



Saint Anne

Catholic Church

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EUCHARISTIC LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening	5:00 PM
Sunday	7:30, 9:15 & 11:00 AM
Holy Days	Consult Bulletin Sunday prior
Weekdays	Monday, Wednesday and Friday 8:00 AM Communion Service Saturday 8:00 AM Tuesday and Thursday 7:00 AM Wednesday 7:00 PM
Reconciliation	Saturdays 3:30-4:30 PM

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PARISH OFFICE

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551 Boulder Hill Pass
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630-554-3331
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PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8:30 AM-8:30 PM
Friday 8:30 AM-Noon
CLOSED Saturday/Sunday

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630-554-0530

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE PRE-KN—HIGH SCHOOL

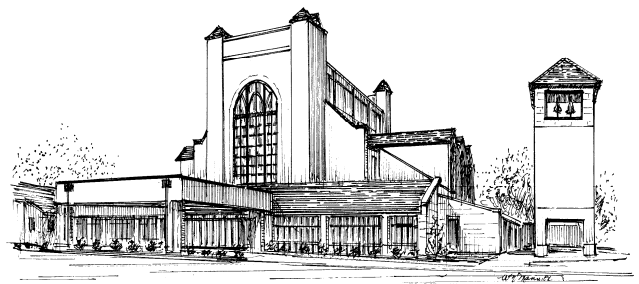
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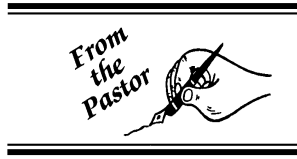
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OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Thursday: 10:00 AM-7:30 PM
Friday: 8:30 AM-Noon





OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

October 7th was the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, and October is traditionally the month of the Rosary. The origins of the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary go back to the 16th century when Christian armies of Europe won a number of victories over the Muslim Turks. While the battles raged, the people of Rome prayed the Rosary. In thanksgiving for the victory of the Christian navy at Lepanto, October 7, 1592, the day was dedicated to Our Lady of Victory. The name was soon changed to Our Lady of the Rosary. Catholics today do not celebrate this victory, but rather give thanks for the gift of the Rosary. The month of October has been dedicated to the Rosary, because of this feast.

Christians through the ages have shown Mary veneration and love. They have called upon her in prayer and they imitate her. All these ways of praising Mary should draw us closer to Christ. When Mary is honored, her Son is acknowledged and loved. People will then want to follow His commandments. To love Mary means to love Jesus, for she is always the Mother of Jesus.

When we pray to Mary we are not substituting her for Christ, but honoring her Son who wants us to have loving confidence in His saints, especially in His Mother. Let us pray the Rosary always, reflecting upon those mysteries of the life of Christ, that we in turn will experience the graces promised us.

Father David

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

We can find a solid basis for this sacrament in the New Testament from the Letter of St. James (5:14-16.) “Are there any who are sick among you? Let them send for the priests of the Church, and let the priests pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord; and the prayer of faith will save the sick and raise them up; and if they have committed any sins, their sins will be forgiven them.” The important elements of the ritual are the laying on of hands by the priest, the offering of the prayer of faith, and the actual anointing with the Oil of the Sick.

Next week: The different parts of the ritual.

Father David

Monday, October 10th

8:00 AM-Chmura Family req.
Regina Roszkowski

Tuesday, October 11th

7:00 AM-Myles McDermott req.
Rovtar Family

Wednesday, October 12th

8:00 AM-Dorothy Rickert req.
Family

7:00 PM-Don Hiemenz, Jr. req.
Family

Thursday, October 13th

7:00 AM-Agnes Zywicki req. Family

Friday, October 14th

8:00 AM-Jean-Claude Kruchten req. Family

Saturday, October 15th

8:00 AM-Communion Service
5:00 PM-Joseph Vitez req. Bill Roglin

Sunday, October 16th

7:30 AM-Robert Kelly req. Anne Kelly
9:15 AM-For the Parishioners
11:00 AM-Lorraine Koza req. Mary Bolton



MONDAY

Offices and Facilities closed
Columbus Day Holiday

4:00 and 7:30 PM-Confirmation.

TUESDAY

9:30 AM-AFF: Women's Scripture Study.
4:30 & 6:00 PM-RE K-6 classes.
7:30 PM-Charismatic Prayer Group meets. All are welcome to attend.

7:30 PM-AFF: Marriage, the Early Years.

7:30 PM-AFF: Team meeting.

7:30 PM-HS Godparent planning meeting.

WEDNESDAY

9:00 AM-Rosary.

9:00 AM-Bereavement Team meeting.

9:30 AM-Moms Group.

