



# Saint Anne Parish

1131 NE 10th Street, Grants Pass, Oregon 97526 [www.stannechurch.com](http://www.stannechurch.com)

## 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 Shibley, *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  
*Mid-High Youth Ministry* **476-8507**

### HISPANIC MINISTRY:

Esperanza Robles, *Director*  
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Jacqueline Henry, *Principal*  
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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

### 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](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.** [srita@rvi.net](mailto:srita@rvi.net) **(541) 855-1333**

MASS SCHEDULES

# January 11, 2009—Baptism of the Lord

Dear Parish Community,

Many Catholics today are no longer familiar with the teachings of Jesus or the moral teachings of the Church as previous generations were. Many base their knowledge of Church teachings and subsequent moral decisions on what they read in the newspaper or watch on news reports and talk shows. They fail to realize or discern that much of this “reporting” or “analyses” are based on preconceived and uninformed understandings of the Church’s teachings about God and our relationship to Him and each other. Such presentations are what one sees or thinks on a worldly level and rarely what is seen and accepted as true with the eyes of faith or what the Church really teaches and understands in its relationship to God and to each other. Many do not realize that such reporting zeroes on some sensational aspect of Church issues and happenings and excludes the whole picture and the truth of the matter. Moral decisions become more a personal matter of choice based on what one feels at the time or has been influenced by what the secular media tells him or her what to believe or accept. Others feel that one’s faith is purely a personal matter and should be kept to oneself lest one try to “impose one’s personal morality” on another. However, it’s perfectly alright for political groups and the secular media to tell people how to think and act according to their own agendas and perspectives. Catholic Church bashing and misrepresentation by the media is an acceptable practice with little fear from the average Catholic. Catholics keep their faith and the truth to themselves so well that many people think that the Church has something to hide. “Conscience,” the basis on which we make moral decisions, has become more of a feeling or educated guess as to what “Jesus might do or not do,” in making a “moral decision.” Catholics rarely act on a “well-informed con-

science,” feeling they will always make the right decisions without being told by others, based on the Scriptures of the Teaching Magisterium of the Church, entrusted with the safeguarding and proclamation of the truth and teaching of Jesus under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit.

There are some serious issues facing the Church and every Catholic today—our economic system, the potential overturning of all laws limiting abortions, physician-assisted suicide, universal medical care, unemployment, the poor becoming poorer, wars and persecutions, the belittling of authority, the replacement of objective moral laws with subjective decisions and the list can go on....

If we wish to truly follow Christ, then we need to be better informed about our faith and the teachings of the Church, speak out on challenges to our faith and the moral teachings of the Church, and live our faith, not being afraid to “proclaim the Good News of Jesus to the ends of the earth.” Jesus did not tell us to hide our faith or “impose it” on others, but to make it known to everyone.

We are reminded of Jesus’ conditions for discipleship: “Whoever wishes to be my follower must deny his very self, take up his cross each day, and follow in my steps. Whoever would save his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for myself will save it. What profit does he show who gains the whole world and destroys himself in the process. And, if a man is ashamed of me and my teaching, the Son of Man will be ashamed of him when he comes in his glory and that of his Father and his holy angels.” (Luke 9:23-26)

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

## Masses for the Week

Sunday	1/11 (RR)	8:00 am	Int. Bill & Myrna Shaneyfelt
		9:00 am	Robert Forster +
		11:00 am	Parishioners
Monday	1/12	7:45 am	Hank Leenknecht +
Tuesday	1/13	7:45 am	Richard Dajos +
Wednesday	1/14	7:45 am	Valorie Kurzawa +
Thursday	1/15	7:45 am	Int. James F. Reade
Friday	1/16	8:30 am	Bill Rigney +
Saturday	1/17 (CJ)	5:30 pm	Marlene Miller +
		5:30 pm	

