All Are Welcome!

We welcome new members to join our parish family. Please contact the parish office. We also welcome any adult who was never baptized, baptized non-Catholics or those seeking to receive First Eucharist or Confirmation to become a full participant in the Catholic Church.

ADVENT DAY OF RECONCILIATION- Monday, December 17th
You are invited to experience God's comfort through the Sacrament of Reconciliation.
Priests will be in the Church from 3:00PM until 9:00PM.
Reconciliation is also offered every Saturday from 4:00PM - 4:45PM or by calling the parish office for an appointment.

Celebrating Christmas Mass at Saint Anne's

Christmas Eve - Monday, December 24th
4:00PM in the Church
4:00PM Family Mass in McCloskey Auditorium
6:00PM in the Church
9:00PM in the Church
Midnight in the Church - Choir begins at 11:15PM

Christmas Day - Tuesday, December 25th
7:00AM, 8:30AM, 10:00AM, 11:45AM & 1:15PM
All Masses are celebrated in the Church - Please note there is no evening Mass on Christmas Day
Please note the 4PM & 6 PM Masses on Christmas Eve are often filled beyond capacity.
You may wish to attend one of our other liturgies.

Our best wishes for a blessed and joyous Christmas!

2019 is the 90th Anniversary of Saint Anne's

Anniversary trivia question:
To help finance the first St. Anne's Church the Holy Name Society had a fund raising event at the Stewart Manor Country Club. What type of an event was it?
See page 15 for the answer and anniversary events

Saint Anne’s

Year End Financial Report
Please see pages 4,5,6,7
Catholic Daughters Court Saint Anne Christmas Luncheon

Saint Anne’s Catholic Daughters gathered for a festive Christmas Luncheon at the Westbury Manor last Friday. Members enjoyed a delicious meal, the lovely Christmas decorations and the delightful company of friends. Many thanks to Peggy Fay for organizing this event, to Rita Martinson for coordinating the raffles and to Pat Esculish for the photos!
Dear Parishioners,

We now arrive at the Third Sunday of Advent and the Advent focus sharpens to the fast approaching Solemnity of Christmas, a week from Tuesday. Special prayers and readings will fill the remaining Advent liturgies. When we return next Sunday, all four candles on the Advent wreath will be lit, we will hear the gospel story of the Visitation between Mary and Elizabeth and we will know that Christmas is very near.

Not getting ahead of ourselves, let’s look at today’s gospel. The opening sentences puts us in the right direction. “The crowds asked John the Baptist, ‘What should we do?’” We might be asking ourselves a very similar question as the days of Advent dwindle and Christmas is near.

Personally, we might re-phrase the question, “What should I do?” “What should we do?” is a very important question that we will answer in concert with other family members as Christmas gifts are prepared, decorations completed, and arrangements are made for Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, and Christmas week celebrations. And I hope for all of us: we will have a blessed and merry Christmas season.

We also need to take the time to ask, “what should I do?” Many responses are possible. There are two that I would ask you to consider particularly. The first is that you consider experiencing the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Confession on Monday, December 17. The priests of the parish will be available for the sacrament from 3:00 to 9:00 PM on Monday. Confession will be in the Church. Many people use this time to prepare for Christmas. Over the years, some people use this time to return to the Sacrament of Confession after being away for many years. When I go to confession, I always leave feeling the sense of a new beginning and a fresh start. I am grateful for the experience of absolution and forgiveness. I also believe that the grace of the sacrament has helped me to grow and improve in areas of my life. Through this sacrament Jesus allows us to leave sin behind and bring home with us his merciful love. This sacrament is a great away to prepare for Christmas.

There is another important response to the question posed to John the Baptist by the crowds: “What should we do?” We need Christmas Mass. We get very large crowds at several Christmas Masses, particularly on Christmas Eve. As well as coming to Christmas Mass, we can also invite others who normally do not attend. I think there is a tremendous loss for those who celebrate Christmas without Mass. Be a source of encouragement to others. Know that Christmas Masses begin at 4:00 PM on Christmas Eve. Bless you this Christmas season.

ANGELS AND SHEPHERDS

By the time you read this page in the bulletin, we will have had at least three Christmas pageants in the parish. This year, a great number of angels and shepherds filled the pageant scene. The pageant enacted by the third grade students must have had two dozen angels and a dozen shepherds, more than I have ever seen in a nativity or manger scene. Each angel shined more than the other. Each shepherd seemed more amazed than the one next to him. Interestingly, most pageants limit themselves to three kings, but I remember a pageant from last year had five kings. In the bible story of the wise men, the magi, the travelers from the east, celebrated on Epiphany, we are told nothing about the number of kings, nor their names.

The number of angels and shepherds have captured my attention this year. The angels remind me that Christmas is about the divine, how Jesus, the Son of God, comes into the world and shares life with all humankind. The angels announce his arrival. God is not distant. In the pageants our angels have very human qualities. They smile, they sing, they act as one. We very much need those “human angels” today who announce God’s presence to us in our time.

