

St. Anne

Catholic Church

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www.churchofstanne.org

August 1, 2021

18th

SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." - Jn 6:33

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LIFE



The Versiti Blood Drive will be at St. Anne's Church on **Thursday, August 12 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** This will be another scholarship drive, where OCEF (Ortonville Community Emergency Fund) will receive \$10 for each pint of blood collected. We had an amazing turnout in June. Let's do it again for August! If your last donation was on or before June 17, make your appointment online at this link:

https://donate.michigan.versiti.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/136288

or call Robin Loughlin at 248-892-2762 or Linda Mizejewski at 586-295-5348. Thanks in advance for your time and donation.

Parish Directory

Pastor: Rev. Gerry Frawley
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Parish Fax: 248-627-5153
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Parish Staff

Director of Religious Education	
Marianne Boesch	131
Worship Coordinator	
Julie Neal	107
Christian Service Coordinator	
Karyn Milligan	103
Music Ministry	
Laura Knaack, Director	121
Paul Czarnik, Accompanist	
Youth Minister	
Kim Zernec	132
Bookkeeper	
Sheryl Van Fleteren	106
Parish Secretary	
Anne Schulz	100
Building Maintenance	
Steve Szach	100

Worship Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 PM
 Sunday 8:30 and 10:30 AM

Weekday Masses

Monday 7:00 PM
 Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 AM

Holy Day Masses 9:00 AM, 7:00 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:30 PM or by appointment

Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples should contact Julie Neal in the Parish Office at least six months before the marriage

Infant Baptisms

Parents contact the parish office Ext. 107

Adoration

Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. to noon

Parish Office Hours

9:00 a.m. to Noon, 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Bulletin Information

Bulletin Deadline: Noon Tuesday

Bulletin article submission: If your organization is holding an event, we are happy to post it in the bulletin as space allows. Writing, proofreading and submitting an announcement is the responsibility of the sponsoring group. All bulletin content is subject to review by the pastor and/or parish staff and content may be edited or declined.

The Mission Statement of St. Anne Parish

"We, the people of St. Anne, are a growing Catholic Community with various gifts and talents, and we are open to the Spirit among us. Rooting ourselves in The Word of God, we reach out to all in loving service, witnessing, and celebrating the life of Jesus Christ in our midst."

WORSHIP & MEDITATION



GOSPEL MEDITATION

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

"You cannot see the forest for the trees" is a widely known saying that can bring wisdom to our understanding of our journey. Often, our sight becomes limited to what is immediately before us. We lose touch with lessons and experiences from the past and promises and hope for the future. As human beings, we have the privilege of being able to choose things. What I like and don't like, want, and don't want can be major preoccupations of our minds and hearts. Our preferences and desires begin to define us more than the simple fact of our being. Who we are matters more than what we are or what we have. If we don't move beyond the external and superficial stuff to what really is of essence, we risk becoming very unsettled, disorientated, angry, and unhappy. We fail to see the bigger picture of hope and promise that lies ahead and the Divine Presence that has sustained and carried us before.

We like it when the "now" time of our lives satisfy us. Even the people who witnessed Jesus feed the five thousand got confused and distracted. It felt good when thousands of people were able to eat. They wanted to know what they could do to get this to happen again! But Jesus quickly reminds them that this is not the point of this sign. As much as the now time of our lives is of concern, it is not what is ultimately important. We need to learn the difference between being and doing, drawing more strength from who we are and who God is rather than what is happening around us and the choices we can make. Jesus is the true bread that came down from heaven. Jesus is the very incarnate presence of God who sustains life and assures us that we will not perish. This is not easy to understand and feel. We have to practice being in the presence of ourselves, others, creation, and God. We are brought to a holy place when we encounter the sacredness of being. This is real prayer.

Then, we learn to trust. It is when we cease trusting that we start to become afraid, uncertain, apprehensive, and doubtful, and overly self-concerned. We even start to grumble. God has our back. That is the essential powerful message of the living bread come down from heaven. God, who is alpha is also omega, the beginning and the end, and has everything in between in his care as well. A woman once remarked that her most powerful God moment happened when she and her husband cuddled with their new baby for a time. Without exchanging words and using only the affection communicated through sight and touch, they rested in being with each other. This brought them to the sacred, where they realized that a greater Being was with them. It was real. They knew that they were part of something bigger, intimate, and profound. When we rest in the Living Source of life, we will find that our souls are no longer hungry or thirsty.

Faith Formation

Religious Education Office
248-627-3965

Marianne Boesch, DRE, ext. 131
marianne@churchofstanne.org



Register on our parish website!

Grades 1-6
Mondays Weekly
6-7:15pm at St. Daniel Parish

Saturday Monthly
10am-12noon at St. Anne parish

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10am-12noon St. Daniel parish

The monthly Saturday classes are for parents to attend with their student. Together families learn and grow in our Catholic faith through prayer, scripture study, service projects and interactive activities. Textbook lessons are completed at home.

