



# Saint Anne Parish

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## Parish Office

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Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Pastor: **Monsignor Gregory Moys**

Parochial Vicar: **Fr. Ronald Nelson** Parochial Vicar: **Fr. Stephen Fister**

Deacon: **Dcn. Robert Chapin**

Business Manager: **Alan Crews** Office Manager: **Sammie Burton** Parish Secretary: **Kathy Zahniser**

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### PARISH CENTER

Jeanette Shibler, *Coordinator/Scheduler* **479-4848**  
E-mail: [stannepc@rio.com](mailto:stannepc@rio.com)

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

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### Youth and Young Adult Ministry

Hans Mueller, *Coordinator of Youth Ministry*  
E-mail: [stanneyg@gmail.com](mailto:stanneyg@gmail.com) **476-5802**  
Mark & Kathy Johnson  
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### HISPANIC MINISTRY:

Esperanza Robles, *Director*  
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### SACRAMENTS:

#### RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 4:00 PM—5:00 PM or by appointment

#### BAPTISM:

Contact Religious Education Office **479-4848**

#### MARRIAGE:

Arrangements must be made 6 months in advance

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK OR HOMEBOUND AND NEED COMMUNION: PLEASE CALL PARISH OFFICE**

### PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Servers	Dave Chase	476-4550
Altar Society	Kathy Nickell	479-7614
Coffee & Donuts	Bill Bailey	862-2022
Greeters	Jane Lane	479-8262
Ladies of St. Anne	Madeline Grimes	476-1661
Lectors	Harriet Audrey	474-4666
Legion of Mary	Parish Office	Msg 476-2240
Marian Prayer Group	Mary Prive	476-3614
Moms of St. Anne	Sheri Larson	846-7305
	Madeleine Commons	471-9226
Over 55 Club	Harry Harvey	955-5345
Pastoral Council	Terry Knouff	479-4848
Parish Nurse	DeeDee Montgomery	479-4848
Perpetual Adoration	Rex Titus	479-3561
Prison/OYA	Rick Nelson	472-9498
	Terri Currie	476-0322
Religious Articles Store	Maureen Bailey	862-2022
Religious Makers	Mary Carrasco	659-3023
School Advisory Council	John McCafferty	955-5284
Ushers	Bill Brady	471-2590

### ORGANIZATIONS & COMMUNITY LIFE

Carmelite Secular Order	Carolyn Bottroff	218-3906
Knights of Columbus	Edgar Santiago	479-1281
St. Vincent de Paul Store	Bonnie Turner, Mgr.	476-5137
3rd Order of Servites	Adriana Pearson	476-5373
Divorced/Widow/Sep.	Carole Shaw	659-7103

### COMMUNITY HELP IN CRISIS

**St. Vincent de Paul Social Services** —Paul Wilson 479-0926  
Mon, Wed, Fri 10:00AM--3:00PM - 132 SE "H" St.  
**St. Vincent de Paul Soup Kitchen** 757 SE 7th St  
Mon-Fri 8:00 AM-2:00 PM Tom Miller 474-2246 (cell 659-2175)

### CATHOLIC TELEVISION

Dish Network— Channel 261 Direct TV— Channel 370 Charter Cable—Channel 165

**MASS SCHEDULES**

**ST. ANNE PARISH**  
**Saturday:** 5:30 PM - Vigil Mass  
**Sunday:** 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM (Spanish), 11:00 AM  
**Weekdays:** 7:45 AM Monday thru Thursday  
8:30 AM Friday  
**First Friday each Month:** 8:30 AM, 12:05 PM  
**Holy Days:** As Announced  
**Devotions:** Morning Prayer -20 Minutes before Weekday  
Mass. Rosary after Weekday Mass - Monday - Friday.  
Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel

**ST. PATRICK OF THE FOREST**  
407 W. River Street, Cave Junction  
PO Box 1889, Cave Junction, OR 97523  
**Saturday:** 5:30 PM **(541) 476-2240**  
**OUR LADY OF THE RIVER**  
3625 N. River Rd, Gold Hill 97525 POB 1596, Rogue River 97537  
[ourlady@questoffice.com](mailto:ourlady@questoffice.com)  
**Sunday:** 9:00 AM **(541) 582-1373**  
Mon- Fri—9:00AM to 1:00PM  
**ST. RITA'S RETREAT CENTER**  
10800 Blackwell Rd, Gold Hill 97525 POB 310, Gold Hill, OR 97525  
**Fr. Stephen Fister, Dir.** [strita@rvi.net](mailto:strita@rvi.net) **(541) 855-1333**

