

Solemnity of the Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary
Solemnidad de la Asunción de la Santísimo Virgen María y la Vigilia

August 15, 2010
Agosto 15, 2010

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK/
 INTENCIONES SEMANALES**

- Sat:** 5:00 PM Families of St. Anne
Sun: 8:30 AM Youth of St. Anne
 10:30 AM Parishioners of St. Anne
 12:30 PM Carlos, Soledad & Alexandra Ramirez
Mon: 9:00 AM Elders of St. Anne
Tue: 9:00 AM Ruth M. Schmit
Wed: 9:00 AM Families of St. Anne
Thurs: 9:00 AM Souls in Purgatory Intention
Sat: 5:00 PM Ronald Knapel
Sun: 8:30 AM Ronald Knapel
 10:30 AM Youth of St. Anne
 12:30 PM Miembros vivos y difuntos de Sta. Ana

**THIS WEEK AT ST ANNE/
 ESTA SEMANA A ST. ANA 08/14/10– 08/22/10**

- Sat: Vigil – Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
 11:00 AM Healing Mass w/Reception/Hall
 5:00 PM Membership Engagement (ME²⁵) Survey
Sun: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 All Masses - Membership Engagement (ME²⁵) Survey
 8:30 AM *Only Sunday Hospitality*
 11:45AM Garden Blessing/Garden
Mon: 9:00 AM Hospital Communion/Sutter Delta Hospital
 9:45 AM Rosary & Prayers for Peace/ Garden
 5:00 PM Children’s Choir/Hall
 6:30 PM Spanish Prayer Group/Chapel
 6:30 PM Family Faith Formation/CLC
Tues: 6:30 PM Inquiry/Fireside
 7:30 PM Finance Committee/Room 2
Wed: 6:00 PM CYO Signups/Room 1A
 7:00 PM Family Faith Formation (5-8)/Room 1B & 2
 7:00 PM Spanish Bible Study/Chapel
 7:00 PM Small Christian Communities/Offsite
Thurs: 6:00 PM Boy’s Ranch/Offsite
 7:00 PM Spanish Choir Practice/Fireside
 7:00 PM Choir Practice/Hall
Fri: 6:00 PM CYO Signups/Room 1A
Sat: Vigil – 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
 5:00 PM *Baptism - Zachary & Quinn Pierce*
 Women’s Fellowship “Wine in the Bay”/Offsite
Sun: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:15 AM 1st Communion Prep/Room 2
 10:30 AM *Baptism -Dominic Staben*
 12:30 PM *Aidan Negrete*

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

In today’s second reading, St. Paul encourages us not to grow weary or lose heart, but to persevere in following Jesus. Our willingness to give of ourselves, even in the face of conflict and division, is one way to measure our discipleship.

**LAST SUNDAY’S OFFERING/
 OFRENDAS DE LA SEMANA PASADA**

"Weekly church collection results will no longer be posted in the bulletin. Instead, summary results for the previous month will be reported to the parish the first Sunday of each month."

St. Anne is a “Fair Share Parish.” As a Fair Share Parish we ask those who are able to give a weekly fair share offering of **\$48.00**. We also ask those who are able to prayerfully consider giving extra share for those who are unable to give. For your convenience, Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) forms are available. This is an easy way to give your fair share each week. Forms are available in the foyer and office.

Your generosity is your return to the Lord for his goodness to you. Make an investment in the reign of God today!

**SCRIPTURE READINGS/
 LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA 08/16/10 – 08/22/10**

- Mon: Weekday/Dia de la Semana;** Stephen of Hungary/San Esteban de Hungria
 Ez 24:15-23 (Ps) Dt 32:18-21 Mt 19:16-22
Tue: Weekday/Dia de la Semana
 Ez 28:1-10 (Ps) Dt 32:26-36b Mt 19:23-30
Wed: Weekday/Dia de la Semana
 Ez 34:1-11 Ps 23:1-6 Mt 20:1-16
Thurs: Weekday/Dia de la Semana; John Eudes, priest/San Juan Eudes, presbítero
 Ez 36:23-28 Ps 51:12-19 Mt 22:1-14
Fri: Bernard, Abbot, doctor of the Church/San Bernardo, abad, doctor de la Iglesia
 Ex 37:1-14 Ps 107:2-9 Mt 22:34-40
Sat: Pius X, pope/San Pio X, papa
 Ez 43:1-7b Ps 85:9ab-14 Mt 23:1-12
Sun: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time/21st Domingo Ordinario
 Is 66:18-21 Ps 117:1-2 Heb 12:5-13 Lk 13:22-30

