



June 25, 2023

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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"Do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows." - Mt 10:31

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Best Wishes Brunch Sunday, June 25th After 10:30am Mass

Join us after the 10:30am Mass to say thank you to Fr. Craig for his service, energy, dedication, and leadership he has given to us here at St. Anne parish.

"I just wanted to leave the church better than the way I found it, and I believe I accomplished this goal."
-Fr. Craig

*Thank
You*

WELCOME

FR. CRAIG'S CONTEMPLATIONS

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We hear this weekend, "You have been saved by the grace of God in the person of Jesus." With that, we are not to "live in fear" the Lord is offering us life everlasting. We hear this, but it "takes faith" to accept this invitation. It also "takes faith" to "continue" to accept this invitation.

Constantly in prayer, it is good to ask the Lord for "greater" faith, hope, and love. Personally, when I pray the Rosary, during the first three Hail Mary's I ask the Our Lady and Our Lord for greater faith, hope, and love.

As most of you know, this is my last weekend serving as your Parish Priest. I will begin at St. Daniel's on July 1, 2023. I feel very blessed for the friendships I have made and for so many of them who have made me part of their family. I had big shoes to fill, "attempting" to fill beloved Fr. Gerry Frawley's shoes. I am sure I wasn't able to "live up" to everyone's standards, and in those cases, I am sorry. I hope all of you will now welcome Fr. John Chen. Fr. John has a doctorate in Sacred Scripture, specializing in the New Testament. I know him to be a very bright and holy priest, who has a desire to bring everyone closer to Jesus. You will notice that Deacon Tommy Ngo, will assist Fr. John for the first weeks he is serving at St. Anne's. I am grateful for Deacon Tommy's willingness to assist with the transition. Finally, our Priest Moderator, Fr. Scott Thibodeau, will also be assisting Fr. John with the Administration of St. Anne's.

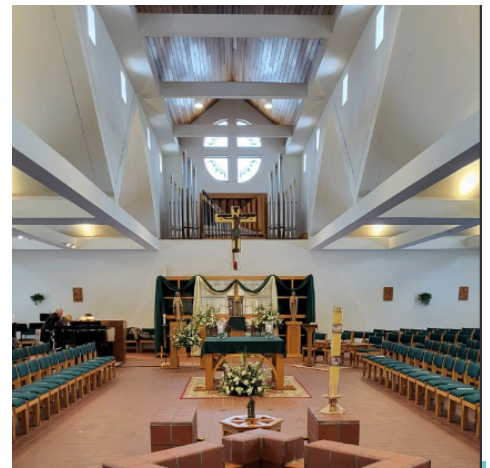
Please always remember that the Eucharist is the **source** and **summit** of our faith. (Indeed, the Eucharist is the greatest gift we will ever receive.) That is **why** the first thing you now all notice when entering St. Anne's is the Tabernacle. (Of course, we can "see Jesus" in each other, but always know, that is because of the Eucharist.) We come here, for two powerful, grace-filled reasons, to be strengthened by God's word and nourished with His Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity, no matter where you are in the world, within the naïve of every Catholic Church, Jesus is with us, in the Most Blessed Sacrament.

May the Lord bless and keep you. May He make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you and give you, His peace.

Fr. Craig Marion



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Office Hours Mon, Tu, Wed, Fri
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4:00 pm, Closed Thursdays

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.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 8:30 and 10:30 AM

Weekday Masses

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday

9:00 AM

Holy Day Masses

9:00 AM, 7:00 PM

Eucharistic Adoration

One hour before Friday Morning Masse

Private adoration during regular business hours

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 PM or by appointment

Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples should contact Julie Neal at ext.

107 in the Parish Office at least six months before the marriage.

