

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: June 24—6:00pm

Tues/Wed/Thurs/Fri: (No Mass June 25-28)

Sat./daily Mass: 9:30 a.m.

Holy Days: Call the office for Mass times

TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

Parish Registration - Call the church office.

Confessions: (or by appointment) Tues/Wed/Thurs: 5:00-6:00p (*No this week*) Sat., 8:45a-9:30a (*No on June 29 in a.m.*) Saturday— June 22 & 29 415-515p

Adoration:

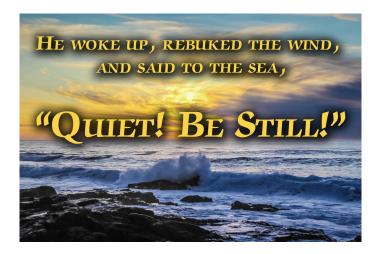
(No Adoration Tues. or Sat. June 25 & 29)

Baptisms: Parents must attend Baptism Preparation. Contact Sarah French.

Weddings: 8 months notice required to complete Marriage Preparation.

Interested in Joining the Catholic Church? Join INQUIRY sessions to learn more about the Catholic faith. Contact Sarah French.

Bulletin Deadline: 12N on Mondays



Summer has arrived and with it, unfortunately, the ever-present chance of summer storms. High winds, tornadoes, thunderstorms, and flash floods make these storms frightening and dangerous. The disciples were terrified when a violent squall came up while they were sailing on the Sea of Galilee. But not Jesus. He rebuked the storm and calmed the waves. Even the forces of nature obeyed him. May we turn to the Lord during the stormy periods of our own lives. May our faith give us comfort and courage, trusting his strength and his concern for us all.

The Solemnity of The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

Monday is the Solemnity of St. John the Baptist. Our Mass on Monday, June 24, is at 6 p.m. This is NOT a holy day of obligation, but it is a Solemnity. This feast, dating from the 4th century in both East and West, came to be celebrated, in accord with Luke 1:36, six months before the Lord's birth; quoting John 3:30, Augustine found this date (near the summer solstice) appropriate for, after the birth of John, daylight begins to grow shorter, whereas after Jesus' birth, it begins to increased.

(Note: due to a scheduling conflict, the Solemn Exposition/ Praise & Worship mentioned in last weekend's Flocknotes has been postponed and will be rescheduled later in July.)

Please take Note!!

- ♦ Fr. Tom will be away Tuesday—Sunday, June 25-30. So there are no weekday Masses on Tues., Wed., Thurs. or Fri. this week. There will be Mass June 29 at 930a.
- No Adoration Tuesday or on Saturday morning.
- No Confessions Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday or on Saturday morning.
- ◆ There WILL BE Confessions on Saturday, June 29 at 415p with Fr. Theo from Cross Catholic Outreach and Father Theo will celebrate the 5:30p Mass and our Masses on Sunday, June 30 at 8:30a, 11:30a and the Spanish Mass at 2:30p. Please be sure to welcome him to Saint Anne's next weekend!

A Message from Father Tom...

"Quiet! Be still!" The Lord who marshaled the oceans at the creation of the world and who governs the times and seasons doesn't fight the waters in the midst of the squall which terrified the Apostles. He instructs them. He instructs them along lines that he attempts to instruct us, to quiet our tempestuous minds and hearts, which always seem to be seeking for meaning and purpose beyond He who can give it and never ceases to give it.

I always imagine Jesus to be saying these things with emphasis, but not with a shout, for he need not try to overpower water, as all creation serves him. Man is by far the harder creature to quiet, as we have free will to turn away from God, our rest.

As we walk along the pilgrim road, let us ever more be docile to the Lord's instruction so as to take part in the peace it offers.

FLOCKNOTES

Are you getting Father Tom's weekly Flocknotes?
It is the best way to keep up with
what is happening each week and what
is planned here at the parish.
Each Saturday morning Fr. Tom
sends out a "Flocknote".

Sign up at the link below!

https://stannecatholicbristol.flocknote.com/



ADULT FAITH FORMATION "Whom Am I to Judge"

Sunday mornings, 9:45 a.m. in the Great Room (school cafeteria)

Our seminarians are leading a series from Dr. Edward Sri entitled "Whom Am I to Judge". In this series we will explore morality and find that it is not merely a set of guiding principles for theoretical situations — it is an entire way of life.

