

# 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:**

Holy Saturday (April 19) at 8:30a Sunday: 8:30 am & 11:30 am;

#### **TELEPHONE NUMBERS:**

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

Confessions: (or by appt.) No confessions this week; Sat., April 26 8:30-925a; 4-515p

#### Adoration:

No scheduled Holy Hour this week Saturday, April 26 830-930a

**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.



#### Alleluia! He is risen!

Jesus Christ, having made the ultimate sacrifice for the sake of our sins, has been raised from the dead. He has atoned for our sins and conquered death. Neither death nor sin have the final say any longer. We are a people redeemed, pilgrims of hope on a journey to new life. We gather today in joy in this holy place to hear the testimony of His earliest disciples, to renew our baptismal promises, and to partake in the Eucharistic feast and receive the risen Lord. Truly this is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad!

# Mass schedule today:

**Easter Sunday** April 20 *Regular Sunday Mass Times:* 

English: 830a/11:30a; Spanish: 3:00p

# **Easter Egg Hunt!!**

Hey kids—bring your Easter baskets for an Easter Egg Hunt TODAY Easter Sunday, April 20, on the playground after the 11:30a Mass.



An Easter photo back drop will be available to snap a family photo.

Kids <u>ages 2 years to Gr. 5</u> are welcome to join in the Hunt! (In case of rain, we will POSTPONE the Egg Hunt until NEXT Sunday, April 27, after the 11:30a Mass.)



# A Message from Father Tom...

He is risen indeed! Do we live our lives with the glory of Easter ever on our minds? That is, with the ever-present thought that God who can raise someone from the dead can secure our eternity because he is the basis of reality?

If not, perhaps this Easter Season is the time to start. This is the time to set aside the prominence of the "everything else" in your life and turn to God, glorious in majesty.

This is the same general exhortation of Lent, but without the penitential bent; we don't turn to God because he will smite us otherwise. We turn to God because what he invites us into is at the foundation of our very selves and of the world before the Fall.

He knows us, he wants to abide with us, and he desires us. How we respond to such an invitation now can have significant impact for the rest of our days.

## PANCAKE BREAKFAST Next Sunday April 27

The Knights of Columbus will be preparing a Pancake Breakfast in the Great Room next Sunday, April 27, after the 8;30a Mass. Plan to stop in for food and fellowship!



#### Please Take Note!!

- ⇒ Parish office will be closed Monday-Friday, Apr.21-25; bulletin deadline is April 21 by noon; leave on email at <a href="mailto:stannes@stannes-bristol.org">stannes@stannes-bristol.org</a> or on voicemail at ext. 0. If an emergency and you need a priest for an emergency sacramental anointing, the emergency number will be listed on office voicemail at 276-669-8200 ext. 0.
- ⇒ Weekday Masses (April 21-25) will be celebrated at 6 p.m.
- ⇒ There will not be schedule confessions times or holy or holy hours scheduled the week after Easter.
- ⇒ St. Anne's School on spring break until April 28.



# In Loving Memory of:

JoAnn Schatz (wife)

Given by Tom Schatz

Mike, Michael, and Ronald Arnold

Given by Rita Arnold

**Don Sanderson** (husband)

Given by Carmelita Sanderson

Frank & Virginia Winzenried (parents)

Given by Mike Winzenried

Jonathan T. Estes

Given by the Estes family

Deceased members of the *Oliver and Karban families* Given by Mary Karban and Frank Karban

Veronica Taylor (JoAnn's mother)

Given by Mike & JoAnn Shepherd

Nordone family: Nicholas Sr., Clotilda, Anthony, Nicholas Jr., and Joseph; Vito Cericola (husband)

and *Lee Culbertson* (son-in-law)

Given by Paula Cericola

Deceased members of the Ward and Wagner families

Given by Carolyn Ward

Sandra Woolley (wife), Catherine Woolley (mother),

and Anna Rooney (aunt)

Given by Jack Wooley

Lois & Jim Tilley, Anne Marie & John Sullivan and their children Joanie, Eddie, Peggy and Eileen

Given by Maureen & Jim Tilley

*Fred Eaton* (husband)

Given by Dolores Eaton

John Paloian Sr. (husband), John Paloian Jr. (son),

Thomas Paloian Sr. (son), and deceased members of the

Paloian, Gionet, Cholakian and Pendergast families

Given by Joyce Paloian

Deceased members of the Oliver and Dudek families

Given by Debbie Oliver

Richard Jesse Davis (husband), Wes Fayler, Rosie #1 & Dennie Fagan, Molly Moore,

Deacon Harry Hall, and Marilyn Broglio

Given by Rosie Mansfield



# In Loving Memory of:

Andrew Dannhardt (son)

Given by Pat & Dick Dannhardt

**Neal Jewell** (husband)

Given by Lucyann Jewell

Richard Davis, Molly Moore, Todd and Wes Fayler, Millie Radler, Chuck Weisenburger,

and Marilyn Broglio

Given by Ed & Pam and Michael Balaban

Vivian Meyer (wife)

Given by John Meyer

Eric Miller (husband)

Given by Deb Miller

Bill Burriss (husband) and deceased members of the

**Burriss and Sandretto families** 

Given by Rose Marie Burriss

Norman Haderer

Given by the Haderer family

**Dave Pryputniewicz** (husband)

Given by Sandy Pryputniewicz

*Jim Martinis*, *Sr.* (husband)

Given by Shelia Martinis

Deceased members of the Tebeau family

Given by the Tebeau family

Wes Fayler, Todd Fayler, Richard Davis, Jim & Mildred Hamilton, Ralph McElheny,

Gilbert & Gertrude McElheny, Ann & Max Kappner,

and Ann Harrison

Given by the McElheny/Fayler family

Deceased members of the *Hale and Verthein families*,

Richard Davis, and Marilyn Broglio

Given by Donna, Grant, Graig, and Ricky Hale

Rev. Mr. Samuel Hill, seminarian who served here at Saint Anne's will be ordained to the priesthood at the Cathedral in Richmond on June 7. Watch the bulletin for more details and please keep Deacon Samuel in your prayers!!