Infant Baptisms

Second Sunday of the month, please contact Julie, ext. 107 in the Parish Office

PARISH STAFF

Director of Religious Education

Marianne Boesch 131

Worship Coordinator

Julie Neal 107

Evangelizing Charities

Karyn Milligan 103

Music Ministry

Laura Knaack, Director 121

Denise Arpke-Accompanist

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Cheryl Yuhas 106

Administrative Assistant

Anne Schulz 100

Building Maintenance

Steve Szach 100

OUR MISSION

"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

Weekend of July 1st & 2nd , 2023

Mass	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers
4:00 pm Todd Patterson	Nancy Patterson	Ruth Rogan Kris Anderson
8:30 am Judy Sounart	Linda Mizejewski Gary Putt	Marianne Boesch Veronica Gdowski
10:30 am Connie Marshall	Herman Greif Carol Klenner	Jan Tait Beth Eschmann

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus promises eternal life to those who speak his words with courage. Fearless speech reveals the faith within. Even when the message is rejected, sharing Christ's words of love binds us to all that is eternal—the divine love that created and continues to sustain all things.

May God bless you Fr. Craig. You will be greatly missed by your parish family here at St. Anne. Thank you for all you have done for us. We wish you all the best as you begin your ministry at St. Daniel's.

"May the Lord bless and keep you, may He make His face shine upon you, and be gracious to you, and give you his peace."

Julie

Daily Mass Schedule

9:00 am

Tuesday

Wednesday

Friday

Office hours

9 am-noon, 1 pm-4 pm

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Friday

Closed on Thursdays year round -

this is a permanent change.

READING REFLECTIONS

First Reading:

We hear how the prophet Jeremiah turned to God when he felt alone and attacked. What do you need to pray to God for this week?

Second Reading:

Paul taught that through the grace of God, Christ reversed the sin of Adam, which brought death to all. When have you felt God's grace in your life?

Gospel:

Jesus encourages his disciples not to be afraid. What are some fears you have that you could turn over to God?

ALTAR LINEN SCHEDULE

6-25-23- Debbie Davis

7-02-23- Marge Sisson

ALTAR CARE

6-30-23- Julie Neal

RECYCLING MINISTRY

July 15/16-29/20- Pat Bardel

IN OUR PRAYERS

Elizabeth Phipps	Patricia Claya
Betty LeFever	Margaret Davidson
Jess Singer	Susan Peloquin
Dennis Wiegand	Mark Norman
John Candiloro	Donald Umalah
Ida Saroli	Carmody Family
Amy Rubin	John Noble
Kelsey Thurk	Bob Lee
Jack Little	Susan Peloquin
Cathy Richard	Steve Clifton
Sue Rubin	Patrick Lamb
Kylie Nelson	Marge Park
Dave Wilcox	Darlene Gray
Diane O'Bierne	KC
Elaine Kalinin	Stan Wensley
Dominic Gagliardi	Elaine Corkins
Maddie Katchka	Landon Morrison
Bob Mihos	Walter Talley
Aiden McClaren	Tom Boesch
Kirk Mcoy	Gloria Boesch
Andrea Matusik	Joan Ball
Colette Genovese	Abby Gels
Monica Geisler	Barbara Pica
Kallie Moshier	Frank Vella
Thomas Latowski	James Howard
Bill Knight	Gladys Johnson
Mary Siring	Kevin Petrusa
Steve Clifton	Catherine Konen

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, 06/24/23 at 4:00 pm

Jerry McFee

by George & Christi McLean

Sunday, 06/25/2023

8:30 am: Barry Heuer,

by Mike & Ellen Johnson

10:30 am: Steve Francis, by

Colleen Francis- 10th Anniversary

Lawrence Kowalski, by Family

Ruth Lambourn-Reed, by

Alice & Michael Shelby

Pam Marshall by the Pilon Family

Mel Wojtalewicz, by wife, Kathy

57th Wedding Anniversary

Monday, 06/26/2023 at 8:30am

Mass at St. Daniel- **NO Mass at**

St. Anne

Tuesday, 06/27/2023 at 9:00 am

Ronnie Noble, by Family

Wednesday, 06/28/2023 at 9:00 am

No Mass - Communion Service, due to an all Priest Conference.

