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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 - 4:30 p.m. • Sunday - 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. & 12 noon  
Monday thru Friday - 8:00 a.m. National Holidays - 8:00 a.m.  
Holy Days - As announced

**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. 10:00 AM—3:00 PM

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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: 4:00PM

**EUCAHRISTIC ADORATION & INTERCESSORY ROSARY**

First Wednesday each month. 7:00 PM

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

Religious Education classes for children are conducted on Sunday after the 10:00 AM Mass.  
Please contact the Faith Formation Office at 908-789-0280, ext. 27

**PARISH REGISTRATION**

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

**Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
February 16, 2020**

*What eye has not seen, and ear has not heard,  
and what has not entered the human heart,  
what God has prepared for those who love him,  
this God has revealed to us through the Spirit.  
— 1 Corinthians 2:9-10*

**CHOICE**

“If you choose you can keep the commandments,” Sirach tells us. God “has set before you fire and water; to whichever you choose, stretch forth your hand” (Sirach 15:15, 16). This is a great mystery: God does not control us so completely that we cannot choose our own path. We have certain boundaries, of course, but no one but we can choose our way within those boundaries.

In today’s reading from Matthew’s Gospel, Jesus reminds us of our freedom and our responsibility for our lives. He calls us to look beyond the words of the commandments, all the way to their meaning. Look beyond the adultery to the selfishness that poisons our love. Look beyond the murder to the anger that eats away at our compassion. Look beyond the perjured testimony to the lies and deception that drive our behavior.

*Our vocation is to choose life for ourselves,  
and to choose a path through our part of the world  
that helps make life possible and more abundant  
for others as well.*



**Sons of St. Anne  
Homemade  
Pasta & Meatball  
Night  
March 7, 2020  
5:30 PM**

*Come for an early celebration of  
St. Joseph’s Day!*

*All the food is homemade!!*

*Soda & Wine! Desserts!!*

*Light entertainment!*

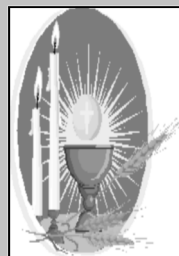
*Door prizes & Tricky Tray!!*

*Tickets: \$ 20.00*

**(Only 80 tickets will be sold!!  
Tickets are on sale this weekend!!)**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>Saturday,</b> 4:30 PM	<b>February 15, 2020</b> +Elaine Norkunas
<b>Sunday,</b> 8:00 AM 10:00 AM 12:00 PM	<b>February 16, 2020</b> +Arthur Vespignani +Giuseppe Tulimiero +David & Kathy Dangeleit
<b>Monday</b> 8:00 AM	<b>February 17, 2020</b> Robert Greenough <i>for improved sight</i>
<b>Tuesday</b> 8:00 AM	<b>February 18, 2020</b> Elizabeth Bilott– <i>Happy 97th Birthday!!</i>
<b>Wednesday</b> 8:00 AM	<b>February 19, 2020</b> +Margaret Neer
<b>Thursday</b> 8:00 AM	<b>February 20, 2020</b> +Helen Augustine– Anniv.
<b>Friday</b> 8:00 AM	<b>February 21, 2020</b> +My sisters Mary & Louise
<b>Saturday,</b> 4:30 PM	<b>February 22, 2020</b> + Angeline Severage
<b>Sunday,</b> 8:00 AM 10:00 AM 12:00 PM	<b>February 23, 2020</b> + Lore McDonald + Maria Monaco + Leonidas Zois



**MEMORIALS**

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The Rectory for  
More information.

**Weekly Offering**

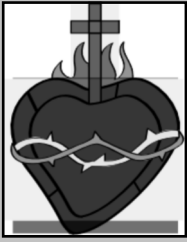
*Week of February 9, 2020*

Regular Collection: \$ 5,005.00

*Thank You!!*

**FYI**

The 2021 Mass book will open on  
Monday, March 2  
10:00 AM



## Shining the Light of Christ

2020 Annual Appeal  
Archdiocese of Newark  
Has started!!

By now, many of you have received information in the mail about this year's Archdiocesan Appeal.

### Please review the information!

Many of us cannot give a lot to the Appeal, but each of us can give something!

If you need information, it is found at the church entrances. There will be an "official" Appeal collection in March.

## NEXT SATURDAY - Give the Gift of Life!

Blood Drive  
Bethlehem Room  
9:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Coordinated by the Garwood Knights of Columbus. The Blood banks are in desperate need of blood during the winter months!! Be a "good citizen" and share a "gift of life!"

To pre-register, please call: 877-258-4825



Thank You to all who attended or supported last Sunday's SMA Fundraiser!  
\$ 10,464.00 was raised.

You may still make a gift to the project. There is information at the main entrance. Please put donations in an envelope and mark it: SMA Donation.

## BAD COMPANY

People who live solely for themselves are eventually corrupted by their own company.  
—Anonymous

## Planning Your Spiritual Life!!

Archdiocesan Men's & Women's Conferences.

### Catholic Men's Conference

*"Man of God, ... I am my brothers' keeper"*

Saturday, Feb. 29

8:00 AM—4:00 PM

Seton Hall University

### Catholic Women's Conference

*"Alive in Christ: The Eucharist...*

*His Heart in my Heart"*

Saturday, March 7

8:00 AM—4:00 PM

Seton Hall University

Cost for each: \$ 30.00

(Includes Continental breakfast & Lunch)

Tickets: 973-497-4545

E-mail information: CatholicMen@rcan.org or

CatholicWomen@rcan.org



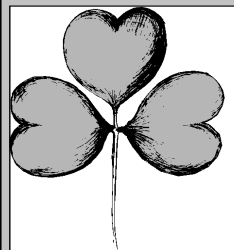
## Rosary News

Winter is almost behind us and the new Rosary Season is back.

**March 9th our POUND AUCTION**— always a night of laughs. Bring anything that weighs a pound in a brown paper bag. We auction off each bag. (We have had a pound of cotton balls, a pound of sand, a sweet potato, candy... come join us!!)

**March 9th**— 7 p.m. Bethlehem Room.

**Coming April 2nd: Sloppy Joe Bingo!!**



## St. Patrick Celebration Corned Beef & Cabbage!

Sunday, March 15

1:30 PM to 5:00 PM

Garwood Knights of  
Columbus

Tickets: \$ 20.00

## Celebrating your 5th, 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary?

Special Masses at the Cathedral !!

April 19, 2020 3:00 PM for 25 & 5 years

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**WHY IS IT**  
 A man wakes up after sleeping under an ADVERTISED blanket on an ADVERTISED mattress and pulls off ADVERTISED pajamas bathes in an ADVERTISED shower shaves with an ADVERTISED razor brushes his teeth with ADVERTISED toothpaste washes with ADVERTISED soap puts on ADVERTISED clothes drinks a cup of ADVERTISED coffee drives to work in an ADVERTISED car and then . . . . refuses to ADVERTISE believing it doesn't pay. Later if business is poor he ADVERTISES it for sale.  
**WHY IS IT?**

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