PLEASE PRAY FOR/POR FAVOR REZAN POR:

Darren Blass, Robert McMillen, Lora Chase, Justin, Santos Herrera, Ed Sandoval, Bernadette Russell, Marilyn Potts, Patricia Rykoski, Emily Kogler, Ann Burgess, Tina Gillie, Teresa, Peter Duncan, Jane Marchi, Bob Weber, Juanita Estellas, Tim Nixon, Kurt Luke, Gary Blackwell, Hollis Cooksey, Mary Mross, Debbie Lindo, Carolyn, Brad, Vanessa Cross, Lisa Butler, Chris Wagner, Lynn Willenburg, Dominic Fruciano Amada Delgado, Bill Sears Sr., Rick Tucci, Jo Riley, Tanya, Linda Jardin, Janice Richardson, Nolan Merkel

Occasionally names are taken off the prayer list. If we have taken off the name of a person still in need of prayer, please call the office and we will gladly put them back on the list.

PLEASE KEEP OUR MILITARY FAMILY AND FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYER

FAITH FORMATION

FAITH FORMATION ... REGISTER NOW!

Thank you, if you have already registered for this 2010-2011 year. If not, we encourage you to register as soon as possible. Thank you to these parishioners who have responded generously to the call to share the gospel with your children for our 2010-2011 Faith Formation Year.

First Communion Catechists-Helpers: Fran LaPerle, Don LaPerle, Becky Packard, Beverly Fondacabe, Erris Filippone, Ken Luke, Jennifer Evans, Veronica Caballero, Guadalupe Flores. & Zuliana Caballero.

Pre-K through 5th Catechists-Helpers: Arlene Avila, Agnes Arokiaraj, Lew Wade, Jennifer Leypon, Alicia Munoz, Consuelo Gonzalez, Marian Landoline, Cathy Sanocki, Carol Luke, Suzi Silva, Gennie Cerruti and Rudy Silva.

6th – 8th Catechists and Helpers: Diana Lamaestra, Agnes Arokiaraj, Suzanne Clement, Buzz Pedrotti, Janet Bledsoe. Our parish is blest!

NEEDED Catechist and Helper for our 5th graders Please call Sister Barbara *as soon as possible* if you feel the Holy Spirit nudging you. We have great boys and girls in this class. They will make a difference in your life.

(925) 634-6625 or home 925 308-4557. Thank you in advance!!

TIME CHANGE FOR FIRST COMMUNION CLASS

Due to public school bus schedules, many families cannot get their children to St Anne on Mondays by the 3:30pm class time. So the Monday First Communion classes will begin at 4:15pm and end at 5:15pm. Also, we will have one Sunday morning First Communion class from 9:15am-10:15am. When you register, please indicate which time your child will be attending. If your forms are already in the office, please call Maureen to specify the class you prefer.

Monday classes will begin August 16th, 4:15pm.

Sunday class will begin August 22nd, 9:15am.

Family Faith Formation - PARENT MEETING for ALL

Our opening meeting of the year will be on Monday, **August 30th from 6:30pm-7:15pm.** We will have three focal points: (1) You-Jesus for your Child (2) You-Gospel Servant (3) You-Values Challenged!

ADULT FAITH FORMATION: DATE CHANGE: Class begins on Monday, August 23rd. Class this semester is on the Scriptures.

Catholic Action Principles *Forget Everybody*

Not everybody wants to do business with you. Not everybody wants to be your friend. Not everybody wants world peace. Not everybody wants to work hard. Not everybody wants to be president.

Not everybody is smart enough to be a rocket scientist. Not everybody is fast enough to run in the Olympics. Who is helped by pretending otherwise?

Trying to accommodate everybody is a trap. It can't be done. Be yourself. People know their own problems better than you do. Not everybody will listen to reason or even act in his or his own best interest. You can. Guided by your Catholic faith and supported by your prayers, you will know the positive actions you are called to make.

-Bill FitzPatrick,

TEEN MINISTRY:

Teen Ministry mission is to help Teens become closer to Christ through the Eucharist.

We are currently registering for the 2010/2011 Teen Ministry/Confirmation Session.

Registration Packets are available in the foyer Information Racks or online at

www.stannechurchbyron.com

Teen Ministry will begin

Wednesday, August 25th

Teen Ministry (9th-12th) Wednesday 7:00-8:30pm

Confirmation (9th-12th) Wednesday 7:00-8:30pm

Volunteers needed: if you would like to volunteer for Teen Ministry, please Contact Michelle Castinado at 925-240-1832 or (cell) 925-437-0015.



