

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK/  
 INTENCIONES SEMANALES**

**Sat:** 5:00 PM June Ramos, Dorothy Diaz & Debbie Ridl  
 Intention  
**Sun:** 8:30 AM Louie Grech  
 10:30 AM Parishioners of St. Anne  
 12:30 PM Miembros vivos y difuntos de Sta. Ana  
**Mon:** 9:00 AM Louie Grech  
**Tue:** 9:00 AM Families of St. Anne  
**Wed:** 9:00 AM Louie Grech  
**Thurs:** 9:00 AM Elders of St. Anne  
**Sat:** 5:00 PM Debbie Ridl Intention  
**Sun:** 8:30 AM Louie Grech  
 10:30 AM Youth of St. Anne  
 12:30 PM Miembros vivos y difuntos de Sta. Ana

**THIS WEEK AT ST ANNE/  
 ESTA SEMANA A ST. ANA 09/18/10- 09/26/10**

**Sat: Vigil – 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
*2nd Collection – Peter's Pence*  
**Sun: 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 9:00 AM RCIA Dismissal/Fireside  
 9:15 AM 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Prep/Room 2  
 9:15 AM 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Parent Meeting/Room 1b  
 11:15 AM Spanish 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Prep/Room 2  
*2nd Collection – Peter's Pence*  
*Sunday Hospitality*  
**Mon:** 9:00 AM Hospital Communion/Sutter Delta Hospital  
 9:45 AM Rosary & Prayers for Peace/ Garden  
 6:30 PM Spanish Prayer Group/Chapel  
 6:30 PM Faith Formation (PreK-5<sup>th</sup>, Adult)  
**Tues:** 7:00 PM Inquiry/Fireside Rm.  
 7:00 PM Finance Committee/Room 2  
**Wed:** 7:00 PM Family Faith Formation (6-8)/Room 1 & 2  
 7:00 PM Spanish Bible Study/Chapel  
 7:00 PM Teen Ministry/Confirmation Prep/Hall  
 7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul/Fireside Room  
**Thurs:** 10:00 AM -7:00 PM Adoration of the Blessed  
 Sacrament/Chapel  
 6:00 PM Boy's Ranch/Offsite  
 7:00 PM Benediction/Evening Prayer/Chapel  
 7:00 PM Spanish Choir Practice/Fireside Rm.  
**Sat: Vigil – 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
*Tamales on sale*  
**Sun: 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 9:00 AM RCIA Dismissal/Fireside  
*Tamales on sale*

**STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT**

The dishonest manager in today's parable knew how to manipulate money to his own advantage. But the Gospel warns that no one can serve both God and money. Which do I serve? Is my stewardship such that anyone can tell?

**LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING/  
 OFRENDAS DE LA SEMANA PASADA**

The weekly offering is extremely important to St. Anne Parish in order to meet our operational responsibilities. We ask that you prayerfully consider a consistent offering that will assist in meeting those responsibilities.

For your consideration:

- ⇒ Sign up for the Weekly Envelope Program by registering with St. Anne.
- ⇒ A convenient method is through Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT). This method is an easy way to provide St. Anne with your Sunday Offering.
- ⇒ Enroll in a Script Program. This is a no cost way of supporting our ministries and programs, in addition to our weekly offerings.

*Your generosity is your return to the Lord for his goodness to you.  
 Make an investment in the reign of God today!*

**SCRIPTURE READINGS/  
 LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA 09/20/10 – 09/26/10**

**Mon: Andrew Kim Taegon, priest, martyr, Paul Chong Hasang, martyr and their companions, martyrs/San Andres Kim Taegon, presbítero mártir, San Pablo Choing Hasang, martir y sus compraderos mártires**  
 Prv 3:27-34 Ps 15:2-5 Lk 8:16-18  
**Tue: MATTHEW, APOSTLE, EVANGELIST/SAN MATEO, APOSTOL, EVANGELISTA**  
 Eph 4:1-13 Ps 19:2-5 Mt 9:9-13  
**Wed: Weekday/Día de la Semana**  
 Prv 30:5-9 Ps 119:29-163 Lk 9:1-6  
**Thurs: Pio of Pietrelcina, priest/ San Pio de Pietralcina, presbítero**  
 Eccl 1:2-11 Ps 90:3-17c Lk 9:7-9  
**Fri: Weekday/Día de la Semana**  
 Eccl 3:1-11 Ps 144:1b-4 Lk 9:18-22  
**Sat: Weekday/Día de la Semana**  
 Eccl 11:9-12:8 Ps 90:3-17 Lk 9:43b-45  
**Sun: 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time/26<sup>th</sup> Domingo Ordinario**  
 Am 6:1a-7 Ps 146:7-10 1 Tm 6:11-16 Lk 16:19-31

