

Founded 1926

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ  
June 7, 2026

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 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.*

#### SERVED BY:

Rev. Robert Lamirez, *Pastor*  
Rev. Michael Barone, *In Residence*  
Rev. Bill Morris, *In Residence*  
Evelyn Archibald, *Youth Faith Formation*  
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Blandie Morales, *Centennial Assistant*  
Carlos A. Cadavillo, CPA, MBA, *Finance*  
Marie Markovich, *Office Volunteer*  
Lina Delmonaco, *Office Volunteer*  
Jacqueline Karmol, *Office Volunteer*

#### MINISTRIES:

Altar Servers  
Beautification  
Body of Christ Club  
Extra-Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers  
Garwood Knights of Columbus  
Lectors/Readers  
Hospitality  
Hispanic Apostolate  
Line Dancing  
Music Ministry  
Prayer Network  
Spanish Tridentine Army of Mary  
St. Anne's Rosary Society  
5 Loaves Pantry



# Church of Saint Anne

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#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday  
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

#### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturdays:  
4:00 PM

#### First Saturday of the Month

9:00 AM

#### Sundays:

8:00 AM, 10:00 AM & 12 noon

#### Weekdays:

8:00 AM

#### Holy Days of Obligation

8:00 AM and 7 PM

#### RECONCILIATION & SIMPLE ADORATION

Saturdays: 2:30 PM

#### BAPTISM

Baptisms are scheduled every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month at 1:30 pm. Send an email to the parish office for the requirements and to register for the Baptism Preparation Class.

#### MARRIAGE

Couples are encouraged to contact the parish office to begin the Marriage Preparation Program. Arrangements must be made with the Pastor to ensure there is adequate preparation time 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

#### HOLY ANOINTING

Call the Office to schedule a visit.

#### ADORATION & ROSARY

First Wednesday of each month  
after the 8:00 AM mass  
First Friday after 8 AM mass  
First Saturday after 9 am mass

#### RELIGIOUS ED & SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Religious Education classes are held two Sundays a month at 10 AM

## Pastor's Notes

Today, is Corpus Christi Sunday or the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. As I always say, "This celebration is the apex of our Catholic faith."

For us Catholics, the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist is not just a ritual, it is the pinnacle of our worship. The Eucharist is the doctrine of the Real Presence - that Christ is truly present - Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity.

Why is it important for us to receive Holy Communion?

- The Eucharist is the greatest of all the divine gifts. It is the gift of Christ Himself. In this sacrament, Christ unites us to Himself and sustains us in our path to Faith. Through this Eucharist, Christ gives us grace to propel us toward greater love, charity and service to others.
- Participation in the Eucharist fosters a deep and personal relationship with Christ. In Holy Communion we enter a sacred union with our Lord. This gives us strength and comfort amid life's uncertainties.
- Through the Eucharist, we Catholics are united with Christ and one another forming a bond that transcends cultural and geographic boundaries. As we are united with our Lord in the Eucharist, we are also reminded of our shared identity as members of His Body.
- The Eucharist is the living memorial of Christ's sacrifice on the cross which is a testament of His enduring love and the redemption He won for humanity.
- In this sacred meal, we experience a hit of the joy and glory of heaven. Through the Eucharist, we are reminded of our ultimate destiny and the promise of eternal life.
- This Eucharist fulfills Jesus' command at the Last Supper "Do this in memory of me." It is the direct continuation of Jesus' ministry.

### Saturday June 6

9:00 AM Memorial Mass Intentions  
4:00 PM +William Severage

### Sunday June 7

8:00 AM +Lidia Karpa  
10:00 AM +Silvestro Capone  
12:00 Noon Milagros Dela Cruz

### Monday June 8

8:00 AM +Bella Abano

### Tuesday June 9

8:00 AM +Amelie Courtney

### Wednesday June 10

8:00 AM +Deceased Parishioners

### Thursday June 11

8:00 AM +Shirley Swayze

### Friday June 12

8:00 AM +Luigia Ripolino

### Saturday June 13

4:00 PM +Carlo Catillo

### Sunday June 14

8:00 AM Michael Love  
10:00 AM +Norman Salt  
12:00 Noon +Gerardo Generoso Garro

### Blessed Mother Lamp:

*Jennie Browne (100<sup>th</sup> Birthday Blessings)*

### Sanctuary Lamp:

*+Missoule & Poulard*

### PARISH WEEKLY OFFERING

May 24, 2026

Weekend offering.....\$3,607

Maintenance.....\$ 180

Total Regular Collection.....\$3,787

**Thank you for your generosity**

### The 2026 Annual Appeal Update

Thank you to all who have generously given to this year's Annual Appeal. If you have not made a pledge yet, there is still time to participate.

To date, the Archdiocese has received a total of \$15,215 in pledges. This represents 51.45% of our \$29,571.79 goal

*Fr. Robert*





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