9:30 AM-AFF: Morning of Reflection: Dr. Mary Amore.

4:30 & 6:00 PM-RE K-6 classes.

7:30 PM-Contemporary Adult Choir.

7:30 PM-Peace and Justice meeting.

7:30 PM-Talent Show auditions.

THURSDAY

1:30 PM-Saint Anne Seniors meeting.

4:30 & 6:00 PM-RE K-6 classes.

7:30 PM-AFF: Faith-Filled Catholic Women's Bible Study.

7:30 PM-Butterflies Grief Support.

7:30 PM-Talent Show auditions.

SATURDAY

7:30 AM-Men's Cursillo.

7:30 AM-Women's Cursillo.

4:30-6:30 PM-Religious Article Sales.

4:30 PM-PADS Food Drop-Off;

5:00 PM-AFF: Family Faith Night.

6:30 PM-PADS Shift at Hesed House.

SUNDAY

All Masses-Hospitality Sunday.

7:15 AM-12:30 PM-Religious Goods Store.

8:00 AM-Men's Spirituality.

9:15 AM-Nursery.

9:15 AM-Liturgy of the Word for Children.

9:15 AM-Wee Worship classes.

10:30 AM-SpiritSong.

12:30 PM-Baptisms.

4:30 & 6:30 PM-RE Grades 7-8 classes.

7:00 PM-HS Godparent Home Sessions.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 1:1-7; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday: Rom 2:1-11; Lk 11:42-46
Thursday: Rom 3:21-30; Lk 11:47-54
Friday: Rom 4:1-8; Lk 12:1-7
Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18; Lk 12:8-12
Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

OFFICES CLOSED

In observance of the Columbus Day holiday, all parish offices and facilities will be closed Monday, October 10th.

GOD'S SHARE

All of us are recipients of many blessings from God. In return, He expects that we praise Him for His goodness and thank Him for His generous gifts. Thanking, however, is not done in word only, but in deed, also.

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
Parish Offering		
Sunday Offering	\$25,599.38	\$25,000.00
E-Giving	\$ 1,014.50	37 Transactions
Children's Offering	\$ 116.41	
Money not in envelope but in above figure	\$ 1,421.21	
Parishioners registered for envelopes as of September 30, 2011	3,873	
Average Regular Envelope Users	624	16% Participation
Number of envelopes used last Sunday	666	17% Participation
Number of Children's envelopes used	104	07% Participation

✠ Contributions may be made directly to the Church Construction Fund. Please contact the parish office, 554-3331, for information.

E-Giving: If you would like to participate in E-Giving, please log on to the Saint Anne website: www.stanneparish.org and click on the E-Giving link. Please follow link for instructions.

2011 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES ANNUAL APPEAL - Diocese of Joliet

This is a reminder to send your Appeal coupon with payment to the Donations Processing Center by the 15th of each month. We meet our parish goal only when pledges have been fulfilled.

We are *"One in the Bread of Life; united in a Covenant of Love."*

Thank you for supporting our brothers and sisters in need.

STEWARDSHIP NOTE FOR TODAY

"In today's second reading, St. Paul thanks the Philippians for being willing to share in his hardships and promises that God, in turn, will fully supply all their needs. Our God truly cannot be outdone in generosity!"

AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DIFIBRILLATOR AED

Located Across from Parish Offices

PARISH MAILING ADDRESS

Reminder: anything **mailed** to parish offices must be addressed to:

P. O. Box 670
Oswego, IL 60543-0670

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Bulletin articles are due into the parish office by 10:00 AM Thursday, 10 days before the Sunday you wish the article to appear. You may drop off, fax (554-0530) or e-mail (stanne@stanneparish.org) your articles.

BUTTERFLIES GRIEF SUPPORT

Thursday, October 13th is the second Fall Session. We will meet in the Joachim Center at 7:30 PM.

Topic: *Adjusting to the Loss*

It is beneficial for you to attend all four sessions.

For more information please call Phyllis Nevsimal, 630-553-2029 or Carolyn Gray, 630-553-7780.

ST. ANNE BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

*There is no "right" way
or timeline for healing.
We are each uniquely created
by God, and we each cope with
our own loss and find healing in
our own unique way and time.*

"ASK AND SEEK. . .

. . . and your heart will grow big enough to receive Him and keep Him as your own." (Mother Teresa)

Prayer brings us into deeper relationship with God and enables us to help each other in a very meaningful way.

If you would like to join in our ministry of prayer or would like to request prayer for a special intention, call Jackie Johnson, 554-1591.

PLEASE PRAY.....