Join us <u>between the Masses</u> on <u>Sunday mornings</u> in the Great Room to watch this series and discover how to live and talk about morality. Stop in and join us on Sunday mornings at 9:45 a.m.!

This Adult Faith Formation began June 9 and runs thru July 28. At the end of the study, Fr. Tom will lead a session on Human Dignity with time for additional Questions & Answers. If you have any questions, please contact Sarah French at sfrench@stannes-bristol.org.



Pro-Life Rosary Update:

With summertime travels, we have decided to take a break from gathering for the Rosary on Wednesdays... We'll start up again on Wednesday, August 7. In the meantime, please be sure to keep Respect for Life in your prayers!!

Catholic in Recovery 12-step ministry

Catholic in Recovery is a 12-step recovery ministry that holds meetings each Monday evening at 7 p.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church in Johnson City, TN. This program provides hope and healing from addictions, compulsions, and unhealthy attachments. Family members impacted by a loved one's addiction are also encouraged to attend. Meetings combine the spiritual principles of 12-step recovery and the sacraments of the Catholic Church. Join others in recovery as the meetings overlap Scripture from Sunday's Mass readings, liturgical themes, and recovery topics with honest discussion and praver. Confidentiality is protected. For more information you can visit www.catholicinrecovery.com or you can contact Jena at cir.tricities.tn@gmail.com, Beth at 714-651-2008, or Ed at 865-599-4823

Footsteps of Apostle Paul First Class Tour March 30, 2025 to April 8, 2025

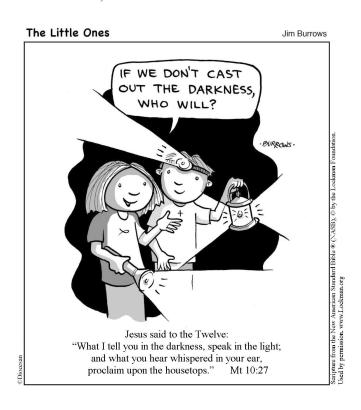
Catholic Cruises and Tours and Apostleship of the Sea of the United States

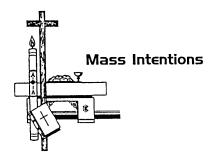
"For we walk by faith, not by sight", wrote the Apostle Paul to the Corinthians. On this religious tour of Greece and Turkey, you'll stroll, skip, and sail by faith as you retrace the many missionary journeys of the Apostle Paul after he saw the light in Damascus. Both pilgrimage and picturesque journey, this land and cruise tour to mainland Greece, the Greek Isles, and Turkey leads you to many significant sites of the New Testament as well as some of the most magnificent sights of the Mediterranean. Scripture will take on new meaning as you visit the ancient communities where St. Paul established churches — and to whom he penned his epistles, including the Thessalonians, Philippians, Corinthians, and Ephesians. As you follow in the faithful footsteps of the Apostle Paul — with fantastic detours to Mykonos, Crete, and Santorini — you, too, will have much to write home about.

Land & Cruise starting at \$3480 per person (based on double occupancy)

Looking Ahead Just a Bit...

- ⇒ Due to Independence Day shipping schedules, the bulletin deadline for our July 7th bulletin will be Friday, June 28 at 1 p.m.
- ⇒ Our monthly **12-hour Adoration** of the Blessed Sacrament will be Tuesday, <u>July 2</u>, 9a to 9p.
- ⇒ Thursday, July 4th, the parish office will be closed for the Independence Day Holiday. (Our Mass on July 4 will be at 6 p.m.; if this time changes, we'll announce next weekend)





(Saturday morning Mass, June 22, 9:30a)

Saturday, June 22 (Vigil: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. Parishioners

Sunday, June 23 (Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. † Bill Burriss 11:30 a.m. † Shirley Wagner

2:30 a.m. † Dennis Henry Foley (Spanish Mass)

Monday, June 24 (Solemnity of the Nativity of

Saint John the Baptist)