Thursday, 06/29/2023 at 8:30am

Mass at St. Daniel- **NO Mass at St. Anne**

Friday, 06/30/2023 at 9:00am

MaryAnn Newcombe, by Family

4th Anniversary

Saturday, 07/01/2023 at 4:00 pm

Mike Jaruzel & Scott Flanigan, by

Andrew & Mary Siring

Sunday, 07/02/2023

8:30 am: Barry Huer, Larry Huer, by

Mike & Ellen Johnson

10:30 am: Johnathon Davis, by Parents

Lawrence Kowalski, by Family

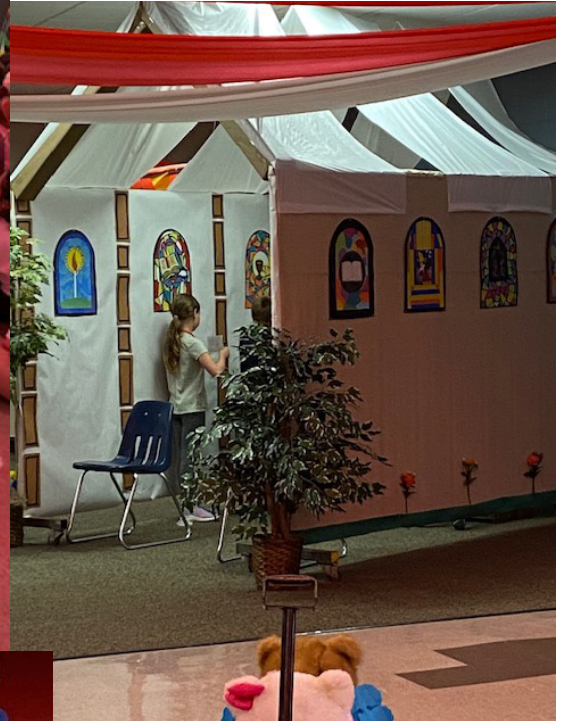
11th Anniversary

FAITH FORMATION

Marianne Boesch, DRE, 248-627-3965 ext 131
marianne@churchofstanne.org

Vacation Bible School Thank you!

Thank you to all of our volunteers that helped make Vacation Bible School a fun and faith filled week of camp. Each day was exciting under God's Big Top! Each of you are a blessing to our children and their families. May God bless you!





EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

The Necklace

I have a necklace that originally belonged to my great-grandmother. I don't really know much about the man who gave it to her, most of those details have been lost to time. But I know that he wanted to marry her, and that she refused, and it had something to do with religion — ultimately, he did not share her faith. And while I've certainly seen many interfaith couples have loving and successful marriages, in this particular case, my great-grandmother discerned that this would not be one of those marriages.

Like I said, I don't have many details about this man, but I know that she felt she couldn't marry him because it might jeopardize the souls of her children, and therefore the souls of their children, and their children after them — me. She turned him down because of me.

My great-grandmother never sold that necklace, not even when the Great Depression further reduced her financial circumstances. She kept it, and she gave it to her daughter, who gave it to her daughter, who gave it to me. The necklace is always given with a warning: there is something worse than being poor, worse than being scared, worse even than being desperate. Worse than all of these things is separation from God.

When I wear this necklace, I think about my grandmother and this man she possibly loved a hundred years ago. I think of the many decisions we make every day — large and small, good and bad — that reverberate down through the generations in ways we cannot, at the time, imagine. I think of the God who knows every hair on my head.

"And do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna." — Matthew 10:28

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ONGOING SUPPORT

For the first time in 16 years, the Father's Day Candy Bar Sale was a sell-out! As a result of your enthusiasm for chocolate, St. Anne was able to raise \$1008.00 for Right-To-Life LifeSpan of Oakland County. As always, thank you for your generosity and sacrifice for this cause.

