



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.....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.



“Do not be afraid,” Jesus says in today’s Gospel to Jairus, whose daughter is dying, *“just have faith.”* Difficult as it was for Jairus, it may seem to be even harder for us now. When we are in mourning for a loved one we’ve lost, or anxious about our health or that of someone close to us, or worried about the state of the world or our country, can we find faith strong enough to calm our fears? Gathered here today to give thanks and praise to God, may the words from Wisdom encourage us. God is good and imperishable and made us to be the same. Let us place our trust in God.

Cross Catholic Outreach
*Delivering Food, Shelter and Hope
to the Poorest of the Poor*

This weekend we welcome Fr. Theo Okpara of Cross Catholic Outreach to speak on behalf of the poor in developing countries. Cross Catholic outreach was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central & South America.

Fr. Theo is currently a Staff Chaplain at the V.A. Hospital, Bedford, Massachusetts. He was ordained in 1996 and is an incardinated priest of the Diocese of Orlu, Nigeria. He served as a missionary in the Little Rock Diocese for 15 years (2 years as an assoc. pastor and 13 years as a pastor). He holds Bachelor’s Degrees in Philosophy and Theology, Master’s Degree in Community Counseling, and a Ph.D. in Counselor Education & Supervision. He is a National Certified Counselor and Licensed Professional Counselor. Fr. Theo’s status as a missionary adds to his passion to serve the poor and he is happy to join Cross as an Outreach Priest, and is committed to be an instrument of God’s love for the poor. There is not a “collection” taken up for Cross International, but Fr. Theo has **brochures available** for you if you wish to support this most important ministry that helps the poorest of the poor in our world.

Please warmly welcome Father Theo this weekend and **prayerfully consider giving generously to Cross Catholic Outreach and support this ministry to the poor.**

A Message from Father Tom...

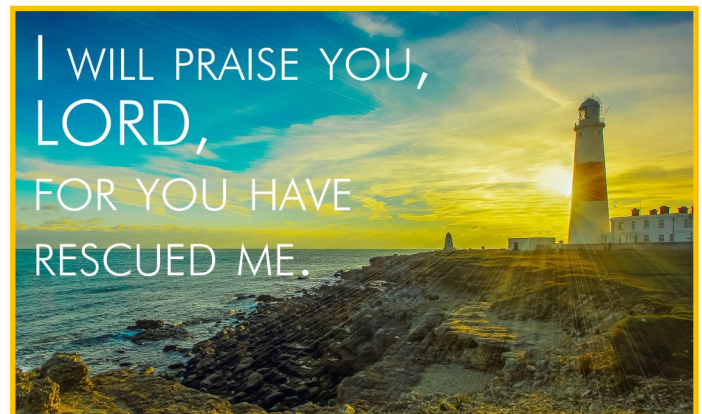
This weekend marks the one year point since I have been with you at St. Anne as the parish’s Parochial Administrator. It seems like the blink of an eye, while simultaneously a long journey.

Such thought brings to mind the perspective Jesus has in the gospel this weekend. Our senses are finite and our perceptions can betray us. From Jesus’ more encompassing perspective, Jairus’ daughter is merely asleep, while all others see her as having met death. With eyes of faith and trust in God, so much more is visible and available to us than ever before. It is hard to loose the grip we have over the world around us until we realize that such a grip of control is an illusion, concocted by our pride and fear. We have very little control of the material world around us, but when we act according to our telos, our end, our purpose in God, and with his help, even what little we have can impact much.

It’s much hope that within our spheres of influence and ability, with the help of God, this next year’s worth of time can be productive for the Kingdom and for us all.

Altar Flowers

Our altar flowers this weekend are given by Ken & Jeri Ford in memory of **Ken Johnson**, a good friend of theirs who died recently in New York.



PRAYERS REQUESTED

We ask your prayers for *Peggy Jenkins*, a former Saint Anne parishioner who died recently in Florida. Notes of sympathy may be sent to her husband, John Jenkins, at 9771 Alabama St., Unit B, Bonita, FL 34135-9092.

12 Hour Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

“A Holy Hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament is worth more than a thousand years of human glory.”
(St. Padre Pio)



Join us this **Tuesday, July 2**
for our monthly 12-Hr. Adoration
9a to 9p
*(immediately following the
8:30a morning Mass)*

Enter thru the commons side door.

If you are able to sign up to come for an hour,
please sign up after Mass this weekend.
We need to be sure the Blessed Sacrament
is not left alone during the 12 hours.

If you can't commit to a specific time,
please stop by at any time on Tuesday to come
spend time in quiet prayer with our Lord.

*“A Holy Hour before the Most Blessed Sacrament
so pleases the Heart of Jesus,
that every man, woman and child on earth
receives a new effect of God's graces.”*
(St. Faustina)



Please note!

The parish office will be closed Thursday & Friday, July 4 and July 5, in observance of Independence Day. There will be confessions Thursday from 5-6p and there will be Mass on **Thursday at 6 p.m.** and Mass on **Friday at 8:30a.**

HOMEBOUND

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Homebound Eucharistic Ministers will have a meeting **this Friday, July 5 at 10 am. in the Commons.** Please plan to be in attendance. If you cannot attend, please contact Sydney Farnum to let her know. A big thanks to all of you as you are very much appreciated for your dedication to taking communion to our sick and homebound.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

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

Our Adult Faith Formation series, led by our seminarians continues thru July 28. This series explores morality, as not merely a set of guiding principles for theoretical situations, but as an entire way of life. Join us between the Masses on Sunday mornings in the Great Room to watch this series and discover how to live and talk about morality.