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| Deborah Boban | Mary Lou Clark |
| Kerry Anne Engdahl | Elizabeth Gebe |
| Vicky Gibson | Bridget Harris |
| Kelli Kaczynski | Maryann Klis |
| Linda Liptak | Charlotte Messing |
| Aubrey Wiedman | Kelly Worth |
| Genevieve Wozek | Joseph Zacher |
| Janet Zakosek | |

And all who are experiencing illness and are not listed by name.

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

If you know of someone unable to attend Mass regularly due to age or illness and wishes to receive Communion at home, please have them contact the parish office, 630-554-3331, so that arrangements can be made to have a Pastoral Care Minister bring the Eucharist to their home.

PRAYER LIST

Recently, people have come up to the priests, the deacons, ushers and cantors and have asked to have the name of a person put on our prayer list. Often the person making this request is a family member. Sometimes it is a friend or acquaintance of the one needing prayer. Due to privacy laws now in place, we must be very careful who is put on the list, especially when a name is publicly announced. Even though the intention we have concerning the making a request for prayers for someone is a good one, we must consider that the person may wish his or her privacy to be respected.

The person or immediate family member should communicate to us the request to be put on the sick list or an immediate family member for the deceased list. Please keep this in mind in making the request for adding names to our prayer lists. The list is typed on Friday morning. All are asked that if you have a person in your immediate family (spouse, parent, next of kin) to be put on our prayer list for the weekend that you call the parish office first. We are aware that sometimes illness occurs suddenly and may occur over the weekend. Please do not put the name on the list yourself or ask cantors or ushers. Rather, please ask Father David, Deacon David, Deacon Duane, or Sr. Margaret Anne to do this.

Saint Anne Parish continues to be committed to pray for those who are sick and suffering, even if we are unable to list everyone by name.

R.C.I.A.**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (R.C.I.A.) is a spiritual journey in faith to discover what it means to follow Jesus as a Catholic Christian and the joy and freedom that can result from journeying with Christ. Every year adults are welcomed into the Catholic Community through R.C.I.A.. It is a learning and loving process in which conversion of the heart brings you to Jesus Christ who is our Lord and Savior. *Come to me, all you who are weary and find life burdensome, and I will refresh you. Take My yoke upon your shoulders and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble of heart. Your souls will find rest, for My yoke is easy and My burden light.* Matthew 11:28-30

If you or anyone you know have any questions and are high school age or older,

please contact Deacon David Brockman
at 630-554-3331.



If you have any questions, please contact:

Deacon David Brockman; 630-554-3331 Ext. 31;
rcia@stanneparish.org
or
Sister Margaret Anne Spagnola, OSM; 630-554-3331
Ext. 36
pstast@stanneparish.org

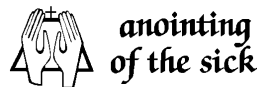
RESPECT LIFE MONTH

Please pray for the prayers in our basket, petitions and prayers written last weekend at the Knights of Columbus *Birthright* breakfast.

Think of activities to celebrate *Respect Life* month such as:

- * visiting an elderly relative or neighbor
- * going to a nursing home
- * watch a pro-life movie such as *Bella* or *The Blind Side*
- * write your congressman/woman
- * support a **Pro-Life** business or event
- * pray the rosary at Planned Parenthood on October 22nd
- * or think of your own ideas.

To get a list of ideas, please e-mail Cindy Rung: cynrung@aol.com.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK — SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22nd**

On Saturday, October 22nd at 10:00 AM, we will have the *Celebration and Administration of the Sacrament of the Sick*. Mass will be celebrated. (There will be **NO** 8:00 AM Communion Service this Saturday.) Several priests from the area will be present to assist and to allow for greater convenience. Brunch will be served in the Joachim Center following the Mass. Reservations are **NOT** required for brunch.

If you need any kind of assistance with anything (transportation, etc.), please call Sr. Margaret Anne, 554-3331. It is our prayer and hope that as many as can will receive this Sacrament during this Fall Season of the Church.

If you are not able to come and would like to receive this Sacrament, please call the office, 630-554-3331, to let us know. We will be happy to provide an alternate time for the anointing.

MORNINGS OF REFLECTION**Dr. Mary Amore***Mary and Martha - Wednesday, October 12, 2011**Lost Women of the Bible - Wednesday, October 19, 2011*

9:30-11:30 AM - Joachim Center

Open for all ages

You are never too young or too old to learn.

