



# Saint Anne Catholic Church

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**Memorial Bricks:** - contact parish office

**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 p.m.  
Tuesday..... 8:30 a.m.  
Wednesday.....8:30 a.m.  
Thursday..... 6 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](mailto:stannes@stannes-bristol.org)  
Website: .....[www.stannes-bristol.org](http://www.stannes-bristol.org)  
**St. Anne's School** ..... 276-669-0048  
email: [schooloffice@stanneschoolbristol.org](mailto:schooloffice@stanneschoolbristol.org)  
Address: 580 Oakview Ave., Bristol, VA

**Parish Registration** - Call the church office.

**Confessions:** (or by appt.)

Saturday 8:30-930a & 4-5:15p  
Tuesday & Wednesday 5-6p; Thur.5-545p

**Adoration:**

Tuesday 9a-10a; Wednesday 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.



Like Advent, Lent is a season of preparation — in this case, for Jesus' ultimate sacrifice and the glory of His resurrection.

We prepare our souls through repentance and our bodies through fasting.

And we prepare our relationship with God through prayer and our relationship with others through almsgiving.

In today's Gospel, in the midst of all our preparation, we are given a preview of Christ's risen glory when He appears transfigured to Peter, John, and James. May the promise of a life transfigured encourage us as we continue to prepare for Easter glory.

## PRAYERS REQUESTED

Your prayers are requested for **Patti Boatright**, the wife of Mike Boatright and stepmother of Kathi Boatright and Jacob Boatright, who died recently. Notes of sympathy may be sent to Mike at 101 Beech Knoll Rd., Bristol, TN 37620.

We ask your prayers for **Donnie Berry Malphrus**, the uncle of Rose Marie Burriss, who died recently. Notes may be sent to Rose Marie at 2306 Edgemont Ave., Bristol, TN 37620.

Your prayers are asked for **Sylvia Wood**, the grandmother of Andy French, who died this week. Notes may be sent to Andy & Sarah at 642 Longridge Road, Weber City, VA 24290.

We ask your prayers for **Ciro Costagliola**, the uncle of Jozie DiBartolo, Angela Costagliola and Maria Black. Notes may be sent to the family c/o Jozie at 1125 Holston Ave., Bristol, TN 37620 or Angela at 1449 Holston Dr., Bristol, TN 37620.

**Are you registered with our parish?** If you haven't completed a parish registration yet, please consider doing so... Contact the parish office at 276-669-8200 ext. 0 or email Rosie M. at [stannes@stannes-bristol.org](mailto:stannes@stannes-bristol.org).

### Grief Support Group

If you are mourning the loss of a loved one, we have a grief support group which meets here bi-weekly, facilitated by Doug & Mary Pat Ernst. For more information, contact the parish office.

## Catholic Community Foundation

of the Diocese of Richmond

2025 Annual Diocesan Appeal

Last weekend we had our "in-pew" time for folks to support this year's Annual Diocesan Appeal—**Sharing His Love With Others**. Many of you have also received information in the mail from the diocese regarding the Appeal. If you have not yet had the opportunity to support the important ministries which are benefitted from the Appeal, we encourage you to prayerfully consider giving your support. Our parish benefits through support of seminarians, the Fuel & Hunger Fund (which supports Bristol Faith In Action), as well as other ministries AND a portion of parishioner donations to the Appeal are returned to our parish. You can find brochures on the table in the commons in order to support this effort. Simply complete the brochure and mail the envelope—or drop in the basket on the table and we will mail for you. (or you can use your phone to donate thru the QR code on the table. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity to the 2025 Annual Diocesan Appeal!



### Are you receiving Fr. Tom's 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/>





**Senior High Youth Ministry &  
Junior High Youth Ministry**

- ♦ (Mon.) Mar. 17 –Youth Ministry (6p-8p)
  - Adoration
  - Dinner will be provided
- ♦ (Sun.) March 23– Fun Night!
- ♦ (Wed.) Mar. 30 –Youth Ministry (BYC 5p-7p)
  - Dinner will be provided
- ♦ (Sun.) April 6 — No Youth Ministry

**Diocesan Work Camp  
June 21-27, 2025  
St. Anne's, Bristol, VA**

YES, we are hosting the Diocesan Work Camp  
this year!!