St. Anne's Bereavement Committee

St. Anne's Bereavement Committee will meet on Friday, July 17. at 12Noon in the Commons. Committee members are asked to please attend as we need to do some reorganization of our committee. New members are always welcome to join us. For more information about the work of the Bereavement Committee, please contact Sydney Farnum at sydneyfarnum@gmail.com or call her at 423-383-3663.

Positions Available for Rhythm & Roots Weekend Tri-City Security Company

Tri-City Security is in need of a few more good people to join their team to help with the Bristol Rhythm & Roots music festival September 13-15, 2024. You can call or email them or stop by their office if you are interested. Scheduling is flexible to fit your schedule. Contact them at TCSC@BVU.NET or call 276-466-8000 or stop in at 187 Piedmont Ave., Bristol, VA.

Mark your calendars—

Fr. Leo Patalinghug is coming to St. Anne's on October 26/27! Fr. Leo is the founder of Plating Grace and The Table Foundation, a renowned speaker, author, TV host of "Savoring Our Faith" on EWTN and he defeated world famous chef Bobby Flay on "Throw Down! with Bobby Flay" on the Food Network. With food, faith, and fun, Fr. Leo hopes to bring people closer together—one meal at a time. You won't want to miss his visit here!!



Mass Intentions

(Saturday morning weekday Mass, June 29)

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 p.m. Parishioners (Spanish Mass)

(No Mass on Monday, July 1)

Tuesday, July 2

8:30 a.m. Spec. Int.: Vocations

Wednesday, July 3

8:30 a.m. †Elizabeth P. "Betty" Miller

Thursday, July 4

6:00 p.m. Spec. Int.: for our Country

Friday, July 5

8:30 a.m. †Barry Brady

(Saturday morning weekday Mass, July 6, 9:30a)

Saturday, July 6 (Vigil: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. no intention yet scheduled

Sunday, July 7 (Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. †Richard & †Adeline Santos

11:30 a.m. †Frances Brown

2:30 p.m. no intention yet scheduled (Spanish Mass)



E-Giving (June 13-20)

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| Regular/Operating | \$2,915 |
| St. Anne Catholic School | \$ 25 |
| Bristol Faith In Action (BFIA) | \$ 53 |

Collection Report (June 22/23)

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| Regular/Operating | \$8,311.87 |
| St. Anne Catholic School | \$ 148 |
| Diocesan Home Missions | \$ 10 |
| BFIA | \$ 75 |

2nd Collection: June 30 (Holy Father/Peter's Pence)

2nd Collection: July 7 (St. Anne Catholic School)

Thank you for your ongoing support & generosity!

Remember to PRAY for VOCATIONS

"She fell down before Jesus and told Him the whole truth."

Let us lay down our lives before Jesus and share the whole truth with Him.

He may be calling you to follow Him as a priest, or religious sister or brother.

LISTEN.

Talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations at 804-359-5661 or via email at vocations@richmonddiocese.org.



Monthly Papal Intention

To better know "the concrete problems that trouble the Universal Church, especially those of the missions," the Holy Father asks that his monthly intention be "the object of knowledgeable and responsible prayer on the part of the people of God."

Pope's Intention for July:

For the pastoral care of the sick.

We pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick confer to those who receive it and their loved ones the power of the Lord and become ever more a visible sign of compassion and hope for all.

Scripture for next Sunday

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ezekiel 2:2-5

They are a rebellious house but shall know that a prophet has been among them.

Psalms 123

"Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy."

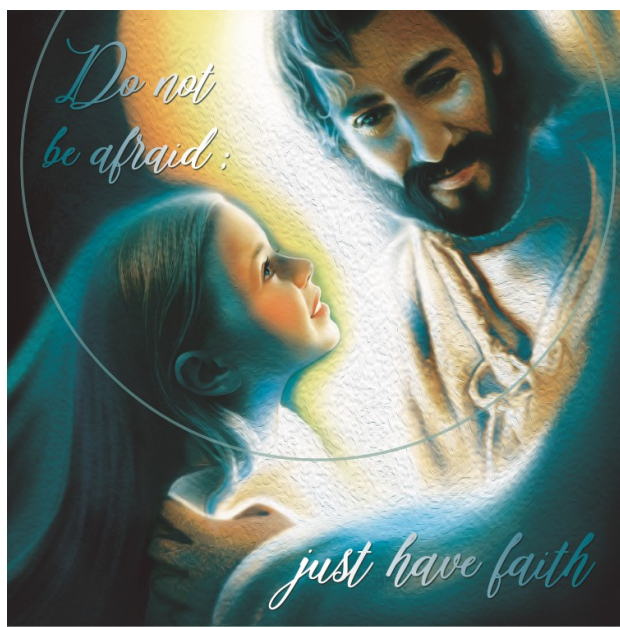
2 Corinthians 12:7-10

I will boast in my weaknesses, in order that the power of Christ may dwell in me.

Mark 6:1-6a

A prophet is not without honor except in his native place.

Ezekiel recounts his calling in next Sunday's first reading, relating that God told him bluntly that a prophet's audience is obstinate and rebellious. St. Paul tells of hardships of his own but insists that they provide opportunities for Christ's power to strengthen him. The people of Nazareth take offense at Jesus, unwilling to accept that this local carpenter could teach them about God. Let us be attentive to God's voice, both here and wherever we hear it.



When you need FAITH, find help in the Bible...

Joshua 24:15

Romans 10:8-13

Hebrews 11:1-6

A Prayer for Independence Day

Loving God,
We greet this Fourth of July with grateful hearts as we call to mind the vision of freedom and justice for all upon which our country was built. We give thanks for those who imagined this vision. We honor and give thanks to all who sacrificed and gave their lives to protect our freedom. We are grateful to those who continue advocating for and pursuing a land of peace, liberty and equity for all. Amen.



*May you have a
HAPPY and SAFE
Independence Day!!*