RSVP: Gail Fonseca, 630-554-8848

FAITH, HOPE AND A BIRD CALLED GEORGE*“The presence all around us holding everything together.”**Emerson Creek Pottery and Tea Room Gathering*

Guest Speaker: Sandy Book

Tuesday, October 18, 2011

10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon

RSVP: Nancy Gonzales, 630-264-0009; nfgonzo@aol.com

Maureen Tudder, 630-554-9733; maureen@tudder.net

LIBRARY NEEDS

Camille Kramer is stepping down as volunteer library coordinator after helping with the library for over 7 years.

We are currently looking for a parishioner to volunteer their time and talent so that the library may continue in the very organized way it has.

If you would like more information on this ministry or to volunteer, please call Sister Margaret Anne, 630-554-3331.

**HIDDEN TREASURES—Library
Check out some great Reading!**

Did you know. . . Saint Anne Parish has not one but two libraries in the Joachim Center? The adult library is located across the hall from the Chapel. It has quite a large collection of books, as well as audio and VCR tapes. The children's area is in the opposite hall.

The libraries are open when the Joachim Center is open and we use a “self-check out” system.

Why not check it out!

CATHOLICISM SERIES
TO BE SHOWN ON WTTW (CHANNEL 11)
Beginning in October

Be sure to watch *Catholicism*, a beautiful and powerful new documentary on Catholic faith over four consecutive Thursdays (8:00 PM) or Sundays (4:00 PM) beginning on October 13th. Never before has the Catholic Church been portrayed on TV in such an inspiring and sweeping manner! Join with Fr. Robert Barron (a priest of the Archdiocese of Chicago) on a journey through time and across our globe as he explains and celebrates the origins, beliefs and impact of the Catholicism in our world. Also, please tell others about this special TV event. Invite neighbors, co-workers, family and friends to share in this exciting and sweeping look at Catholic faith.

Episode 1 - Thursday, October 13th 8:00 PM/Sunday, October 16th 4:00 PM

Amazed and Afraid: The Revelation of God Become Man

Episode 2 - Thursday, October 20th 8:00 PM/Sunday, October 23rd 4:00 PM

That Than Which Nothing Greater Can Be Thought: The Mystery of God

Episode 3 - Thursday, October 27th 8:00 PM/Sunday, October 30th 4:00 PM

Our Tainted Nature's Solitary Boast: Mary, the Mother of God

Episode 4 - Thursday, November 3rd 8:00 PM/Sunday, November 6th 4:00 PM

The Indispensable Men: Peter, Paul and the Missionary Adventure

WOMEN OF VISION --- *Continued*

Guest Speaker: Sr. Jane Schlosser

Wednesday, November 9th, 2011
9:00 to 11:00 AM

Please RSVP:

Nancy Gonzales, 630-264-0009; nfgonzo@aol.com

or

Maureen Tudder, 630-554-9733; maureen@tudder.net

ADULT GATHERING

Danelli's

Guest Speaker: Rob Gillingham

Sunday, November 13, 2011
12:30-2:30 PM

Please RSVP by **November 6th, 2011** to:

Nancy Gonzales, 630-264-0009; nfgonzo@aol.com

or

Maureen Tudder, 630-554-9733; maureen@tudder.net

MOMS GROUP

The mission of the Saint Anne Moms Group is to nurture our growth and formation as women, wives and mothers by providing support for each other through fellowship, discussion and prayer. Through this ministry we hope to create a place where supportive friendships are formed and women are uplifted. Most importantly we strive to integrate our families and ourselves more completely into the richness of the Roman Catholic faith.

Wednesday meetings are located in the Joachim Center from 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM (unless otherwise noted). The Nursery opens at 9:15 AM. There is also weekly Rosary on Wednesdays at 9:00 AM in the Chapel; children are welcome to attend with their mother! For more information about Moms' Group, contact Susie Guglielmi, 630-264-2617 or Gretchen Heiar, 630-636-6044. If you would like to attend Ladies Night Out, please R.S.V.P. to Maggie Kinn, 630-301-7230.

October

- 12 WED Morning of Reflection** - This is the second of three talks that Dr. Mary Amore will be giving. The second is about Mary and Martha.
- 15 SAT Family Faith Night** - after 5:00 PM Mass in the Joachim Center.
- 18 TUES Tea Room Gathering** - this will be off site at *Emerson Creek Tea Room* from 10:00 AM to Noon. Sandy Book will be the presenter. Hope to see you there! Please RSVP: Nancy Gonzales, 630-264-0009 or Maureen Tudder: 630-554-9733.
- 19 WED Morning of Reflection** - This is the last talk in the series by Dr. Mary Amore. The topic is *"Lost women of the Bible"*.
- 26 WED Rosary/Book Discussion - The Handbook for Catholic Moms by Lisa M. Hendley/ Bring a Meal Wednesday** - Please join us as we pray the Rosary together. We will continue with our book discussion about chapters 20-22 which discuss saints, the bible and our faith. If possible, bring a meal for the *Elizabeth Ministry* freezer today or to any meeting.