**PLEASE PRAY FOR/POR FAVOR  
 REZAN POR:**

Ruth Guieb, Ben LaRocca, Debbie Ridl, June Ramos, Dorothy Diaz, Jimmy, Kathryn Copley, Elsje, Darren Blass, Robert McMillen, David, Lora Chase, Justin, Santos Herrera, Ed Sandoval, Bernadette Russell, Marilyn Potts, Patricia Rykoski, Emily Kogler, Ann Burgess, Tina Gillie, Teresa, Peter Duncan, Jane Marchi, Bob Weber, Juanita Estellas, Tim Nixon, Kurt Luke, Gary Blackwell, Hollis Cooksey, Mary Mross, Debbie Lindo, Carolyn, Brad, Vanessa Cross, Lisa Butler, Chris Wagner, Lynn Willenburg, Amada Delgado, Bill Sears Sr., Rick Tucci, Jo Riley, Tanya, Linda Jardin, Janice Richardson, Nolan Merkel

**Occasionally names are taken off the prayer list. If we have taken off the name of a person still in need of prayer, please call the office and we will gladly put them back on the list.**

**PLEASE KEEP OUR MILITARY FAMILY AND  
 FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYER**

## FAITH FORMATION

### FAITH FORMATION ... REGISTER NOW!

#### Top Priority!!!

**FIRST COMMUNION PARENT MEETING** Sunday, September 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:15am in Room 1a-1b

Parents of all students preparing for First Holy Communion next May 2011 are expected to attend. The meeting will end in time to attend the 10:30am Mass.

**PLEASE REGISTER** Thank you, if you have already registered for this 2010-2011 year. If not, we encourage you to register as soon as possible.

**THANK YOU** Two parishioners have joined the Faith Formation faculty as Catechist and helper. Welcome to Stephanie Durlinger as 5th Grade catechist, and to Paula Castronuevo as 2nd Grade helper. We are grateful for your generosity and willingness to share your faith with our children.

**Our 1st grade class is bulging.** Thank you to a new parishioner who has volunteered to teach our 1st graders. We welcome, Marin Roman, as our new 1st Grade Catechist. Now, is there one willing person who would like to share their faith as helper for our Monday night 1st grade class? The Holy Spirit may be calling you. It will be ideal to have smaller class groups since we only have one precious hour with them. Please call Sister Barbara 925-634-6625. Thank you in advance.

**MISSING ... 3rd,4th,5th,6th,7th and 8th graders ...** Children in these grades have great opportunities to learn more about Jesus, prayer, the Eucharist, Scriptures and more. Where are our parish children of these ages? We invite you to nurture your child's spiritual life as participants in our Faith Formation classes. Register soon! We'd love to have your child with us.

#### FIRST COMMUNION (year 2) CLASSES

Monday : 4:15pm-5:15pm.

Sunday : 9:15am-10:15am.

11:15am-12:15pm (Spanish)

**Faith Formation Families** are a large part of our St. Anne Parish population. All of us are needed to work on and support the St. Anne **Fall Festival on October 16th**. Please take time to: **Sign up, to plan now and to work that day** (see foyer and other bulletin articles) This is one tangible way to model for your children your support and love for the Church community. It is guaranteed fun for all!

**ADULT FAITH FORMATION:** Class continues on Monday, September 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM. Class this semester is on the Scriptures. This week: Overview of the Bible

## Catholic Action Principles *Become Grateful*

Life isn't exactly the way you want it to be. You will have your ups and downs and crosses to bear. You will have opportunities to practice holding your tongue and exercising patience. Yet, because you are guided by your Catholic faith, you will be able to keep everyday events in perspective.

Be grateful for all you have. Acknowledge and accept compliments. In the larger scheme of things, you may wish to be grateful for good health, a supportive spouse, a rewarding profession, obedient, healthy children, conscientious employees, prosperity, loyal friends and even winning sports teams. You add and choose. Why not write letters to people in your life who have made a difference and thank them? You will both feel good.

When you embrace gratitude, you can help others do the same. Hold the burning candle from which others can light their candles.

-Bill FitzPatrick,

## TEEN MINISTRY:

*Teen Ministry mission is to help Teens become closer to Christ through the Eucharist.*

Last week: We focused on Covenants.

This Week: Wednesday, Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> will be an Issues night. We are looking for spare change to donate with Life Teen world wide for clean water in Africa.

Next Week: Wednesday, Sept. 29 and the following week Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> ***we will be on break.***

Special THANKS: To Fr. Ron, Sr. Barbara, Danette Jolly, Al Castinado, Steve Rojek, Rosa and Jerry Day, Karen Randle, and Maureen for all you do to help with Teen Ministry.

Volunteers needed: if you would like to volunteer for Teen Ministry, please Contact Michelle Castinado at 925-240-1832 or (cell) 925-437-0015.