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

January 11 through January 18, 2009

Sunday:	Is 42:1-4,6-7	Ps 29:1a,2,3ac-4,3b,9b-10
	Acts 10:34-38	Mk 1:7-11
Monday:	Heb 1:1-6	Ps 97:1,2b,6,7c,9
	Mk 1:14-20	
Tuesday:	Heb 2:5-12	Ps 8:2a,5-9
	Mk 1:21-28	
Wednesday:	Heb 2:14-18	Ps 105:1-4,6-9
	Mk 1:29-39	
Thursday:	Heb 3:7-14	Ps 95:6-11
	Mk 1:40-45	
Friday:	Heb 4:1-5,11	Ps 78:3,4bc,6c,8
	Mk 2:1-12	
Saturday:	Heb 4:12-16	Ps 19:8-10,15
	Mk 2:13-17	
Sunday:	1 Sm 3:3b-10,19	Ps 40:2,4,7-10
	1 Cor 6:13c-15a,17-20	Jn 1:35-42

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

December 2008: \$64,405

December 2007: \$63,341

December 2006: \$64,898

We surely hope the December increase in offertory compared to the previous 5 months will be sustained, as this may be an indicator that we are perhaps earning your trust at least to the extent that we had in previous years, especially 2006. Watch this space in the coming weeks for further information about the church’s finances. Thanks again to all who are able to continue giving some of your treasure to the church, whether it is slightly less, the same, or more than you offered in the past. Please remember my newsletter plea that if most of you could give just \$1 more per day than you have in the past, we could perhaps break even financially this fiscal year, and our church could likely continue our normal operations. Thank you.

## "PARISH NEWS"

**ALTAR SERVERS AND LECTORS NEEDED.** If you have a child that has received First Communion and has an interest to serve on the altar especially at the **8:00AM** Mass, please contact Dave Chase at 476-4550, to set up a training time. Also, we are in need of lectors at the **5:30PM** Mass. If you are interested please contact Harriet Anne Audrey at 474-4666.

### ADORATION CHAPEL

**An Invitation for the New Year!! Jesus said to His Apostles, "Could you not spend one hour with Me?"**

Jesus abides in the tabernacle constantly. He is a good neighbor who should not be taken for granted. Neighbors who love Him should be eager to visit with Him. If you have an interest in our open hours please contact Rex Titus at 479-3561 or Steve Voehl at 479-4538. Open hours are ; Sunday 1AM,4AM,8AM,4PM and 6PM: Monday 1AM: Thursday 1AM, 2AM: Friday 12AM and 10PM: Saturday 12AM, 4PM and 10PM.

**INSERTED IN YOUR BULLETIN TODAY IS A FLYER AND AN ENVELOPE FOR THE CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN.** The CCC serves millions of parishioners around the world and in our community through podcasts, newspapers, television, satellite radio and more. CCC funds programs that inspire you, help you through the challenges of life and strengthen our faith. The second collection will be next weekend, January 17 & 18. Your support helps the Church's efforts to remain a strong voice in the media. Your generosity is much appreciated. Thank you.

## "YOUTH NEWS"

**CONFIRMATION CLASS THIS MONTH WILL BE ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 11TH,** and January 25th. There will be no class on January 18th, due to the Lock-In in Roseburg.

**NEXT SUNDAY, JAN. 18TH THERE WILL BE A LOCK-IN** at St. Joseph's in Roseburg, beginning with Mass at 5:00PM. We'll be leaving from St. Anne's parking lot at 3:30PM, and returning the following morning (Martin Luther King Jr. Day) around 10:00AM.

**YOUTH GROUP CONTINUES EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 7:00pm, hope to see you there!**

## "OTHER NEWS"

**THE PREGNANCY CARE CENTER ANNUAL BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN** begins this weekend. You can pickup a baby bottle in the vestibules of the church. Please return them as soon as practical.