November

- 02 WED Dr. James Healy** will speak on *"How to Bless Your Child"* - a five step process.
- 09 WED A Cup....to Go** - Sr. Jane will speak on *Women of Vision* continued.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

In today's gospel it says that "The feast is ready, but those who were invited were not worthy to come." God invites us to make our Sacrament of Marriage worthy to come to the feast. Do we enrich our marriage to make it what God wants it to be?

Attend the next *Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend* on October 14-16, 2011.

Contact Tim and Pat Doyle, 630-577-0778. For more information visit our website at: wwmejoliet.org.

SAINT ANNE RELIGIOUS GOODS STORE

Come browse through our stock of Baptism and baby gifts, children's books, rosaries, crucifixes, prayerbooks, Bibles, holy cards, rosary bracelets, holy water fonts, statues, pet medals, First Holy Communion and Confirmation items, and more. We have something for everyone.

The Store is located across from Anniversary Hall and is open before and after all the weekend Masses:

Saturday 4:45-6:30 PM Sunday 7:15 AM thru 12:30 PM

If you have questions, please contact Jane Getty 630-554-0989 or Margaret Spitz, 630-896-2748.

THE WORLD APOSTOLATE OF FATIMA

The *World Apostolate of Fatima (The Blue Army)* is answering our Blessed Lady's request at Fatima to spread the devotion of praying the Rosary daily. Also, to make reparation and sacrifice for the souls of many to acquire peace, love and freedom for all the world.

Remember our beautiful Statue of our Lady of Fatima that resided in the Chapel? Come and visit her every Monday evening at 7:00 PM as we pray the Rosary. The Statue of Our Lady of Fatima is traveling from family to family throughout our parish community.

Schedule a time when "*Our Lady*" can visit in your home. Call Joanne, 630-554-2065, to make your reservation. You will be glad you did.

ADULT ONGOING FAITH JOURNEY

These are some web sites that you can go to for Scripture, spirituality and prayer.

For Scripture: www.wau.org
 www.scriptureschool.org
 www.usccb/nab (Lectionary readings for the day)

For spirituality: www.loyolapress.com
 www.prayasyougo.org
 www.sacredspace.ie

For info/retreat: www.franciscanradio.org
 www.emmausjourney.org
 www.cptryon.org/prayer
 www.americancatholic.org

These are a few of so many sites that help you know more about your faith as you journey with your God.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION Pre-K thru GRADE 8**Revised Roman Missal News**

November 27, the First Sunday of Advent, is the beginning of the new Liturgical (Church) Year, and as you hopefully have already heard, the kick-off date for use of the Revised Roman Missal (the new translation of the Mass). Here is some more information about what you need to know to be prepared:

- Articles explaining the new translation have been included in the parish bulletin for many months. Keep looking for additional Roman Missal bulletin inserts in the weeks ahead.
- All registered parish families were sent a letter over the summer from our pastor, Fr. David Hankus. This mailing included a pew card containing the new words the people will pray at Mass.
- The literature rack in the vestibule of the Parish Center has a section filled with information about the Revised Missal. Please help yourself to any of the resources you find there.
- There are many wonderful websites on the internet that offer information about the new translation. Any reputable Catholic site should have many resources to offer.
- Fr. Doug Martis and Sr. Sharon Stola have offered presentations about the Missal over the last two weeks right here at our parish.
- All RE students in grades 3-8 will be receiving a "What's New about the Mass" booklet. The students will be spending part of class time each week between now and the end of November to review the chapters of this booklet. Parents, please ask your children about what they learned each week, and review the pages of the booklet together at home to reinforce the lesson.

Religious Education Calendar of EventsMonday, October 10:

Columbus Day – No Classes;
Confirmation Masses at 4:00 and 7:30 PM

Saturday, October 15:

Family Faith Night! Everyone is invited to join us in the Joachim Center following the 5:00 PM Mass for a family-friendly faith activity. We hope to see you there!

Sunday, October 16:

Classes for 7th and 8th Graders at their regularly scheduled time;
Mass for Persons with Disabilities & Family/Friends at Noon - Holy Family Parish in Shorewood

Monday-Thursday, October 17-20:

First Reconciliation Parent and Child Gathering (for 2nd graders and RCIA2): At least one parent (or other special adult) must attend with their child during their regular class time.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY**RECYCLING FOR WORLD YOUTH DAY 2011**

In order to help offset the cost of the trip we invite you to participate in a **RECYCLING PROGRAM** for used computer ink cartridges and cell phones. We will receive a percentage of each item collected.

