



Saint Anne Parish

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Pastor: **Monsignor Gregory Moys**

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Deacon: **Dcn. Robert Chapin**

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

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PARISH CENTER

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

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Jacqueline Henry, *Principal*
E-mail: jhenry@archdpdx.org **479-1582**
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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
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
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. srita@rvi.net **(541) 855-1333**

February 8, 2009—Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Parish Community,

In his weekly column in the Catholic Sentinel, our archdiocesan paper, Archbishop John Vlazny reminded us that although the national and local elections are over, our duty as citizens does not end. The Catechism of the Catholic Church states that "It is the duty of citizens to work with civil authorities for building up society in a spirit of truth, justice, solidarity and freedom." Citizenship carries with it not only privileges, but responsibilities.

"Democracy" writes Archbishop Vlazny, "will not work unless citizens remain informed and involved. Those who govern our land rely on us not only to respect them, but also to inform them and influence them for the common good. But this should also be done with respect and civility. Sometimes we as church need to speak." One of the issues that our American bishops sent in a congratulatory letter to our new administration was that our leaders "must protect the lives of the most vulnerable and voiceless members of the human family, particularly unborn children, as well as those who are disabled or terminally ill. It will be essential to retain widely supported policies that show respect for unborn life and protect the conscience rights of health care providers and other Americans."

The Archbishop concluded his column by saying: "I invite you as responsible citizens to remain informed and involved in promoting

such an agenda. Stay in touch with your legislators. Let them know what you think. Never think that your opinion is unimportant. The rich and the powerful spend a lot of money to make sure that government leaders hear from their lobbyists. We too need to lobby and make our voices heard. Complacency is for losers. Losers will never build us a nation with justice and peace for all."

As most of you are aware, our anti-Freedom of Choice postcards did not arrive yet for Saint Anne parish. Both Saint Patrick and Our Lady of the River churches received theirs in time to be filled out last weekend. Because the Archbishop's Annual Appeal Campaign is now in full swing, we will not be able to do our part of the American bishops pro-life campaign until the weekend of February 21-22 for Saint Anne. For those who would like to write their senators and congressmen, I am including the postcard text below. The addresses of our senators and respective congressmen can be found on an accompanying sidebar in this bulletin.

Dear Senator/Congressman,

"At this time of serious national challenges, Americans should unite to serve the good of all, born and unborn. The Freedom of Choice Act (FOCA), the most radical and divisive pro-abortion bill ever introduced in Congress, would create a "fundamental right" to abortion that government could not limit but would

have to support. FOCA would overturn many existing widely supported policies, including laws protecting parental involvement and conscience rights and those preventing partial-birth abortion and taxpayer funding of abortion.

Please oppose FOCA or any similar measure, and retain laws against federal funding and promotion of abortion. As your constituent, I would appreciate a written response telling me how you would vote on these matters."

Respectfully:

Name

Address

Sincerely yours in Christ our King
Monsignor Gregory Moys, Pastor

Senator Ron Wyden
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510
Web site: <http://wyden.senate.gov/>
Email: <http://wyden.senate.gov/contact/>

Senator Jeff Merkley
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510
Web site: <http://merkley.senate.gov>
Email: not available

Representative Greg Walden
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515
Web site: <http://Walden.house.gov>
Email: <http://www.house.gov/writerep/>

Representative Peter DeFazio
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515
Web site: <http://defazio.house.gov>
Email: peter.defazio@mail.house.gov

Masses for the Week

Sunday	2/08 (RR)	8:00 am 9:00 am 9:30 am 11:00 am	Int. Tommy & Doris Graham Joe Furtado + Parishioners
Monday	2/09	7:45 am	Istiharoh Glasgow +
Tuesday	2/10	7:45 am	Michael Scott +
Wednesday	2/11	7:45 am	Int. Mutalib Glasgow & family
Thursday	2/12	7:45 am	Int. Ron & Diana Matthewson
Friday	2/13	8:30 am	Rosemary Gade +
Saturday	2/14 (CJ)	5:30 pm 5:30 pm	Rosemary Gade +

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

February 8 through February 15, 2009

Sunday:	Jb 7:1-4,6-7 Ps 147:1-6 1 Cor 9:16-19,22-23 Mk 1:29-39
Monday:	Gn 1:1-19 Ps 104:1-2,5-6,10,12,24,35 Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday:	Gn 1:20-2:4a Ps 8:4-9 Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday:	Gn 2:4b-9,15-17 Ps 104:1-2,27-30 Mk 7:14-23
Thursday:	Gn 2:18-25 Ps 128:1-5 Mk 7:24-30
Friday:	Gn 3:1-8 Ps 32:1-2,5-7 Mk 7:31-37
Saturday:	Gn 3:9-24 Ps 90:2-6,12-13 Mk 8:1-10
Sunday:	Lv 13:1-2,44-46 Ps 32:1-2,5,11 1 Cor 10:31-11:1 Mk 1:40-45

"PARISH NEWS"

ARCHBISHOP'S CATHOLIC APPEAL:

Next weekend, Feb. 14-15, in Commitment Weekend for the 2009 Archbishop's Catholic appeal. If you received a personalized commitment card in the mail, you may bring it with you to Mass. Otherwise, commitment cards and pledge envelopes will be available during Mass. Please read the appeal materials included in this week's bulletin and prayerfully reflect on the commitment you may be able to make next weekend. Your support to the Appeal shares your blessings and graces to the gospel mission here in Western Oregon.