6:00 p.m. † Georgia "Jean" Miles

(No Weekday Masses June 25-28)

(Saturday morning Mass, June 29, 9:30a)

Saturday, June 29 (Vigil: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. † Vivian Meyer

Sunday, June 30 (Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. † Mary Horner 11:30 a.m. † Lorraine Smith

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



E-Giving (*June 5-12*)

Regular/Operating	\$4	,346
Bldg./Roof Repairs	\$	103
Holy Father/Peter's Pence	\$	50
St. Anne Catholic School	\$	348
Bristol Faith In Action (BFIA)	\$	125

Collection Report (June 15/26)

Regular/Operating	\$8	,314.50
Diocesan Home Missions	\$	20
Holy Father/Peter's Pence	\$	70
St. Anne Catholic School	\$	217
Parish Charities/Social Ministry	\$	100

STEWARDSHIP

is what I do after I say " I Believe"....

Scripture for next Sunday *Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time* Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

By the envy of the devil, death entered the world. Psalm 30

"I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me."

2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

Your abundance should supply the needs of the poor.

Mark 5:21-24, 35b-43

Little girl, I say to you, arise!

Wisdom reminds us that we are created in God's image to share in God's nature. However, because of sin, we have become mortal beings. But the Lord has rescued us, for Jesus has restored life and defeated death. His healing of Jairus's daughter and the healing of the woman show his power to do so. To paraphrase what St. Paul wrote to the Corinthians, by giving of himself, Jesus has graciously enriched us.

Catholic Community Foundation of the Diocese of Richmond 2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal: Sharing His Love with Others

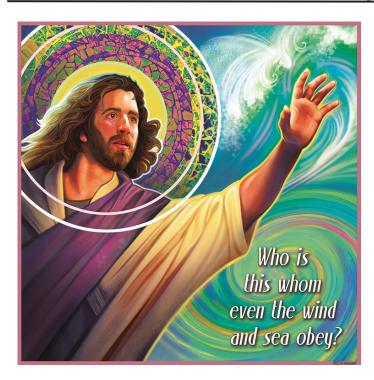
For many of you who have not yet had the opportunity to support this year's Appeal, you should have recently received a letter requesting your support of this year's effort. We hope you will consider joining with Catholics across the diocese to make this year's Appeal a success.

Visit <u>richmondcatholicfoundation.org</u> to make a secure online donation, or if you would like a hard copy pledge card, please contact the parish office. Thank you for your prayerful consideration of support. Many thanks to all those who have already donated to the Appeal or pledged their support. May God bless you!

2nd Collection next weekend, June 29/30, will be the <u>Peter's Pence</u> Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters.

CROSS CATHOLIC OUTREACH PRIEST HERE NEXT WEEKEND!

Fr. Theo Okpara of Cross Catholic Outreach will celebrate our Masses June 29/30 and will tell us of the good works being done by Cross Outreach serving the poorest of the poor in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America. Cross Catholic Outreach was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas. There will NOT be a collection taken up for Cross Catholic Outreach, but Fr. Theo will have brochures available for you to take so you can support the work of Cross Outreach. We do encourage you to prayerfully consider supporting this very important missionary work. Please be generous.



God of all consolation —
You are our refuge from the storm,
our protection from danger, our comfort in fear.
We place our hope in you. AMEN.

Quo Vadis High School Men's Discernment Retreat/Camp

Friday, June 28 to Sunday, June 30, 2024
Join the Office of Vocations for a retreat with other young men desiring to discern God's will for their lives. This Retreat is for rising 10-12th grade young men and will be held at the Roslyn Retreat Center in Richmond. The Retreat will involve daily Mass, adoration, celebration of the Divine Office, and reflections provided by seminarians of the Diocese of Richmond. If interested in attending, please contact your pastor, availability slots for the retreat is limited.

(note: the Latin "Quo Vadis" is translated "where are you going?")

Remember to PRAY for VOCATIONS!!

"He indeed died for all, so that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for Him, who for their sake died and was raised."

Is Christ calling you to die to self and live for Him as a priest or religious brother or sister? Reach out to the Office of Vocations at 804-359-5661 or email them at vocations@richmonddiocese.org