Donations may be brought to Deacon Duane in the Religious Education Office during regular Religious Ed office hours. For more information call Deacon Duane, 630-554-1425. Your participation is greatly appreciated.

SAINT ANNE FAMILY NIGHT AT BLACKBERRY FARM

100 S Barnes Aurora, IL

4:30-7:30 PM

October 30th, 2011

Come and join St Anne Parish for a Family Night at Blackberry Farm. This will include a wagon ride, train ride, and a campfire Bring your own hot dogs, drinks, marshmallows and sticks to cook the marshmallows. Condiments will be provided.

WEAR your favorite Costume!!

Admittance is free if you are a member of St Anne Parish. **Deadline is October 23, 2011.** Reservations: socialstanne@att.net or call Jerry/Pat Galligar 630-554-1454 for questions. Be sure to leave your name, phone number and the number of attendees.

LISTENING TO GOD'S CALL
Gatherings for Young Adult Women and Men
Considering Their vocation

- † Are you a young adult interested in serving God?
 † Would you like to discern your call with other young men and women?

The Joliet Area Vocation Association will offer a discernment series for adults ages 18-40 meeting monthly on Sunday afternoons from 3:00-5:00 at Loretto Center in Wheaton.

Discussion will cover discernment, exploring your vocation, and various elements of religious life. You may attend any or all sessions in which you are interested and the cost is free.

Upcoming dates and topics:

October 9th	<i>Discovering the Call</i>	November 13th	<i>Prayer</i>
December 11th	<i>Spirituality and Prayer</i>	January 8th	<i>Religious Life</i>
February 12th	<i>Vows - Chastity/Celibacy</i>	March 11th	<i>Vows - Poverty</i>
April 15th	<i>Vows - Obedience</i>	May 20th	<i>Bumps in the Road</i>
June 10th	<i>Explore Religious Orders</i>		

For more information and registration information please contact Sr. Claire Vandborg, 630-868-2904 or clvand@aol.com. A brochure with dates, topics and registration information can be found in the literature rack in the church or Joachim Center or visit the Joliet Vocations website www.vocations.com.

SEMINARY TRIPS

Major Seminary Visits - Men who are seniors in college or who already are college graduates are invited to visit one of the major seminaries that the Diocese of Joliet uses for theology: Mundelein Seminary and St. Meinrad Seminary. There is no cost for these trips.

College Seminary Visits - The Vocation Office sponsors trips for men who are juniors in high school and older to Conception Seminary College. There is no cost for this weekend visit.

During seminary visits participants have the opportunity to meet current seminarians and see seminary life first hand.

If interested in a major seminary or college seminary visit, please contact Vocation Director Father Burke Masters, 815-834-4004 or vocations@dioceseofjoliet.org.

VOCATION PRAYER CALENDARS/CARDS

Reminder. . . Brochures listing our Diocesan priests, religious life and diaconate for September through December 2011 are available in the literature racks of the church and parish center. Our prayers are appreciated for all. Prayer cards of the seminaries that were distributed on Vocation Awareness Sunday are still available in the literature racks as well.

COME, EAT AND PRAY - Single Catholic Women
 Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary, 717 N. Batavia Avenue, Batavia, IL

Come to a dinner and pray with the Sisters and *See What our Life is all About!* Mondays: October 24th, November 28th and December 26th from 5:00-8:00 PM. For more information please call Sr. Marie Mason, sscm, Vocation Minister, 815-370-7228.

PARKING LOT REMINDERS AND COURTESIES

With our Religious Education program beginning a new year, we want everyone to be safe coming and going to class. Please read your parent handbook and follow the parking lot and pick up and drop off procedures. We have volunteers serving as parking lot monitors. Please respect these volunteers and follow their requests.

More and more we are finding people parking or waiting along the curb (and in the cross walk of the Joachim Center) to come into the parish center and on Sundays during Mass times. Please take note that **there is no parking along the curb in front of all parish buildings at any time**: week days or weekends even if you are just running into the offices or building for a quick visit. The striping along the curbs indicate this. We ask everyone to be respectful of this and courteous to everyone using our facilities at any time. This allows for the safety of everyone and access to the ramped areas for seniors, the disabled and families using strollers. It also allows for a clear site when people are leaving the parish buildings.

Canopy: There is no parking or waiting under the canopy area of the church at any time: week days or weekends. This area is for drop off and pick up use for our liturgies.

Thank you for your cooperation.

KENDALL COUNTY PADS NEEDS YOUR HELP

Kendall County PADS will begin it's 2nd year of service to the homeless of the area very soon. Kendall County still has the highest number of home foreclosures in the State and there are over 100 children registered in local schools as homeless.