The shepherds are persons from the fields. They are working people, unpretentious people, people close to the Earth, ready to go where they are needed. They are leaders of their flocks. Interestingly, simplicity marks their appearance and manner. They seem not too complex, genuine and authentic. They are capable of awe, wonder, amazement. Unafraid of the angels, they too praise God and remind us how near God is to us. We need shepherds. That so many boys and girls have chosen to be angels and shepherds is a great sign for me this Christmas. We surely need both and could even use more.

FINANCIAL REPORT

On the pages that follow in this bulletin is the parish financial report for the past fiscal year. In addition, is a report that looks forward to our 90th anniversary year of 2019. The parish finances are healthy, but our expenses continue to increase while our revenue tends to be unchanged, even diminishing in recent months. A presentation on WESHARE is offered in the report and I encourage you to consider WeShare as we seek to manage parish finances with greater predictability. For those parishioners who use WeShare, it has proven to be safe, secure, and convenient. It has also been an important source of revenue for the parish. Many thanks to all our generous parishioners who support the Sunday collection, financially support parish ministries through donations, and the hundreds of parishioners who give so much volunteer service. I invite you to read the detailed report.

Blessed and Merry Christmas!

Fa. Tom
Year End Financial Report of Saint Anne’s

Dear Parishioners,

I would like to share with you the financial report of the parish for the fiscal year ended on August 31, 2018. The report of revenue and expenditures gives exact numbers. A chart of revenue and expenditure follows this narrative of highlights.

The good news is that our revenue exceeded our ordinary expenditures. Our revenues increased by 1% and totaled $2,259,178. Our ordinary expenditures increased by 12%, totaling 2,146,776. Our net operating revenue in excess of operating expenses realized a $112,402 surplus. Our revenue line items were very consistent with previous years, particularly in terms of Sunday collections, Christmas, Easter, Fundraising, and Auxiliary revenue. Our increased expenditures were in the areas of our most extensive ministries, parish subsidy to the parish school, parish programs and ministries, and faith formation. As has been the case for at least these past twenty-five years, St. Anne’s parishioners are most generous in supporting the many programs, ministries, and efforts of the parish, most particularly related to our ministries and activities of our young people.

Extraordinary capital expenses increased by 36% over the previous year. These are expenses for the parish that are not recurring year after year. These include major repairs, expansion projects, renovations. Our $223,257 extraordinary capital expenses resulted from church painting, new boiler installation, ministry and meeting (new building) expenses, restroom renovation. When the extraordinary expense line is subtracted from the Net Operating Revenue surplus, we came to a deficit total of $110,855.

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<td>1,258,641</td>
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<td>242,475</td>
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<td>136,194</td>
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<td>Fund Raising (Spirit Day, Big Bucks, Booster Club, CMA, Golf Outing)</td>
<td>119,017</td>
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<td>87,936</td>
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<td>Auxiliary Revenue (Sacramental Offerings, poor boxes, votives, interest, rent)</td>
<td>111,630</td>
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<td>National &amp; Diocesan Collections</td>
<td>95,334</td>
<td>78,566</td>
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<td>Donations &amp; Bequests</td>
<td>44,524</td>
<td>113,409</td>
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<td><strong>Total Revenue</strong></td>
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<td>714,548</td>
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<td>96,114</td>
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<td>Parish Subsidy for Saint Anne's School</td>
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<td>88,870</td>
<td>84,820</td>
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<td>Rectory Household</td>
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<td><strong>2,146,776</strong></td>
<td><strong>1,915,694</strong></td>
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Net Operating Revenue in excess of expenditures: 112,402

**Extraordinary Capital Expense**

Non-recurring capital expenditures funded by capital reserves

2017 - 2018: Church painting, restroom renovation, new boiler (partial), new building | 223,257

2016 - 2017: Rectory fire sprinklers, Rectory construction (post fire), heat repairs | 163,920
Our parish school continues to be one of the most well attended and financially strong schools in the diocese. Our enrollment continues to exceed 500 students. School revenue of $2,719,114 was down 1% from last year. The biggest loss of revenue was monies received from the state described as mandated services. The state is irregular in its forwarding of these funds so we received $176,919 this year, down 31% from the previous year. That is partially responsible for the increase of the parish subsidy of $250,000. Other expenses as noted in the school report have had appropriate increases. School extraordinary expenses are mostly technology related. The net deficit for the school was $67,049 in terms of ordinary expenses and $109,641 when extraordinary expenses are included.

We should not overlook, unreflected in the school budget under a separate line, the school is able to assist more than 10 families with its tuition. This is only made possible by the continued generosity of our parishioners, some of whom are very mindful of this need in donating for the purpose of school tuition aid.

Overall, the financial condition of both the parish and the school is strong and healthy. As trends develop and we do experience some deficit spending, primarily due to extraordinary expenses, we need to closely monitor all our expenses.

