pm Lunch Break (Boxed lunch provided)  
Confession

1:00 pm Talk 3: We Want To See Jesus  
\*Fr. Michael Barry, SS.CC.

1:45 pm Love Offering for Our Beloved Priests (Speakers)

2:00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
Healing Session (Pray Over by Group)  
\*Fr. Michael Barry

## At the Hall – Youth Talk

8:30 am First Talk: 1000 Often  
Frustrated Ways

\*Fr. Stan Fortuna, C.F.R.

9:30 am Break

10:00 am Second Talk: I am the vine; you are  
the branches  
\*Fr. Benedict Wonganant

10:30 am Break

11:00 am Holy Mass at the Church  
\*Fr. Stan Fortuna

12:00 pm Lunch Break (Boxed lunch provided)  
Confession

1:00 pm Second Talk: Our Entire Task In this Life  
\*Fr. Stan Fortuna

1:45 pm At the Church

*Jeremiah 33:6 I will bring health and healing to it; I will heal my people and will let them enjoy abundant peace and security*

## SPEAKERS BIO

Fr. Michel Barry, SS.CC., was the former Director of the Charismatic Renewal Center for the Diocese of San Bernardino. Fr. Barry is a charismatic priest, best known for his healing ministries, primarily through Retreats, Healing Masses, Healing The Family Tree, Inner Healing, and Spiritual Direction. He feels a special call to the Inner Healing of the person. He was born and raised in Cork, Ireland. A Queen of Peace Seminary graduate, Fr. Barry was ordained a member of the Congregation of Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary (SS.CC.) on June 14, 1964. After earning his Master of Arts in Theology from the Catholic University of America, Fr. Barry spent many of his early years working in education. He held several teaching positions at Catholic schools throughout the country—a priest and member of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary for over 50 years. Fr. Barry served as the provincial for his congregation's western province in the United States when Pope John Paul II granted him the Pro Pontifice et Ecclesia Award. Father Barry is the Founder, President, and Chairman of the Board of Directors for Mary's Mercy Center. His vision for outreach to the Poor and Less Fortunate began in 1987 with Mary's Table. Over time, Fr. Barry grew the ministry to include Veronica's Home of Mercy and Mary's Village. Today, Mary's Mercy Center is a living testament to Fr. Barry's lifelong commitment to the Gospel's teachings: "Blessed are the Poor." Mt 5:3.

Fr. Stan Fortuna C.F.R., a Roman Catholic priest ordained on December 8, 1990, is one of the eight founding members of the Community of the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal (an order established in the Archdiocese of New York under the jurisdiction of John Cardinal O'Connor in 1987). Prior to his conversion, Fr. Stan was a professional jazz musician who studied with the legendary Lennie Tristano (the 'father of improvisational jazz'). Fr. Stan has since independently released over twenty one (21) CD's in various genres as well as DVDs and books. Assigned to the work of preaching full-time, Fr. Stan travels extensively across the country and around the world celebrating Mass, giving talks, leading pilgrimages and performing concerts with proceeds from bookings and sales going directly towards CFR hands-on work with poor and underprivileged families.

Fr. Benedict Wonganant was born in Thailand and immigrated to the United States in 2007. Ordained to the priesthood for the Diocese of Oakland in 2013. He has been serving as the pastor of St. Anne since February 2025, where he continues to minister with dedication and compassion to the St. Anne community, Union City.

## Registration Form - FEE: \$25

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone# \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

# BLOOD DRIVE

## St. Anne Catholic Church

Saturday, November 22  
8:00am–1:00pm

Social Hall  
32223 Cabello Street  
Union City, CA 94587

Information:  
Aprille Walsh  
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