-Mary Siring, RTL Parish representative



WHY DO WE DO THAT? CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

Question: What is Lectio Divina, and how is it associated with the Benedictine Monastic tradition, whose founder, St. Benedict, we honor on July 11?

Answer: Benedict desired his monks to live in community, praying the Liturgy of the Hours together, contemplating sacred texts, and doing manual labor. The monks developed a technique to facilitate a spiritual and devotional reading of the Bible known as Lectio Divina, the holy reading of a text. This method encourages the reader to hear the biblical text with an open heart and focus on whatever God wants to highlight and then apply it to daily life.

There are variations on Lectio Divina, but essentially, the technique consists of a three-step process of reflection. When the reflection is done with a group, the responses are shared by all the participants. Once the text is selected, it is read meditatively, and the following are then explored: a word or phrase that attracts you; how and where the content of this reading touches your life today; what you believe that God wants you to do during this coming week (month, year, lifetime).

Thanks to Benedict, the Christian community has been gifted with this special way of entering into the biblical text. This week, use the Lectio Divina process on one of the readings for the coming Sunday and make a note of the life connections you are making. How is this reflection on the biblical text drawing you closer to God and others?

ITEMS OF INTEREST



Summer Cookout THIS TUESDAY

Teens who are not attending Motor City Mission are invited to join us Tuesday, June 27 from 5-8 pm for a cookout dinner, games and fun sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. This is an opportunity for ALL Middle School and High School students to share in fellowship with Mission participants from other parishes.

Children's Village Summer Service

Teens 8th grade and older are invited to play softball, kickball, volleyball, and basketball, and have lunch with the teens living at Children's Village this summer. Please email Julie Cavanaugh at jcavanaugh@stpwl.org to participate with other parishes in our Lakes Vicariate. Parents are welcome to attend with their teen.

The picnics at Children's Village in Waterford will take place from 11 am – 2 pm on Saturday July 8 and August 12.

World Youth Day Campout

The Archdiocese of Detroit is hosting an overnight event Aug. 5-6 at our Lady of the Fields Retreat Center in Brighton. The campout will include activities similar to what participants will experience at the Catholic festival being held in Lisbon, Portugal.

Our Lady of the Fields Retreat Center, 1391 Kellogg Road, Brighton, MI 48114
Check in Saturday, Aug 5, 9:30 am Check out Sunday, Aug 6, 10 am.

Registration fee of \$60/pp includes 3 meals, activities, overnight stay and Mass with Archbishop Vigneron. Register online at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/world-youth-day-home-tickets-537721919737>

Catholic Holy Land Pilgrimage

Terra Sancta Pilgrimages, with Franciscan friar Fr. Alex Kratz, will be leading a Catholic Pilgrimage to the Holy Land (Jordan, Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Galilee) November 28-December 12, 2023. This life-changing 14-day experience of walking in Jesus' footsteps includes daily Mass & Rosary, biblical readings on site, time for prayer, spiritual guidance, and meeting local Christians.

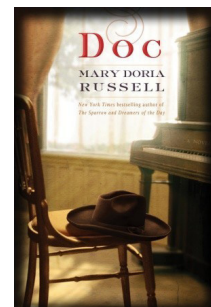
Cost is \$5,200 (all expenses included, round-trip from Detroit, 3 daily meals, all tips and taxes). Registration is first come, first serve. A mandatory Orientation Meeting for the registered is 2:00 pm Sunday, August 27, at St. Joseph Chapel (400 South Blvd. West, Pontiac, MI 48341). In 2024 our trips (11-days long) are April 15-25 and November 11-21.

For more information contact Pilgrimage Coordinator Patti Giangrande, OFS: (248) 514-1747 (or Fr. Alex: 313-727-9784).

St Anne Book Club June 2023

The Book Club meets Monday, June 26 at 7 p.m. in Hardy Hall.

Our book for the month is *Doc* by Mary Doria Russell, a novel about John Henry Holliday, better known as Doc Holliday. We will also be selecting titles for fall and winter meetings.



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