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<td>Subsidies (Parish and Diocesan)</td>
<td>270,000</td>
<td>189,231</td>
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<td>Fund Raising &amp; Development</td>
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<td>177,955</td>
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<td>Mandated Services</td>
<td>176,919</td>
<td>257,830</td>
<td>-31%</td>
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<td>Diocesan Grant</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>5,500</td>
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<td>Other Income</td>
<td>11,050</td>
<td>9,641</td>
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<td><strong>Total Revenue</strong></td>
<td><strong>2,719,114</strong></td>
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<td>1,565,415</td>
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<td>611,291</td>
<td>582,312</td>
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<td>Miscellaneous Expenditures</td>
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<td>6,476</td>
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<td><strong>Total Operating Expenditures</strong></td>
<td><strong>2,786,163</strong></td>
<td><strong>2,626,833</strong></td>
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| Net Operating Revenue in excess of expenditures | -67,049 | 114,678 | -158% |

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<td>2017 - 2018: Chromebooks, interactive smartboards</td>
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The generosity of our parishioners is what allows St. Anne’s to do all that we do. We are fully staffed and we are able to respond affirmatively to almost all that we are asked to do. We have an outstanding service volunteer community that organizes and does so much good work for the parish, the local community and the various communities we assist. Our parish is often recognized and referred to for what we do. Volunteers are generous and giving. Our parish staff works side by side with our volunteers to provide leadership, encouragement, and their own service in response to the call to ministry. Our office staff led by our Director of Operations Mrs. Mary Lou Engrassia does its very best with organizing the calendar, providing answers, and welcoming parishioners to the rectory. Mrs. Engrassia manages the parish finances and works with an accountant and parish finance committee to ensure all proper procedures and practices for our finances are followed. With a parish staff, rectory staff, and Finance Manager, I am confident that I work with very trustworthy people and I am very grateful. Our parish staff, our parish finance committee, school board, and hundreds of parish volunteers help to make ministry at St. Anne’s a source of great joy. Your financial support has allowed us to move forward in many ways and continue to grow the parish ministries.
2019 is the 90th Anniversary year of St. Anne’s Parish. We will celebrate with a parish activity on the first day of each month. On Tuesday, January 1 we will open the anniversary with a Celebration Mass to begin a new year, to begin our Anniversary year, and to honor Mary, Mother of God on her Solemnity. Friday, February 1 will include a special First Friday evening of prayer organized by our parish deacons. Friday, March 1 we will have a parish party at the Garden City Hotel. This promises to be a wonderful gathering of our parish.

2019 will include our moving forward with a new parish building on the former convent property. This will be the first parish building project in more than 40 years, since the building of the rectory in the 1970’s. As our ministries have grown and our school has remained full and expanded its programs, we recognize the great need we have for additional space. The 10,000 additional square feet for ministry and meeting space will give us a fully accessible, fully contemporary and safer space to bring people together for ministry and mission all through the day. It is an exciting building program that we have been planning for more than two years. We have engaged parishioners, neighbors, the diocese, parish advisory committee, village boards, architects, and building and engineering consultants in this process.

The first part of 2019 will focus on raising funds for this $3.5 million building project, a figure that includes the building and related costs to open the building for daily use we hope by September, 2020. Our timetable is dictated by our ability to raise funds and engage in the process of contracting with a builder.

We have a fundraising company that works with many religious, educational, and philanthropic endeavors. Changing Our World is international in working with its many clients. We have been working with CW for four months and they are very encouraging and optimistic that we can reach our $3.5 million dollar goal. CW has guided us in an organized approach to our parishioners. We begin our efforts with smaller groups of parishioners and eventually in the winter, we will ask all registered parishioners to offer financial support for this project. Our initial reaching out has been very successful. Several parishioners have already indicated pledges that will be completed over the next five years. We have a very encouraging start and hope that by Easter time we will have achieved our pledge goal of $3.5 million.

2018 was a difficult year for the Church, especially the last summer. Catholics have been angry, disappointed and frustrated with all the events surrounding the abuse scandal. I share those feelings with you. Victims of abuse and their families still wait for actions and changes that will fully support the healing process. With you, I wait.

So it is a daring time to expand and build, to ask people to commit and raise funds. There has been a very important lesson for me and others during this time of dissatisfaction with church leadership. The lesson is that Catholic parish life, parish ministry and parish growth still takes place. We are not dependent in that way. Our community can grow and move forward despite failures and mistakes in church leadership. It is happening and our ministry and meeting building is a sterling example, while at the same time it is daring. So I ask you when you are contacted by parish volunteers to join this effort, you give our request for your participation prayerful consideration and support us as you are able.

The fall months, after the scandalous revelation, have seen a dip in our Sunday collection revenue. We have experienced about a 4% decline relative to the same period last year. The reasons for the decline are many. The withdrawing financial support because of the abuse scandal and decline in Mass attendance are the most significant reasons. We hope that the meeting of bishops with Pope Francis in February will provide an effective plan for change and healing as the Church seeks a better response to this scandal. We will also continue our efforts to invite families to come to Mass again so that more families practice weekly Sunday Mass as many of us did when we were children.

A positive development in Church finances in recent years has been the introduction of electronic giving to one’s parish. St. Anne’s now uses the company WeShare to encourage electronic giving. I invite you to give it your consideration. It is very easy to sign up for, gives many options for when to give, and how much to give. It allows the parishioner to plan the giving and eliminates the use of checks and envelopes. Our parishioners have experienced no security issues with WeShare. It has been safe and secure.

