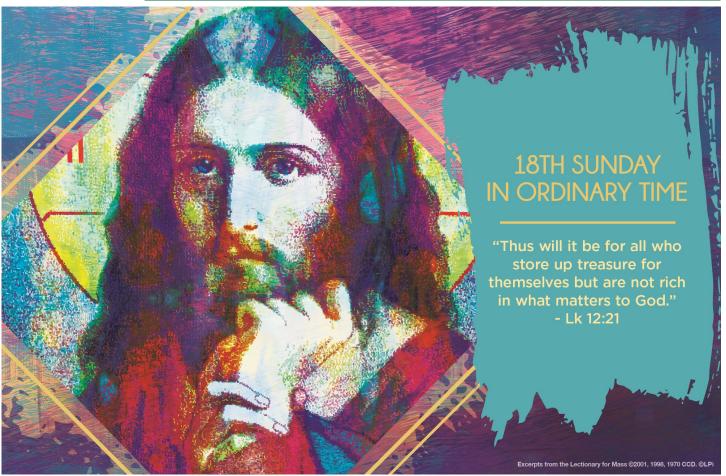


St. Anne

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July 31, 2022





Support Group For Women With Asperger Husbands
2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the Month St. Daniel Cushing Center 7010 Valley Park Dr., Clarkston

Questions? Email: ntaspgroup@gmail.com

Parish Directory

Pastor: Rev. Craig Marion

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Parish Staff

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Director of Religious Education	
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Worship Coordinator	
Julie Neal	107
Christian Service Coordinator	
Karyn Milligan	103
Music Ministry	
Laura Knaack, Director	121
Accountant	
Cheryl Yuhas	106
Administrative Assistant	
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 4:00 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

Eucharistic Adoration— one hour before the Monday evening and Friday Morning Masses

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

Bulletin Information

Bulletin Deadline: Noon Monday 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."

Fr. Craigs Contemplations

18th Week in Ordinary Time

Recently, I was told by an elderly Priest, it would "profit all of us" if we have a bible in one hand and a newspaper in the other. Indeed, it's a valid point, to discern what our ancestors in faith lived through and how it's related to what we live through today.

This weekend, the Gospel begins with a question from a man, attempting to draw our Lord Jesus into a dispute regarding an inheritance. Jesus, steps aside from being an "interpreter" and warns the questioner about the dangers regarding the sin of greed. Jesus doesn't even use the "tough words" of the first reading from Ecclesiastes. (Only once every three years, do we hear the proclamation, "Vanity of vanities! All things are vanity!") {Note: from Hebrew, *vanity* can mean "fleeting breath."}

Jesus teaches the questioner through a parable of the surplus harvest. The danger of the man with the surplus harvest is that he is living isolated (some may say, he was living in a vacuum.) Jesus' point — as a disciple we can't do this, we must avoid living in isolation (living in a vacuum.) We are called, with a surplus, to consider those who are in need. (The key phrase we must take to prayer, "Thus will it be for all who store up treasure for themselves but are not rich in what matters to God.")

Indeed, we need to keep our eyes "forward" – that is keep our eyes fixed on Jesus – and "store up" the goods which will help us in heaven. And so, how do we "store up goods" for heaven? In service to those who need the presence of Jesus in their life.

May God be with you this week! Fr. Craig

The Everyday Stewardship Vision

As the baptized, we are called to grow in our faith to a point where we respond to the call of Jesus Christ regardless of the cost. This leads us to an everyday way of living, not just a

series of activities or good deeds. When we find ourselves truly living a stewardship way of life, we realize that we have transformed, to aid in transforming our parishes and then the world around us.

6 Characteristics of an Everyday Steward

Mindful-Lives in the present, without the baggage of the past, and without fear of the future.

Prayerful -Sees entire day as an opportunity to be in the presence of God.

Grateful-Gives thanks for all of God's blessings, especially the little everyday ones.

Gracious -Receives all of God's creation in a welcoming and hospitable manner.

Committed -Perseveres daily in a way of life acknowledging everything belongs to God.

Accountable -Understands the value of parish community and the role it plays.

Faith Formation

Religious Education Office 248-627-3965

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

Young Adult Ministry

Young Adult Ministry (YAM):

Follow our GroupME using the QR scanner.

You can also follow our email list: Lakersyam@gmail.com to keep updated with all of the events.

If you have any questions, please contact Michelle at 248 -820-6670 or by email at michelle.konarzewski@ollonline.org



A Summer Prayer

Lord God, Creator of all things, guide our steps and strengthen our hearts, during these months of summer and vacation days.

Grant us refreshment of mind and body. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen



HOW DO WE ENTER THE CHURCH?

Actually, there are several ways people enter the Church. Many of us were born into a Christian family and began our entry by receiving Baptism as an infant. We then spent many years coming to know Jesus until we could "confirm" our own personal faith Ritad Christ in the Trinity.



