



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 Sept. 23)
Tuesday...(NO Mass on Sept. 24)...8:30 a.m.
Wednesday.. (NO Mass Sept. 25)... 8:30 a.m.
Thursday..... 6:00 p.m.
Friday.....8:30 a.m.
Sat./daily Mass (NO Mass 9/21)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: (NO Conf. on Sept. 24 & 25)
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
(No Adoration 9/24) "1st" Tuesdays, 9a-9p

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



In today's Gospel not even the disciples can avoid the temptation to act wrongly. They argue among themselves as to which of them is the greatest. This, after hearing Jesus tell them again that he would be put to death and rise in three days. Jesus, the Teacher, teaches them a lesson by embracing a child — one who is powerless — and telling them that their ambition was directed in the wrong direction. Receiving a child like this in Jesus' name receives God. Isn't that better than all the material things, or all the status, or all the power, one can receive?

PRAYERS REQUESTED

We ask your prayers for *Andy Dannhardt*, who passed away recently. Notes of sympathy may be sent to his wife, Angela Dannhardt at 295 Georgia St., Bristol, VA 24201 or to his parents Pat & Dick Dannhardt at 375 Santa Monica Dr., Bristol, VA 24201.



Spot light on...

**St. Anne School's
Harvest Bazaar!**

Friday, Oct. 4, 11:30a to 2p
Luncheon and Fashion Show
Bake Sale, Select Crafts & More!
Ticket: \$15

For Tickets: <https://sacs.betterworld.org/events/st-anne-catholic-school-harvestbazaar>

To pay by check (payable to St. Anne's School) stop by the parish office during office hours and see Rosie, or tickets will be on sale after Masses: Sept. 21/22 and 28/29.

Bake Sale Items / Craft Items — Our school is accepting donated items for the Bazaar! If you would like to donate an item, please contact the following by September 27th:

Baked Item: Angela Broglio, 423-612-4022
Craft Item: Donna Hale, 423-646-1276

A Message from Father Tom....

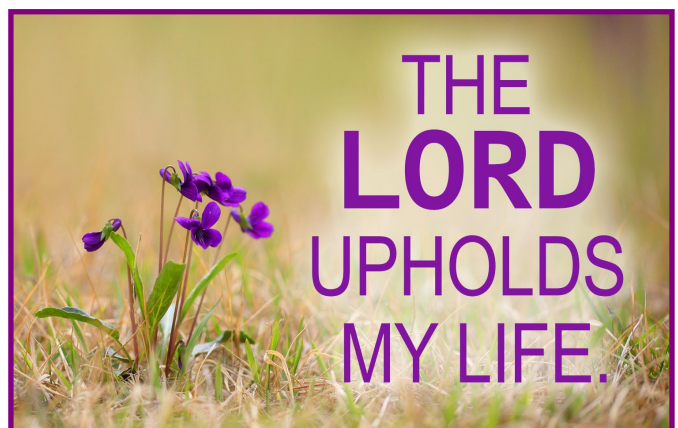
"Let us beset the just one,
because he is obnoxious to us."

Oh how often that thought crosses through the minds of men (in various forms). The psalms are full of expressions of lament over how the just one is treated in life. But, as with this excerpt from the book of Wisdom, so we find with the Psalms, and ultimately our lives. The just way isn't always what plays out in the short run, but there is only justice in the long run (the longest run of eternity).

No matter what happens in this life, the Lord "has us," provided we live our lives desiring him and trusting his will, approaching with the heart and trust of a child. We have so many opportunities to learn how to do this in our lives, through being humbled over and over again, eventually realizing that we must emulate our Lord and savior by being "the servant of all."

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers at our altar this weekend are given by **Dale & Gail Morrill** in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary!



Youth Doings...

Senior High & Junior High Youth Ministry

- (Sun.) Sept. 22—Fun Night!
- (Sun.) Sept. 29—Youth Ministry (BYC 6:00-8:00pm)
- (Sun.) Oct. 6 — Youth Ministry (BYC **5:00-7:00pm**)
- (Sat.) Oct. 12— Dollywood Trip (7:30am--11:30pm)

Journey to CONFIRMATION

*Inviting all youth in Grades 10-12
who wish to be Confirmed to join us!*

We will dive a little deeper into your faith journey and prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Gatherings will be in the BYC (Brady Youth Center).

Our first gathering will be:

Sunday, Sept. 29 from 9:45a-11:15a at the BYC.

We will not meet up every week so be sure to check the bulletin or Youth Ministry Flocknote for our schedule.