# APRIL 19, 2009 – SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Dear Parish Community,

The first experiences of the earliest witnesses to Jesus' resurrection from the dead was the empty tomb where Jesus had been buried two days before. And the first thoughts of Mary Magdalene, Peter and Paul were: "Where have you taken him?" We are told by the Gospel writers that as of yet, they failed to understand that Jesus had to rise from the dead and so enter into his Father's glory. For Christians some two thousand years later, we often leave our spirituality in the past and say: "Jesus now lives in heaven" and "Where is Jesus today in our everyday lives?" Or, we fast forward our Christian lives into the future by asking such questions as: "When and how will death come to us?" and "What will our resurrected bodies be like?" basing our expectations on our experiences of earthly time and space. If these are our most important questions about life and death, then we, like the early witnesses of Christ's empty tomb, still do not understand what Jesus' rising from the dead really meant for us in our daily lives. It is so much easier for us to believe in the immortality of the soul and that the risen Jesus live in us in a "spiritual" way than it is to believe in the resurrection of the flesh and that the risen Jesus lives in us as both God and man totally as both body and soul.

As Christians, we need to ask ourselves how we can today, in this time and moment, be freed of our fears and anxieties and selfishness and sins and the false values that the world and culture impose on us to become the person God wants us to be and to live in the freedom of the risen children of God. Oftentimes, we build for ourselves elaborate, white-washed tombs, beautiful to be seen on the outside, listening to no one but ourselves, never raising our voices in defense of God and others, and refusing to hear the Good News where it can be heard. Then we can say that our lives are truly dead because we have failed to fully live in the freedom and risen life won for us by God's Son who came to save us and to

show us how to live life to the fullest, as he did, by loving his Father and us and becoming obedient to the Father, even to death on the cross.

The glory of the risen Christ is that he has created a new body for himself and we are that Body! When we die to self-centeredness and place Jesus at the center, we begin to live as Christ lives and the Father gives us the Spirit to live and love. Saint Paul tells us: "Let your thoughts be on heavenly things, not on the things that are of earth, because you have died, and now the life you have is hidden with Christ in God. But when Christ is revealed—and he is your life—you too will be revealed in all your glory with him." (Colossians 3:2-4) We, as Christians, the risen Christ now living in us, should bear witness to a darkened world an culture in which we are a part of, but not overcome by it, that God, through Jesus Christ, has entered into death and has overcome it by sacrificing his humanity so that we might experience life as it should be in abundance.

By our "free choices," some of us have chosen to re-enter our tombs of unbelief, living our lives as if there was no resurrection of the dead merely serving as a past event, having no effect or meaning in our lives, living as if this is the only life we have to live. For those who still live in sin and death, Christ has died, Christ has risen and he isn't going to return anytime soon! But for those who choose Christ and to live as Christ now lives in them, we can say along with Saint Robert Southwell, a sixteenth century English martyr: "Not where I breathe do I live, but where I love." And John tells us: "As long as we love one another, God will live in us and his love will be complete in us." (1 John 4:12)

Sincerely yours in Christ our King,  
Monsignor Gregory Moys, Pastor

## Masses for the Week

Sunday	4/19	8:00 am (RR) 9:00 am 9:30 am 11:00 am	Parishioners
Monday	4/20	7:45 am	Paul Lopes + Int Dick Spencer
Tuesday	4/21	7:45 am	Marjorie Spagrud +
Wednesday	4/22	7:45 am	Int. Suzanne Lynch
Thursday	4/23	7:45 am	Beatrice LeCroix +
Friday	4/24	8:30 am	Ida Faucet +
Saturday	4/25	5:30 pm (CJ) 5:30 pm	William & Janet O'Conner + Int Lorraine Saffer

