



Saint Anne Parish

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PARISH CENTER

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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

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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
Rosary 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
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 (541) 855-1333

March 1, 2009—First Sunday of Lent

Dear Parish community of St. Anne,

As I spoke of in my last bulletin letter, I would like to go over some of the changes in the new *Ordo Missae* (the order of the Mass) in the *Roman Missal*. I will also give some explanation of the Mass itself as we go along. So, let us begin.

The Mass starts out as usual with the Entrance Chant being sung, and the priest and the ministers process in. It is interesting to note that the text says "Entrance Chant." This would seem to affirm what is said in the 2002 *General Instruction of the Roman Missal* that "Gregorian chant holds pride of place [in the liturgy because] it is proper to the Roman Liturgy" (p. 24). After making a profound bow with the ministers to the altar, the priest venerates the altar with a kiss. None of this should look different than what we are used to.

The priest then says: "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." I might just point out that the priest does not say, "In the names of ..." This is a recognition that God is one. And it is a recognition of whose name we have been baptized into. And of course we trace the sign of the cross, the sign of our salvation, upon our bodies.

Then the priest says, "The Lord be with you. (or similar words)." And the people respond, "And with your spirit." Father Jeremy Driscoll in his book *What Happens at Mass*, states that the "priest greets the people not as an individual, some friendly person whom they may or may not know especially well. He greets them in his sacramental role of representing Christ at the head of his body, as Christ who will lead his body in prayer. . . . It is the Lord himself whom we are meant to see and hear in this unusual gesture, spoken in unusual language from a man dressed in unusual clothes." (p. 24). They call this the apostolic greeting because these greetings come from the apostle Paul which he used in his letters.

Now the people then respond: "And with your spirit." This is where we hear a change from what we are used to. This corresponds better to the original Latin: "*Et cum spiritu tuo.*" Now this response does not mean, "Same to you buddy." No, it is much more than that. Fr. Driscoll puts it this way: "The people are addressing the 'spirit' of the priest; that is, that deepest interior part of his being where he has been ordained precisely to lead the people in this sacred action." (p. 25). It is an awareness that there is

truly only one High Priest, Our Lord Jesus Christ, and the priest standing before you is sharing in His one priesthood by means of the ordination which the priest has received, passed on in an unbroken line of apostolic succession from the apostles, and received from his own bishop.

Following the priest's greeting and the people's response, the priest introduces the Mass for the day. Then comes the Penitential Rite. The priest invites the people in the following words: "Brethren (brothers and sisters), let us acknowledge our sins, that we may prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries." This awakens in us a recognition that sin caused a division between us and God, yet God desires to overcome that division. And so we confess our sinfulness and ask for God's mercy: "***I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, [while we strike our breast, we continue] through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.***"

While there are other formulas that we can use, I've highlighted this formula above because it shows a change from the text we are used to. This too is a more faithful translation to the Latin text. We see in this text, as with the one we are familiar, a recognition that our sins affect not only our relationship with God but also our relationship with one another, so we confess to "you, my brothers and sisters" and "all the Angels and Saints."

Then the priest prays the prayer of absolution: "***May almighty God have mercy on us and lead us, with our sins forgiven, to eternal life.***" Here too we notice a slight difference from the form we are used to. The new language here recognizes the necessity of forgiveness of sins for eternal life. And then we conclude the penitential rite with the following: *Lord, Have Mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.* We insist, we beg for, God's mercy, for we are saved through Christ alone.

That concludes this part of our study of the new translation for the *Ordo Missae*. Next month we will look at the *Gloria*.

Sincerely,
Fr. Ronald Nelson

Masses for the Week

Sunday	3/01 (RR)	8:00 am	Barbara Hofford Moys +
		9:00 am	Rose Marie Vaccher +
		9:30 am	
		11:00 am	Parishioners
Monday	3/02	7:45 am	Int Ann Hoepfner
Tuesday	3/03	7:45 am	Isabelita Confesor +
Wednesday	3/04	7:00 am	Ann Marie Martineau +
Thursday	3/05	7:45 am	Berdina Young +
Friday	3/06	8:30 am	Josefa Priela +
		12:05 pm	Rosemary Gade +
Saturday	3/07 (CJ)	5:30 pm	Int. Tommy & Doris Graham
		5:30 pm	