Again this year, Saint Anne parishioners will be volunteering to staff the 2nd Friday night (Saturday morning) of each month at Church of the Good Shepherd in Oswego from November 11, 2011 through April 13, 2012. Volunteers are needed to staff the 3 shifts:

- * 6:30-11:00 PM - set up for guests, greet and register guests, share a meal and help guests settle in for the night
- * 10:45 PM-3:00 AM - monitor guests and their needs; make bag lunches for guests to take with the next day
- * 2:45 AM - 7:00 AM - monitor guests and their needs, wake guests up for morning, serve breakfast and send guests on their way.

For more information on this ministry please, contact Dani Gale, 630-248-5546; dani.gale74@yahoo.com.

In addition to supporting Kendall County PADS, Saint Anne Parish has a long-standing commitment to HESED House PADS in Aurora. Thank you to all who volunteer to help those in need in the many capacities that parishioners volunteer and donate to.



WELCOME TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

We want to warmly welcome and congratulate the following children who were Baptized last Sunday by Father David Hankus:

BOBO, MACIE ANN

Daughter of Edward and Jennifer

HOLLOWAY, JACK LUCAS

Son of Gene and Jennifer

JANOSEK, BLAKE WAYLAND

Son of Robert and Dana

JOHNSON, ELIZABETH CATHERINE

Daughter of Christopher and Diane



The following registered with Saint Anne Parish during the month of September. We welcome:

*Marc and Tiffany Clemans
 Frederick and Carolyn Culasino
 David and Sheila Dzurik
 John and Judith Glancey
 Peter and Crisanta Lewandowski
 David and Sarah Lonsway
 Gail Moody
 David and Billi Mottet
 Brian and Mary O'Shaughnessy
 Michael and Lisa Resner
 Amanda Salgado
 Richard and Susan Sanderg
 Jean Wilson*

ATTENTION PADS VOLUNTEERS

Please remember to bring your food items to the Joachim Center between the hours of **4:30 and 5:15 PM on Saturday, October 15th, 2011.** Volunteers will be present during this time to accept and transport your food items to Hesus House.

The church kitchen is used for many activities during the week and on Saturdays thus making acceptance of food items prior to the designated drop off times not possible. **Should you encounter problems with the drop off time, please contact Terri Bell, 630-554-2171.**

SHOW US YOUR TALENT Saint Anne Talent Show Auditions

The Social Committee invites all Saint Anne Parishioners to audition for the November 4th *Talent Showcase*.

When: October 12th and 13th

Time: 7:30-9:00 PM

Where: Joachim Center

Who: We are looking for all singers, dancers, jugglers, comedians, poets and chin balancers! Piano accompaniment will be provided for singers. Please bring finished music.

To reserve your spot, email the Social Committee at socialstanne@att.net or contact Steve Claussen, 630-906-1423. ***Space is limited so sign up today!***



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For Information and Hall Rentals: Contact: Jim Boban, 630-554-9813 or
E-mail: kc7247il@yahoo.com
Web Page: www.oswegokc.org
Become a Knight: Contact Leo, 630-554-3755

BLOOD DRIVE

The third Knights of Columbus Blood is scheduled for Wednesday, October 12th from 2:00-6:30 PM at Brier Hall, 197 E. Washington Street, Oswego. For information and reservations please contact Larry, 630-554-0960.

KNIGHT MEETINGS

The Knights meet the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:30 PM at Brier Hall.

OCTOBER DATES TO REMEMBER

The following is a list of dates in October that you may want to keep open on your calendar:

October 12th	Community Blood Drive, Brier Hall 2:00-6:30 PM
October 14th	Pork Chop Dinner, Brier Hall 4:30-6:30 PM
October 20th	Knights council meeting, Brier Hall 7:30 PM
October 29th	Annual Wheel Chair Fundraiser, Brier Hall 2:00-6:00 PM dinner and Show (features the music of "TRIO" a local group. For tickets (\$25.00) call Jim, 630-554-9695.

LADIES COAT DRIVE

Now is the time to gather up your coats, hats and mittens for the annual Ladies Auxiliary Coat Drive on November 13th.



SAINT ANNE SENIORS —S.A.S.

October 13th - SAS meeting 1:30 PM. We will have an interesting program on World Youth Day. The report will be presented by Deacon Duane Wozek on the highlights in Madrid, Spain.

November 10th - SAS meeting 1:30 PM - Meeting and BINGO

December 1st - SAS Christmas Lunch party. New date and time. More information later. Sign up starting in October.

