

Church of Saint Anne
325 Second Avenue • Garwood, NJ 07027
Founded 1926



We the parishioners of the Church of Saint Anne, in the Archdiocese of Newark, are a Eucharistic Family dedicated to spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ.
Our goal is to be a vibrant Catholic Christian Community.
We are a caring people. Joyfully, we recognize, encourage and accept each person's gifts.
*Spirit of God, enable us to strengthen our community of Faith for
Your honor and glory.*

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday Evening - 4:00 PM •
Sunday - 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. & 12 noon
Monday thru Friday - 8:00 a.m. National Holidays - 8:00 a.m.

SERVED BY :

Rev. Msgr. Ronald J. Marczewski, Pastor

Weekend Assistant:

Rev. Anthony Korir, SMA

In Residence:

Rev. Michael Barone

Rectory Phone **908-789-0280 ext. 10** • Fax **908-789-3099**

Parish Office: Monday-Thursday. 9:00 AM—12 noon

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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are arranged by appointment. To arrange a meeting with the Pastor and to schedule a Baptism Preparation Class, please call the Parish Office 908-789-0280, ext. 10.

Parents are the first & best teachers of their children in Faith.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made with the Pastor one year in advance to ensure proper time and adequate preparation for the sacrament.

HOLY ORDERS • RELIGIOUS LIFE

Those who recognize the call to Religious life, the Priesthood, or the order of deacon are invited to contact the Pastor.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 1:00PM

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Religious Education classes for children were conducted on Sunday mornings.

The program is re-starting in the Fall.

Information on how to register is now available in the Church.

PARISH REGISTRATION

It is easy to register. Just call the Parish Office: 908-789-0280 ext. 10.



*Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord,
whose hope is in the Lord.
He is like a tree planted beside the waters
that stretches out its roots to the stream.*

Jeremiah 17:7-8

*Sixth Sunday in
Ordinary Time*

February 13, 2022

LOOK 'EM IN THE EYE

Prior to delivering the blessings and woes of his “Sermon on the Plain” in Luke, Jesus had been on top of a mountain in prayer, after which he selected the Twelve to go on his mission with him.

Coming down from the mountain, the first thing Jesus does is show them what is at the heart of his—and their—mission: preaching to the multitude, healing all who were in need of it, no matter where they had come from.

Luke then carefully notes that Jesus raises his eyes, not to look toward heaven again in prayer, but he raises his eyes to look directly at his disciples, to share the message of blessings and woes.

This scene echoes Moses coming down from the mountain to give Israel its command as to how they should live in God’s covenant.

As followers of Jesus today, we are called to live out his mission to the world, while we also look beyond this world to :

Trust in God, our only hope.

Save the weekend of March 19-20!

Our Rosary Society & the Sons of St. Anne men are planning a **St. Patrick’s Day Dinner event.**



Be sure to wear some **green** and enjoy a corned beef and cabbage dinner. **Take out will be available.** More details will follow.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, 4:00 PM	February 12, 2022 +Spina & Spata Family
Sunday, 8:00 AM 10 :00 AM 12:00 PM	February 13, 2022 +Steve Shulman +Maureen Mooney +Joseph & Mary Drobish
Monday 8:00 AM	February 14, 2022 +Glen A. Evans
Tuesday 8:00 AM	February 15, 2022 +Elaine Norkunas
Wednesday 8:00 AM	February 16, 2022 +Margaret Neer
Thursday 8:00 AM	February 17, 2022 +Patricia Flanerty
Friday 8:00 AM	February 18, 2022 Elizabeth Bilota– Happy 99th Birthday!!
Saturday, 4:00 PM	February 19, 2022 +Helen Augustine– Anniv.
Sunday 8:00 AM 10:00 AM 12:00 PM	February 20, 2022 <i>Thanksgiving to Blessed Mother</i> +Tadeusz Galka +James Materia



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INSEPARABLE

***Faith and works are like the light and heat
to a candle; they cannot be separated.***

—Anonymous

Fr. Tony & the Committee "**Thank**" all who supported last weekend's SMA event to raise money in support for the care & education of their 484 Seminary students.

It was a wonderful success!
\$ 9,590.00 was raised.

This money will be forwarded to the Generalate House for the SMA's in Rome, Italy.

You may still make a donation. Please make out checks payable to "St. Anne's Church" and leave it in any collection.

Fr. Tony's New Address:
Rev. Anthony K. Korir, SMA
Parish of the Precious Blood
P.O. Box 625
Caribou, ME. 04736

Dear Friends,

**The "Archdiocesan Appeal" is going on!
Have you done "Your Part?"**

Each parish is given a "Goal" based on their yearly Offertory. St. Anne's "Goal" for this year is **\$29,380.00**. It seems like a large amount, but let's put it into perspective!

Presently there are **493** individuals and families on our Parish register. If each registered family or individual gave only **\$ 60.00** we would make our goal!! Some might not be able to give that much. But certainly, many of us could afford even more!

I always make a yearly donation. For 10 years of my Priesthood, I was in *Campus Ministry* at Rutgers's Newark, providing Catholic programs for students. I depended on the AA for support of my ministry. This year, my gift will be \$ 100.00.

I share this with you to encourage you to be generous. I always say: "**Not everyone can give a lot; but everyone can give something!**"

Please review the materials you received in the mail and/or are found in the pews. This weekend is "Gifting Weekend"! Please leave. We continue to pray for each other.

Msgr. Ron

Give the Gift of Life!

Blood Drive

NEXT SATURDAY!!

Feb. 19, 2022

Bethlehem Room

9:30 AM to 4:00 PM

Appointments strongly recommended:

201-251-3703

This Monday is "**Valentine's Day!**

In the Church it is the feast day of St. Valentine!

It is a Western Christian liturgical feast day honoring one or more saints named *Valentinus*, and is recognized as a significant cultural and commercial celebration in many regions around the world, although it is not a public holiday in any country.

How did the martyr and the "lovers" get associated with one another?

There is a legend that St. Valentine performed clandestine weddings for soldiers who were forbidden to marry because of their service to the Emperor. Another legend, has him passing out parchment hearts to remind the soldiers of God's love for them and their vows. And a third legend, is that he had an amethyst ring with a cupid carved in it so that the soldiers knew he was the one who would perform the marriages. (This could be why amethyst is the birth stone for February.)

In 18th century England, it evolved into an day in which lovers expressed their love for each other by presenting flowers, offering confectionery, and sending greeting cards (known as "*valentines*").

In Europe, Saint Valentine's *Keys* are given to lovers "as a romantic symbol and an invitation to unlock the giver's heart", as well as to children, in order to ward off epilepsy (called Saint Valentine's Malady).

Valentine's Day symbols that are used today include the heart-shaped outline, doves, and the figure of the winged Cupid. Since the 19th century, handwritten "*valentines*" have given way to mass-produced greeting cards.

So! Married couples! Keep "romance" alive!

Spread some love this week. Send a card, some candy, flowers or a gift to your spouse!

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