Bu some of us have reached adulthood before seeking a personal relationship with Jesus. For un-baptized adults, we bring them through a process we call the **RCIA** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). We also use this same process for those baptized in another faith and seeking to join the Catholic Church. In this instance we catechize and then one makes a profession of faith.

ARE YOU AN ADULT SEEKING BAPTISM?

If you would like to learn more about how you might be baptized, please *give* us a call so we can begin your journey with Christ.

ARE YOU AN UN-CONFIRMED ADULT?

Have you been baptized, catechized to the point of receiving your First Holy Communion, but for some reason, have never been Confirmed? *Give us a call* so that we can help you along your journey into full initiation.

Whatever your circumstance may be, we begin by making an appointment for a simple interview. This interview will help us know how to best serve you and help you along on your personal journey.

Time to Register for Faith Formation Classes! Classes Begin in September

Registration for the 2022-2023 program year is open. Visit the parish website to sign up for classes. Www.churchofstanne.org then click on the Grow tab.

Class Offerings

Grades 1-6 Weekly Monday Classes 6-7:15pm Grades 1-6 Monthly Saturday Classes 10am-12noon

First Communion Program

Students must attend one year of regular faith formation classes before registering in the First Communion program. These classes are in addition to attending a weekly or monthly class. Our First Communion celebration takes place in May, 2023.

Confirmation Program

This is a two-year program to prepare students in **grades 7-9** to receive the sacrament of Confirmation. Students attend class monthly on a Sunday from 11am-3:30pm. Confirmation will take place in the Spring of 2023.

LITURGICAL LIFE

RESPONDING Call

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments

What We Store in the Barn

I once knew a godly woman who had truly tasted the bitterness of this earthly life. This woman knew pain. She knew sacrifice. She knew hard labor and loss, including the death of a cherished child. She worked each day at a low-paying job, waiting patiently for her 65th birthday, when she could retire and devote herself full-time to her grandchildren. She crossed off the dwindling days on her calendar like a first grader waiting for Christmas.

Ninety-eight days before she was set to retire, she died suddenly. Her name was erased from the schedule at work and penciled over with that of her replacement hire.

All things are vanity.

I think we all know someone like this, don't we? If the details aren't exactly the same, the outline of the story is: someone labors "with wisdom and knowledge and skill," in the words of Ecclesiastes. And what profit comes to him? Sorrow and grief all his days. The proverbial barn filled with harvest and left to rot.

But I'll let you in on a secret: this isn't a sad story. I've only told you part of it.

This woman heard, daily, the voice of God, and against it she never hardened her heart, whatever news it brought her. This woman loved as hard as she worked. Every action was a form of evangelization. To talk to her was to feel the embrace of Christ.

As much as she waited for that retirement that never came, it was never the harvest in her barn.

This is what it means to be a true steward: to seek what is above.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING

Our parish is grateful for your continued support. Thank you!





WHY DO WE DO THAT? Catholic Life Explained:

Ouestion:

Why do the Gospels differ in their details? I was surprised to learn that not all of the Gospels tell the same stories, for example, the Nativity. Doesn't this take away from their credibility?

Answer:

Take any event that happens, from family trips to national politics and ask two or three different people to explain what happened. You will get a different version of the same story. People tend to tell the story from their perspective, and past experience shades what we recall and how we recall it. Our choice of words and what details we leave in or out is also influenced by the audience who is listening to our tales.

The Gospel writers are no different. Each one tells the story of Jesus from their own perspective. Versions differ in some details, not because one is true and the other is not, but because each Gospel writer, or Evangelist, has a different theological point to communicate as well as a different audience for whom he is writing. He picks and chooses the details of his Gospel based on what message he is preaching, what his audience may already know, and what message they need to hear. The various details of the Gospels point more to their authenticity as a record of the church's experience and understanding of Jesus. In a good study Bible, the background notes for each Gospel contain a lot of information that helps us better understand each Evangelist and his message.

Worship



The rich man in the Gospel failed to share his abundance with others. Instead, he looked after only himself, thereby revealing that he was poor in what matters to God. God is rich in love, for God is love itself. The more that God's love fills us, the more we will want to share what we have with others.