The advantage of WeShare for the parish is that it makes our revenue from Sunday collections more predictable, stable, and secure. We have studied WeShare users these past several weeks. We see consistent, regular patterns in their giving. Some users of WeShare designate the first weekend of the month as their time for their electronic contribution. So you may have noticed higher collections on the first Sundays. Users of WeShare are able to contribute when they are away or traveling and the parish does not miss out on their contribution.
Envelope users, check givers, those who contribute cash anonymously and WeShare users are all generous and critical to the financial health of the parish. Here are some observations about WeShare:

• About 175 parish families regularly use WeShare. That is about 6% of all parish registered families.
• About 550 parish families regularly use parish envelopes or personal checks. That is about 17% of all parish registered families.
• An unknown number of parishioners make their donation using cash with no envelope, so these contributions are not associated with a particular parishioner. Cash contributions without envelopes cannot be tracked and attributed to the contributing parishioner.
• Often on the first Sunday of the month, WeShare contribution are 40% of the contribution total.
• Often on the third Sunday of the month, WeShare contributions are 25% of the contribution total.
• About 23% of the parish families regularly support the parish through a regular use of WeShare, envelopes, or personal checks. Perhaps 10% of the parish contributes through cash with no envelope. It is very difficult to know this number.
• We estimate that fewer than 1/3 of the 3400 registered families are regular Mass attendees. Most Sundays now include a Mass attendance between 1600-1800 persons. We need to continue to encourage our parishioners, especially families with school-aged children to attend Mass more regularly.

![January - October 2018](image)

2017 – 2018 fiscal year was an eventful one. 2018-2019 will be just as active. Shortly after January 1, we will begin the process of re-finishing our pews and polishing our floor. This will bring our re-furbishing of the Church to completion following up on last year’s painting. We have been able to do all this work with existing funds, without additional fundraising. That’s your generosity at work!

Please try to join us on January 1 at the 10:00AM Mass for the opening celebration of our 90th Anniversary Year. Join us if you are able on Friday, March 1, for our parish 90th Anniversary Celebration at the Garden City Hotel. You will receive your official invitation during Christmas week. Please help us as you are able with our **Being Catholic at St. Anne’s: Our Families, Our Mission, Our Future** capital campaign.

It is a privilege to serve you as the pastor of St. Anne’s. These past eight years have been very happy ones for me. Many thanks for your personal and prayerful support. Thank you for your financial support. I hope this report has been informative and helpful!

Merry and Blessed Christmas! Holy and Health 2019!
PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

LOAVES AND FISHES

“In all truth I tell you,” Jesus says, “whoever believes in Me will perform the same works as I do Myself, will perform even greater works...Whatever you ask for in My name I will do.” ~ John 14:12-13

Saint Anne’s is helping to make Jesus known this Christmas...

Thank you to all who sponsored families in need! We promised to provide support for over 330 families in need who are served by Saint Martha’s Parish Social Ministry in Uniondale and Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church in Wyandanch this Christmas. Every one of these families have been sponsored by families and groups from Saint Anne’s. The financial donations we received from generous parishioners enabled us to support additional families in need from our own parish. Thank you to all who reached out to help!

Many parish groups came together to sponsor families in need from Wyandanch, including each of the 4th and 5th grade classes from Saint Anne’s School, Saint Anne's MOMs group, the Middle Years group and our Youth Group. We especially want to thank the Loaves and Fishes volunteers who organized this effort, making calls, helping in the parking lot, delivering the food and gifts or helping onsite in Wyandanch and in Uniondale.

Thank you to all who brought in toys, gifts and food items that were listed on the ornaments from the Advent Giving Trees. These were given to families in need from Saint Martha’s. Your generosity is so much appreciated!

Please see photos in next week’s bulletin...

Christmas Monetary Donations

If you would still like to offer your support to assist families in need, you may make a monetary donation. Please make a check payable to Saint Anne’s Church with a notation: “Christmas Sponsor a Family” program and send it to Saint Anne’s Church, 35 Dartmouth Street, Garden City, New York 11530, Attention: Parish Social Ministry.

Christmas Angels

Many thanks to all who are serving as ‘Angels’ this Christmas, helping to support children whose families live in Project Independence housing, Special Needs housing and the Teaching Family Home program run by Catholic Charities. These children are from families who have been homeless, who have someone with chronic mental illness or HIV/AIDS or who have suffered from substance abuse. Thank you so much for caring and know that your gift is most likely the only one that child will receive this Christmas.

Weekly Food Drive

We want to thank those parishioners who have consistently donated food throughout the year. Thanksgiving and Christmas programs are wonderful times to help people in need but only represent a couple of weeks. Donations of food may be left in the Loaves & Fishes closets in the left rear of the church, open 7:30AM—2:30AM.

By participating in the weekly food drive you help families 52 weeks in the year. Thank you very much!! Please call Parish Social Ministry at 352-5904 for more information.
PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

There are many parishioners involved in Parish Social Ministry, reaching out to offer assistance and sharing their gifts with one another, all in the context of our faith.

Looking for a way to volunteer? In need of some support or assistance? Please call Parish Social Ministry at 352-5904.

