

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

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Monday	6 p.m.
Tuesday(No Mass on 02/11)	.8:30 a.m.
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.
Thursday	. 6 p.m.
Friday	
Saturday/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 appt.) Saturday 8:30-930a & 4-5:15p Tue (no on 02/11); Wed. 5-6p; Thur.5-545p

Adoration:

Tues.(no on 02/11); Wed. 6-7p; Saturday 830-930a

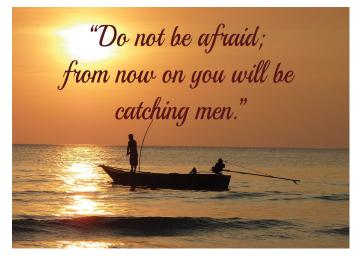
Baptisms: Parents must attend Baptism Preparation. Contact the parish ofc.

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.



Today we hear how two key figures in the Bible — Isaiah and Peter — are called. God calls Isaiah in a vision. Jesus calls Simon Peter after performing a miracle. Though both go on to great things on the Lord's behalf, each initially feels unworthy of their call. Only after being reassured do they respond affirmatively.

We may well feel unworthy ourselves of a call to join Jesus on His mission. Let us consider how we can still respond as Isaiah did... *"Here I am...send me."*

PRAYERS REQUESTED

Your prayers are requested for **Chris Leo Popso**, the brother of <u>Julann Rice</u>, who died recently in Florida. Notes of sympathy may be sent to Julann at 23490 Archery Range Rd., Bristol, VA 24202.

GRIEF SUPPORT

Are you grieving the loss of a loved one?

Our Grief Support group meets twice a month and is led by Doug & Mary Pat Ernst. If you are interested in joining our Grief Support Group, call the office (276-669-8200) or stannes@stannes-bristol.org or contact Mary Pat & Doug.

Prayer for those Grieving the Loss of a Loved One

O Lord, we thank You for the life You gave to our loved one, and the life everlasting that You grant to our loved one now.

Let Your presence in heaven be a blessing to our loved one and let Your dwelling with us now here on earth be a comfort to us as we mourn this loss in our lives. Amen.

Liturgical Ministries... We are in need of more people willing to serve at weekend liturgies <u>especially</u> as **Sacristans** (those who set up the vessels before Mass, etc.) and **Altar Servers**. If you might be interested, please contact Rosie in the Parish office at 276-669-8200 ext. 0 or stannes@stannes-bristol.org.

flocknote Get Connected!

Are you currently receiving Fr. Tom's weekly FLOCKNOTES?

It is a great way to keep up-to-date on what's happening here in the parish! He sends them out late Friday or early Saturday each week.

You can sign up at the link below!

https://stannecatholicbristol.flocknote.com/

In the Flocknotes Fr. Tom shares a weekly reflection and highlights upcoming events in the parish. There is also a link to the weekend's Scripture Readings (in English and in Spanish) and a link to the February Music Playlist of the songs we will be singing at Mass.

Are you registered with St. Anne's parish?

If not, please contact the parish office at <u>stanne@stannes-bristol.org</u> or call Rosie at 275-669-8200 ext. 0. And if you are already registered and have changed your email, mailing address or phone number — please don't forget to let us know!!





Senior High Youth Ministry & Junior High Youth Ministry

- (Wed) Feb.12—Youth Ministry (BYC 5p-7p)
 Dinner will be provided!
- (Sun) Feb 16—Confirmation Retreat (1130a-4p)
 - ♦ Meet in the church at 11:15a for Mass
 - ♦ Lunch will be provided!
- - Adoration
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- (Sat) Feb. 22 Confirmation Mass with Bishop Knestout (11 a.m.)
 - $\diamond \quad \text{Meet at the church at } \underline{10:15 \text{ a.m.}}$
- (Sun) March 2—Youth Ministry (BYC 5p-7p)
 - ♦ Dinner will be provided!

Please Take Note!!

There will **<u>not</u>** be weekday Mass, Holy Hour or Confessions this Tuesday, February 11.