07-31-22 - Colleen Francis 08-07-22- Debbie Davis



ALTAR CARE

August 12 Marilyn Bornais



Readings for August 7, 2022

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time Wisdom 18: 6-9 Psalm 33: 1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 Hebrews 11: 1-2, 8-19 Luke 12: 32-48

RECYCLE **MINISTRY** SCHEDULE July 16/17-30/31—Ken & Angie Sheperd

August 13/14-24/25—Patterson's



Saturday, July 30, 2022

Sunday, July 31, 2022

Monday, August 1, 2022

Tuesday, August 2, 2022 Wednesday, August 3, 2022

Thursday, August 4, 2022 Friday, August 5, 2022

Saturday, August 6, 2022

Sunday, August 7, 2022

5:00 p.m. Isabel & Ted Gajewski, req. by the Siring Family

Bob Werzynski, req. by Ray & Barb Cobb

8:30 a.m. Fr. Frank Pollie & Fr. John Hardy, req. by St. Anne Parish

10:30 a.m. Margie Greif, req. by Friends

7:00 p.m. Ronald Hutchings, req. by his sister and Family

9:00 a.m. Sue Claya, req. by Friend

9:00 a.m. In memory of Jack & Dorothy Simms, Parents of Kathleen Russell

Church and campus closed

9:00 a.m. Holy Souls in Purgatory, req. by the First Friday Mass attendees

5:00 p.m. Marion & Jenny Dubis, req. by the Siring Family

8:30 a.m. Noreen Billy, req. by Christina Hunter

10:30 a.m. Emily Snitgen, req. by Friends

Prayer RequestsDennis Wiegand, Ralph Fisher, Ryan Beauchamp, John Candiloro, Janet Mooney, Linda VanDerGraff, Amy Rubin, Kelsey Thurk, Joe Bouknight, Jack Little, Cathy Richards, Sue Rubin, Shawn McSparin Sue Bruggeman, Dave Wilcox, Diane O'Bierne, Mark Baumgart, Elaine Kalinin, Dominic Gagliardi, Maddie Katchka, Bob Mihos, Aiden McClaren, Kirk Mcoy, Andrea Matusik, Sam Davis,
Colette Genovese, Marge Flanigan, Monica Geisler, Kallie Moshier, Thomas Latowski, Shawn McSparin
The Carmody Family, Bill Knight, Sr.Judy Jones, Mary Siring, Patrick Lamb, Margaret Kengurski
John Benvenuti, Marge Park, Tamara Camaj, Darlene Gray, Sandra Marteney, Emily Mooney,
Elaine Corkins, Sam Davis, Landon Morrison, Joyce Stewart, Joan Ball, Abby Gels, Frank Vella, Kevin Petrusha, Don Hauser, Catherine Konen, Lillian Valentine, Mary Simon, Garry Bryant, Patricia Claya, Christopher Lee, Margaret Davidson, Ruthie Reid, Mark Norman



Weekend of August 6 & 7, 2022 Lectors

5:00 p.m.

Beth Tracey, Judy Henley 8:30 a.m. - Carol Klenner, Linda Mizejewski 10:30 a.m.-Bryan Born, Chris Maldonado **Eucharistic Ministers** 5:00 p.m.-Alison Elmes,

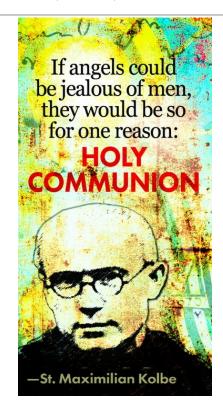
Ruth Rogan, Kris & Denny Anderson (MS) 8:30am-Marianne Boesch,

Veronica Gdowski, Cathy Genovese,

Denise Nowakowski (MS) 10:30am-Dave & Marcia Bonner,

Beth Eschmann,

Connie Marshall (MS)







Be an Informed Voter

As people of Life, our work for protecting mothers and unborn babies will be more intense as we reach out to inform people what this **REPRRODUCTIVE FREEDOM FOR ALL** is all about. To encourage people to vote for Life not death. This is an urgent time in Michigan history to live out your pro-life values. Will you join us? I hope and pray you will! Strength and dedication to Life has been refreshed once again...and we will work more courageously to do all we can to help in protecting mothers and

unborn babies in our state! We can help you with what you need to arm yourself with knowledge/education and provide handouts to people so you can discuss what is taking place. Just contact one of our offices by email or call us. For all those 18 and older who are legal voters, November 8th will be here before we know it. Will Light and Truth overcome the darkness and lies? Will we have a much needed pro-life victory here in our state?



Thank You So Much!

We would like to applaud everyone who has so Diligently been tending to the flowers in the courtyard! The number of compliments we get Seems to grow every year and it wouldn't be possible without our wonderful volunteers and their Green Thumbs! KUDOS to you all!



REGISTER TODAY

A quick reminder to get your tickets now for the 2022 Michigan Catholic Women's Conference happening on **October 15, 2022 from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm in Lansing**. Ticket prices are reduced through Sunday, July 31.

For more information and to register, go to MichiganCWC.org

We look forward to seeing you on October 15th

CSA CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

2022 CSA UPDATE AS OF 06/08/2022

2021 CSA Target	\$ 67,981.00
Total Pledged (134 pledges)	68,020.00
Amount Over Target	\$ 39.00
2021 CSA Target	\$ 67,981.00
Total Paid	<u>54,766.00</u>
Balance Due	\$ 13,215.00