Peace Begins With Us

We can, to a certain extent, change the world;
We can work for the oasis,
the little cell of joy and peace in a harried world.
We can throw our pebble in the pond
and be confident that its ever widening circle
will reach around the world.

~ Dorothy Day

Families in Service—Thank You!

Last Sunday over 40 families gathered at Saint Anne’s and headed out in groups to sing Christmas carols at the homes of many of our senior parishioners.

On the way home, one of the children said to her mother, “We were just like St. Lucy, who spread light to people all around her. But you know mom, not real light, but the light of the love inside of her.”

We are grateful to all who help bring the Christmas spirit of love and light to everyone they encounter!

Please see next week’s bulletin for more photos!

Professional Networking Group
Meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 16th at 7:30PM

Saint Anne’s Professional Networking Group offers opportunities to network, to share resources and to find support. We offer monthly meetings at Saint Anne’s, with informative speakers and ongoing opportunities to network with fellow parishioners. You can join the group on Linkedin, where you’ll find many useful suggestions and advice from members who have offered presentations at our meetings.

One-to-One Support: Anyone who might benefit from one-to-one support, please contact Linda Leone at 352-5904 or lindaleone@stannesgc.org and you will be connected to an appropriate person.

Respite Care
The next session of Respite will take place on Friday, January 11th from 6:00PM to 8:00PM. Please contact Linda Leone at lindaleone@stannesgc.org or 352-5904 for any information.

Resilience...You are not alone
Meeting on Tuesday, January 8th at 7:30PM

Saint Anne’s Resilience group offers support to parents of teens and young adults who are experiencing Psychological and or emotional challenges. We respect the confidentiality of each person and offer a safe environment to meet with other parents who are facing similar challenges. You are not alone! For more information, please contact Linda Leone at lindaleone@stannesgc.org or the office at 352-5904.

Senior Scene

Please note the next meeting of Senior Scene will be on Wednesday, January 9, 2019 at 1:30PM in the school cafeteria. Please join us for an afternoon of pleasant conversation, coffee and cake, card playing and bingo. Please call Susanne Blum at 352-5904 for more information. There will not be a meeting on Wednesday, December 26, 2018 or January 2, 2019.

Special Needs

Special Needs Mass
Mass will be celebrated with our special needs community on Saturday, January 12th at 5:00PM in the cafeteria.

Respite Care
The next session of Respite will take place on Friday, January 11th from 6:00PM to 8:00PM. Please contact Linda Leone at lindaleone@stannesgc.org or 352-5904 for any information.

Cancer Support Group

Where there is life, there is hope...

Saint Anne’s has a support group for people whose lives are affected by cancer. Those who have joined are at different points in their journey, but all share a common bond of faith. If you would like more information, please contact Linda Leone at 352-5904.

Saint Anne’s Is Here For You...

If you’re struggling with something and not sure where to turn, Saint Anne’s Parish provides confidential support and assistance. Serious illness, economic problems, marital difficulties, mental health concerns and coping with caring for those who are ill or elderly are issues we may all face at different times in our lives. If you would like to know more, please call Parish Social Ministry at 352-5904.
Classes—Week of December 16

Grades 1-6
Sunday December 16 9:00 to 10:15
9:15 to 10:00 One to One
Monday December 17 4:00 to 5:10
Tuesday December 18 4:00 to 5:10
Wed. December 19 4:00 to 5:10
Grade 7 & 8 No Classes

Classes will resume on Sunday, January 6, 2019

Please know that our lines of communication are always open to families.

The Faith Formation office is located in the school building.

Please call or email Vivian Flood at 516-488-1032 or vflood@stannesgc.org.
Zephaniah’s message in the first reading is clear – be joyful, God as savior will be in the midst of the people. St. Paul urges the Philippians and us to rejoice as we walk the path of discipleship. God knows all our concerns and promises peace. John the Baptist in the gospel today preaches how we are to prepare for the Lord. The coming of the Lord is a time for joy. This week, let us ask ourselves like John’s disciples, “What should we do?” When we open our hearts to the Lord’s presence among us, we will live our lives in joy-filled service of our brothers and sisters.

**Readings for December 23**

**Fourth Sunday of Advent**

- Micah 5: 1-4a
- Hebrews 10: 5-10

The Third Sunday of Advent has been called Gaudete Sunday – gaudete is the Latin word for rejoice. We pause in our preparations to rejoice in the promise of God’s coming. On the Advent Wreath we light the rose-colored candle, a symbol of rejoicing. Jesus is our first and greatest gift. He is the source of our joy!

**Saint Anne’s Children’s Choir**

Our Children’s Choir’s next rehearsal will be **Monday, December 17 from 6-7PM** in Church. We are preparing to sing at Christmas Family Mass – Christmas Eve at 4:00PM. All children from Grades 3 and older are welcome to join the choir. The Children’s Choir sings at one mass a month and on special occasions. For more information contact Sr. Judy at srjudy@stannesgc.org or at the Parish office 352-5904.

**Family Mass**

Thank you to all who brought gifts for the children in St. Martha’s Parish! Our annual Christmas pageant will be held on Christmas Eve at 3:45 - before Christmas Eve Family Mass. Any child who would like to take part in the pageant is welcome to participate. See S. Judy at Family Mass to sign up!

**Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers**

Please contact Sr. Judy with your availability for Masses on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day:

- Christmas Eve – 4:00 (church), 4:00 (auditorium), 6:00, 9:00, Midnight
- Christmas Day – 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:45, 1:15PM

Thank You!!!

**RCIA at Saint Anne’s**

This past week the RCIA group learned how to find specific stories or books of the Bible. We also spoke about how we are Church, models of faith and the Communion of Saints.

On Sunday, Dec. 30th at the 10:00 Mass we will have the Rite of Welcome for those in the RCIA process. Be part of the welcome and remember to pray for Amy, Sarah, Katie and Jennifer as they journey toward the Easter Sacraments!

Each year at the Easter Vigil and on Pentecost we celebrate the sacraments with those who have journeyed with the RCIA process. It is always a blessing for our parish and for each of us individually to experience the faith and commitment of our catechumens and candidates. Perhaps you or someone you know would like to complete the Sacraments of Initiation (Communion and/or Confirmation), is of another Christian religion and would like to become a Catholic or is interested in becoming a Catholic through receiving the Sacrament of Baptism. **Our RCIA sessions are on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 in the rectory meeting room.** Contact S. Judy at srjudy@stannesgc.org or at 352-5904 for information.
**Saint Anne’s CYO Indoor Track**

Registration for the 2019 season is now open! For details and links to registration, visit the Indoor Track page at www.stannesgccyo.org. The last day for registration and uniform orders is **Saturday, January 5, 2019.**

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**Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary**

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**Thank you for your generous support of our parish.**

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**Respect Life**

As we prepare for the coming of Christ this Advent season, we are reminded of the precious gift of the Holy Family. Many of today’s young mothers face the same challenges as the Holy Family, and are in dire need of shelter, basic amenities, love, and prayer. Their choice for life enables another child of God to be born. Please support these young mothers’ choice for life.

*Your generous donation will help the Maternity Residences on Long Island:*

- **Regina Maternity Services** - a Diocesan Residence under the auspices of Catholic Charities
- **Mother of Good Counsel Home**
- **Momma’s House** and **Bethany House**

**Directions:** Take a small collection box and bring it home (boxes available in the Church lobby)

During Advent, fill the box with your spare change. Convert collected change to a check made payable to the Diocese of Rockville Centre.

Mail check to: RESPECT LIFE OFFICE

50 North Park Ave.

PO Box 9023,

Rockville Centre, NY 11571-9023

DIRECTIONS ARE ALSO INCLUDED ON THE BOX

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**Families Anonymous**

Families Anonymous is a fellowship of people whose lives have been affected by the substance abuse or related behavioral problems of a relative or friend. Any concerned person is encouraged to attend our meetings. Families Anonymous members use first names only and uphold a tradition of anonymity that helps protect the privacy of all concerned. Meetings are held every **Thursday evening at 7:30PM in the Faculty Room at St. Anne’s School Dartmouth Street in Garden City.** For more information, please call (516) 354-8092.

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**Saint Anne’s Women’s Bible Study**

Please join our Bible Study group. We will meet twice a month on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month. Father Valentine has graciously offered to help us at each meeting as we delve into the writings of the New Testament.

Please note there will be no meeting on **Wednesday, December 26th**

Please remember in your prayers family members of Saint Anne’s parishioners who are serving in the military:

- 1st Lt. William Allen, US Army;
- Pvt. Nicholas Ballek, US Army;
- Pvt Charles Bosch, US Army;
- Thomas Brown, US Army;
- L/Cpl. Neal T. Burke, USMC;
- Capt. Anthony F. Califano, US Navy;
- Master Sgt. Denis Cashin, USMC;
- Capt. Matthew Clements, US Army;
- Lt. Cmdr. Brian Cunningham, Navy SEAL;
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Support your church today using your debit, credit cards, checking, or savings accounts.

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Or scan the QR code!
EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT

My name is Seamus Breslin and I am a Life Scout from Troop 134 and a seventh grade student here at St. Anne’s. I am working on my Eagle Project and would like your help. The project is to refurbish the St. Therese Chapel in the school’s basement that is used frequently by many parish ministries as well as the students of the school and faith formation. The project includes repainting, installation of a chair rail, and cleaning and polishing of the chairs.

To fund this Eagle Project, I have created a St. Anne’s “Spirit Cap” to sell as a fundraiser. It is embroidered with the St. Anne’s logo. The price is $25 per cap. Any extra funds raised will be donated to the Church. If a cap is not your style but you care to contribute to refurbish the chapel, you could make a direct donation payable to St Anne’s Church noted for the Chapel Eagle Project.

The “Spirit Cap” order form can be returned to the rectory with payment. Deadline for Christmas delivery is 12/14/18.

Please email me at smbreslin@icloud.com with any questions. Thank you for your support and Merry Christmas! ~ Seamus Breslin

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“SPIRIT CAP ORDER FORM”

Family Name _______________________________________________________________________

Phone __________________________

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Please ask how you can add your gifts and talents to ours, so we can grow in our best efforts for our church community!