**JOSEPHINE COUNTY RIGHT TO LIFE ANNUAL MARCH FOR LIFE:** 36th Anniversary Roe vs. Wade, Sunday, January 18th, 2009 at 6th and B Sts., in front of the Josephine County Courthouse, Grants Pass, 1:30 PM march to Riverside Park. We cannot let the outcome of one Election Day hinder us from battling for a cause that is so wholly just. No class of people anywhere on earth is in more need or more deserving of protection than the unborn child. For further information contact Myrna Shaneyfelt at 479-9827 or Steve Raycraft, Director, at 621-2538.

**ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL RETREAT: "On the Priestly Vocation":** if you are a single man of 18-50 years of age and have felt a calling to the priestly ministry, you are invited to a weekend retreat beginning Friday evening, January 23 through Sunday morning, January 25, hosted by Archbishop John Vlazny. This takes place at Our Lady of Peace Retreat House in Beaverton and is free of charge. Please contact Fr. Kelly Vandehey at 503-233-8368 to register, or if you have further questions.

## WEEK AT A GLANCE...

### SUNDAY

9:30 AM  
12:30 PM  
1:00 PM  
6:00 PM

### Jan 11—Baptism of the Lord

Religious Education Classes  
Adult Confirmation Classes—KYC  
RCIA Class—Room 1 Parish Center  
High School Confirmation Classes -KYC

### MONDAY

10:00 AM  
7:00 PM

### Jan 12—

Crafting Workshop-Room 6  
Divorced/Widowed/Separated Support - Par. Ctr.

### TUESDAY

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

### Jan 13 —St. Hilary

Men's Study Group - Library  
English 2nd Language-Rooms 3&4  
Pastoral Council Meeting—Library  
K of C Officers/Council Meeting—Rooms 5 & 6

### WEDNESDAY

6:30 AM  
9:00 AM  
10:00 AM  
6:00 PM  
6:00 PM  
7:00 PM

### Jan 14 —

Women's Bible Study—Room 4  
Legion of Mary—Room 6  
Moms and Tots Meeting—Room 2  
Biblia y Catecismo—Room 4  
7 & 8th Grade Religious Ed Classes—Room 1  
Youth Ministry—KYC/Skyroom

### THURSDAY

9:00 AM  
6:00 PM  
6:00 PM

### Jan 15—

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

### FRIDAY

### SATURDAY

6:30 PM

### Jan 16—

Jan 17—St. Anthony  
BINGO—Skyroom

### SUNDAY

### After Masses

9:30 AM  
12:30 PM  
1:00 PM  
1:30 PM

### Jan 18—Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

**K of C Breakfast—Skyroom**  
Religious Education - Parish Center  
Adult Confirmation Classes—KYC  
RCIA Class— Parish Center Room 1  
Right to Life Annual March— Courthouse

**THERE IS A ROE V. WADE RALLY FOR LIFE COMING UP** at Pioneer Courthouse Square in Portland on Sunday, January 18, 2009, from 2:00-3:00 pm, as we remember the lives of 50 million children lost to abortion, and call upon our nation and its leaders to give children the protection they deserve. Archbishop Vlazny will be one of the speakers. You can visit the website for more information at [www.50millionlost.com](http://www.50millionlost.com).

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



**BINGO!! Next Saturday, January 17. Plan to come and have fun and support our school!!!**

**FRED MEYER AND GROCERY OUTLET** gift cards are available before and after some masses each weekend. Tables with school personnel or school families are set up in the vestibules on Saturday and in the Parish Center on Sunday. Gift cards are also available weekdays from the school office.

**THE SCHOOL IS VERY EXCITED ABOUT THE** New Year and all it holds in store for our children. We are continuing our huge effort preparing for the February 21st dinner auction, by far our biggest fund raiser of the year. Check the school's website for more information....**BUY YOUR TICKETS NOW FOR THE CASH PRIZE DRAWINGS. YOU COULD WIN UP TO \$1500 CASH.** School web site is [www.saintannecatholicsschool.org](http://www.saintannecatholicsschool.org)