

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 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*
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Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

June 1, 2025

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
8:00 AM
Sundays:
8:00 AM, 10:00 AM & 12 noon
Weekdays:
8:00 AM
Holy Days of Obligation
8:00 AM and 7PM

ADORATION & ROSARY

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

RELIGIOUS ED & SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

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

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

Saturday May 31

4:00 PM +Robert Lawrence

Sunday June 1

8:00 AM +Eileen Pease

10:00 AM +Silvestro Capone

12:00 Noon +Loretta Spina

Monday June 2

8:00 AM +Mary, Louise & Elizabeth

Tuesday June 3

8:00 AM +Jenny & Lina Guzzo

Wednesday June 4

8:00 AM +Rose Thottan

Thursday June 5

8:00 AM +Deceased Members of the
Briody Family

Friday June 6

8:00 AM Dennis Warchol

Saturday June 7

8:00 AM Memorial Mass

4:00 PM +William Severage

Sunday June 8

8:00 AM +Cindy Stul

10:00 AM +Edward Pilecki

12:00 Noon +Frank Malvasi

Blessed Mother Lamp:

For the Intentions of the Holy Father

Sanctuary Lamp:

+Eduardo Aguila

PARISH WEEKLY OFFERING

May 25, 2025

Weekend offering.....\$3,401

Total Offering\$3,401

Thank you for your generosity!

Help St. Anne's save on envelope and postage fees,
sign up to the Online Giving Program. Visit the
parish website to set up.

For the past few weeks, the gospels talked about how Jesus prepares His apostles for this day, His Ascension to heaven.

He knew that His disciples will have a big mission to undertake. That they will encounter so many challenges. Just like Him, they will be mocked, ridiculed, betrayed and even prosecuted. Unlike Him who has absolute trust in God the Father, the disciples from time will be confused, exhausted, incompetent and fearful. Without Him physically with them, their hearts will always be troubled.

Today's celebration of the Ascension of our Lord, let us, His disciples be reminded of the promises of Jesus.

"Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid."

"The Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you."

'I am going away and I will come back to you.'

Most importantly, let us put into heart His greatest commandment. "I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another. This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

This is Jesus's legacy - our faith. A legacy that is worth more than any amount of money or property. A gift that keeps on giving for thousands of years. How are we taking care of this gift? Do we share it?

Let us pray that we can continue what the first disciples have done. May we find courage when there's uncertainty. May we be bold when our faith is debated. May we chose to love when it's easier not to. May we always ask the Holy Spirit to guide all our actions and comfort us when we're restless. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Fr. Robert

RELIGIOUS ED UPDATES

We are looking for Catechists and teacher assistants for next school year. Please contact Evelyn stanneyouthformation@gmail.com

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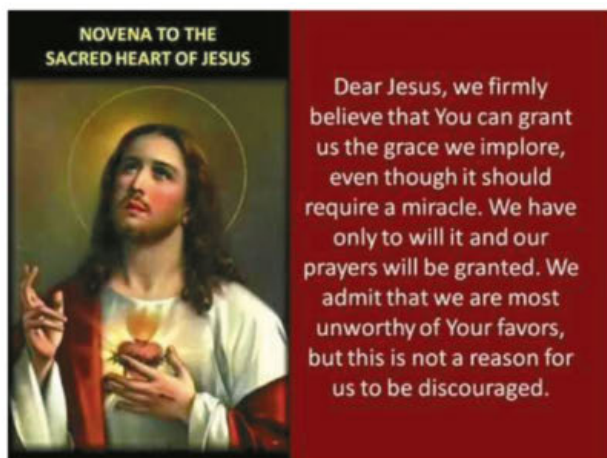
Calling all Graduates or Past Students of St Anne School here in Garwood. There will be a Grand Alumni Homecoming in June 28, 2026.

Please email stannegarwood100years@gmail.com with you Full name, current address, contact number, years attended or graduated from the school. That way we can update you with the events in 2026. If you have pictures or interesting school stories to share please email it too.

Help spread the word!
St. Anne's wants you to come home.

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The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are now in the planning stage for the yearlong activities for the 100th Year Anniversary of our parish next year. Your participation is essential in making this historic event a success! We are looking for volunteers to help with the:

- Memorabilia exhibit
- Souvenir program
- Grand Alumni Homecoming
- Fundraising
- Video editing and more

For more information, email stannegarwood100years@gmail.com

COMMEMORATIVE BRICK CAMPAIGN

The 100th Anniversary Committee would like to thank those who have supported the first batch of our commemorative bricks campaign. If you haven't seen the personalized bricks yet, you can check out the walkway leading to the Grotto.

We are now in the second phase of our project. If you are interested to purchase a brick, forms are available at the church entrance or at the parish office. New bricks will be installed in groups of 20. It may take some time to see your brick on the walkway. Your patience and continued support is very much appreciated.

Give the gift of Faith to the future generations

Support the St. Anne's Heritage Fund Campaign. The funds raised will be used for the upkeep of the Church roof, tower and other structural repairs.

APOSTOLADO HISPANO ST. ANNA

June 1, Sunday 2:30 pm - Bible Class at St. Anne's Hall

June 14, Saturday 5:30 pm - Spanish Mass

June 22, Sunday 2:30 pm - Bible Class at St. Anne's Hall.

Will you prayerfully consider making a gift to the 2025 Annual Appeal?

With your contributions to the Annual Appeal, you can help in the education of seminarians (future priests), fund programs and ministries that ensure that our faith will be passed down to the future generation, support the poor, marginalized, elderly and unborn, and also help our very own parish, The Church of St. Anne. You are free to specify which projects you would like your donation to go to.

Annual Appeal 2025 Update

Goal: \$30,221.51

Pledges Received: \$23,375.23

Total Amount Received: \$20,960.23

Amount Needed to reach the goal : \$6,846.28



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