WE WILL BE CONDUCTING THE SIGNUPS FOR THE LENTEN SMALL GROUPS, this weekend (Feb. 7 & 8) and next weekend, Feb. 14 & 15. There will be signup sheets in the church vestibules. The first meeting will start Feb. 22. If anyone is interested becoming a leader please contact Rick Nelson at 472-9498.

ATTENTION: ALL MARRIED COUPLES...We already have one active, married couples group involved in Teams of Our Lady (TOOL) here at St. Anne, and we are trying to get another group going. There are 3 couples involved in a second team and we are looking for 3-4 more couples who may be interested in this great endeavor. Your love will help us continue to grow and journey together towards Christ as a couple, and your love and prayers can be an example for all marriages. Please contact Linda Hughes at 474-7574. Also go to the following website for lots of great info about the worldwide TOOL organization: www.teamsofourladyoregon.com.

"YOUTH NEWS"

THERE WILL BE NO HIGH SCHOOL CONFIRMATION CLASS on Presidents day weekend, February 15th. **THANK YOU TO ALL WHO DONATED TO THE "SOUPER BOWL OF CARING"** this past weekend. With your generous help we were able to raise more than \$500 for the Saint Vincent's soup kitchen.

"OTHER NEWS"

GRANTS PASS PREGNANCY CARE CENTER is presenting the annual "Forgiven and Set Free" and "Healing a Father's Heart" Bible studies and support groups again. All information is confidential. If you have questions, please contact Eileen Palmer, Dir. Of Healing Ministries, at 846-7445 or the Pregnancy Care Center at 479-6264. Find safety and healing in these caring groups.

PRAYER SERVICE FOR HEALING

For those afflicted with a chronic or a temporary illness, of body or soul, a prayer service will be offered on Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 5:30PM at Sacred Heart Church. Sickness drives us into ourselves and makes us feel alone. Coming together, we see that our weakness is a condition we share and one we can help each other to bear, as Jesus taught us to do.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

- January 2009: \$45,317**
- January 2008: \$42,391**
- January 2007: \$43,216**

As reported last week, your generosity in January was 6.9% greater than last year, and 4.8% more than January 2007. As frequently indicated before, we consistently compare ourselves with 2006-07, because our offertory for that period was almost 5% higher than last year. Our goal this year must be to earn slightly more than 2 years ago, in order to keep pace with our normal expenses. Thank you for your continuing consideration and generosity.

WEEK AT A GLANCE...

SUNDAY 9:30 AM 12:30 PM 1:00 PM 6:00 PM	February 8—Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Religious Education Classes—Parish Center Adult Confirmation Classes—KYC RCIA Class—Room 1, Parish Center High School Confirmation Classes -KYC
MONDAY 10:00 AM 7:00 PM	February 9 - Crafting Workshop-Room 6 Divorced/Widowed/Separated Support - Par. Ctr.
TUESDAY 6:30 AM 5:30 PM 6:00 PM	February 10—St. Scholastica Men's Study Group - Library English 2nd Language-Rooms 3&4 K of C Officers Meeting—Rooms 5 & 6
WEDNESDAY 6:30 AM 9:00 AM 6:00 PM 6:00 PM 7:00 PM	February 11—Our Lady of Lourdes Women's Bible Study—Room 4 Legion of Mary—Room 6 Biblia y Catecismo—Room 4 7 & 8th Grade Religious Ed Classes—Room 1 Youth Ministry—KYC/Skyroom
THURSDAY 8:45 AM 9:00 AM 6:00 PM	February 12— St. Anne Conference—Library Marian Prayer Group—Room 4 English 2nd Language—Rooms 3 & 4
FRIDAY 5:00 PM	February 13— Bunko Club Planning Meeting—Skyroom
SATURDAY	February 14—St. Syrill & St. Methodius
SUNDAY <i>After Mass</i> 9:30 AM 12:30 PM 1:00 PM NO	February 15—Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Altar Society Bake Sale—Skyroom Religious Education Classes—Parish Center Adult Confirmation Classes—KYC RCIA Class— Parish Center Room 1 High School Confirmation Classes—KYC

CALLING ALL SINGLE MEN, AGE 18-??

Do you have any interest in the priesthood or other religious vocational calling? If so, you are cordially invited to an **Andrew Dinner** at Our Lady of the Mountain Church in Ashland on Friday, Feb. 27, at 5:00PM. The dinner will be hosted by Archbishop Vlazny. This will be a great opportunity for relaxed conversation, dinner, and prayer. Various priests will tell their vocation stories and be available to answer your questions. For more information or to reserve a place at the table, please call Father Ron at 476-2240.

*****School News*****



"HITCH YOUR WAGON TO A STAR"

Our 12th Annual "Excellence in Education" Dinner Auction is coming soon, Saturday, February 21st, 2009. It starts at 6:00 PM with a no host social hour and silent auction begins, 7:00 PM is the Sit-Down Dinner, and at 8:00 PM the Oral Auction begins and the silent auction closes. The benefit drawing tickets are available at \$20. each and only 750 will be sold. The cash prize drawings prizes are; 1st prize: \$1500, 2nd prize: \$750, 3rd prize: \$500, and 4th prize: \$250. For the Auction tickets and Benefit tickets or further information, contact the school office at 479-1582.