

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

Sat: 5:00 PM Stella Darnell
Sun: 8:30 AM Sr. Barbara Matteson
 10:30 AM Special Intention
 12:30 PM Miembros vivos y difuntos de Sta. Ana
Mon: 9:00 AM Communion Service
Tue: 9:00 AM Lady of Fatima Society Intention
Wed: 9:00 AM Youth of St. Anne
Thurs: 9:00 AM Mary Phillips
Sat: 5:00 PM Families of St. Anne
Sun: 8:30 AM Roy Stocking
 10:30 AM Parishioners of St. Anne
 12:30 PM Miguel Lopez

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

Sat: **Vigil – 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 9:30AM– 11:30AM Car Wash/Parking Lot
 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM Monthly Labyrinth Walk/Hall
 1:00 PM – 7:00 PM FALL FESTIVAL
 5:00 PM Baptism – Alijah Anadon
 2nd Collection – Catholic Voice
Sun: **28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 9:30 AM 1st Communion Prep/Rooms 1 & 2
 10:30 AM Baptism – Kayla Newman
 2nd Collection – Catholic Voice
 Hospitality Sunday
Mon: **OFFICE CLOSED – Columbus Day**
 9:00 AM Hospital Communion/Sutter Delta Hospital
 5:00 PM Children’s Choir/Hall
 5:30 PM Children’s Guitar/Fireside
 6:30 PM Spanish Prayer Group/Chapel
 6:30 PM Family Faith Formation/CLC
Tues: 6:30 PM Women’s Fellowship/Room 2
 7:30 PM Knight’s of Columbus/Room 1A
Wed: 12:00 PM WF Craft Club/Room 2
 7:00 PM Spanish Bible Study/Chapel
 7:00 PM Jr. High FFF/Fireside & Teen Ministry/Room 1/Hall
 7:30 PM Pastoral Council/Room 2
Thurs: 6:00 PM Boys Ranch/Offsite
 7:00 PM Choir Practice/Hall
 7:30 PM Spanish Choir Practice/Chapel
Sat: **Vigil – 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 5:00 PM Baptism - Ashton, Shamus & Peyton McGrail
 2nd Collection – World Mission Sunday
Sun: **29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 9:30 AM 1st Communion Prep/Rooms 1 & 2
 12:30 AM Baptism – Chealse Anzora
Parking Lot – Blood Drive
 2nd Collection – World Mission Sunday
 Hospitality Sunday

**SCRIPTURE READINGS/
 LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA 10/12/09 – 10/11/09**

Mon: Weekday
 Rom 1:1-7 Ps 98:1-4 Lk 11:29-32
Tue: Weekday
 Rom 1:16-25 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 11:37-41
Wed: Weekday; Callistus I, pope, martyr
 Rom 2:1-11 Ps 62:2-9 Lk 11:42-46
Thurs: Teresa of Jesus, virgin, doctor of the Church
 Rom 3:21-30 Ps 130:1-6 Lk 11:47-54
Fri: Weekday; Hedwig, religious; Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin
 Rom 4:1-8 Ps 32:1-11 Lk 12:1-7
Sat: Weekday; Ignatius of Antioch, bishop, martyr
 Rom 4:13-18 Ps 105:6-43 Lk 12:-8-12
Sun: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Is 53:10-11 Ps 33:4-2 Heb 4:14-16 Mk 10:35-45

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

Weekly Budget: \$ 10,800.00
Weekly Offering: \$ 7,347.35
Shortfall: \$ 3,452.65

62 less than “Fair Share”
5 “Fair Share”
62 greater than “Fair Share”

Mass Count Total: 535

St. Anne is a “Fair Share Parish.” As a Fair Share Parish we ask those who are able to give a weekly fair share offering of **\$48.00**. We also ask those who are able to prayerfully consider giving extra share for those who are unable to give. For your convenience, Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) forms are available. This is an easy way to give your fair share each week. Forms are available in the foyer and office.

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

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

In today’s Gospel, Jesus asks the rich young man to give away all that he has in order to have treasure in heaven. But he is unable to free himself from his possessions, and so he goes sadly away. Does what I own keep me from following Jesus?