Grades 7-9
Confirmation Classes -2 Year Program

Sunday Monthly
11:00am -3:30pm St. Daniel parish

Students in year 2 of this program will have additional sessions to attend. Details will be shared at our Confirmation Orientation. Confirmation Orientation

Grade 2+ First Communion 2 Year Program
Year 1 Register for a Faith Formation Class
Year 2 Attend Class + additional formation dates



-Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

-Have you been Baptized but have not received the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation?

-Do you have an unbaptized child over the age of 7?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, RCIA is right for you!

Contact the Faith Formation Office for more information.

Volunteers Needed! Faith Formation Team

Volunteers are needed to join our Faith Formation team. The purpose of this team is to promote, facilitate and organize faith formation opportunities for St. Anne and St. Daniel parish. You do not need to be a catechist to join this team.

We need help in all areas of faith formation: planning, promoting, hosting, donating food items, hospitality, and more!

You can choose to help with just one event or many.

Contact the Faith Formation Office for more information

Save the Date! Faith Formation Team Meeting
Sunday, September 12
10am at St. Daniel



LITURGICAL LIFE

RESPONDING *to the Call*

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments

Practicing Graciousness in the Desert

Looking back over my journey of parenthood, I know there were days when I traveled the extra mile for my children. I made their toast the way they like it, let them play in the park an extra ten minutes, or let them go to the movies with their friends and I finished up the chores on my own. And then, it happened: the attitude. The request for the smallest thing from one of them is met with disdain or bewilderment.

Sometimes you can be made breathless with the ingratitude of another person who takes so much and with so little shame, only to scoff at the idea that they, too, give even the smallest amount.

But if we're being honest with ourselves, we will admit that we do the exact same thing to God. Haven't we all been the Israelites in the desert at one point or another? God has parted our Red Sea in some way. He's led us out of some great trial, given us some great blessings. But then we run into a little resistance somewhere along the way and we throw up our hands. How could you do this to us, Lord? How could you ask this of us? No, I can't go any further. No, I won't do any more.

Persisting in the blindness to the many ways God continues to protect us is nothing short of a temper tantrum. It robs our Everyday Stewardship of its graciousness, of our ability to accept with joy the trials of life because we are also constantly aware of its blessings.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



Fr. Gerry is retiring at the end of August. As a gift, we are creating a book of memories and messages to thank him for all he has done for our church community. Using the link below, choose to upload a photo, a message, or both. Please only submit one page per person to leave room for other parishioners. If you need assistance uploading your memories, please contact Anne in

the parish office. Submissions will be accepted through August 8th. Thank you in advance for contributing!

<https://www.newlywords.com/thank-you-fr-gerry>



WHY DO WE DO THAT? Catholic Life Explained:

Question:

What can I do to help our family practice our faith each day?

Answer:

Some families practice their religion together as just another event on their schedule: go to church, observe Lent, help at the parish picnic, go to a meeting, volunteer time, make your confession, use your envelope... But the focus needs to be on who we are—God's people, in relationship with him, loved, forgiven, and redeemed, and called to live and proclaim the Gospel. Our awareness of God's presence and our sense of mission are supported by the daily rituals, celebrations, and traditions that help us stay focused. Sharing our faith strengthens us and clarifies the beliefs and values of Christian living.

Daily family practices include time for prayer—before meals, before bed, before important meetings and activities. Attend Sunday Mass together and discuss the homily afterward. Create family celebrations for holy days and holidays. Make religion a regular part of your discussions. Include others, especially the elderly and the less fortunate, in your activities and charitable efforts. By applying the virtues of faith, hope, and love to each day, faith becomes part of who your family is. It influences how you act towards others, what you value, and how mindful of God you are. Faith is the leaven of life that helps all of us rise to our calling and dignity as God's people.

Worship



In Exodus the Israelites grumble against Moses for taking them out of the abundance of Egypt into the starvation of the desert. In response, God sends them a daily portion of manna, testing to see if they trust God to continue giving them what they need. When they try to save a little for the next day, it spoils.

The Gospel tells us that what God ultimately gives us is God's own self: God's Son, sent into the world not to condemn it, but to save it; God's body broken on the cross and offered as true food to a hungry world; God's heart, broken for us, so that we might never hunger again. This bread is more than we will ever need. (Some excerpts taken from At Home with the Word.)