All 8th-12th grade teens from across the Diocese are invited to Diocesan Work Camp this summer. Work Camp is an annual week-long mission trip experience where teens from all over the Diocese learn to love their faith through the lens of service and community. Participants will be broken into work crews that have a mix of teens from different parishes, each work crew will complete a home repair project in the local community. Everyone at Work Camp attends daily Mass before heading out to work, and evenings are filled with free time and an evening program. A highlight of Work Camp is the mid-week Eucharistic Adoration and Reconciliation service. All teens, chaperones, home base volunteers, and contractors stay onsite.

Diocesan Work Camp is an immersive experience for teens to learn what it means to put our Catholic faith in action.

**Register by March 19 and save \$50 per participant!**

**For questions or to register,  
please contact Laura Cochrane:**

**276-692-3095 / [lauracochrane@stannes-bristol.org](mailto:lauracochrane@stannes-bristol.org)**

We are in need of Adult Chaperones, Home Base Volunteers, and a few Contractors! Contractors do not have to be licensed, but they do need to have a general idea about building things. If you are interested in serving in any of these areas, please contact Laura Cochrane.

**ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament  
this week**

Tuesday, 9a-10a (after the 8:30a Mass)

Wednesday, 6-7p

Saturday, 8:30a-9:30a (before the 9:30a Mass)

*Come spend some quiet time in prayer  
with our Lord.*

**No Pro-Life Rosary and No Wednesday Bible Study**  
this week (March 19).



March 5 thru April 13 the international 40 Days for Life vigil is taking place in over 660 cities around the world. **Let's unite as the Body of Christ.** Join Christians from various denominations as we fast and pray for the end of abortion. Contact Angie Bush at [www.40daysforlife.com/bristol](http://www.40daysforlife.com/bristol) or 423-482-2123 for more information.

As part of 40 Days for Life, Christians will be praying near the Bristol Women's Health abortion business (located at 2603 Osborne St., Bristol, VA) at the following times... All are welcome.

- Thurs., Mar. 20—11a (with St. Mary's Knights)
- Sat., Mar. 22—11a Midpoint Prayer Gathering
- Wed., Mar. 26—3:30p (with Fr. Tom Lawrence)
- Thurs., April 3—11a (with St. Mary's Knights)
- Saturday, April 5—11a (with Fr. Chris Masla)
- Thurs., April 11—11a (with St. Mary's Knights)
- SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 4 p.m.—Closing Prayer gathering led by Pastor Carico from First Assembly of God, Bristol, VA.

*Attention Ladies*



**Council of Catholic Women**  
invites the women of the parish to join them as  
they pray a special Lenten reflection  
*"Mary's Way of the Cross"*

**Date: Thursday, March 20**

**Time: 12 Noon**

**Place: Monsignor Hickie Center**

Refreshments will be served.





## Mass Intentions

*(Weekday morning Mass, Sat., March 15 at 9:30a)*

**Saturday, March 15** (Vigil: Second Sunday of Lent)

5:30 p.m. †Loretta Karban

**Sunday, March 16** (Second Sunday of Lent)

8:30 a.m. †Dennis Henry Foley

11:30 a.m. †Mary Lou & †Dick Sulier

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

**Monday, March 17**

6:00 p.m. Special Intention: Judy Smith

**Tuesday, March 18**

8:30 a.m. †Mary Joyce

**Wednesday, March 19**

8:30 a.m. †Nathaniel Moore

**Thursday, March 20**

6:00 p.m. †Ruth Johnson

**Friday, March 21**

8:30 a.m. All Souls

*(Weekday morning Mass, Sat., March 22 at 9:30 a.m.)*

**Saturday, March 22** (Vigil: Third Sunday of Lent)

5:30 p.m. †Francis Oliver

**Sunday, March 23** (Third Sunday of Lent)

8:30 a.m. †Marilyn Broglio

11:30 a.m. Parishioners

2:30 p.m. †Jesús Mendoza (*Spanish Mass*)



## Parish Support

### E-Giving (March 1-6, 2025)

Regular/Operating	\$5,137
Ash Wednesday	\$ 138
St. Anne Catholic School	\$ 488
Bldg./Roof Repairs	\$ 125
Bristol Faith in Action	\$ 125
Catholic Relief Svcs.	\$ 125