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## Justice for Immigrants Bridge Building Workshop

Saturday, September 25, 2010, 1:00 – 3:00 pm

St. John Vianney Church, Walnut Creek

The Diocese of Oakland and Catholic Charities East Bay are offering an afternoon workshop to enable us to be better informed on the upcoming Immigration Reform Bill. Come and listen to policy experts, theologians and several immigrants reflect on the current crises of our broken immigration system. What is the immigration crisis rally about? What does our faith compel us to do? And what we can do to put our faith in action. Come and reflect on these questions. For further information, call Pat Conroy 672-7822 or Dan Hardy 687-0219.

## The Directories have arrived!!!

If you had your picture taken you can pick your directory up in the office.

## Nurses Notes

CHOLESTEROL, Cont'

Factors affecting cholesterol levels:

1. Diet: Saturated fat and cholesterol in the food you eat increase cholesterol levels. Try to reduce the amount of saturated fat and cholesterol in your diet.
2. Weight: Is a risk factor for heart disease but can also increase your cholesterol. Losing weight can lower your LDL and total cholesterol levels, as well as increase HDL cholesterol
3. Exercise: Regular exercise can lower LDL cholesterol and raise HDL cholesterol. You should try to be physically active for 30 minutes on most days
4. Age and Gender: As we get older, cholesterol levels rise. Before menopause, women tend to have lower cholesterol levels than men of the same age. After menopause, however, women's LDL levels tend to rise.
5. Diabetes: Poorly controlled diabetes increases cholesterol levels. With improvements in control, cholesterol levels can fall.
6. Heredity: Your genes partly determine how much cholesterol your body makes. High blood cholesterol can run in families.
7. Other causes: Certain medications and medical conditions can cause high cholesterol.

There are no symptoms of high cholesterol. But if you have high cholesterol and other disease risk factors, there can be serious health complications. There is a link between high cholesterol and heart disease, stroke, diabetes, and other health problems. That is why it is important to lower your cholesterol.

*Next week – More on Cholesterol*

**PLEASE-** Remember to use the phone in the office or at the AV area in the hall and not a cell phone to call 911. Your cell phone will reach Sacramento CHP and precious time will be wasted.

*Your Faith Community Nurses*

## Covenant Corner

The Covenant Corner is an opportunity for us to recognize those who use their gifts in service for others. We want to give regular thanks to those who do so much for all of us. So we invite you when you see someone doing something worth noting to let us know, by mail or email [office@stannechurchbyron.com](mailto:office@stannechurchbyron.com). Please keep the note 4-5 short sentences (maximum). Then we can get it in the bulletin.

## Upcoming Events at St. Anne

**Weekend of September 25<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>**

Tamales on Sale after the masses

Sunday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>

**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS 11:45AM**

**Saturday, October 9<sup>th</sup>**

Ministry Head Meeting

**Friday, October 15<sup>th</sup>**

**KNIGHT'S "FALL FESTIVAL" PASTA DINNER**

**Saturday, October 16<sup>th</sup>**

**ST. ANNE FALL FESTIVAL**

**Sunday, October 17<sup>th</sup>**

**FLU Shots – See flyer in bulletin**

**Weekend of October 23<sup>rd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>**

St. Vincent de Paul "Bundle Sunday"

**Weekend of October 30<sup>th</sup> -31<sup>st</sup>**

Tamales are on sale after the masses

**Sunday, October 31<sup>st</sup>**

10:30 AM Mass to bless all **CYO Participants**

**Saturday, November 6<sup>th</sup>**

Magic Mike Nite – Watch for more information

**Sunday, November 7<sup>th</sup>**

Grief Prayer Service 7 PM

**Weekend of November 20<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup>**

**COVENANT SUNDAY**

## Safe Environment Training

The Diocese of Oakland requires all volunteers with regular access to minors and all Liturgical Ministers to be trained in the signs of child abuse, reporting procedures, awareness of the characteristics of child abuse perpetrators and in steps that can be taken to safe guard the children in our care. **Liturgical ministers and volunteers with access to minors are required to be trained at the beginning of their ministry and every 3 years there after. This year all our Liturgical Ministers and all our volunteers with access to minors (Catechists, Catechists aids, Children's Liturgy of the Word teachers, etc.) are required to go through the Safe Environment Training by Oct. 30, 2010.** Onsite training opportunities are available through the Oakland Diocese. A list of onsite training locations can be found at the Diocese's website at [www.oakdiocese.org/safe/workshops.htm](http://www.oakdiocese.org/safe/workshops.htm). **Online training is also available in English and Spanish at the following website [www.shieldthevulnerable.org](http://www.shieldthevulnerable.org).** If you choose the online training please print your certificate of completion and bring it to the parish office. If you have questions pertaining to the Safe Environment Training please contact Lisa at 634-6625 ex. 225 or email at [lisap@stannechurchbyron.com](mailto:lisap@stannechurchbyron.com).