Readings for August 8, 2021

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kings 19: 4-8

Psalms 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9

Ephesians 4: 30—5:2

John 6: 41-51



ALTAR LINEN SCHEDULE

08-01-21-Colleen Francis

08-08-21-Debbie Davis



ALTAR CARE

August 13-Julie Neal

RECYCLE MINISTRY SCHEDULE

August 14/15-

28/29-Pat Bardel

Sept. 11/12-25/26-Frank Klimek



Eucharistic Celebrations

Saturday, July 31, 2021

11:00 a.m. Memorial Mass for Dcn. Tony

5:00 p.m. Frederick & Carol Andre, req by Family

Sunday, August 1, 2021

8:30 a.m. Earl Muhleck, req. by Family

Lee Ball, req. by Mike & Ellen Johnson & Family

10:30 a.m. Dot Tebelman, req. by Schulz Family

Monday, August 2, 2021

7:00 p.m. Joyce Bond, req. by Friends

Tuesday, August 3, 2021

9:00 a.m. Dcn. Tony Morici, req. by Parish

Wednesday, August 4, 2021

9:00 a.m. Bob Henley, req. by Friends

Thursday, August 5, 2021

9:00-Noon **ADORATION**

Friday, August 6, 2021

9:00 a.m. Judy Johnson, req. by Mike & Ellen Johnson and Family

Saturday, August 7, 2021

5:00 p.m. Frederick & Mariah Andre, req. by Family

Sunday, August 8, 2021

8:30 a.m. Judy Johnson, req. by Michelle & Dan Hosang
Fely Lopez Capistrano & Lucio Capistrano, req. by Linda Lopez

Prayer REQUESTS

Jim Gromek, Rod Mersino, Dorothy Massy, Marge Flanigan, Vince Bland, Elaine Corkins, Alice & Dennis Spande, Dagmar Contzen, Chuck & Sandra Marteney, Elaine Corkins, Landon Morrison, Joyce Stewart, Joan Ball, Patrick Lamb, Jerry Richart, Nelda Gaston, Abby Gels, Frank Vella, Guy Mattana, Monica Geisler, Darlene Gray, Joan Ball, Renee Thompson, Gladys Jessop, Rita Bullard, Tamara Camaj, Reagan Bahling, Bob Mizejewski, Betty Morici, Donna Ferrara, Fabian Family, Rachel Tremblay, Robert Lee, Thomas Latowski, Robert Frazer, The Carmody Family, Emma Jane Reed, Roman Joe Zakrajšek, Darren McLaughlin, Joyce Stewart, Rhonda Barron, Max Justus, Katy Powers, John Benvenuti, Sam Davis, Dorothy Massy, Marge Park, Nick Emery, Diane Naren, Cooper Pavkovich, Nick Plaxton, Bill Knight, Sr. Judy Jones, Nick Lindquist, John Church, Vesna Gored, Samuel Joseph, Kallie Moshier,



Weekend of August 7th & 8th

Lectors

5:00 p.m.-Judy Henley, Margaret Lee

8:30 a.m.-Gary Putt, Kathleen Russell

10:30 a.m.-Stephanie Mackey, Cynthia Potts

Eucharistic Ministers

5:00 p.m.-Chris & Alison Elmes, Angie Sheperd (MS)

8:30 a.m.-Marianne Boesch, Veronica Gdowski,

Cathy Genovese, Gary Schafer (MS)

10:30 a.m.-Cindy & Nadine Maldonado, Connie Marshall (MS)



WHO SETS UP FOR MASS?

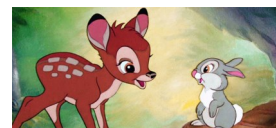
Do you ever think about the people behind the scenes who set everything up for

Mass? They are called Mass Stewards here at St. Anne, and we could use a few more for each Mass and funerals. Here's a brief description of their duties:

- Open doors, turn on lights, light candles, process in with cross.
- Set up all vessels, hosts, wine, cloths.
- Assist the priest
- Clean up after Mass.

We will be happy to train you, let me know which Mass you prefer. This is a great opportunity to serve. You can reach me at **248-627-3965 ext. 107** or julie@churchofstanne.org.

THIS IS A MINISTRY IN GREAT NEED OF VOLUNTEERS.



Happy birthday my friend!



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Stewardship Corner

Parish Support

Fiscal Year: July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021

Weekly Budget

Sunday contribution \$ 8,938.00 (100%)

July 2021

1st Sunday Received	\$ 9,103.00 (102%)
2nd Sunday Received	\$ 8,575.00 (96%)
3rd Sunday Received	\$ 9,251.70 (104%)
4th Sunday Received	\$ 11,407.87 (128%)

July 24/25, 2021

Amount in Envelopes	\$ 5,763.00
Electronic Offertory	\$ 3,140.00
Loose	\$ 2,504.87
Holy Day	\$ 50.00
Total	\$ 11,407.87
Weekly <u>Over</u> Budget	\$ 2,469.87
Yearly <u>Over</u> Budget	\$ 3,043.02

Thank you for your sacrifice and generosity!

Automated Electronic Offertory is an ideal way for parishioners to serve Christ through their treasures. To sign up, stop by the parish office for an enrollment form or contact our bookkeeper, Sheryl Van Fleteren at 248-627-3965 ext. 106.

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