



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...*(no on June 2)* 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 ...*(no on 6/7)* 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: (or by appt.)

Sat. 8:30-930a *(no on 6/7)*; & 4p-5:15p

Tues. *(no on 6/3)*; Wed. 5-6p; Thur.5-545p

Adoration:

Tues. June 3: 9a-5p; Wednesday 6-7p;

Saturday 830-930a *(no on 6/7)*

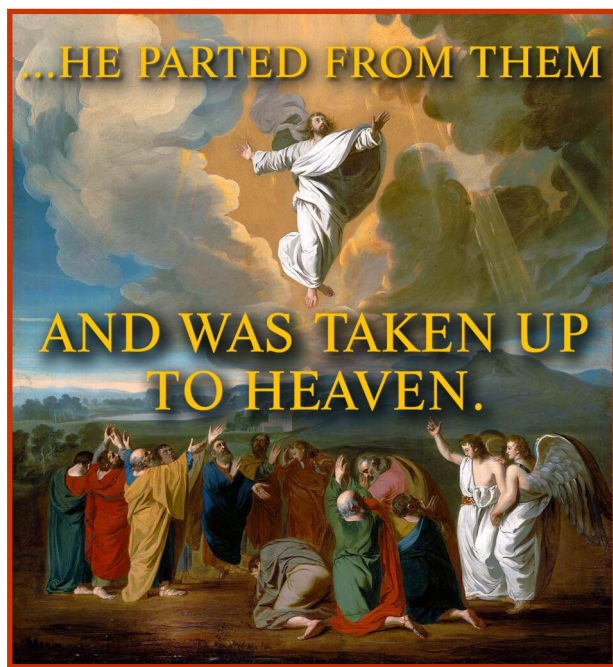
Baptisms: Parents must attend Baptism Preparation. Contact the parish ofc.

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.



On this special day, we celebrate twin milestones: Jesus' ascension from earth to heaven and the commissioning of the disciples. Before Jesus left them, He told His disciples to preach in His name to all the nations, from Jerusalem to the ends of the earth. Then His apostles saw Him lifted up and out of their sight, never to return in bodily form until the end of time. As His disciples, let us carry on the mission of the first apostles, trusting that the Holy Spirit will guide us and empower us to be witnesses to the world of Jesus' love and forgiveness.



God's abundant blessings and
our best wishes to

Caroline Anne Blackmore

&

Patrick Charles Morin

who were married here last weekend.



Newly Baptized

God's blessings on those who we welcomed
into God's family in baptism in the month of May!

Lucia Grace Montgomery

Daughter of Johanna & Curtis Montgomery
Godparents: Trinidad Guadalupe & Alvaro Morales

Celeste Gallardo

Daughter of Miguel Gallardo Ayala & Ibeth Garcia
Godparents: Irene & Arturo Gallardo

A Message from Father Tom...

The prophet Daniel prophesied that The Son of Man would appear on a cloud and be granted dominion; in the Acts of the Apostles and the gospel today, we see that account echoed. It is good and necessary that Jesus return to the Father, for the descent of the Holy Spirit (which we celebrate next weekend at Pentecost) and that he could serve as the great High Priest in the true Holy of Holies which is the heavenly temple.

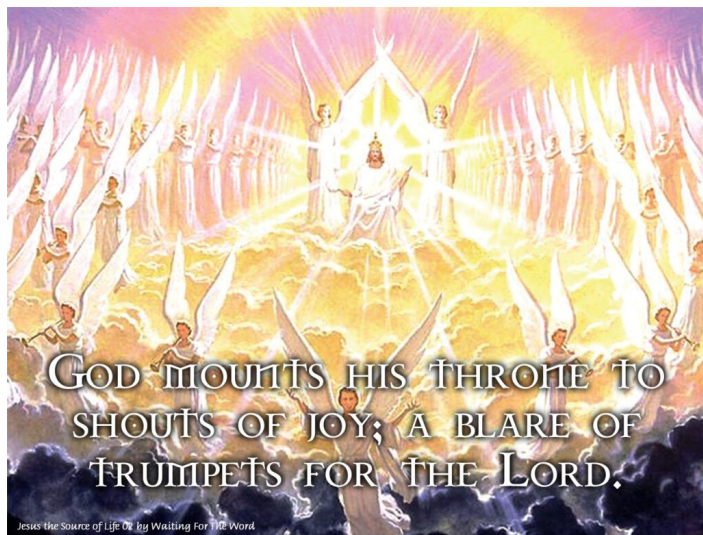
This is the mode by which he constantly mediates our relationship with his Father in his own glorified flesh. This is intertwined with his judgement seat, whereby he is keenly aware of all of us, as we have life in him through our baptism, and are presented to the Father through our participation in his glorified body.