Questions? Please contact Laura Cochrane at 276-492-3095 or lauracochrane@stannes-bristol.org

Youth Ministry FlockNote! ⇒



SCAN ME



Please Note!

Father Tom will be in Richmond part of this week for the diocesan Christian Formation Commission Retreat. There will **not be** weekday Mass, Adoration, or Confessions this Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday (Sept. 23,24,25).

Note: Rosie M. will be on a vacation day this Wed., Sept. 25.

Parish Pastoral Council NOMINATIONS

- ◆ Nominations for Saint Anne's Parish Pastoral Council are being taken thru the end of September.
- ◆ After prayerful consideration, you may nominate as many as three parishioners (including yourself). To serve on the Council, you need to be a practicing Catholic in good standing with the Church, registered with St. Anne's parish, and be at least age 18+.
- ◆ You can make your nominations at the table in the commons (or) via the link on Fr. Tom's Flocknotes.
- ◆ Nominees will be contacted to determine if they are willing to be considered to serve on PPC.
- ◆ The new 3-year terms on Council will begin in December (Advent).

Wednesday Bible Study... We will continue our Wednesday Bible Study this Wednesday, September 25, 1pm-2:30pm in the St. Augustine Center with the Gospel of Matthew. All are welcome. Call Clint Smith at 423-366-2510 with any questions.

PRO-LIFE ROSARY -

The Pro-Life Rosary will be prayed **Wednesday, Sept. 25 at 12:15p** in the Saint Augustine Center. Call Clint Smith at 423-366-2510 with any questions.



Fall Prayer Gatherings

From Sept. 25 thru Nov. 3rd, the **40-Days-for-Life vigil** is taking place in over 600 cities worldwide. Join us as we fast and **pray at home and publicly** for the end of abortion. If you would like to **sign up for hours**, contact Angie Bush at 423-482-2123 or go to www.40daysforlife.com/bristol. Below is a list of times groups will be praying near the Bristol Women's Health abortion business which is located at 2603 Osborne St., Bristol, VA.

All are welcome to join in prayer!

- ◇ Thursday, Sept. 26, 11a to Noon
St. Mary's Knights of Columbus
- ◇ Wednesday, Oct. 2, at 3:30 p.m.
Rosary with Fr. Tom Lawrence
- ◇ Thursday, Oct. 10, 11a to Noon
St. Mary's Knights of Columbus
- ◇ Saturday, Oct. 12, at 11:00 a.m.
Rosary with Fr. Chris Masla
- ◇ Sunday, Oct. 13, at 4:00 p.m.
- ◇ Tuesday, Oct. 22, 11a to Noon
St. Mary's Knights of Columbus
- ◇ Sunday, Nov. 3, at 4:00 p.m.

Midpoint prayer gathering

Closing prayer gathering

Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist

Tuesday Book Club—New Session begins October 1

Dr. Brant Pitre explores ancient Jewish beliefs about the Passover of the Messiah, the miraculous Manna from heaven, and the mysterious Bread of the Presence. As he shows, these three keys—the Passover, the Manna, and the Bread of the Presence—have the power to unlock the original meaning of the Eucharistic words of Jesus. Along the way, Dr. Pitre also explains how Jesus united the Last Super to His death on Good Friday and His Resurrection on Easter Sunday.

If you would like to join this book discussion group, please sign up in the commons. This is the book we were given at Christmas. If you do not have the book you can pick up your free copy in the church office. Book Club meets in the St. Augustine Center on Tuesdays 10:30a-11:30a.



Mass Intentions

(no weekday Mass, Sat. Sept. 21 at 9:30 a.m.)

Saturday, Sept. 21 (Vigil: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. †Susan Mellett

Sunday, Sept. 22 (Twenty-fifth Sunday/Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. †Warren Brown

11:30 a.m. †Frank & †Virginia Winzenried

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

(No Weekday Masses: Mon., Tues., Wed., Sept. 23, 24, 25)

Thursday, September 26

6:00 p.m. †Ann P. Rogers

Friday, September 27

8:30 a.m. †Michaelina Bliznik & family

(Saturday, Sept. 28, weekday Mass at 9:30 a.m.)

