



# 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.  
Fri. Nov. 1, All Saints Holy Day: 8:30a & 7p  
Saturday, Nov. 2 All Souls Mass at 9:30a  
Holy Days: Call the office for Mass times

### TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

Parish Office ..... (276) 669-8200  
Office hours: Monday thru Friday 9a-4p  
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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 (1st Tues. 9a-9p)

Wed. 6-7p; Sat. 8:30-9:30a

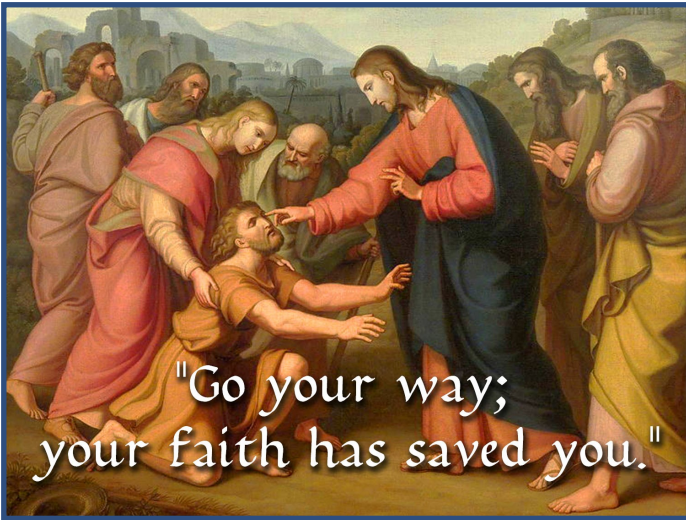
**Baptisms:** Parents must attend Baptism Preparation. Contact the parish ofc.

**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.

**Bulletin Deadline:** 12N on Mondays



"Go your way;  
your faith has saved you."

This week will feature two parades of sorts. On Halloween, we'll see a parade of children dressed in costumes going from door to door. On All Saints Day, we sing of a parade of saints who "go marching in". In today's first reading, another parade: "the remnant of Israel" whom the Lord gathers from all over the world. As we celebrate Mass today, let us praise a God who gathers us together, ready to march to our promised land, to the eternal kingdom.

#### PRAYERS REQUESTED

We ask your prayers for **Claudia Grezlik**, the mother-in-law of Cristin Colvin, who died recently. Notes may be sent to Cristin & Daniel c/o St. Anne Catholic Church, 316 Euclid Ave., Bristol, VA 24201.



### Welcome Father Leo!

This weekend we are happy to welcome **Father Leo Patalinghug** to Saint Anne's!

Our Thanks to Fr. Leo for being with us for the fundraiser events for a Safe Haven Baby Box for the Bristol Virginia Fire Department.

(Many thanks also to the Knights of Columbus for sponsoring Fr. Leo's visit!)

**Don't forget...** this Friday, November 1st is a Holy Day of Obligation—**All Saints Day!** Holy Day Masses at **8:30a and 7 p.m.**

We will celebrate Mass for the **Commemoration of all the faithful departed** (All Souls Day) on Saturday morning, November 2nd at **9:30 a.m.**

#### A Message from Father Tom...

The blind man, Bartimaeus, asks Jesus to have pity on him. Jesus does. He heals him. The blind man's natural response is to follow Jesus after he's healed.

- Do we have faith like the blind man?
- Do we call on Jesus to heal our deepest wounds?
- Do we stick to following Jesus after a calamity or need, or do we return to our former ways of life?

Jesus tells Bartimaeus that it is his faith that saved him. If we can have and maintain the faith of Bartimaeus, we too can be healed.

When we order (put in place, or align) all our desires and wants with God at the center and reason for all our actions, then follow him in earnest, we are healed from the decay of the world, for we have set our eyes on the hills.

#### Remember to PRAY for VOCATIONS!

**"Take courage, stand up! He is calling you."**

Will you share in Christ's saving mission? He may be calling you to a beautiful and sacrificial life as a priest or religious brother or sister. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations at 804-359-5661 or email them at [vocations@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:vocations@richmonddiocese.org).



