



Saint Anne Catholic Church

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MISSION STATEMENT

St. Anne's Catholic Community

Aware of our rich Roman Catholic tradition and our own particular parish needs, we commit ourselves to the building of a Christian community in which the Gospel of Jesus Christ might be exemplified and fulfilled.

To accomplish this mission and vision, we covenant ourselves to action in the following areas:

Prayer:

That individually and as a parish, we must create an atmosphere in which we recognize prayer as essential to our lives and liturgical celebrations as public expression of the source and summit of our lives in Christ.

Education:

That individually and as a community, we support Catholic education and a learning environment that addresses the uniqueness of each person by providing opportunity for maximum spiritual, intellectual, physical and social development.

Fellowship:

That individuals, small groups and the parish community recognize our responsibility to welcome all, accept our rich diversity, reverence our uniqueness and reconcile our differences.

Outreach:

That individually and as a community we pledge ourselves to be aware of the needs of others. We must not hesitate to respond to suffering, deprivation, separation or the loss of human dignity.

Parish Address: 316 Euclid Ave.,
Bristol, VA 24201

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday (Anticipation of Sunday) ..5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 am & 11:30 am;
Spanish at 230p
Monday: 6:00pm (NO Mass on 1st Monday)
Tuesday.....8:30 a.m.
Wednesday.....8:30 a.m.
Thursday.....6:00 p.m.
Friday.....7:00am & 8:30 a.m.
Saturday/daily Mass..... 9:30 a.m.
Holy Days: Call the office for Mass times

TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

Parish Office (276) 669-8200
Office hours: Monday thru Friday 9a-4p
Parish email: stannes@stannes-bristol.org
Website:www.stannes-bristol.org
St. Anne's School 276-669-0048
email: schooloffice@stanneschoolbristol.org
Address: 580 Oakview Ave., Bristol, VA

Parish Registration - Call the church office.

Confessions:

Tues., Wed., Thurs., 5:00-6:00 p.m.,
Sat., 8:45a-9:30a; 415-515p p.m.
or by appointment.

Adoration: Tues. 9-10a; Sat. 8:30-9:30a
"First" Tuesdays, 9a to 9p

Baptisms: Parents must attend Baptism Preparation. Contact the parish ofc.

Weddings: 8 months notice required to complete Marriage Preparation.

Interested in Joining the Catholic Church?

Join our INQUIRY sessions to learn more about the Catholic faith. Please contact the parish office.

We come together today, as we do each Sunday, to praise and thank God and to celebrate the Eucharist as Jesus called us to do. We do all this in a spirit of humility, aware that all that we are and all that we have comes ultimately from God and that the Eucharist is Christ's own Body and Blood, which he offered to us so that we could have eternal life. Today's Gospel reminds us that it is proper to humble ourselves before the Lord, for we are called to serve, not to be served.



Weekday Readings (Nov. 6-11)

- Monday:** Romans 11:29-36; Luke 14:12-14
Tuesday: Romans 12:5-16b; Luk 14:15-24
Wednesday: Romans 13:8-10; Luke 14:25-33
Thursday: (*Feast: Dedication of the Lateran Basilica*)
Ez. 47:1-2, 8-9; 1 Cor. 3:9c-11, 16-17;
John 2:13-22
Friday: (*Memorial: St. Leo the Great*) memorial rdgs or:
Romans 15:14-21; Luke 16:1-8
Saturday: (*Memorial: St. Martin of Tours*) memorial rdgs or:
Romans 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Lk. 16:9-16

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers at our altar this weekend are given by Angela Patlan & family in loving memory of her mother, *Maria Carbajal*.

Roof Repairs: Roof repairs should begin this week. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation while this is happening as during the week you may need to use a different entrance to the building.

Reminder:

There is no Monday evening Mass on the "first" Mondays of the month—so no Mass this Monday, Nov. 6.

A Message from Father Tom...

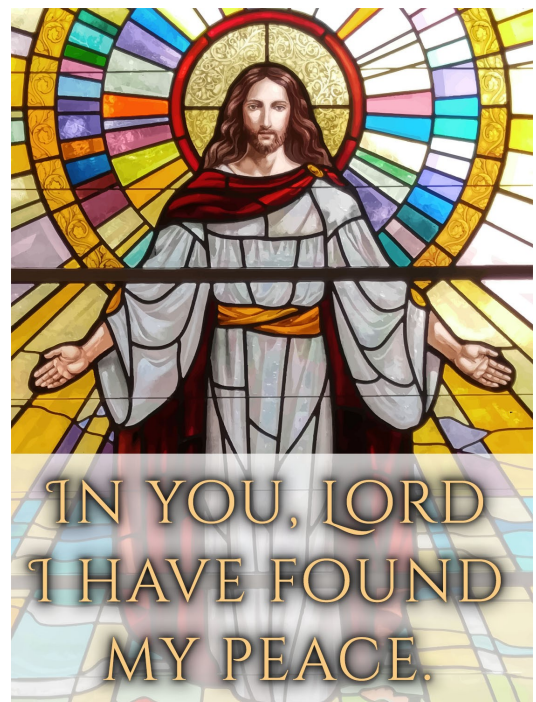
As we brace for colder weather to come, the boilers have been lit, the fountain has been drained, and we're checking for losses of heat everywhere. In this time, where we draw closer to each other, both far and near, we remember those less fortunate. We've been responding well to the turkey feather requests (out for this, the second week) and to those families who are in need further south in the diocese.