Saturday, Sept. 28 (Vigil: 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. †Vivian Meyer

Sunday, Sept. 29 (Twenty-sixth Sunday/Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. †Kenneth Daluisio

11:30 a.m. Parishioners

2:30 p.m. †Eduardo Lopez Morales and

†Maria Lourdes Mora (Spanish Mass)



CHURCH SUPPORT

E-Giving (Sept. 6-11)

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| Regular/Operating | \$2,455 |
| Bldg./Roof Repairs | \$ 50 |
| St. Anne Catholic School | \$ 323 |

Collection Report (Sept. 14/15)

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| Regular/Operating | \$8,663 |
| Bldg./Roof Repairs | \$ 250 |
| St. Anne Catholic School | \$ 75 |

Please note: This year the USCCB has moved the 2nd collection for Retired Religious from September to DECEMBER. This change is reflected in our E-giving and in our Envelope packets. However, some sources may still be printing a date for this collection in September, which is not correct. The Retired Religious collection will be taken up the weekend of December 8th this year.

Scripture for next Sunday

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Numbers 11:25-29

Are you jealous for my sake?

Would that all the people of the Lord were prophets!

Psalms 19

"The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart."

James 5:1-6

Your wealth has rotted away.

Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Whoever is not against us is for us.

If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off.



**Mark your Calendars NOW
for October 26 & 27!!**

**Father Leo Patalinghug
is coming to Saint Anne's!!**

Fr. Leo is a Catholic priest and the founder of an international food and faith movement called **Plating Grace** and founder of the nonprofit group, the **Table Foundation**. He is a best-selling author, acclaimed international speaker, radio and podcast host, and host of a weekly international food and faith show on EWTN called **Savoring Our Faith**.

His unique background helps him to connect with people of all ages and backgrounds, appearing on PBS, ABC, CBS and The Food Network where he defeated world famous chef Bobby Flay on **"Throw Down! With Bobby Flay"**. Fr. Leo will join us here at Saint Anne's on **October 26/27, 2024**. With food, faith and fun, Fr. Leo hopes to bring people closer together — one meal at a time!

**Don't miss this opportunity to be part
of this special weekend!**

—**Adult Night Out: Sat., Oct. 26, 6:30p**—

cooking demo and talk by Fr. Leo, heavy hors oeuvres, beer, wine & softdrinks & Silent Auction **\$35/ticket**

—**Fundraising Dinner: Sun., Oct. 27, 5p**—

delicious 3-course dinner featuring Filet Mignon, cooking demo/talk by Fr. Leo, beer/wine/soft drinks & Silent Auction **\$110/ticket** (or \$800 for a table for 8)

For tickets or to make a donation, copy and paste the URL below into your browser:

<https://stannechurchbristol.betterworld.org/events/fr-leo-patalinghug-baby-box-fund>

If you are unable to purchase online and would prefer purchasing by check, please contact or stop by the parish office during office hours.

**All Proceeds will go to a
Safe Haven Baby Box for Bristol**

(Fr. Leo's visit is sponsored by KofC Council 6695)

Safe Haven Baby Boxes help to prevent abandonment of newborns by raising awareness, offering a 24-hr. hotline for mothers in crisis and offering the Baby Box as a safe and last resort option for women who want to maintain anonymity. For more information, go to www.shbb.org.

**Deanery 14 Celebration
Saturday, October 19**

In commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of the reunification of SW Virginia with the Diocese of Richmond, we will come together as a Deanery on Saturday, October 19. The Celebration will begin at 11:30 a.m. here at St. Anne's. The day will include a talk on the Eucharist by Fr. Chris Masla, BBQ Lunch, Session on Deanery history, and a service project to benefit Catholic Charities. The Rosary will be prayed at 3:35 p.m.

Mass will be celebrated at **4:00 p.m.**

(no 5:30 Mass on Oct. 19—Mass at 4p!)

The Mass will conclude with a Eucharistic Procession.

Mark your calendar for October 19

and plan to join us for this special celebration.

More details in next week's bulletin!

Remember to PRAY for VOCATIONS!

“The Lord upholds my life.”

He indeed is our strength and foundation. Pray and ask Him sincerely if He could be calling you to the priesthood or to consecrated life. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations at 804-359-5661 or email them at vocations@richmonddiocese.org.

SPECIAL EVENING PRAYER



**Please Join Us
next SUNDAY, SEPT. 29
for a St. Michael the Archangel
Evening Prayer Service
at 6 p.m.**

Come to pray for and with our local

Law Enforcement

Fire Department

& EMS personnel

*(a reception in their honor
will follow the Service)*

Your participation will let them know that
St. Anne's Community appreciates them
and their dedicated service!

May God bless our First Responders!

Sacristans Needed! If you might be interested in serving in this Liturgical Ministry, please contact Rosie in the office.

Food Pantry donations—please note! We appreciate the food you bring in for Bristol Faith in Action. Please check the expiration dates of items before you bring them in—the pantry can't take expired items. Thank you!!