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Thank you, Thank you, Thank you

The Garcia Family wishes to express their sincere and heartfelt gratitude to the St. Anne church members. Father Ron, for his support at the hospital, Last Rites, Funeral Mass and Burial for Piano. The office staff, for their help, direction, support and kindness. The choir for the music, it was touching. The church members, friends and all who came to share our loss and offer comfort. God bless each and every one of you that sent their greetings, inquired about him and kept him in prayer.

- Tina Garcia and Family. *Piano – Husband, Father, Father-in-law, Brother, Uncle, Friend and Grandpa, or Papa to many. Forever in our hearts.*

Inquiry

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith please join us on Tuesday August 17th at 7:00 pm in the Fireside room for Inquiry. Inquiry is the first step in the journey of full initiation into the Catholic Christian faith. Inquiry is for adults who have not been baptized or have been baptized in another Christian faith. Also baptized Catholics who need to receive the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation. If you have questions please contact Lisa at lisap@stannechurchbyron.com or 634-6625. If you have ever wondered why Catholics do what they do Inquiry is the place for you to get some answers.

Nurses Notes

CATARACTS

A cataract is a clouding of the normally clear lens of your eye. For people who have cataracts, seeing through cloudy lenses is a bit like looking through a frosty or fogged-up window. Clouded vision caused by cataracts can make it more difficult to read, drive a car (especially at night) or see the expression on a friend's face.

Most cataracts develop slowly and don't disturb your eyesight early on. But with time, cataracts will eventually interfere with your vision.

At first, stronger lighting and eyeglasses can help you deal with cataracts. But if impaired vision interferes with your usual activities, you might need cataract surgery. Fortunately, cataract surgery is generally a safe, effective procedure.

Signs & Symptoms of cataracts:

1. Clouded, blurred or dim vision
2. Increasing difficulty with vision at night
3. Sensitivity to light and glare
4. Seeing "halos" around lights
5. Frequent changes in eyeglasses or contact lens prescription
6. Fading or yellowing of colors
7. Double vision in a single eye

Make an appointment for an eye exam if you notice any changes in your vision. If you develop sudden vision changes, such as double vision or blurriness, see your doctor right away.

Next week- Macular Degeneration

PLEASE- Remember to use the phone in the office or at the AV area in the hall and not a cell phone to call 911. Your cell phone will reach Sacramento CHP and precious time will be wasted. *Your Faith Community Nurses*

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Donations of Automobiles, Boats or Trailers:

Can be made by calling 1-800-YES SVdP; 1-800-937-7837. All donated vehicles are tax-deductible based on fair market value. We will arrange to pick-up your vehicle at your convenience. Automobiles do not necessarily have to be running.

Covenant Corner

The Covenant Corner is an opportunity for us to recognize those who use their gifts in service for others. We want to give regular thanks to those who do so much for all of us. So we invite you when you see someone doing something worth noting to let us know, by mail or email office@stannechurchbyron.com. Please keep the note 4-5 short sentences (maximum). Then we can get it in the bulletin.

St. Anne's gets credits through scrip for Ace Hardware and Safeway. Sign up today for Safeway eScrip at www.eScrip.com. Group # is 119071273. Ace Hardware: Ask the checker to credit your purchase to St. Anne.

Upcoming Events at St. Anne

Saturday, August 21st

Women's Fellowship "Wine in the Bay". Last week to purchase tickets

Saturday, August 28th

9:30 AM RCIA Discernment Retreat

Saturday, September 4th

Monthly Communal Labyrinth Walk 10AM – Noon

Saturday, September 11th

4 PM Bilingual mass and 25th Anniversary celebration of Fr. Ron's Ordination

Friday, September 17th

Knights of Columbus Annual **Golf Tournament**. See Bulletin for more information

Saturday, October 2nd

Monthly Communal Labyrinth Walk 10AM – Noon

Saturday, October 9th

Ministry Head Meeting

Friday, October 15th

KNIGHT'S "FALL FESTIVAL" PASTA DINNER

Saturday, October 16th

ST. ANNE FALL FESTIVAL

Sunday, October 17th

FLU Shots – Watch bulletin for more information

Weekend of October 23rd – 24th

St. Vincent de Paul "Bundle Sunday"

Sunday, October 31st

10:30 AM Mass to bless all **CYO Participants**

Saturday, November 6th

Monthly Labyrinth Walk 10:00AM – Noon/Hall

Saturday, November 6th

Magic Mike Nite – Watch for more information

If your Ministry has an event coming up that is not listed, please contact the office.