We've come together in a slightly different way with the introduction of a new ministry scheduling program, which helps us support each other if we need substitutes, and hopefully, after we get over initial potholes, can be a great boon. But, we are in need of more help with those ministries. We're in particular need of Sacristans (who setup and coordinate the Mass) and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. Please pray about these liturgical ministries and, if you're open to the Lord working through you in this way, step up and assist your brothers and sisters who already serve so well in these ministries.

We're reminded in the gospel this weekend that we all serve Christ, the one Master, as we humble ourselves and serve our brothers and sisters with aid, to do our part in buoying up the Kingdom.

God Bless,

Fr. Tom



40 Days for Life—Closing Prayer Service

Join us today (Sunday, Nov. 5) for the closing service for 40 Days for Life at **4 p.m.** at the public areas around the Bristol Women's Health facility (2603 Osborne St., Bristol, VA). Gather to pray for the end of abortion in Bristol,

Senior High & Junior High Youth Ministry

- ◆ Nov. 5— Youth Ministry (BYC 6-8pm)
 - **Journey to Confirmation!** (BYC 6p-8p)
- ◆ Nov. 12— Youth Ministry (BYC 6-8pm)
 - **Journey to Confirmation!** (BYC 6p-8p)
- ◆ Nov. 18— FUN NIGHT! (8:15am—11:00pm)
 - Dollywood!
- ◆ Nov. 19— NO Youth Ministry
 - *Due to Dollywood trip all day Saturday*
- ◆ Nov. 26— NO Youth Ministry
 - Happy Thanksgiving!



February 9-11, 2024

Open to all youth in 9th - 12th grade

The Diocesan Youth Conference (DYC) is an annual weekend event in Richmond, VA that gathers high school youth from the Diocese of Richmond parishes in one central location. It is a highly energetic and engaging opportunity for our high school teenagers to gather as a larger Church community and celebrate the richness of our Catholic faith. Registration is now open! We have a limited number of spots available and will be a first-come, first-served basis.

Early Bird Registration \$160 (register before Nov. 30)

Registration \$210 (register after Nov. 30)

Registration deadline—January 7

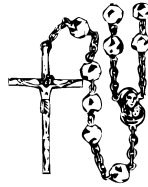
If you have questions or to register, contact Laura at: 276-492-3095 / lauracochrane@stannes-bristol.org

12-Hour ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament

**“First Tuesday” of the month:
this Tuesday, November 7
9 a.m. (following the 8:30a Mass)
until 9 p.m. (Benediction)**



PRAYER SHAWL meeting this Wed., Nov. 8, at 10:00 a.m. at the St. Augustine Center. If you like to knit/crochet and would like to help us make prayer shawls, join us!



RESPECT LIFE ROSARY:

We will pray a Respect Life Rosary this Wednesday, Nov. 8, at **12:15** at the grotto. If the weather is bad, we'll move indoors to the chapel.

BIBLE STUDY: There will be Bible Study at **1 p.m.** on Wednesday, November 8, at the St. Augustine Center on Understanding the Old Testament.

SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

Wednesday, November 8

Chicken Salad Chick: 4-8 p.m.

Need a good place for supper this Wednesday?

Plan to go to Chicken Salad Chick at the Pinnacle between 4:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. St. Anne Catholic School will receive 15% of the profits!!



***All Women of the Parish
are INVITED...***

**Council of Catholic Women Meeting
Thursday, November 9**

**12 Noon / Refreshments served
Monsignor Hickie Center**

Topic: “The Saints Come Marching In”

*(A visit with the “Saints” from the 5th Grade Class
from Saint Anne Catholic School)*

The students will share with us biographies
of their favorite saints.

Please bring a statue or a picture of your
favorite saint to share with us.

Join us for prayer, fellowship, and outreach.

For more information, contact Eileen Gibney
at 423-652-7425 or egibneysas@yahoo.com.

Parish Pastoral Council members are reminded of their meeting this Thursday, Nov. 9th, at **6:45 p.m.** in the commons. Join us for the 6 p.m. Mass before the meeting if you are able!



Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 4 (31st Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. †Cynthia Rauchle

Sunday, November 5 (31st Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. †Hazel Virginia Kidd Sadler

11:30 a.m. †David Ward

2:30 p.m. Parishioners (Spanish Mass)

(No Mass—Monday, Nov. 6)

Tuesday, November 7

8:30 a.m. †Bill Burriss

Wednesday, November 8

8:30 a.m. †Dennis Hahn

Thursday, November 9

6:00 p.m. Sharon Mooney

Friday, November 10

7:00 a.m. *no intention scheduled*

8:30 a.m. Special Intention for:
Gerald & Patty Hayes

Saturday, November 11

9:30 am. *no intention scheduled*

Saturday, November 11 (32nd Sunday/Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. †Veronica Taylor

Sunday, November 12 (32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. †Bill Burriss

11:30 a.m. †Veronica Ferski

2:30 p.m. Parishioners (Spanish Mass)



CHURCH SUPPORT

E-Giving (Oct. 21-26)

Regular/Operating	\$2,873
Mission Cooperative	\$ 75
Catholic World Missions	\$ 110
St. Anne School/diocesan schools	\$ 13

Collection Report (Oct. 28/29)

Regular/Operating	\$8,128.12
Mission Cooperative	\$ 2
Catholic World Missions	\$ 50
Archdiocese for Military Svcs.	\$ 50

Second Collections

Our 2nd Collection this weekend (1st Sunday of the month) is taken up for St. Anne Catholic School/diocesan schools.

Our 2nd Collection next weekend (Veterans Day weekend, Nov. 11/12) will be for the **Archdiocese for Military Services, USA**. Your generosity supports Catholic Military Chaplains serving our troops around the world. We have a special connection to them — former St. Anne Pastor, Father Tom Ianucci, is now a Navy Chaplain and St. Anne parishioner Tony Broglio's brother, Archbishop Timothy Broglio, is the Archbishop for Military Svcs. USA. Thank you for your generosity to this collection next weekend!

A Special Note...

Dear Parishioners,

With a grateful heart, we want to thank you for your prayers of remembrance for the passing of our brother **Tom Rudoni**. Thank you for your support and prayers.

Tom & Frani McCleary

King Institute for Faith & Culture

In today's polarized environment, issues of faith and popular culture often appear to be at cross purposes. The King Institute for Faith and Culture aims to cultivate a conversation that is both artful and substantial on issues of Christian faith and culture, creating spaces for students and community members to find friendship and shared purpose.

Monday, Nov. 9: Esau McCaulley

9:15am—*Storytelling, Place and the Christian Imagination* at King University Memorial Chapel, Bristol, TN

7:00pm—*How Far to the Promised Land: Faith, Community, and the Black Memoir* at First Presbyterian Church (701 Florida Ave.) Bristol, TN)

Esau McCaulley (PhD, St. Andrews) is assistant professor of New Testament at Wheaton College, a priest in the Anglican Church in North America, and a contributing opinion writer for the *New York Times*. His most recent book is a memoir, called *How Far to the Promised Land*.

Scripture Readings for next Sunday

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wisdom 6:12-16

Rise before dawn and watch for wisdom's appearance and you will not be disappointed.

Psalm 63

"My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God."

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 (or) 4:13-14

We do not mourn death as those who have no hope.

Matthew 25:1-13

The wise virgins were prepared for the coming of the bridegroom.

Our first reading next Sunday has some encouraging words, asserting that wisdom can be found by anyone who looks for it. The second reading uses wisdom to console us, reasoning that if God raised Jesus from the dead, through him we will be brought home as well. The parable in the Gospel tells of the ten virgins who waited for the bridegroom, though only five had the wisdom to bring oil for their lamps. May God's word enlighten us as we too wait faithfully upon the Lord.

the WORD among us

Copies of **the WORD among us** for November "**Already and Not Yet**" - how we can experience the blessings of heaven right now on earth — are available on the table in the commons. Pick up a copy!!

**Saint Anne
Catholic School**

**invites all
Veterans**

**to a Prayer Svc.
for Veterans**

**Friday, Nov. 10
at 9:30 a.m.
in the church.**

A reception follows



Attention Gr. 7-12 Students & Parents!

College Admissions 101—Sunday, Nov. 19, 2-4 p.m. in St. Anne School Library — This interactive workshop is for college-bound students in 7-12 grade and the adult(s) who will help them navigate the admissions and financial aid process. Learn how to successfully find your way through an increasingly complex and expensive rite of passage. This workshop is free for the St. Anne Community and will be led by St. Anne School teacher and parent, Jen Partica, who has 17 years experience working in college admissions.

THANKSGIVING FOOD —

If you, or someone you know, is in need of a food box this Thanksgiving, please notify the parish office NLT Nov. 14. Call Rosie M. at 276-669-8200 or stannes@stannes-bristol.org.

THANKSGIVING OUTREACH

Help a family have a memorable Thanksgiving this year by picking a few feathers off our turkey. Bring in the items listed on the feather to the commons NEXT WEEKEND when you come to Mass so they can be packed and distributed to a family in need.



St. Anne's Prayer Chain:

—If you or an immediate family member are having surgery or are ill and would like our Prayer Chain to keep you/them in prayer, please notify the parish office.
—If you would like to join our Prayer Chain to pray for others (emails are sent to those on the chain), please send the office an email that you'd like to be a member of the Prayer Chain. (stannes@stannes-bristol.org)