And so, we rejoice with gladness as things have come to pass as they must in order that the whole world may be gathered to God and that none may be lost.

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

It's 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 on our website [stannecatholicbristol.org](https://stannecatholicbristol.flocknote.com/) or use this link:

<https://stannecatholicbristol.flocknote.com/>



St. Anne Catholic School
75th Anniversary
COOKBOOKS for SALE
after Masses this Weekend!!

Support our School and enjoy over 130 Saint Anne family recipes. Stop by the table in the hall by the Great Room after Mass this weekend (May 31/June 1) to purchase a Cook Book (*or maybe more than one—would be nice gift for someone!*) Cost is \$20.

Please take note!

- ♦ No weekday Mass, Monday, June 2
- ♦ Masses on Tuesday, June 3
 - Morning Weekday Mass at 8:30a
 - SAS 8th Grade Graduation Mass at 6p
- ♦ (No Confessions Tues., June 3)
- ♦ No a.m. Mass/Adoration/Confessions Sat., June 7
(Fr. Tim Drake will be here for 4p Confessions and for our 5:30 p.m. Mass)

VIRTUS TRAINING: Monday, June 2, 11a-2p

We are offering an in-person VIRTUS training this Monday, June 2, from 11a to 2p at the St. Augustine Center. Would you like to help with VBS but haven't done the training? Hoping to serve with children or youth in our parish this year? This is a great chance to get the training right here on campus. Contact Sarah French at sfrench@stannes-bristol.org to register.

**Adoration
of the
Blessed
Sacrament**



Take time from your schedule to come pray silently with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. This week there will be Adoration:

Tuesday, June 3, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

(begins after the 8:30a Mass and concludes with Benediction at 5 p.m.; closing early this month due to 8th Gr. Graduation Mass at 6 p.m.)

Wednesday, June 4, 8:30a-9:30a

*"Every Holy Hour we make
so pleases the Heart of Jesus
that it is recorded in Heaven
and retold for all eternity!"*

(St. Teresa of Calcutta)

**ALTAR SERVER
TRAINING**

Sunday, June 15

9:45a-11:15a

(between the Masses)



Children, Teens, Adults

Baptized Catholics, who have received their First Holy Communion, and are in good standing with the Church, are invited to serve in this ministry. Come to the training to learn more about this liturgical ministry and get hands on practice. We extend a special invitation to our children who have just received their First Communion. Please join us!



BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

The annual **Baby Bottle Campaign** sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Council #6695 continues through Father's Day weekend: **June 14/15**. 100% of donations benefit Pathways Pregnancy Resource Center, which provides ultrasounds and assistance to anyone in East Tennessee/Southwest Virginia who **choose the gift of life**. The Large Baby Bottle is on the table in the commons for donations. If you wish to have your own small bottle, small bottles are also available and may be returned to any member of the KofC or to the parish. If you donate by check, please make it payable to Knights of Columbus #6695. Questions? Please contact Michael Morel at mjpmorel@yahoo.com.

Last Day of School!

St. Anne's School will start their summer break at noon this Tuesday, June 3. Congratulations to all of our 8th Grade Graduates! The 2025-2026 academic year for our school will begin on August 18.

St. Anne's Parish Pastoral Council will meet this Thursday, June 5 at 7 p.m. in the Great Room.

Ordinations—Saturday, June 7

Fr. Tom and Seminarians Martin & C.J. will be at the priesthood ordination in Richmond Saturday, June 7. (No Sat. morning Mass, confessions or Adoration June 7.) Please keep **Samuel Hill, Matthew Kelly, and Andrew Clark** in your prayers on the blessed occasion of their ordination to the priesthood.