### Collection Report (March 5 & March 8/9)

Regular/Operating	\$10,084.10
Ash Wednesday	\$ 4091.98
St. Anne Catholic School	\$ 180
Bristol Faith in Action	\$ 52
Catholic Relief Svcs.	\$ 20

Upcoming Second Collections:

- ◆ March 30 (Catholic Relief Services)
- ◆ April 6 (St. Anne Catholic School)

*Many thanks for your  
generosity to Saint Anne's!*

## Scripture for next Sunday Third Sunday of Lent

(Cycle C readings at 5:30p & 11:30a):

**Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15**

*From a burning bush God promises redemption.*

**Psalms 103**

*"The Lord is kind and merciful."*

**1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12**

*Do not grumble as the Israelites did.*

**Luke 13:1-9**

*The just may suffer.*

*The fruitless may get a second chance.*

Cycle A readings with First Scrutiny at 8:30a):

**Exodus 17:3-7**

*Water flowed from rock to quench  
the people's thirst.*

**Psalms 95**

*"If today you hear his voice,  
Harden not your hearts."*

**Romans 5:1-2, 5-8**

*The love of God has been poured into our hearts  
through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.*

**John 4:5-42 (or) 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42**

*The water that I shall give will become a  
spring of eternal life.*

## OLIVEWOOD GIFTS AVAILABLE WEEKEND OF MARCH 29/30

## BETHLEHEM CHRISTIANS

Olive wood carvings and crafts from Christian artists in the Holy Land will be offered for sale in the Great Room after each Mass the weekend of **March 29-30**. Be sure to plan to stop in to browse that weekend—these items are beautiful—to purchase for yourself or perhaps as an Easter gift for someone.

Sales of olive wood carvings support Christian families in the Bethlehem area who rely on this and pilgrims as primary sources of income. Due to the recent events in Israel, all tourism activities have halted since the war. Which devastated the livelihoods of those families.

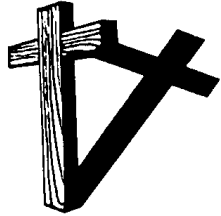
Christians make less than 2% of the population in the Holy Land. Your support and solidarity keep these native Christians rooted in their homeland.

**Thank you for your support.**

[www.bethlehemcrafts.biz](http://www.bethlehemcrafts.biz)

**Soup Supper—the Fridays of Lent—5:30 p.m.**

Join us for a simple soup supper at 5:30 p.m. in the Great Room before praying the Stations of the Cross. Please try to not be late as everyone needs to be done with supper to begin the Stations in the Commons promptly at 6 p.m.



**Stations of the Cross  
Fridays of Lent—6 p.m.**

Be part of this Lenten tradition of praying the Stations—join us on the Fridays of Lent for **Stations of the Cross at 6 p.m.**, prayed in the chapel and commons.

Among the best known prayers for the Way of the Cross are those first published in Italian by Saint Alphonsus Liguori in 1761. This year we are using the Alphonsus Liguori stations and we pray one station in English, the next in Spanish, etc.... In his brief introduction to this devotion, Saint Alphonsus wrote: *“The pious exercise of the Way of the Cross represents the sorrowful journey that Jesus Christ made with the cross on His shoulders, to die on Calvary for the love of us. We should, therefore, practice this devotion with the greatest possible fervor, placing ourselves in spirit beside our Savior as He walked this sorrowful way, uniting our tears with His, and offering to Him both our compassion and our gratitude.”*

**TAKE NOTE:**

**Brother Guy Consolmagno, SJ**  
**Director of the Vatican Observatory here**  
**Monday, March 24**

King University’s Institute for Faith & Culture is hosting **Brother Guy Consolmagno, Director of the Vatican Observatory** here in Bristol on Monday, March 24. Brother Guy is an American research astronomer, a physicist, a Jesuit religious brother, director of the Vatican Observatory and President of the Vatican Observatory Foundation.

Brother Brother Guy will have two talks in Bristol on Monday March 24:

- ◆ 9:15 a.m. *“Why Do We Look Up?”*  
King University Memorial Chapel
- ◆ 7:00 p.m. *“A Jesuit’s Guide to the Stars”*  
**St. Anne’s Church**  
*A reception will follow the presentation*

Mark your calendars and plan to join us for Brother Guy’s visit and talk.