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

April 19 through April 26, 2009

Sunday:	Acts 4:32-35	Ps 118:2-4,13-15,22-24
	1 Jn 5:1-6	Jn 20:19-31
Monday:	Acts 4:23-31	Ps 2:1-9 Jn 3:1-8
Tuesday:	Acts 4:32-37	Ps 93:1-2,5 Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday:	Acts 5:17-26	Ps 34:2-9 Jn 3:16-21
Thursday:	Acts 5:27-33	Ps 34:2,9,17-20 Jn 3:31-16
Friday:	Acts 5:34-42	Ps 27:1,4,13-14 Jn 6:1-15
Saturday:	1 Pt 5:5b-14	Ps 89:2-3,6-7,16-17
	Mk 16:15-20	
Sunday:	Acts 3:13-15,17-19	Ps 4:2,4,7-9
	1 Jn 2:1-5a	Lk 24:35-48

## DAY OF REFLECTION FOR THOSE DIVORCED OR SEPARATED...MAY 9, 2009 AT:

St. Rita's Retreat Center, Gold Hill, OR. This retreat will be presented by **Richard Jensen,LPC**. 8:30AM registration, start 9:00AM —4:30PM. Suggested donation per person, is \$45, which includes lunch. Topic will be on beginning or continuing your healing journey to wholeness. To register or for more info call **541-944-8018** or go to [www.createdtoworship.us/events.html](http://www.createdtoworship.us/events.html)

## OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

April 12, 2009: \$18,204

April 13, 2008: \$10,825

April 15, 2007: \$10,768

**THANK YOU and congratulations!!!** We hit a record high for a weekly offertory. What a blessing we have for all the generous and giving parishioners of this Catholic community. We can't tell you how much your support means to us, especially during these rough economic times. God bless all of you.

### "PARISH NEWS"

**A VERY BIG....THANK YOU... is extended to everyone** who prepared food for the reception after the Easter Vigil mass. You helped to provide such a great welcoming for our new church members..

**WE ARE STARTING OUR 2010 RCIA INQUIRY CLASSES ON MAY 7, Thursday, at 6:30 PM.** We will meet in room 2 of the Parish Center. We also need volunteers to help with the RCIA Program. Please contact Maureen Hutcheson at 474-2711 or Terry Knouff at 479-4848 if you are interested in helping with the class of 2010. This is a great way to share your faith or you may come to our meeting on May 5th at 6:30 PM in Room 2 of the parish center.



#### **THE PARISH CENTER SKYROOM IS IN NEED OF NEW CARPET.....**

The cost to replace this carpet is \$6000—the best money can buy for the usage this room gets. The Knights of Columbus Council has put a challenge to the parishioners by putting up \$2000 in matching funds toward the Skyroom carpeting project. Anyone that wishes to donate please make checks to "St. Anne Church" with a memo "Parish Center Carpet", so that the funds will go into that account. Outside the parish center office you will find a visual thermometer showing our parish meeting this challenge. As of April 13, we have collected \$935 towards the Knights challenge.

**THIS SUNDAY IS DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY.** Please join us in the Church at 2:30 PM for the conclusion of the Novena of Mercy and Holy Hour. Fr. Ron Nelson will be leading this Holy Hour. You all are invited to join us for this special day.

### "YOUTH NEWS"

**OUR LENTEN SMALL GROUP FOR YOUTH** was a big hit!! We'll continue with our Faith Sharing/Bible Study group, studying the biblical salvation timeline on Monday evenings from 8:00 to 8:00PM.

**THE SILVER RING THING WILL ONCE AGAIN COME GPHS** the evening of April 24th. It's all about guys, girls, dating, love, second chances and making the best choices. Time is from 6:30 to 9:00PM, with the Parents session also starting at 6:30PM.

**OUT NEXT DON BOSCO DINNER IS APRIL 25TH AT THE** St. Vincent's Dining Hall.

**THERE WILL BE A CHRISTIAN RAP CONCERT AS PART** of this coming **First Friday Downtown**, May 1st at 6:00PM. It is a free outdoor concert in the parking lot across from Dutch Bros on D street.