FIRST FRIDAY

Traditionally the First Friday of each month is designated as a day to be consecrated to honoring Our Lord's Sacred Heart. The object of this devotion is to make our Savior Jesus Christ ardently and perfectly loved, and to make reparation for the outrages received by Him in the past as well as the present. All are welcome to join us at either the 8:30 AM or 12:05 PM Mass on the first Friday of each month, for attendance at the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass which is assuredly the best means of honoring and loving the adorable Heart of Jesus.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

March 1 through March 8, 2009

Sunday:	Gn 9:8-15 Ps 25:4-9 1 Pt 3:18-22 Mk 1:12-15
Monday:	Lv 19:1-2,11-18 Ps 19:8-10,15 Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday:	Is 55:10-11 Ps 34:4-7,16-19 Mt 6:7-15
Wednesday:	Jon 3:1-10 Ps 51:3-4,12-13,18-19 Lk 11:29-32
Thursday:	Est C:12,14-16,23-25 Ps 138:1-3,7c-8 Mt 7:7-12
Friday:	Ez 18:21-28 Ps 130:1-8 Mt 5:20-26
Saturday:	Dt 26:16-19 Ps 119:1-2,4-5,7-8 Mt 5:43-48
Sunday:	Gn 22:1-2,9a,10-13,15-18 Ps 116:10,15-19 Rom 8:31b-34 Mk 9:2-10

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

February 22, 2009: \$9,105

February 24, 2008: \$7,059

February 25, 2007: \$7,995

Thank you to all who are honoring your commitment to increase your giving to our church. Our cumulative offertory is still close to what we earned from you 2 years ago, the standard we must achieve if we are to control our deficit for this fiscal year ending June 30th. You are answering our prayers, may our Lord continue to bestow His blessings on you.

YOUR ARE INVITED TO A RETREAT WITH

Fr. Jerry Bevilacqua, O.S.A.

March 27-29

"Theology of the Body" by John Paul II and Pope Benedict XVI's Encyclical "God is Love"

Fr. Jerry has conducted retreats and workshops throughout the United States, including many years at St. Rita's. The Lord has affirmed this ministry by granting spiritual healing and physical restoration to many. This is at St. Rita's Retreat Center, 10800 Blackwell Rd., Gold Hill, OR. Starts at 6:30 PM Friday with supper. Ends Sunday afternoon. Cost \$130. For more info or to register call 541-855-1333.

"PARISH NEWS"

ST. ANNE ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING is Tuesday, March 3 at 11:40 AM in the church with recitation of the Rosary, followed by a luncheon meeting in the Parish Center. All ladies of the parish are welcome to join us.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST. ...The Knights will serve their famous breakfast after all Masses on March 15. Net revenue will go to support vocational projects such as Grants to Seminarians and Pennies for Heaven. Please come and enjoy the breakfast and support seminarians who will serve the Archdiocese after ordination.

HAVE YOU DONE YOUR STATE INCOME TAXES YET?

Did you know you can donate a portion of your state refund directly to St. Vincent de Paul for their social services efforts? Write in Charity Code "7" and the amount you wish to donate in blocks 38a/b and 39a/b on the short Form 40S; or blocks 68a/b and 69a/b on the long Form 40. Please consider giving a portion of your refund so this most worthy agency can help those in great need. For further info, contact Paul Wilson at SVdP at 479-0926.

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND:

The Legion of Mary brings Communion to those who cannot come to Mass. People in hospitals, nursing homes, foster care homes, retirement centers, and private homes. It is a spiritually satisfying task, but a formidable one in a city of this size with an aging population. We need more helpers (it is not necessary that they be members of the Legion of Mary). Training is provided. If you can spare an hour or two a week to help with this vital spiritual work of mercy, please leave your name at the parish office and we'll be in touch with you.

GOLF SEASON IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER!! In what is becoming a tradition here in Southern Oregon, the 3rd Annual Archbishop's Golf Invitational is scheduled for Monday, May 18, 2009, at Eagle Point Golf Course. Golfers from parishes throughout Southern Oregon are invited to form one or more four-somes to represent St Anne parish and school on this day of competition and great fun. The proceeds from this event go to the Archdiocesan Seminary Education Fund. As our Archdiocese has the largest class of seminarians in its history studying for the priesthood, what better way can we help answer the need for greater financial support to educate future priests. March 31st is the deadline for team registration. Team spots sold out well in advance in each of the past two years, so now is the time to get your team registered. For more information, contact the parish office, go to www.archdpdx.org, or contact Doug Tollefson at the Archdiocese of Portland at 503-233-8336, or giff@archdpdx.org.