# Mass Intentions For The Week



(No morning Mass, Holy Saturday, April 19)

Holy Saturday, April 19 (EASTER VIGIL)

8:30 p.m. †Bud Karban Sunday, April 20 (EASTER) 8:30 a.m. †Marilyn Broglio 11:30 a.m. Parishioners

3:00 p.m. †Jesús Emiliano Suarez (Spanish Mass)

Monday, April 21 Mass at 6 p.m. No intention scheduled

Tuesday, April 22Mass at 6 p.m.†Beth LewisWed., April 23Mass at 6 p.m.†Barry BradyThurs., April 24Mass at 6 p.m.†Betty Miller

Friday, April 25 Mass at 6 p.m. No intention scheduled

Saturday morning Mass at 9:30a, April 26

Saturday, April 26 (Vigil: 2nd Sunday/Easter—Divine Mercy)

5:30 p.m. †Francis J. Finan, Jr.

Sunday, April 27 (2nd Sunday/Easter—Divine Mercy Sunday)

8:30 a.m. †Annette Mellett 11:30 a.m. †Don Ward

3:00 p.m. Parishioners (Spanish Mass)



At all our Masses this weekend (April 19/20) there will be one basket passed at the offertory. Please place your "regular operating" donations AND your "Easter Holy Day" donations in this basket.

# E-Giving (April 7-11)

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(Due to the Easter bulletin early deadline, the collection results for Palm Sunday weekend were not yet available and will be included in next Sunday's bulletin.)

Next weekend (April 26/27) our 2nd Collection is for the Catholic Virginia (diocesan newspaper). Your donations to this 2nd collection helps to offset the cost to our parish for the <u>Catholic Virginian</u> sent to parishioners. (if you are a registered parishioner and not currently receiving the CV, please notify Rosie M. in the parish office.)

Many thanks to all of you for your ongoing support and generosity to Saint Anne's!

### Scripture for next Sunday

# Second Sunday of Easter/Divine Mercy Sunday

Acts 5:12-16

Peter's faith in Jesus enables him to work signs and wonders.

#### **Psalm 118**

"Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, His love is everlasting."

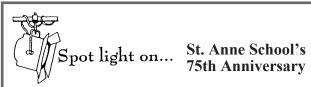
#### Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19

He is the first and the last, the one who lives.

#### John 20:19-31

How blessed are those who have not seen but have believed.

Our readings next Sunday challenge us to recognize the risen Lord's presence. In Acts, people from all around Jerusalem recognize the Lord's healing powers working through Peter, the disciple He left as head of the early church. John, the author of Revelation, recognizes the Lord in his visions. Thomas only recognizes the risen Lord when he sees Him in the flesh, but then believes at once. Let us marvel at the strong faith of these early Christians.



#### SATURDAY, MAY 3!!!

Celebrate St. Anne Catholic School's 75th anniversary!!

at the Historic Post Office (Bristol, VA)

3-5 p.m. A Walk Down Memory Lane

Charcuterie, drinks, celebration of our school's history with special guests, including former Teachers and Principals

\$50/Couple / \$30/Single

6-9 p.m. Decades: A Celebration

Heavy hors d'oeuvres, music, dancing; as we honor the past, present and future of our school. (optional: dress in your favorite decade!) \$60/Couple / \$35/Single

Get tickets thru the school office (276-669-0048) or scan the QR code—on the next page of this bulletin!!

# In Honor of:

Carmen Burns

Given by Joe & Donna Doyle *All St. Anne Teachers* 

Given by Deb Miller



Fr. Tom and St. Anne Church Staff and Volunteers; Cristin Colvin and St. Anne's Choir

Given by Pam & Ed and Michael Balaban

#### **Judith Rosenfeld Memorial Author Dinner**

Our School is celebrating its 32st annual author visit! This year we welcome award-winning author & illustrator Don Tate. Dinner is in the commons on **Thurs.**, **May 1** at 5:30p (cost \$15/person) followed by a <u>FREE presentation</u> at 6:30p. Please RSVP for the dinner and/or the presentation by April 23. To RSVP use link in the flocknote, QR code on bulletin board or email abush@stanneschoolbristol.org.

To our Parishioners & Visitors...
We wish you God's abundant
grace and blessings!
Happy Easter!



# Teacher Position—St. Anne Catholic School

St. Anne Catholic School is seeking qualified applicants for an elementary teacher for the 2025-2026 school year. Candidates must hold a valid teaching endorsement. Catholic applicants are especially encouraged to apply. If interested, please email ajohnson@stanneschoolbristol.org



**THANK YOU** to the generous sponsors for our School's **75th Anniversary Celebration**. We have raised \$65,475 toward our goal of \$75,000!

Please join us on **Saturday**, **May 3**, at the Historic Bristol Post Office to celebrate our past and look forward to our future at our **75th Anniversary** Celebration.

Tickets can be purchased through the school office (276-669-0048) or scan this QR code!