Mass Intentions

(Weekday Mass, Saturday, May 31 at 9:30a)

Saturday, May 31 (Vigil: Ascension)

5:30 p.m. †Patti Boatright

Sunday, June 1 (Ascension of the Lord)

8:30 a.m. †Sharon Mooney

11:30 a.m. †Clyde Hopper

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

(No Weekday Mass, Monday, June 2)

Tuesday, June 3

8:30 a.m. †Annette Mellett

6:00 p.m. Spec. Int.: SAS 8th Grade Graduates

Wednesday, June 4

8:30 a.m. †James Martinis

Thursday, June 5

6:00 p.m. no intention yet scheduled

Friday, June 6

8:30 a.m. †Beth Graham

(No morning weekday Mass, Sat., June 7)

Saturday, June 7 (Vigil: Pentecost)

5:30 p.m. †Michael Kearns

Sunday, June 8 (PENTECOST)

8:30 a.m. †Spec. Int.: Greg & Peggy Chudzik
(60th anniv. 06/05)

11:30 a.m. †Patti Boatright

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



COLLECTION

E-Giving (May 15-21)

Regular/Operating	\$4,049
Building/roof repairs	\$ 50
Bristol Faith In Action (BFIA)	\$ 125
Diocesan Home Missions	\$ 100
St. Anne Catholic School	\$ 153

Collection Report (May 24/25)

Regular/Operating	\$12,536.01
Parish Charities/Outreach	\$ 20
Diocesan Home Missions	\$ 3,251.02
St. Anne Catholic School	\$ 153

2nd Collection this weekend (May 31/June 1) is for
St. Anne Catholic School. Thank you for your generosity.

Next 2nd Collection: June 28/29—Holy Father/Peter's Pence.

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

Scripture Readings for next Sunday

PENTECOST

Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11

As on Sinai, the Lord descends in fire and wind.

Psalm 104

*"Lord, send out your Spirit,
and renew the face of the earth."*

Romans 8:8-17

*Those who are led by the Spirit of God
are children of God.*

John 20:19-23

*On the first day of the week the risen Christ
imparts the Holy Spirit.*

Next Sunday's readings express the joy and wonder of the Holy Spirit, from the moment the Holy Spirit comes down upon the first disciples to all the wonderful gifts through which the Holy Spirit is made manifest. One can tell from listening to these writers how overwhelmed they were by the Spirit's presence. May God's word help us realize the workings of the Holy Spirit in our own lives and in our world.

Annulment Seminar/Retreat

June 10 & June 11

Jubilee House Retreat Center—Abingdon, VA

Afraid to start the annulment process?

Divorced and unsure how to proceed?

This Retreat is for you!

Fr. Brian Capuano, Judicial Vicar for the Diocese of Richmond will be facilitating this retreat at the Jubilee House on June 10/11. The seminar for June 10 (Tuesday) begins with dinner at 6 p.m. followed at 7p by a talk on annulments, then time for questions and answers, and time for one on one discussion. The Wednesday, June 11 seminar will start with breakfast at 8:30a followed at 9:30a by the talk, questions & answers, time for one on one discussion and lunch. See the posted flyers for more information. Please RSVP (by June 2) if you plan to attend: contact Walter Joyce at wjoyce@stannes-bristol.org.

Suggested donation \$10.

Tennis Program

for Ages 6-16

Nat'l Junior Tennis League/Bristol

Bristol TN Parks & Recreation

For Boys, Girls; Beginner, Intermediate

June 9 thru July 18

(9a-10:30a; Monday thru Friday)

Come one week or all six; Racquets & balls provided

Go to BRISTOLTN.RECDESK.COM or call 423-764-4023



Vacation Bible School
July 14-18



Vacation Bible School
July 14-18 (mornings)

We plan to have fun for all ages!
Don't wait to register!

All who register by June 15 receive a free VBS cinch bag. Contact Sarah French sfrench@stannes-bristol.org with any questions.

Volunteers and Students can register through:
<https://vbspro.events/p/events/043522>

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience is an opportunity to help your marriage grow and blossom to live your best life in love. Upcoming experiences are scheduled for:

- ♦ June 20-22 in Raleigh, NC
- ♦ September 12-14 in Richmond, VA

ROSARY: Would you be willing to lead the Rosary before the 5:30p or 8:30 a Mass?

More folks are needed to lead the Rosary.. currently our Rosary leaders are scheduled every other weekend—if you would be willing to join the list then our dedicated folks who have been leading the Rosary could get a bit more of a break on the schedule. Contact Rosie in the Parish Office if you can help. 276-669-8200 or stannes@stannes-bristol.org