## Peter's Pence 2nd Collection

Today we support the Holy Father in his charitable works. The Peter's Pence Collection is taken up worldwide in an effort of solidarity to support the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disaster and others in need of emergency assistance. Pope Benedict XVI has said, "god's love....gives us the courage to continue seeking and working for the benefit of all" (*Caritas in Veritate*, no. 78) Cast the love of Christ upon the world 0 please be generous in today's Collection.

## Engagement & Stewardship Corner

To learn more about your *unique Talents and Strengths* please come by the office and purchase your very own copy of "*Living Your Strengths*" (comes with the StrengthsFinder Assessment) and meet with one of our very own Strengths Performance Coaches.



### Women's Fellowship

Women's Fellowship Happenings:

#### Friends & Fellowship Crafting:

- ❖ Wednesdays at Noon in Rm. 2
- ❖ Women's Fellowship meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month in Room 2.

For membership information contact Anne Doran at [adoran712@comcast.net](mailto:adoran712@comcast.net) or Peggy Ann Valley at [pvalley@envoymtg.com](mailto:pvalley@envoymtg.com)

*Women's Fellowship of St. Anne Catholic Church welcomes and strives to serve the needs of all women, offering opportunities to share gifts and talents and encourage and strengthen faith and friendships within our community.*



### FALL FESTIVAL: PARISHIONERS ... OUR TURN! SAVE the dates

**October 15th-16th**

There are sign-ups in the FOYER to participate in the making of a great Parish Festival this year!

**Friday Night, Oct, 15th**

- The great unsurpassed SPAGHETTI DINNER!  
**Saturday, Oct.16th from 12noon til 6:00pm.**
- Food, Entertainment, Games for all ages This year we are adding:
- RAFFLE (\$1,000 first prize)
- St. Anne Craft Faire (see registration form in Bulletin)  
First registered first reserved; Outside vendors are invited
- BINGO
- Beer Garden
- Teens Dance ?? Saturday night ??

How can you stay away? SIGN UP NOW to be a part of the planning and implementing. All ages welcome! Call Andrea for more information (925) 643-2242

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

09/25 - 09/26

### SATURDAY 5:00 PM

**Greeters:** Darlene & Evo Coelho  
**Lector 1:** Tony Hicks  
**Lector 2:** Art Meyers  
**Euch. Min:** **Cup** – Tami Melo & Robert Meagher

**Altar Servers:** Team 8

### SUNDAY 8:30 AM

**Greeters:** Barbara Stoiber, Connie & Tim McCabe  
**Lector 1:** Peggy Ann Valley  
**Lector 2:** Chuck Woods  
**Euch. Min:** **Bread** – Linda Thomas, Pet & Glenda DuBois  
**Cup** – Jay McLaughlin, Ernest Zuccato, Fran Hodge & Jack Thomas

**Altar Servers:** Team 6

**Hospitality:**

**A/V:** Barry Anthony

### SUNDAY 10:30 AM

**Greeters:** Catrina Mygrant, Carolyn & Don Flohr  
**Lector 1:** Michelle Castinado  
**Lector 2:** Linda Knapp  
**Euch. Min:** **Bread** – Marian Landoline, Ron Kapphahn & Toni Schulte  
**Cup** – Will Schulte, Al Castinado, Phil Karls & Ken Landoline

**Altar Servers:** Team 1

**Children's Liturgy of the Word:** On Break

**Hospitality:**

**A/V:** Barry Anthony

### SUNDAY 12:30 PM

**Recividores:** Estela & Chico Lopez  
**Lector 1:** Ruth Romero  
**Lector 2:** German Romero  
**Ministros de Eucaristía:** Jose Luis & Ester Herrera  
**Ofrendas:** Martin & Imelda Cisneros  
**Monogillo:** Team D

**PLEASE NOTE:** Ministry Schedules for Jul - Sep are on the website at [www.stannechurchbyron.com](http://www.stannechurchbyron.com)

**Reminder:** It is your responsibility to find your replacement if you cannot serve when scheduled.

### Immaculée Ilibagiza - Left To Tell

*Saturday, October 30, 2010, 6:45 pm at Holy Rosary Parish*

Out of the ruins of the 1994 Rwandan genocide have come the most astounding and moving stories of faith, hope, forgiveness, reconciliation and miracles ever heard. Immaculée survived 91 days in a small room with 7 other women while the slaughter went on just outside the house where they were hiding. Come hear her story and be inspired to always trust in an all-powerful, loving God. Ticket price: \$25.00 each. For more information call 925-757-4020.