Saint Anne Seniors group meets the 2nd Thursday of every month at 1:30 PM in the Joachim Center. Please join us for fun and companionship. All registered parishioners 55 and older are invited to join the Saint Anne Seniors (SAS) group.

Send payment to Doris Wright, treasurer, 630-264-3023.

TREE OF LIGHT INFANT MEMORIAL MASS
Saint Charles Pastoral Center, Romeoville

Sunday, November 6, 2011 - 2:00 PM

All families and individuals are welcome to attend this Mass, celebrated by Bishop Imesch at the St. Charles Pastoral Center in Romeoville. This Mass is held in remembrance of babies who have been lost through miscarriage, stillbirth, infant death, other pregnancy losses or early childhood death.

At 2:00 PM a special outdoor tree-lighting ceremony for family members to commemorate these babies will precede the Mass. Family members may wish to arrive at 1:30 PM to sign in and to gather in the chapel. ***Please note that the time has changed from previous years.***

Friends and family members are invited. A reception with light refreshments will be served immediately following. Please call 815-838-5334 to indicate the number of those planning to attend. If you are not able to attend and would like your baby remembered, please call us.

‘THE SOUNDS OF SACRED MUSIC’ CONCERT

Saint Petronille Church, Glen Ellyn

October 13, 2011

With gratitude for those who have supported Catholic Education in the Diocese of Joliet, the first annual, ***‘The Sounds of Sacred Music’ Concert*** will be held on Thursday, October 13th at 7:00 PM at Saint Petronille Church, Glen Ellyn.

Join Bishop R. Daniel Conlon and Fr. John Belmonte, S.J., Ph.D., (Superintendent of Schools) for an evening to enjoy choirs, choral groups, duets and soloists from many of our parishes in this inspirational and unique faith concert. This concert was created as an outreach event designed to bring a greater sense of unity to the Catholic Education Foundation community as well as all people in general.

Come Join in the Celebration

This concert is **FREE**. Please RSVP to the Catholic Education Foundation Office, 815-834-4023.

CARMELITE SPIRITUAL CENTER EVENTS

The Carmelite Spiritual Center, 8433 Bailey Road, Darien, is offering the following events:

For more information or to register: 630-969-4141; www.carmelitespiritualcenter.org

Bold Women, Beautiful Disciples Monday, November 7th 9:30 AM-1:30 PM. with Sr. Joy Clough, RSM. Whether or not we know their names, we know their stories: the stories of women bold enough to approach Jesus and to believe in Him. Who knows what we might discover about our own identity as disciples of Jesus!

Who is Suffering from Dementia? God or Us? Thursday, November 10th 9:30 AM-2:00 PM with Fr. bob Colaresi O. Carm. Remember and forgetting are so common to our human experience. Sometimes we forget or wonder if God has forgotten us. Father will lead us in a reflection on the Eternal Memory of God.

Gratitude/Thanksgiving Tuesday, November 15th 9:30 AM-1:30 PM with Fr. David Simpson, O. Carm. Hear how Saint Teresa of Avila teaches that one does not advance in the spiritual journey without gratitude.

MISSION STATEMENT

God has called us to be Christian witnesses by the precious gift of our Catholic faith through Baptism. Just as Saint Anne had a role in God's plan so do each of us. We are called to faithfully teach and live the message of Jesus. We listen to God's word, grow in our understanding of it and respond to it through outreach and service in our own parish as well as the wider community. We exercise our responsibility to develop and see the gifts God has given us for the common good and to insure that our Eucharistic celebrations are truly joyful and meaningful.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are held the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at 12:30 PM. Expectant parents are to call the Parish Office, six months before the birth of their child for preparation information. **Please do not choose Godparents until you receive the established Church guidelines for Godparents.**

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples seeking the Sacrament of Marriage should call the parish office six months before the marriage date. A Marriage date cannot be given until the couple has talked with the parish priest.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

If there is anyone at home who cannot get to Mass and the Sacraments because of illness or age, please call the parish office at anytime to request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Those interested in becoming Catholic or in learning more about the Catholic faith meet weekly. Call the parish office or e-mail rcia@stanneparish.org for more information.

STEWARDSHIP PARISH

We are a stewardship parish. This means that every parishioner with an income is asked to use a Sunday envelope, since we expect to meet our needs from the one collection at the Presentation of the Gifts.

NEW PARISHIONERS

All new families are warmly welcomed to Saint Anne Parish and we ask that you register your family by calling the parish office during office hours.

Parish Office — 630-554-3331; stanne@stanneparish.org



Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 9, 2011

*I can do all things in Him
who strengthens me.*

--Philippians 4:13