

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 - 4:30 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

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Statement from the Archdiocese of Newark concerning the reopening of Churches

A general dispensation from the Sunday obligation will remain until further notice.

The dispensation for the obligation to attend Mass will remain in effect. No one will be required to attend Mass when public celebrations resume. Hence, live stream Masses for parishioners at home will continue.

Attendance will be limited. We know restrictions will remain on holding large gatherings, so we are working with parishes to determine the best way to ensure safety. Communications will come from the parish so parishioners will know how many people can attend any given Mass.

It is likely that all parishioners may not be able to attend Mass regularly at first.

Social Distancing will be practiced. Expect that your parish will have pews/rows that are taped off, and that households, even of one individual, will be asked to keep six feet of separation from each other.

No one will be admitted without a mask. Parishioners should take their temperature before coming to Mass.

Anyone with any symptoms of sickness must stay home.

Liturgical changes will be in place. Similar to protocols established when churches were closing, extra precautions will be taken. Temporary adjustments will be made to how we celebrate Mass and receive Communion.

There still will be a risk for anyone who attends a public Mass. Even with best health practices and strict social distancing, anyone who enters a public space should recognize there is a risk of contracting the coronavirus. Improved cleaning will occur at our churches, but no one should expect that they will be any safer from germs than in other public spaces.

Twenty-Seventh
SUNDAY
 in Ordinary Time

Once again,

O Lord of hosts,

look down from heaven, and see;
 take care of this vine,
 and protect what your
 right hand has planted.

Psalm 80:15-16

October 4, 2020



**SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI
 (1182-1226)
 October 4**

When Franco Zeffirelli's *Brother Sun, Sister Moon* was released (1972), people were shocked by the movie's graphic nudity in the dramatic conversion scene.

Son of a wealthy merchant, Francis' aimless adolescence ended when a failed military expedition led to his imprisonment and complete breakdown.

Once home, Francis rediscovered God in the beauty of nature and the ugliness of human suffering, caring for lepers, praying in the little church of San Damiano, whose crucified Jesus he heard calling, "Repair my house, Francis, which is falling into ruins." Francis sold his possessions—and his father's—to fulfill this command.

When his father objected, Francis disrobed: "I return the clothes, your name, and all you gave me: God alone is my Father now."

Later, the pope would dream of a ragged friar stretching forth a single hand to prop up the crumbling papal Cathedral of Saint John Lateran.

Francis indeed helped rebuild the universal Church, founding the Friars Minor (Franciscans), dying at a young forty-four, bearing the stigmata of the Christ whose living icon he remains—in the Church and far beyond it.

ASK FOR HELP

Ask Our Lady to help you. Ask her to entreat her Son to let you know what you should do.

—Bl. Marie Rose Durocher

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,
 3:00 PM
 4:30 PM

October 3, 2020
 Monthly Memorial Mass
 Diane & +John Ellis-
 Wedding Anniversary

Sunday,
 8:00 AM
 10:00 AM
 12:00 PM

October 4, 2020
 +Deceased Rosarians
 +Joseph Costa
 +Domenica Surano

Monday
 8:00 AM

October 5, 2020
 +Jenny & Lena Guzzo

Tuesday
 8:00 AM

October 6, 2020
 +Sal Laferrara

Wednesday
 8:00 AM

October 7, 2020
 +Heinz Heindl

Thursday
 8:00 AM

October 8, 2020
 +Raymond D'Uva

Friday
 8:00 AM

October 9, 2020
 +James Leonard

Saturday,
 3:00 PM
 4:30 PM

October 10, 2020
 +People of the Parish
 +Albert Grantuskas

Sunday
 8:00 AM
 10:30 AM
 12:00 PM

October 11, 2020
 +Maria & Dionsio DelMonaco
 +Giovanni Monaco
 +Jean E. Conlin



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