"YOUTH NEWS"

THE YOUTH GROUPS ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER will be held on Saturday, March 14th after the Vigil Mass. We once again invite everyone to join us for this traditional Irish dinner of corned beef and cabbage and more. Mark your calendars for this great meal.

WE WILL BE HAVING OUR OWN LENTEN SMALL GROUP FOR YOUTH meeting on Monday evenings from 7:00 to 8:00PM. These meetings are open to anyone in High School.

NORMAL YOUTH GROUP RESUMES THIS WEEK ON MARCH 4. How goes the increased Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving?

"OTHER NEWS"

THE CHAPLET OF THE DIVINE MERCY: Join us at St. Rita's Retreat Center, 10800 Blackwell Road, Gold Hill, Every **Wednesday** evening during Lent, starting February 25th from 7 to 7:30 PM, to prayerfully sing the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy with the Created to Worship Praise & Worship Team. For more information go to www.Createdtoworship.us or call 734-4022.

CAREGIVER 101: Lovejoy Hospice and RV Council of Governments are presenting a workshop with powerful tools and hands on caregiving from independence to total care..This is for all friends or family members who are, or will be caring for loved ones at home. Sat., March 7 at 8:00 AM. Please call 474-1193 by March 2 to pre-register or for more information.

WEEK AT A GLANCE...

SUNDAY

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

MONDAY

8:30 AM
10:00 AM
1:00 PM
7:00 PM

TUESDAY

6:30 AM
10:00 AM
11:40 AM
4:00 PM
5:30 PM
6:30 PM

WEDNESDAY

6:30 AM
9:00 AM
1:00 PM
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6:00 PM
7:00 PM

THURSDAY

9:00 AM
5:30 PM

FRIDAY

12:05 PM
5:00 PM
7:00 PM

SATURDAY

SUNDAY

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

March 1—First Sunday of Lent

RE Classes & Lenten Fair—Parish Center
Adult Confirmation Classes—KYC
RCIA Class—Room 1, Parish Center
High School Confirmation Class—KYC

March 2—

Adoration Coord. Meeting—Library
Crafting Workshop—Room 6
Disciples in Action Group—Room 1
Divorced/Widowed/Separated Support - Par Ctr

March 3—St. Katherine Drexel

Men's Study Group - Library
DRE Meeting—Room 1
Altar Society Meeting—Skyroom
Disciples in Action Group—Library
English 2nd Language—Rooms 3&4
Disciples in Action Young Adults Group—KYC

March 4—St. Casimir

Women's Bible Study—Room 4
Legion of Mary—Room 6
Disciples in Action Group—Room 3
Sacramental Prep. Classes—Rms 5/6
Disciples in Action (Hispanic) - Room 4
7 & 8th Grade Religious Ed Classes—Room 1
Youth Ministry—KYC/Skyroom

March 5—

Marian Prayer Group—Room 4
English 2nd Language—Rooms 3 & 4

March 6—First Friday

First Friday Mass—Church
Lenten Dinner #2—Skyroom
Stations of the Cross—Church

March 7—St. Perpetua & St. Felicity

March 8—Second Sunday of Lent

Religious Education & Lenten Fair— Skyroom
Adult Confirmation Classes—KYC
RCIA Class— Parish Center Room 1
High School Confirmation Classes—KYC

Archbishop's Catholic Appeal

Thank you to all parishioners who have made their gift or pledge to the 2009 Archbishop's Catholic Appeal, whether you completed your commitment card through us or sent it directly back to the Archdiocese. As soon as we have some results, we will report our progress towards our goal of \$43,848. Since 100% participation is one of our goals, no matter how small the gift might be, there are still commitment cards available in the vestibules or the parish office just in case you have not been able to complete one up to now. Remember, some of what you give ultimately comes back to us locally through several different programs.

School News



LENTEN DINNER WILL BE SERVED THIS next Friday from 5:00-7:00 PM in the Parish Center. The cost will be \$4 for adults, \$3 for children.

THE ANNUAL SCIENCE FAIR AND OPEN HOUSE will be March 10th beginning at 6:00PM at the school. The students will have demonstrations, experiments and presentations to share with all. Everyone is invited. This is a perfect time for prospective families and other community members to visit our school.

THE AUCTION WAS A SUCCESS, THANKS TO ALL WHO ATTENDED, the volunteers and persons who donated to the auction. The school greatly appreciates your support.

THE ACCREDITATION TEAM FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE will be on the school campus March 9th.