### "OTHER NEWS"

#### **GUADALUPE PILGRIMAGE & SCRIPTURE RETREAT....**

6/26/09 thru 7/5/09. \$1790 per person, double occupancy. Leaders: Fr. Mike Walker, Fr. Konrad Schaefer, OSB, Ina Hecker, Barb Anderson. Info: Karen-Teel's Travel, 800-8224-1028 or [Barb-banderson@smcatholic.com](mailto:Barb-banderson@smcatholic.com) or [www.mexicopilgrimage.com](http://www.mexicopilgrimage.com). Brochures in parish office.

#### **CATHOLIC CHARITIES 2009 ANNUAL CAMPAIGN!!!!**

In the last year, Catholic Charities has had a 78% surge in families requesting basic assistance. Fortunately, Catholic Charities has its roots in times such as these. Founded 76 years ago in the midst of the Great Depression, it is considered one of the most efficient social service agencies in the country. Now more than ever, private dollars are critical to Catholic Charities funding. You can make a difference with your contribution to this year's campaign. You will find envelopes in the bulletin this week for a second collection next week. Thank you for your generous consideration.

### WEEK AT A GLANCE...

#### **SUNDAY**

9:30 AM  
1:00 PM  
2:30 PM  
6:00 PM

#### **April 19—Divine Mercy Sunday**

Religious Education Classes  
RCIA Class—Room 1— Parish Center  
Divine Mercy Sunday Holy Hour—Church  
High School Confirmation Class—KYC

#### **MONDAY**

10:00 AM  
7:00 PM

#### **April 20—**

Crafting Workshop—Room 6  
Divorced/Widowed/Separated Support - PC

#### **TUESDAY**

6:30 AM  
5:30 PM  
5:30 PM

#### **April 21— St. Anselm**

Men's Prayer Group - Library  
English 2nd Language—Rooms 3&4  
SAC Meeting—Library

#### **WEDNESDAY**

6:30 AM  
11:00 AM  
6:00 PM  
6:00 PM  
7:00 PM

#### **April 22—**

Women's Bible Study—Room 4  
Legion of Mary—Skyroom/Kitchen  
Biblia y Catesismo—Room 4  
7 & 8th Grade Religious Ed Classes  
Youth Ministry—KYC/Skyroom

#### **THURSDAY**

9:00 AM  
5:30 PM  
6:00 PM

#### **April 23—St. George & St. Adalbert**

Marian Prayer Group—Room 4  
English 2nd Language—Rooms 3 & 4  
Moms of St. Anne—Skyroom

#### **FRIDAY**

#### **April 24—St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen**

#### **SATURDAY**

9:00 AM  
7:00 PM

#### **April 25—**

First Communion Practice—Skyroom  
School Concert—Skyroom

#### **SUNDAY**

1:00 PM  
2:00 PM  
6:00 PM

#### **April 26—Third Sunday of Easter**

RCIA Class— Parish Center Room 1  
First Communion Mass—Church  
High School Confirmation Classes—KYC

### \*\*\*School News\*\*\*



#### **ENROLLMENT PACKETS FOR 09-10 SCHOOL**

**YEAR** are available in the school and parish offices. More information regarding the school, registration, tuition rates, financial aid, etc. can be found in the school newsletter and from the school staff. St. Anne School offers full day kindergarten, 5 days a week.

#### **JOG-A-THON IS COMING, APRIL 23, 9AM TILL NOON, LINCOLN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TRACK.**

The students are taking pledges for the annual Jog-A-Thon. Even Fr. Ron will be joining in on the fun. Help the school by pledging a student or Fr. Ron.

The auction **Girls Night Out** at the R-Haus is May 30th. The auction **Boy's Night Out** is May 2nd. Both begin at 5:30. If you weren't able to buy the dinner package the night of the auction, spots are still available for \$45. Call the school office for information.

#### **THE SCHOOL'S SPRING CONCERT WILL BE APRIL 25TH**

at 7:00PM in the parish center. Come and enjoy Elvis' songs sung by the children.

#### **ARE YOU INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THE SAC?**

The School Advisory Council has 3 positions due for new members beginning in June-July. If you have any interest in serving on this council, please get more information and an application from the school office or parish office. This important council needs your input and ideas how to keep our school vital and adequately funded.