CYO Basketball

CYO basketball registration will be on Aug. 18th and 20th at St. Anne church from 6:00-8:00. The cost is \$125 per child, \$115 for each additional family member. You can also register on line beginning Aug 1st at www.stannescyo.com **New Players:** If your child is a new player, a copy of a birth certificate is required.

Practices/Games: Practices will start on September 7th. You will get a call from your coach in the 1st week of September. League games begin the first weekend of November. All games will be played on Saturdays and Sundays. **Uniform Deposit:** We will also collect a uniform deposit when we distribute the uniforms. This deposit will be returned at the end of the season to your coach upon the return of the entire uniform in good shape. The annual re-use of our uniforms help to keep the cost of our program down. If you still have a uniform from prior years, please return it at registration. Your assistance is greatly appreciated. **Eligibility:** All Discovery Bay, Byron residents or members of the St Anne's Parish that are in 2nd through 8th grade and are in Faith Formation are eligible to play. **Questions?** Contact Jim Mattison at 513-9032 or jimmescyo@sbcglobal.net.

Engagement & Stewardship Corner

To learn more about your *unique Talents and Strengths* please come by the office and purchase your very own copy of "*Living Your Strengths*" (comes with the StrengthsFinder Assessment) and meet with one of our very own Strengths Performance Coaches.



Women's Fellowship

Women's Fellowship Happenings:

Friends & Fellowship Crafting:

❖ Wednesdays at Noon in Rm. 2

7th Annual Wine in the Bay

LAST WEEK TO PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS

August 21st 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM at a private home in
Discovery Bay (Address is on the ticket)

Cost is \$35.00/Person Attendees must be 21 or older

To purchase tickets contact Peggy Ann Valley 925-240-6889

Tickets can also be purchased via PayPal at our website:

www.stannechurchbyron.com

Proceeds benefit St. Anne and its' Outreach and Support programs in the Community.

❖ Women's Fellowship meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month in Room 2.

For membership information contact Anne Doran at
adoran712@comcast.net or Peggy Ann Valley at
pvalley@envoymtg.com

Women's Fellowship of St. Anne Catholic Church welcomes and strives to serve the needs of all women, offering opportunities to share gifts and talents and encourage and strengthen faith and friendships within our community.



St. Anne Fall Festival will be October 16th

Your ideas are vital! Be part of planning it! Our first gathering of ideas welcomes all parish members!

WHAT: Festival Planning Meeting

WHEN: Monday, August 23rd at 6:30pm

WHERE: FIRESIDE ROOM

WHO: Parishioners who are alive and want to make a difference!

Just show up ... or email: andi.desimone@yahoo.com to say you are coming!!

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

08/21-08/22

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

Greeters: Mike Burke & Mary Flann

Lector 1: Robert Meagher

Lector 2: Marie Hall

Euch. Min: **Cup** – Tami Melo & Mary Ann Burke

Altar Servers: Team 8

SUNDAY 8:30 AM

Greeters: Judy Baker, Barbara Stoiber & Ron Samoian

Lector 1: Chuck Woods

Lector 2: Peggy Ann Valley

Euch. Min: **Bread** – Jay McLaughlin, Cathy Sanocki & Pat Weber

Cup – Bob Sanocki, Bob Rasp, Fran & Don LaPerle

Altar Servers: Team 3

Hospitality:

A/V: Suzanne Clements

SUNDAY 10:30 AM

Greeters: Lisa Plasch, Jane Perry & Ro Sweet

Lector 1: Kaylee Johnson

Lector 2: Lori Johnson

Euch. Min: **Bread** – Ron Kapphahn, Marian Landoline & Catrina Mygrant

Cup – Margaret Zuccato, Suzanne Gillick, Dick Macdonald & Karen Randle

Altar Servers: Team 4

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Stephanie Hardman

Hospitality:

A/V: Suzanne Clements

SUNDAY 12:30 PM

Recividores: Leonor & Eduardo Romero

Lector 1: Verónica Caballero

Lector 2: Vicente Vasquez

Ministros de Eucaristía: Jose Lis & Ester Herrera

Ofrendas: Rafael & Alicia Caballero

Monogillo: Team D

PLEASE NOTE: Ministry Schedules for Jul - Sep are on the website at www.stannechurchbyron.com

Reminder: It is your responsibility to find your replacement if you cannot serve when scheduled.

Going off to college?

Next Sunday August 22nd at our 10:30 Mass we will bless our Young Adults who will be going off to college. Help us pass the word by inviting all the Young Adults you know who are leaving home to attend college.