



St. Anne's Catholic Church

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The Solemnity Of The Most Holy Trinity

May 26, 2024



Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 9:00 am—4:00 pm

Friday - Sunday CLOSED

Masses in Church

Monday - Friday 8:15 am

Saturday 8:15 am & 5:00 pm (Vigil)

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Sacrament of Confession

Tuesday 9:00 am—9:30 am

Saturday 3:30 pm—4:00 pm

Library Hours:

Wednesday 9:00 am—12:00 pm

Parish Staff

Pastor : Rev. Leonard L. Marrujo

Priest in Res.: Rev. George DaRoza

Office/Min Coord: Rachelle Harmon

Bookkeeper : Aileen Baker

Housekeeper: Martha Sanchez

Music Director: John Montanero

A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

This week I would like to address two subjects that is weighing heavily on my mind:

“Impatience and understanding.”

1. The word Impatient means: “having or showing a tendency to be quickly irritated or provoked”
“Restlessly eager: ‘they are impatient for change...’”

2. “Understand[ing]: “to be sympathetically or knowledgeably aware of the character or nature of...”

Changes under certain circumstances are something we all can agree is a necessary thing if a person or a community of persons is to grow and deepen their faith. After all, isn't it our goal to deepen one's faith, to understand and to be patient in receiving that faith?

Letting our faith stagnate (or anything really) does not help us or others. Being impatient only causes hurt and pain to others in our community. In the church, we have many examples to follow: Mary, the Mother of God and Jesus Himself have demonstrated time and time again their patience, love and understanding of others and what others might be experiencing in their lives.

Sometimes, I wonder, if the person who is impatient might be experiencing a crisis in their life which might manifest itself in a negative way, e.g. a loved one has been diagnosed with an illness or the person complaining might have something that is impacting them. I don't know. For these reasons, I attempt to be patient and to understand the thing an individual is experiencing at that moment.

“Patience is the living heart of ethics”. “Patience is the calm acceptance that things can happen in a different order than the one you have in mind.” Patience is a neglected virtue. We do not appreciate patience as much as courage, or generosity because it requires that we restraint ourselves.” – Mc Mullin

And by restraining ourselves in this way it allows us to understand the other person and what he or she may be experiencing.

Henri Nouwen writes: “The word patience means the willingness to stay where we are and live the situation out to the full[est] in the belief that something hidden there will manifest itself to us.”

Change can be difficult, but change also means to understand why things change in the first place. Change is in of itself not a bad thing. However, being impatient with others can morph itself into a moment of anger directed at an individual for just being in someone's crosshairs. This is a moment in taking the time to understand the situation of the person expressing themselves negatively and then for you to appreciate this person's dissatisfaction for whatever that may be.

Let us take a moment to understand each other. To be patient with one another. And most importantly forgive and pray for each other.

Fr. Leonard L. Marujo

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, May 27th
Memorial Day—Office Closed

Tuesday, May 28th, June 11th & June 25th
Men's Ministry—10 am
Parish Hall

Sunday, June 2nd
Donut Sunday — After 9 am & 11 am masses
Parish Hall

Wednesday, June 5th
Movie: The Miracle Club—1 pm
Parish Hall

Thursday, June 6th
9 am– 10 am —1st Thursday of every month
Holy Hour with Benediction

Monday, June 17th
Pizza Bingo—Details to come!

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 5/25	5:00 PM	Parishioners & Benefactors
Sunday 5/26	9:00 AM	Birthday Intentions for Lydia & Emory Krafshik Kimberlee Burcing
	11:00 AM	† Elvio Ardilles
Monday 5/27	8:15 AM	† All Deceased Veterans
Tuesday 5/28	8:15 AM	† Dr. Michael Otten
Wednesday 5/29	8:15 AM	† Jim Reardon
Thursday 5/30	8:15 AM	† Keith Dawley
Friday 5/31	8:15 AM	† Lucinda Supleo
Saturday 6/1	8:15 AM	† Bella Quiazon & Family

Sunday's Readings:

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

2nd Reading: Romans 8:14-17

Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20

Note From The Librarian:

We Have New Books! Come by and check them out!



"The Way of the Heart" by Henri J.M. Nouwen

"Simplicity" by Richard Rohr

"Extravagant Love" by Ruth Burrows



If you are new to the parish or have a new address, don't forget to fill out a new/updated parishioner card at the rectory office!

BULLETIN: If you would like to receive the weekly bulletin and highlights by email contact the parish office at info@stanneswc.org. The Bulletin, parish information, calendar of events, lectures, audio recordings of "This Parish Life" by Father Leonard and other information is also available on our website www.stanneswc.org

PARISH FINANCIALS

April 2024

Plate collections, donations, gifts, and bequests

April Donation including Easter	\$	49,804
Budget Donation	\$	45,850
Excess	\$	3,954
Year to date excess/(shortfall)	\$	3,631
Development Fund April donation	\$	2,634
Dev Fund Year to date excess	\$	214

MINISTRIES

Environment	Nancy Herney	925-932-2324 Parish Office
	Gloria Beckett	
	Laura Smith	
	Karen Roland	
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
	John Hertzner	
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

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!



We are short Eucharistic Ministers and Servers (Acolytes) for all masses. Please send an email to rharmon@stanneswc.org for training and/or getting on the schedule.

MOVIES IN THE AFTERNOON

Movies in the Afternoon returns on June 5th at 1pm. Join Fr. Leonard as he presents "The Miracle Club". There will be a discussion afterwards. Snacks will be provided.



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Alex Shupe-Shellooe	Cathy Grimesey	Ev Eaton	Karen Salchett	Richard Bradbury
Ana Geiser	Chris Ramirez	Felice Santos	Karl Kropp	Richard Daniels
Andrea Puccini	Cathy Bridges	Fr. Anthony Chang	Linda Podesta	Robert DeGraca
Ann Enright	Daniel L. Cuban	George Slinsen	Lois Belmessieri	Robin Duggan
Bill John	David Laskin	Geri Napier	Mark Suprachauna	Robert Kraftschik
Bob Fidler	Debbie Campbell	Irene Haggerty	Martha Ambrosini	Ron Barajas
Bob Pape	Dresden John	Jannet Tuvilla	Martin Keegan	Ron Wallace
Brittany Zuniga	Don Corempas	Jeff Westerfield	Mary Ellen Wallace	Tom & Vicki Hughes
Bunk Sicotte	Dorothy Shellooe	Joe Cellucci	Megan Smith	Wayne & Maria Sylvia
Caroline George	Edward Regan	Josay Hayes	Michael Dunn	
Carter Whitlatch	Elaine Chiou	Kathleen Rose	Mike Abell	
Cass Candell	Ellen Stevens	Karen Fraschieri	Pamela Maria	

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



Have you lost a pair of glasses? Keys? An earring? A scarf? Visit our Lost & Found at the Church rectory in the main office Monday—Thursday.