Saint Anne's Prayer Shawl Group...

Prayer Shawl meeting this <u>Wednesday</u>, Feb. 12 at <u>10:00 a.m.</u> in the St. Augustine Center.



Pro-Life Rosary will be prayed this Wednesday, February 12 at <u>12:15</u> p.m. in the St. Augustine Center. All are welcome.

Wednesday Bible Study: The Bible study for the Book of Exodus meets on Wednesdays at <u>1 p.m.</u> in the St. Augustine Center. All are welcome.

St. Anne's Choir

Our choir rehearses on Wednesdays at 6 p.m. in the church. Adults & Teens are welcome to join the Choir! If you have questions about our Music Ministry, contact Cristin at 276-669-8200 or ccolvin@stannes-bristol.org.



St. Anne's Bereavement Committee will meet Wed., <u>Feb. 19</u> at <u>12Noon</u> at the parish office.

Saint Anne Catholic School BOOK FAIR February 25—March 2

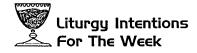
Our School is hosting an *Ignatius Catholic Book Fair* February 25—March 2. Come find books that foster the love of reading with content that aligns with our Christian values. Stop by the school library during the week or on the weekend as you come or go from Mass. If you can't attend, shop online where there are even more options to choose from. Please share this link <u>https://store.ignatiusbookfairs.com/</u> with your loved ones. All purchases support the school library. If shopping online, make sure you select our school before you purchase. Questions? Contact Angie Bush abush@stanneschoolbristol.org or call 276-669-0048.

Appalachian Highlands Mens Conference March 8 St. Dominic Catholic Church Kingsport, Tennessee

Men of the parish are invited to attend the 4th annual Men's Conference hosted by St. Dominic's in Kingsport, This year's event will feature the main speakers: David Rinaldi, Deacon Vic Landa, and Father Chuck Dornguast. In addition, participants can choose two from eight breakout sessions led by Jonathan Cardinal, Paul Simoneaum, Father Dr. John Orr, Father Andrew Crabtree, Deacon Bob Lange, Emphasis on the sacraments and Ron Henry. continues with Adoration. Reconciliation and Mass. Breakfast, lunch, and a post-conference mixer are also included. The fee is \$35 for adults with no charge for those under 18. (Doors open at 7a for breakfast and the day ends with Mass at 2:15 p.m.) To register, call Saint Dominic's at 423-288-8101 or see the poster on the parish bulletin board and scan the QR code on the poster. (For more information, you can also contact Ray Courtney at recourt62@gmail.com.)

Looking Ahead Just a Bit on our Parish calendar....

- <u>Office closed</u>: Monday, February 17 for the Presidents Day Holiday; bulletin deadline is still 12N (send info to main office email or voicemail ext. 0)and there will be Mass at 6p.
- Ash Wednesday, March 5, A day of fast and abstinence for Catholics.
- **Parish Lenten Mission** with Meg Hunter-Kilmer on the evenings of March 9-11.
- <u>Saint Patrick's Day Party</u>, Saturday, March 15, after Mass in the gym. Sign-ups begin March 1.



(Weekday morning Mass - Sat., Feb. 8 at 9:30 a.m.)

Saturday, February 8 (Vigil: 5th Sunday/Ordinary Time) 5:30 p.m. †Helen Moretz Sunday, February 9

8:30 a.m.	†Mike & †Joan Parkulo
11:30 a.m.	†Tommy Lecke
2:30 p.m.	Parishioners (Spanish Mass)

Monday, February 10

6:00 p.m. †Clint Cox

(No Mass on Tuesday, February 11)

Wednesday, February 12

8:30 a.m. †Larry & †Mary Ann Cameron

Thursday, February 13 6:00 p.m. †Michalina Bliznik & family

Friday, February 14

8:30 a.m. [†]Jacyne Woodcox

(Weekday morning Mass, Sat., Feb. 15 at 9:30 a.m.)