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

Rudy Silva, Jonathan Price, Donna Stone, Teresa, Eugene Machado, Christie Gouveia, Lidia Samoian, Jeanne Keyes, June Ramos, Dorothy Diaz, Patrick Buckles, Norma Macias, Pete DuBois, Bob Weber, Donna Koehler, Luisa Fong, Stan Nelson, Dominic Fruciano, Jeanette Schmid, Rick Peacock, Douglas Carr, Maureen, Gary Blackwell, Joan Wisniewski, Craig Standridge, Cynthia Morga, Narcisa Estrelles, Quincy Hernandez, Steve, Barbara Stoiber, Marge Landoline, Amada Delgado, Susan Cooper, Markie Chadwich, Mamie Lusk, Manny Jardin, Katrina, Tamara Kuehl, Sandra Lizette Arteaga, Randy Fair, Mary Kirch, Bertha Cruz, Kathryn Thomas, Dana Wilson, Carmen Galbraith, Nicholas Gordon, Lillian Flynn, Katie Kuduk, Elva Petersen, Cheryl Turner, Salvadore D’onofio, Bev Rossi, Allan Jones.

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 PRAYERS**

FAITH FORMATION

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION: Classes resume the week of Sunday, October 11th.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION: Class resumes Monday, October 12th at 6:30 PM.

Registration Forms are available in the foyer or on our website under Family Faith Formation.

PRESCHOOL PROGRAM AT THE 10:30 AM MASS

Please join Miss Anna in the Fireside Rm. for games, arts & crafts and fun!

FAMILY CONNECTION

Jesus' teaching about divorce and remarriage can be a challenging one for many people. The Church continues to uphold the strong and positive teaching of Jesus that God intends for a man and woman to make a lifelong commitment to one another in the Sacrament of Marriage. Many of us, however, know people whose marriage has not been a lifelong commitment. The example of Jesus teaches us that we are called to act with compassion and love in our relationships with all, and especially when people are hurting because of difficulties in their relationships. Most importantly, we remember that when marriages thrive, it is a sign of God's grace at work.

As you gather as a family, talk about what it means to make a promise or a commitment to someone. Offer examples of promises that are fairly easy to keep. Read today's Gospel, Mark 10:2-16. Talk about examples of promises and commitments that might be more difficult to honor, like the marriage commitment that Jesus is asked about in this Gospel. Talk about how we need God to help us honor our commitment to love and care for each other. Jesus teaches that we should be like children before God, trusting God's promise to care for us and asking for his help to keep our commitments to love and care for others. Conclude by praying together that God will give his grace to us that we may honor our commitments to one another. Pray together Saint Ignatius of Loyola's prayer, the Suscipe.



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Nurses Notes

Flu or Cold Symptoms – Part 4

Is it flu or cold symptoms?

How do you know if you have flu or cold symptoms? Take your temperature, say many experts. Whether it's seasonal or swine influenza, the symptoms often mimic cold symptoms with nasal congestion, cough, aches, and malaise. But a common cold rarely has symptoms of fever above 101 degrees F. With flu symptoms, you will probably have a fever initially with the flu virus and you will feel miserable. Body and muscle aches are also more common with the flu. This table can help determine if you have cold or flu symptoms.

Symptoms	Cold	Flu
Complications	Sinus congestion; middle ear	Sinusitis, bronchitis, ear infection, pneumonia; can be
Prevention	Wash your hands often; avoid close contact with anyone with a cold	Wash your hands often; avoid close contact with anyone who has flu symptoms; for seasonal flu, get the annual flu shot; ask your doctor about antiviral medicine for either seasonal or
Treatment	Antihistamines; decongestants; anti-inflammatory medicines	Antihistamines, decongestants, analgesics (ibuprofen, acetaminophen); antiviral drugs within the first 48 hours of seasonal or swine flu symptoms; call your doctor for more information about treatment

Usually, the time of year will give you some sense of what you're dealing with. The standard flu season runs from fall to spring of the next year. However, the picture has become a lot more complicated since the swine flu outbreak in April 2009. For now, experts don't know how that virus will spread over the coming months.

