

St. Anne's Catholic Church

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February, 25, 2024 2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them. - Mk 9:7-8

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

<u>Parish Staff</u>		Parish Office Hours		
Pastor : Rev. Leonard L. Marrujo		Monday - Thursday 9 am – 4:30 pm		
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Priest in Residence: Rev. George DaRoza		Masses in Church		
Off./Min. Coordinator: Janet Money		Monday - Friday 8:15 am		
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Bookkeeper:	Aileen Baker	Sunday 9 am & 11 am		
Housekeeper:	Martha Sanchez	Sacrament of Confession		
-		Tuesday 9 am - 9:30 am		
Organist:	Sheila Wilkins	Saturday 3:30 pm - 4:00 pm		
Cantor:	Gina Dowen	Library Hours:		
		Wednesday 9 am - 12 pm		

A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

So we come to a final point worth noting. Two of Rahner's very first theological essays, dating from the early 1930s, studied the notion of the "spiritual senses" in the writings of the early church father Origen and in the medieval Augustinian tradition. It would seem, then, that Rahner returned toward the end of his life to those early explorations on the spiritual senses and the Christian mystical tradition. In doing so he returned to the wisdom of the concluding line of T.S. Eliot's "East Coker": "In my end is my beginning."

Throughout his theological journey, Rahner sought to broaden our appreciation of the mystical, not as "extracurricular" to the Christian way, reserved for the privileged few, but as intrinsic to Christian living, yesterday and today. He challenges us to extend our imagination beyond the examples of those classical mystics who exhibit extraordinary spiritual gifts. He sought to "democratize" mystical experience, viewing it as the full flowering of the Christian life: a life of relations transformed in Christ, heralding the new creation. Though employing different dictions, I am sure Rahner would celebrate the insights of his fellow Jesuit, Gerard Manley Hopkins, S.J. Purified senses enable us to perceive that "Christ plays in ten thousand places, lovely in limbs, and lovely in eyes not his."

In and through all the intricacies of his signature "transcendental method," Rahner's pole star remained the love of Jesus, who alone fulfills our human desire for unconditional love and communion. Communion not only with the Lord but also with all the members of his body. For loving Jesus is always inseparable from loving those who Jesus loves.

I hope this three part essay by Rahner has enlightened you. May God continue to guide in your path to the Easter time. God bless.

Fr. Leonard L. Marruio

LOOKING AHEAD

Tuesday, 27th - Men's Ministry

10 AM- St. Anne's Parish Hall

Wednesday, February 28th

10:30 AM - Bible Study

Friday, March 01st

9 AM - Stations of the Cross After the 8:15 am mass on Fridays during Lent in the Church



<u>Tuesday, March 5th - Anointing of the</u> <u>Sick</u> After 8:15 AM Mass in the Church followed by reconciliation at 9:00 am.

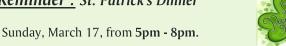


HOLY HOUR with Benediction March 7th, 2024 9am-10am Please come and worship with us.

Mass for the Intentions Week				
Saturday 02/24	5:00 рм	† Eileen Brown		
Sunday	9:00 am	Sp. Int. Parishioners & Benefactors		
02/25	11:00 ам	† Anna & Joaquim Pacheco		
Monday 02/26	8:15 am	† Elsa Yam		
Tuesday 02/27	8:15 am	† Jennifer Jessica Jake		
Wednesday 02/28	8:15 am	Sp. Int. Thomas Baker		
Thursday 02/29	8:15 am	Sp. Int. Joan Tayko		
Friday 03/01	8:15 am	† Ricardo DaRoza		
Saturday 03/02	8:15 am	† Jean Navarro		

News from St. Anne's Society

<u>Reminder :</u> St. Patrick's Dinner



Traditional Irish Dinner, catered buffet style.

Price: \$47 per person ; <u>Non-refundable</u>, due prior to March 8th Live Entertainment and Sing Along. More information in the flyer.

Assisted Listening System : Do you Fe know that our Parish has the hearing At

know that our Parish has the hearing assistance loop systems. It work well for users that use telecoil-compatible hearing aids. Anyone with a compatible hearing aid will automatically receive the assisted listening system signal or you can turn your hearing aid to T position to connect you to the system.

February Mass Count.

At all weekend masses in February, ushers will be taking a headcount, as we do each year.

Job Opening

Office & Ministry Coordinator position is open.

Janet Money, our Office and Ministry Coordinator is resigning from her duties on February 29th. If anyone is interested in this position, kindly submit your resume and contact Fr. Leonard.

MINISTRIES					
Greeters Weekend	Mary Beth Hodge	925-954-1158			
	Lupe Roberts	925-322-8798			
Homebound	Evelyn Noriega	510-386-1573			
Library	Odile Crandall	925-937-2643			
Facility Maintenance	Keith Crandall	925-932-2324			
	Bob Martini	Parish Office			
Men's Ministry	Martin Bailey	925-932-2324			
Parish Council	Paul Molloy	925-323-0730			
Parish Finance Council	Peter Newell	925-891-4479			
St. Anne's Society	Joe Cellucci	843-870-6683			
Ushers	Penny Corempas	925-938-3543			

<u>Bulletin</u>: If you would like to receive the weekly bulletin and highlights by email contact the parish office at info@stanneswc.org. Bulletin is also available on our website www.stanneswc.org

THIS PARISH LIFE

Please visit our parish website www.stanneswc.org for parish information, calendar of events, copy of the bulletin, lectures and audio recordings of "This Parish Life" by Fr. Leonard.



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The following non-perishable items are needed at St Mary's St Vincent de Paul Food Pantry on a regular basis and are usually in short supply and <u>not</u> provided through the food bank.

Canned foods are provided through the Food Bank.

Toilet Paper	Oatmeal—small packets	Ketchup	
Shaving Items	Chicken Broth	Coffee	
Toothbrushes	Top Ramen	Water	
Paper Towels	Cleansing Wipes	Tea	
Mustard	Pasta / Pasta Sauce	Mayo	
Body wash	Soup / Broth	Box Fruit Juice	
Peanut Butter	Jam / Jelly	Cereal	



PRAY FOR THE SICK							
Andrea Puccini	Debbie Campbell	Jannet Tuvilla	Mark Suprachauna	Robert DeGraca			
Bob Pape	Don Corempas	Jeanette Martini	Martin Keegan	Robin Duggan			
Bunk Sicotte	Edward Regan	Jeff Westerfield	Maryellen	Robert Kraftschik			
Caroline George	Elaine Chiou	Joe Cellucci	Megan Smith	Ron Barajas			
Carter Whitlatch	Ellen Stevens	Josay Hayes	Michael Dunn	Ron Wallace			
Cass Candell	Ev Eaton	Kathleen Rose	Mike Abell	Tom & Vicki Hughes			
Cathy Grimesey	Felice Santos	Karen Salchett	Pamela Maria	Wayne & Maria Sylvia			
Chris Ramirez	Fr. Anthony Chang	Karl Kropp	Patricia Carey				
Cathy Bridges	George Slinsen	Linda Podesta	Richard Bradbury				
Daniel L. Cuban	Irene Haggerty	Lois Belmessieri	Richard Daniels				

If you wish to be included or removed from our prayer list, please contact Fran Long at 925-939-5151