The Lord has done great things  
for us; we are filled with

joy

### Senior High & Junior High Youth Ministry

- (Wed.) **Oct. 30**—Youth Ministry (BYC 5:00-7:00p)
  - ◊ Dinner will be provided!
- (Sun.) **Nov. 3**— Youth Ministry (BYC 5:00-7:00pm)
  - ◊ Dinner will be provided!
  - ◊ **Journey to Confirmation (BYC 5:00-7:00p)**
- (Wed.) **Nov. 13**—Youth Ministry (BYC 5:00-7:00p)
  - ◊ Dinner will be provided!
- (Mon.) **Nov. 18**—Praise & Worship Adoration
  - ◊ Dinner will be provided!
  - ◊ (BYC 6:00-8:00pm)

### 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 on Sundays in the BYC (Brady Youth Center). If you have missed our first two gatherings, please contact Laura Cochrane ASAP at: [lauracochrane@stannes-bristol.org](mailto:lauracochrane@stannes-bristol.org) or 276-492-3095.



Attention Teens -  
be sure sign up to  
get Youth Ministry  
Flocknotes!



### HOLY HOURS— ADORATION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

- ◆ Tuesday, Oct. 29, 9a-10a (after 8:30a Mass)
- ◆ Wednesday, Oct. 30, 6p-7p
- ◆ Sat., Nov. 2, 8:30-8:50a  
(before the All Souls Mass a 9:30a)

### PRO-LIFE ROSARY:

The Pro-life Rosary is prayed Wednesday, October 30 at **12:15 p.m.** in the St. Augustine Center. This is an opportunity to pray against abortions. Call Clint Smith at 423-366-2510 with any questions.

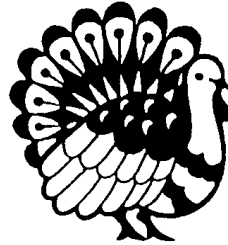


### Wednesday Bible Study—

We will continue the Wednesday Bible Study on Wednesday, October 30 from **1p to 2:30 p.m.** in the Saint Augustine Center with the Book of Revelation. All are welcome. Call Clint Smith on 423-366-2510 with any questions.

### Thanksgiving Outreach

Once again this year we will be putting together food boxes for Thanksgiving. If you, or someone you know, is in need of food for Thanksgiving, Please contact Rosie M. in the parish office by November 15.



And, as in past years, we will have our “turkeys” in the commons the first few weeks in November covered with their “feathers” listing items that are needed for our Thanksgiving Outreach. Your generosity to those in need is greatly appreciated!

### Annual Report and Strategic Plan Group meetings

A time to ask questions, add thoughts, or generally discuss the Strategic/Pastoral Plan for the next 5 years and the Annual Financial Report for 2023-24.

If you are interested in participating, there will be three sessions, at the parish office conference room:

- ◊ Tues., Oct. 29 at 7 p.m.
- ◊ Thurs., Oct. 31 at 3 p.m.  
(replacing the usual “Tea” time)
- ◊ Friday November 1  
(after the 8:30a Holy Day Mass;

### Bristol Music Club Scholarship Benefit Saturday, November 2 at Central Presbyterian

(Across the street from St. Anne’s)  
Silent Auction 10a, Music Program at 10:30a  
Refreshments will be provided  
Tickets \$25 at the door  
*See the flyer on the parish bulletin board*

### 40 Days for Life

—Please join Christians as we pray and fast for the end of abortion! This ministry is made up of people who pray at home and some who pray near the abortion facility.  
—Contact Angie Bush, at 423-482-2123 or go to [www.40daysforlife.com/bristol](http://www.40daysforlife.com/bristol) for more information.

The 40 Days for Life vigil will conclude next Sunday.

Please join us at **4 p.m. on November 3rd** for the inter-denominational prayer service to mark the closing of our 40 Days for Life.

(Location: near the Bristol Women’s Health abortion business at 2603 Osborne St., Bristol, VA).