Next Week: When do I call the doctor with flu or cold symptoms? Part 5

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

TEEN MINISTRY:

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

We need "at least" 3-4 more Adult (anyone over the age of 19) volunteers. There are 60 active teens involved and 35 that are attending on a regular basis this year. Please contact Michelle Castinado at 925-240-1832 if you love Jesus and teenagers for more information. Time commitment is 2-3 hours a week on Wednesday nights.

Last week, we were on break and did not meet. THANK YOU TO ALL THE TEENS AND ADULTS WHO MADE THE FALL FESTIVAL ACTIVITIES A SUCCESS! WE PLAN TO USE THE PROCEEDS FOR THE KIDS TO GO TO YOUTH DAY IN MARCH IN MARCH 2010.

CLASSES WILL RESUME ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14TH AT 7:00.

Thank everyone who is supporting Teen Ministry. Special thanks to Rosa and Jerry Day, Danette Jolly, Karen Randle, Maru Zulueta and our new helpers, Amy and Matt Wysz! This couldn't be possible without all of you!!!!

St. Anne's gets credits through script for Ace Hardware and Safeway. Sign up.

Catholic Action Principles

Go And Serve With Love

Every time we are sent forth from Mass we are sent out on a mission – a mission to love and serve the Lord. We love and serve our Lord through our stewardship. Our reward for stewardship is peace.

When Jesus found the Apostles hiding in fear on the first Easter night, he said to them, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you” He sent them out to do the work of the Father

In today’s hectic world, we spend too much time striving for material possessions, fame and power and not enough time striving for positive relationships with one another. We must humbly follow Jesus. There we will find peace and love.

Everything we have and everything we are is a gift from God. Everything we have is enough. This simple realization frees us from the craziness of always striving for more. When we share our gifts with others and return a portion of them to the Lord, then we are fulfilling the purpose for which God made us and blessed us. In all these ways we find peace. Your gift of time, talent and treasure helps do God’s work in our parishes and beyond.

-His Eminence Justin Cardinal Rigali, J.C.D. Archbishop of Philadelphia

Covenant Corner

A big THANK YOU goes to: **Abigail Magaña, Junior Magana, Edgar Reynosa, Alysea Pica, Brianna Cuthbertson, Joseph Evans, Anne Marie Evans, Matthew Evans, Christina Evans, Jade Reichl, Devyn Meneses, Rachel Tarhi, Luis Nunez and Katie Faris** for sharing their time and talent drawing, designing, coloring and painting 39 great posters for booth and activities for the Fall Festival. Thank you artists for being active members of your parish community.

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. Please keep the note 4-5 short sentences (maximum). Then we can get it in the bulletin.

COVENANT UPDATE

We are excited about all the wonderful ways you have been worshipping, connecting, growing & serving since signing your Covenant last November. On November 7th & 8th 2009 you will have to opportunity to hear all you are doing as well as what is happening next...

ST. ANNE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY DISASTER CENTER TRAINING

On October 17, 2009 St. Anne Catholic Community will be hosting a disaster Drill in partnership with the American Red Cross in the Life Center from 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM. **we could utilize approximately 50 more volunteers for both the staffing of the facility and for Clients, who will be utilizing the facility.** If you are interested please contact the office or sign-up after mass in the foyer.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

10/17 & 10/18

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

Greeters: Mary Flann & Mike Burke

Lector 1: Tony Hicks

Lector 2: Art Meyers

Euch. Min: Cup – Doris Felton & Mary Ann Burke

Altar Servers: Team 8

SUNDAY 8:30 AM

Greeters: Barbara Stoiber, John & Danette Jolly

Lector 1: Kurt Luke

Lector 2: Pat Weber

Euch. Min: Bread – Jay McLaughlin, Shari Pica & Cathy Sanocki

Cup – Bob Rasp, Bob Sanocki, Jack & Linda Thomas

Altar Servers: Team 11

A/V Minister:

Hospitality: Madonna Leeper & Mary Ann Hanson

SUNDAY 10:30 AM

Greeters: Wright-Broughton Family

Lector 1: Rebecca Kubik-Boyd

Lector 2: Jean Ann Bauer

Euch. Min: Bread – Ken Landoline, Toni Schulte & Suzanne Gillick

Cup – Ron Kapphahn, Karen Randle, John Dyer & Will Schulte

Altar Servers: Team 4

Children’s Liturgy of the Word: Buzz Pedrotti

A/V Minister:

Hospitality: Sue Mikla & Sherry Kulling

SUNDAY 12:30 PM

Recidores: Chico & Estela Lopez, Andres & Ana Yereña

Lector 1: Ignacio Chavez

Lector 2: Elva Chavez

Ofrendas: Juan & Rocio Cuevas

Ministros de Eucaristía: Gustavo & Fabiola Rodriguez

Monogillo: Team C

PLEASE NOTE: Ministry Schedules for Oct - Dec are on the website under Ministries

Capital Campaign Update

We are very happy to announce that St. Anne has received confirmation from the Valley Foundation approving our request for an extension of the Capital Campaign Matching Fund Program. All contributions to the capital campaign received through December 2010 will now be matched. This gives us an additional fifteen months to reach our \$1 million goal and maximize the matching funds offer. We are rapidly approaching \$800,000 so this is a very achievable goal. Thanks to everyone who responded to our request to increase pledge payments and make one-time gifts over the past few months. Your efforts brought in more than \$62,000 in the month of September alone and confirmed our commitment to St. Anne's growth and success. God bless you for your generosity.

Engagement & Stewardship Corner A Focus on Talent Themes

DELIBERATIVE

People strong in the Deliberative theme are best described by the serious care they take in making decisions or choices they anticipate the obstacles.

St. Anne Leaders with this Theme

Cheryl McDonald, Peggy Ann Valley, Ed Konieczny, Angella VenJohn

Quote

"Be careful, then, how you live- not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil." (Ephesians 5:15-16)

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

Upcoming Events at St. Anne

Saturday, October 17th

Disaster Drill. Read blurb in Bulletin

Sunday, October 18th

Blood Centers of the Pacific Blood Drive/Parking lot sponsored by Faith Community Nursing 9:30AM-2:00PM

Weekend of October 17th & 18th

Holy Names University – See Blurb in Bulletin

Weekend of October 24th - 25th

St. Vincent de Paul "Bundle Sunday". Watch bulletin for more information.

Sunday, November 8th

FLU SHOTS

Weekend of November 14th & 15th

Holy Angeles/Holy Cross Cemetery Presentation

Saturday, December 5th

Discovery Bay Parade of Lights. Will we have a float this year?

Sunday, December 6th

Giving Wreath – watch the bulletin for more info.

If your Ministry has an event coming up that is not listed, please contact the office.



Women's Fellowship

Women's Fellowship Happenings:

Friends & Fellowship Crafting:

❖ Wednesdays at Noon in Rm. 2

Women's Fellowship meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 6:30 in Rm2

For membership information contact Anne Doran at adoran712@comcast.net or Peggy Ann Valley at peggy@peggyvalley.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.

Holy Names University...

invites you to learn more about their Pastoral Ministries Program. They will be visiting our parish on October 17 and 18. If you are interested in learning more about preparation and formation in lay ministry, you can meet with them after all of the masses. Information will also be available about other educational opportunities at HNU.

Lost and Found

Over the last couple of years we have been holding clothing items left after events, Religious Education Classes, etc. It has been decided that all clothing not claimed by Bundle Sunday (October 24 & 25) will be donated to St. Vincent de Paul. If you are missing any clothing please contact the office to claim them.

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. If you have never been through training you must complete the course by Oct. 30, 2009.** 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. **Online training is also available in English at the following website www.shieldthevulnerable.org.** If you have questions pertaining to the Safe Environment Training please contact Lisa at 634-6625 ex. 225 or email at lisap@stannechurchbyron.com.

Beginning Experience

For people who are: Widowed, Separated, Divorced
The Beginning Experience Weekend is designed to be a time of closure of the past and renewed hope for the future. Those who come should be beyond the initial feelings of anger and despair which usually follow the loss of a loved one. They should be at a point of wanting a new beginning and ready to work to make that desire a reality. Weekends will be held Friday through Sunday: October 23-25, 2009. For more information or to request an application, contact: LaVerne: 650-355-3978; Ward: 415-821-3390; Helen: 415-388-9651 or email: sjbeginexp@aol.com.