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516 510 7997

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516 775 3097

Chaplain Fr. Tim Valentine
Meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month at St. Anne’s School Cafeteria -
**Did you know that 2019 is the 90th year of our parish of St. Anne?**

Let’s celebrate this milestone throughout the year. They say that firsts are the best because they are beginnings so let’s plan on beginning each month of the year together as a parish family! Put a “Save the Date” on the first of every month in the New Year:

**SAVE THE DATES!!!!**

**Tuesday, January 1, 2019**
The Anniversary year will begin with an Opening Mass on the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God.
The Mass will be at 10:00AM.

**Friday, February 1, 2019**
Evening Prayer and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**Friday, March 1, 2019**
Parish Party at the Garden City Hotel
*Future events will be announced as they are scheduled.*

**Trivia answer:**
The fundraising event was an old fashioned barn dance!

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**Youth Ministry**

**All High School Teens are Welcome!**
*Please join us for our next meeting*
**Tonight, December 16th**
**6:30PM in the cafeteria**

Saint Anne's Youth Ministry is founded on three main values: faith, community and service. Teens come from various high schools and new members are always welcome. Pizza and snacks will be served.
For more information, please contact **Bill Leone at bleone@stannesgc.org**

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**PART TIME OUTREACH COORDINATOR POSITION AVAILABLE**

The Parish of a Western Nassau parish is seeking a Parish Social Ministry Coordinator. The PSM Coordinator will work with the volunteers (e.g., Core Workers) and SVDP conference members serving the clients who seek parish assistance through the food pantry and other support services.
This is a part-time position. A Bachelor’s degree and some experience in PSM preferred.
Multi-lingual/bi-lingual a plus (Spanish and/or Creole).

Please email cover letter and resume to:
Malloy.Paula@CatholicCharities.CC

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**SCHOOL CUSTODIAN POSITION AVAILABLE**

Our Lady of Victory School in Floral Park is seeking a custodian. Experience preferred. Please direct all inquiries to the business manager at 516-354-0482 or jpareinelli@olvfpany.org

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**The Saint Anne's School Community Raises Over $2000 to Assist Wounded Veterans!**

The students, faculty, and staff of Saint Anne's School raised over $2000 in cash, gift cards, and sundry items for the Nassau County Firefighters Wounded Warrior Fundraiser. 100% of the donations will be distributed to Wounded Veterans at Camp Lejeune, Fort Bragg, and Walter Reed Hospital. A Blessed and Joyous Christmas to our wounded veterans and all who serve these great United States!
LOOKING FOR A LASTING CHRISTMAS GIFT???
PURCHASE A COMMENORATIVE BRICK

Saint Anne’s Commemorative Brick Walkway Program is a wonderful way that we, as a community, can create a lasting legacy. Commemorative Bricks are the perfect way to acknowledge special achievements – baptisms, birthdays, graduations, marriages, other joyous occasions, or to memorialize a loved one.

Each brick can be inscribed with your own personal message and will be placed in a decorative fashion in front of the Saint Anne’s School building. A 4” x 8” brick costs $125.00, which includes thirteen characters AND spaces per line, with up to three lines per brick. Larger 8” x 8” bricks are also available for the price of $500.00, which includes thirteen characters AND spaces per line, with up to six lines per brick.

All proceeds from this effort will directly benefit Saint Anne’s School.

Ordering Instructions
1. Orders for personalized bricks will be accepted and processed on a first come, first served, basis.
2. All text will be a standard size, font and style.
3. Messages will be centered automatically. They may not be justified to the left or right.
4. Enclose a check for $125.00 for a 4” x 8” brick, or $500.00 for an 8” x 8” brick, made payable to Saint Anne’s Home School Association.
5. Orders may be dropped off at the School Office in the school or at the Rectory.
6. Please note: All imprints are subject to approval by Saint Anne’s Home School Association.

Name: _______________________________________________________________
Address: __________________________________________________________________
Phone #: ________________________________________________________________

(Use lines 1 – 3 for 4” x 8” bricks. Use lines 1 – 6 for 8” x 8” bricks.)
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Our Faith Community offers prayers this week on their first anniversary for:

**December 17, 2017 - Camilla Cox**

The Altar Bread & Wine for this week is in memory of Thomas Licatesi

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. Nicholas Cutone

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**Mass Intentions**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16**

7:00AM Deceased members of Milo & Stiehl Families
8:30 Priscilla Bonnie - 6th Anniversary, Giuseppina Cordio, Joseph Cassese Sr. & Steve Velechenko, Santa Fini, Jane McCloskey
10:00 Ann & Vincent DiAngelo
10:30 Robert A. O’Sullivan
11:45 Frank DiStefano
5:30PM Parishioners of St. Anne’s

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 17**

7:30 Helen M. Hendricks & John M. Hendricks
9:00 Joseph Mack

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18**

7:30 Robert O’Sullivan
9:00 William K. Mitchell Sr. - 9th Anniversary

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19**

7:30 Joseph Gilshannon
9:00 Mario DeConciliis

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20**

7:30 Anna Parfumi
9:00 Walter Francis Mitchell

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21**

9:00 Jennifer Whalen

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22**

8:30 Deceased members & friends of Bagnato & Kadilak families, Sean Bunyon - 5th Anniversary
5:00PM Parishioners of St. Anne