Saturday, Feb. 15 (Vigil: 6th Sunday/Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. †Loretta Karban

Sunday, Feb. 16 (Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. †Neal Jewell

11:30 a.m. †Don Sanderson

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



Stewardship

E-Giving (Jan. 24-31)

Regular/Operating	\$4,	,232
Solemnity of Mary Holy Day	\$	48
Building/roof repairs	\$	28
Bristol Faith In Action (BFIA)	\$	28
Respect Life 2nd Collection	\$	78
St. Anne Catholic School	\$	106

Collection Report (Feb. 1&2)

Regular/Operating	\$1	12,346.19
St. Anne Catholic School	\$	3,816
Solemnity of Mary Holy Day	\$	175
Parish Charities/Social Ministry	\$	100
Respect Life 2nd Collection	\$	60

Second Collection—weekend of Feb. 22/23 will be taken up for <u>Bristol Faith In Action (BFIA</u>).

> Thank you for your generosity and support of Saint Anne's!

2025 Annual Diocesan Appeal Sharing His Love with Others

A Message from our Bishop....

Whenever I visit our parishes, I see how our faith and hope is manifested through Mass attendance, reception of the sacraments, Eucharistic devotion and a commitment to grow closer to Christ. I also see our faith and hope expressed through works of charity such as the Annual Diocesan Appeal.

Your gifts to the Appeal support the education of seminarians and priests who are dedicating their lives to serving Christ and his Church; assist college students to grow in their faith and relationship with the Lord; and ensure that vital resources are made available for children and families facing homelessness and hunger.

During this time of Jubilee in the life of our Church, I ask you to consider contributing to the Appeal so we can spread love and hope for all the world as we empower the people and ministries of the Diocese of Richmond to move our Church forward.

Bishop Barry C. Knestout

This week and into next week, many of you will receive a letter from Bishop Knestout asking for your support of the 2025 Annual Diocesan Appel. It is our sincere hope that you will answer our Bishop's request and make a generous commitment to this effort.

Scripture for next Sunday (Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Jeremiah 17:5-8

Cursed are those whose hearts turn away from God. **Psalm 1**

"Blessed are they who hope in the Lord."

1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20

Christ has been raised from the dead.

Luke 6:17, 20-26

The Beatitudes

Jeremiah warms us up for the Gospel next Sunday by speaking of whom God blesses and whom God curses. Using imagery from nature, he drives home his message: trust in the Lord. Jesus' message echoes Jeremiah's, blessing those whom society treats as outcasts and warning those who have it made by social standards. During this Jubilee Year of Hope, let us put our hope in He who has power over death itself, a hope rejected by those who live life, as Paul wrote, "for this life only."

Remember to **PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!**

Appalachian Men's Ensemble present Víve L'Amour concerts

• Fri., Feb. 14, 7:30 p.m. Gray United Methodist Church, Gray, TN

Sat., Feb. 15, 3 p.m. Central Presebyterian Church, Bristol, TN (across the street from St. Anne's) General Admission: \$10; \$5 for students (Bearl Jenkins, member of our choir and cantor is part of the Appalachian Men's Ensemble)

40 Days for Life

From March 5 thru April 13, area Christians from various denominations are praying and fasting for the end of abortion as part of the international 40 Days for Life vigil. Sign up at www.40daysforlife.com or contact Angie Bush at 40daysbristoltn@gmail.com or 423-482-2123 for more information.

40 Days for Life Kick-off & Prayer Gathering

Monday, February 24 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m. pizza (RSVP) Praise & Prayer begins at 6 p.m. Location: First Assembly of God (120 Millard Street, Bristol, VA) RSVP to Angie for pizza, 423-482-2123 by Feb. 22.



All women are invited to... Council of Catholic Women Covered Dish Luncheon

Date: Thursday, February 20 Time: 12 Noon Place: Monsignor Hickie Center

Guest Speaker: Representatives from Girls, Inc. of Bristol

Bring your favorite dish to share.... Plated and ready to serve.

We hope to see everyone there!

Questions? Please text or call Eileen Gibney, 423-967-5337