**Masses For The Week**

(Saturday, Oct. 26—weekday Mass at 9:30a)

**Saturday, Oct. 26** (Vigil: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. †Vivian Meyer

**Sunday, Oct. 27** (Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. †Dennis Henry Foley

11:30 a.m. Spec. Int. for Frank Santy (100th b'day)

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

(Monday, Oct. 28—weekday Mass at 6:00p)

**Tuesday, Oct. 29**

8:30 a.m. †Alice Broscius

**Wednesday, Oct. 30**

8:30 a.m. †Edward Smith

**Thursday, Oct. 31**

6:00 p.m. †William J. Miller & family

**Friday, Nov. 1** (All Saints Day—Holy Day of obligation)

8:30 a.m. †Molly Moore

7:00 p.m. †Rosamond & †Dennie Fagan

**Saturday, November 2**

9:30 a.m. All Souls Day Mass

**Saturday, Nov. 2** (Vigil: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. †Nick Compania

**Sunday, Nov. 3** (Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. †Betty Welliver

11:30 a.m. †Maria Carbajal

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



**COLLECTION**

**Collection Report (Oct. 19/20)**

Regular/Operating	\$8,052.46
Respect Life (local)	\$ 250
St. Anne Catholic School	\$ 148
2nd coll. (Catholic World Missions)	\$1,814
2nd collection (Disaster Relief)	\$ 200
Spec. donation (E.TN Flood Relief)	\$ 200

Note: There will be 1 collection taken up at the **All Saints Holy Day** Masses on Nov. 1st—for Operating.

**Second Collections:**

- (today) **Oct. 27 (Mission Cooperative)** for parishes of St. Bernard-Gate City/St. Patrick-Dungannon
- **Nov. 3** (St. Anne Catholic School)
- **Nov. 10** (Archdiocese for Military Services)

**TIME  
TALENT  
TREASURE**

**Scripture for next Sunday—November 3**

**Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Deuteronomy 6:2-6**

*Hear, O Israel! You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart.*

**Psalm 18**

*"I love, you, Lord, my strength."*

**Hebrews 7:23-28**

*Because he remains forever, he has a priesthood that does not pass away.*

**Mark 12:28b-34**

*Love the Lord your God. Love your neighbor.*

Having just given the people the ten commandments, Moses extols them as a blessing, a way to grow and prosper and eventually reach the promised land. There they can declare their love for the Lord, as we do in the responsorial psalm next Sunday. After hearing Hebrews praise Jesus as a high priest who has been made perfect forever, we hear Him reveal the greatest commandment, which directs our love on two paths, toward God and toward neighbor. Listening to God's word next Sunday, let us note the wonderful consequences of taking God's commands to heart.



The Council of Catholic Women (CCW) has invited the Fifth Grade students of St. Anne Catholic School to share with us their Saints biography reports at our November meeting.

All women of the parish are invited to join us for prayer, fellowship, and outreach.

**DATE:** Thursday, **November 7, 2024**

**TIME:** 12 Noon  
Pizza and salad will be served

**PLACE:** Monsignor Hickie Center

As part of our outreach, please bring laundry soap, hygiene products, or canned food for Bristol Faith In Action (BFIA).

**ATTENTION LECTORS!!**

We have ordered several Cycle C Lector Workbooks which begins with the First Sunday of Advent. When they arrive we will notify you if you would like to have one.



**Solemnity of All Saints**  
**A Holy Day of Obligation**

This **Friday, November 1st** is **All Saints Day**,  
a holy day of obligation for Catholics.

*Let us rejoice in all the men and women,  
blest in the eyes of the Lord,  
who celebrate the heavenly liturgy.  
They stand in God's holy place  
and sing of the love the Father  
has bestowed upon them through  
the blood of the lamb.*

Our Holy Day Masses on All Saints Day  
will be at **8:30am & 7 pm.**

*(incense will be used at the 7 p.m. Mass)*

*Commemoration of  
All the Faithful Departed*



Our **Mass for All Souls Day** will be celebrated on  
Saturday morning, November 2nd at 9:30 a.m.

At this liturgy we will especially remember our  
parishioners who have been buried from St. Anne's this  
past year.

For anyone who has lost a loved one this past year who  
has not been buried from St. Anne's, the Book of  
Remembrance will be available and you are invited to write  
their name in the Book.

After the All Souls Day morning Mass, the Book will be  
placed on the side altar in the chapel for the month of  
November.

*Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.*