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 23**

7:00AM Walter Dmytryszyn Don
8:30 Michael Falabella, Michael J. Higgins, Dora & Angelo Melchionna, Eileen Fox
10:00 Theresa Browne
10:30 Vincent J. Turecamo
11:45 Agnes Conway
5:30PM Theresa Browne

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**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Victor Abrahamsen, Terese Karcher
Rosemary Abruzzino, Carolyn Kast
Stephanie Adomavicius, Terri King
Catherine Amato, H.J. Kong
Jodi Arciere, Carole Langan
Garth Atchley, Ricky Loew
Mary Bagnato, Chris Lynch
Denise Bedeian, Henry Lynk
Kim Bily, Patricia Maher
William Brown, Salvatore Manfre
Deacon George Browne, Kevin Mansfield
Gail Calma, Luke Mapes
Lisette Cantara, Danny Marquino
Cathy Carroll, Dorothy McAleavey
Kevin Carroll, Bob McAuiffe
Mary Caruana, John F. McCloskey, Jr.
Elizabeth Castellano, Michael Meoni
Bernadette Clarke, Vincent Milo
Anthony Corrao, Barbara Mohan
Anthony Cuccia, Gabriele Monastero
Pat Dalia, William Morgan
Claire Decker, Jimmy Mulligan
Denise DeCrescito, Lauren Munafo
John DeOliviera, Philip O’Connell
Sergio DeVincenzo, Sally O’Connor
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Margaret Donaldson, Andrea O’Halloran
Patricia Durecko, Thomas Onorato, Jr.
Rosemary Ecker, Vincent Panarella
Michael Economos, Adelaine Parks
Janet Fellingham, Mary Rose Parlato
Michael Fitzgerald, Brian Pfail
Sean Fitzsimons, Kelly Pfeffer
Brendan Galligan, Kathleen Picha
Brian Gormley, Silvio Pironi
Anthony Greco, Linda Safina
Kenneth Green, Melissa Sarfin
Sean Green, Vinny Scheppa
Fannie Hayden, Eileen Sharp
Rhett Hemingway, Michael Sigwalt
Don Hess, Mary Spadaro
Patrick Hughes Sr., Catherine Sullivan
Donald Kalbacher, Jerome Vanora
Joan Kalbacher, Susan Williams
Michael Zapf

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**Wedding Banessions**

**First Time**

Nicole Orlando - St. Catherine of Siena

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Shaun Barrett - St. Cyrill & St. Methodius
Pastoral Staff

Pastor
Msgr. Thomas Harold

Associate Pastor
Rev. Tim Valentine

Priest in Residence
Rev. Johnny R. Mendonca

Deacons
George Browne, James O’Brien, Basil Bliss, Robert McCarthy

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We Celebrate the Sacraments

Eucharist
Saturday Evening
5:00PM

Sunday
7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:45, 5:30PM
10:30AM Family Mass (October—May)

Monday thru Thursday
7:30AM, 9:00AM

Friday
9:00AM

Saturday
8:30AM

Reconciliation
Saturday 4:00 - 4:45PM/Thursday before First Friday 4:30 - 5:00PM

Baptisms
Infant Baptisms are celebrated the first and third Sundays of each month at 1:30PM. Parents are asked to call the parish office for more information.

Marriage
Couples should contact the parish office to arrange an appointment with a priest or deacon at least six months prior to their wedding.

Anointing of the Sick
The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is celebrated on the first Saturday of the month at the 8:30AM Mass. If a loved one is unable to come to church, please call 352-5904 to arrange for a home visit.

Opportunities for Prayer

Rosary
9:30AM Mondays-Fridays-Church
9:00AM Saturdays-Church

Miraculous Medal Prayers
9:30AM Tuesdays-Church

Saint Anne’s Prayer Group
10:00AM Tuesdays-Church

Eucharistic Adoration
8:00AM Thursdays-Church

Legion of Mary
9:45AM Thursday-Church

Divine Mercy
9:30AM Fridays-Church

This Week at Saint Anne’s

Monday, December 17
8:00AM School breakfast with Santa - Cafeteria
5:00PM CYO - McCloskey Auditorium
6:00PM Children’s Choir - Music Room

Tuesday, December 18
5:00PM CYO - McCloskey Auditorium
5:00PM CYO - Chess - Library
7:30PM Boy Scouts - Cafeteria

Wednesday, December
9:30AM MOM’s Ministry - Cafeteria
5:00PM CYO - McCloskey Auditorium
7:30PM R.C.I.A. - SJVR

Thursday, December 20
5:00PM CYO - McCloskey Auditorium
7:30PM Families Anonymous - Faculty Room
7:30PM Adult Choir - Church

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, December 22
5:00PM - Fr. Johnny

Sunday, December 23
7:00AM - Fr. Tom
10:30AM - Fr. Tom
8:30AM - Fr. Tim
11:45AM - Fr. Johnny
10:00AM - Fr. Johnny
5:30PM - Fr. Tim

Celebrant subject to change