

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.

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Hispanic Apostolate
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Music Ministry
Prayer Network
Spanish Tridentine Army of Mary
St. Anne's Rosary Society
5 Loaves Pantry



Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 21, 2026

Church of Saint Anne

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1926-2026



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

In today's Gospel, Jesus is telling us that every little detail in this world is known by the Father. He knows our joys, our pains, our doubts, our struggles and our fears.

Jesus also assures us that the Father loves us deeply. That we are precious in His eyes and will never abandon nor forsake us. Because of this, we, as His beloved children should be confident that we have our Father to care for us, to support us and to carry us at all times.

Since we have an amazing Father, we should be bold too in acknowledging Him and sharing His goodness to those around us. As heirs, His legacy must be seen in our every deed and action for it is through us that other people would know about Him. By our example, we can let others feel that He is truly alive.

This Sunday is dedicated to all Fathers. In Filipino, Fathers are known as the pillars of the home. They provide stability and protection to the family. Today, we acknowledge and honor all the male figures in our lives who provided this gifts to us.

I also would like to honor the women who have taken the roles of a mother and father.

Join me as I pray for them.

"Lord, we lift up all fathers today. Grant them the grace to balance work, family, and faith. When they are tired or overwhelmed, renew their strength. Surround them with Your peace, and may they feel Your profound love in all they do. Amen."

Fr. Robert

Saturday June 20

4:00 PM +Angelo Romano

Sunday June 21

8:00 AM +Roberta Guerriero

10:00 AM +Davide Giannobile

12:00 Noon +Eleanor Malvasi

Monday June 22

8:00 AM +Angelo Iuliano

Tuesday June 23

8:00 AM +Angelo Romano

Wednesday June 24

8:00 AM +Angelo Iuliano

Thursday June 25

8:00 AM +Luigia Ripolino

Friday June 26

8:00 AM +Angelo Romano

Saturday June 27

4:00 PM +Angelo Romano

Sunday June 28

8:00 AM +Robert Leahey

10:00 AM +Dominick Nuzzo

12:00 Noon Teachers, Staff & Alumni
of St. Anne's School

Blessed Mother Lamp:

+Living and Deceased Fathers

Sanctuary Lamp:

+Parishioners of St. Anne

PARISH WEEKLY OFFERING

June 14, 2026

Weekend offering.....\$2,597

Maintenance.....\$ 551

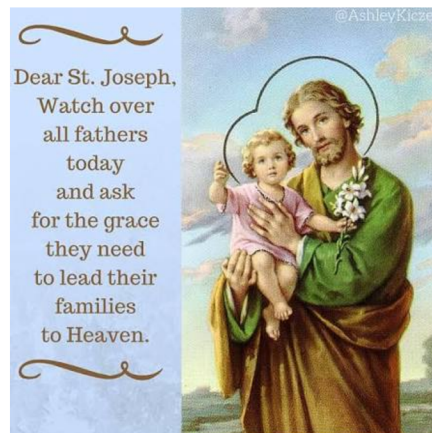
Total Regular Collection.....\$3,148

Thank you for your generosity

2026 ANNUAL APPEAL UPDATE

June 30th is the deadline for our parish to receive a rebate. If we reach our Goal of \$29,571 by that date, St. Anne's will receive a monetary rebate. Right now, we have approximately \$22,000 in pledges and contributions.

Thank you to the families who have participated. If you haven't, I pray that you will consider supporting this cause.



REED UPDATES

Registration for the Religious Ed program for schoolyear 2026-2027 is now open. Forms are available by the church entrance. There will be a fee discount of \$25 if received by July 15. Any registration received after September 15, will include a late fee of \$25. Please make checks out to the Church of Saint Anne. If you have any questions, contact Evelyn 908-494-0774 or Stanneyouthformation@gmail.com

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Open to all children from Kindergarten to 6th Grade.
August 10-13 (Monday to Thursday) from 10 am to 12:15 pm
Event is free but you need to sign up.
If you have any questions, contact Evelyn 908-494-0774 or Stanneyouthformation@gmail.com

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Interested to become an Altar Server? There will be a training on June 27, Saturday at 10 am in the Church.
Requirements: 1. You have made your First Communion. 2. You want to serve the Lord. 3. You are willing to be trained.

CHURCH YOUTH BBQ

Calling all High School Students! You are invited to a BBQ Dinner June 30, 2026 (Tuesday) from 6pm - 9pm at St. Anne's parking lot. Great food, games, worship and more.
Event is free but are welcome to bring extra snacks, food & drinks. Make sure to bring a friend or two.
RSVP by June 24 at Stanneyouthformation@gmail.com

BEAUTIFICATION MINISTRY UPDATE

On Saturday, May 30, St. Anne's Beautification Committee members and volunteers Kim Ficarra, Segio Simoes, John Roberts, Michelle and Doug Stoffer, Christine Guerriero, Julieta Gutierrez and Armando Cardoza, Ray Nierstedt, and Maria and Bill Nierstedt worked from 9:00am to noon pulling weeds, weed (and poison ivy) whacking, and hauling and spreading mulch on Saint Anne's grounds. There were many sore backs Saturday night. Thanks also go to Don Luis Landscaping who picked up and delivered all of the mulch. The Beautification ministry undertakes a lot of work with few members. While a truckload of mulch was spread, there are still areas that need more. We may have to schedule another Landscape Day and WE ALWAYS NEED VOLUNTEERS - there is more work than volunteers to complete it. Please contact the Parish office or Bill Nierstedt if you wish to join. We look forward to seeing new members!

2026 Church of St. Anne's Centennial Celebration Calendar

Let us pray for the success of the St. Anne's School Alumni Homecoming on June 28, 2026.

SAVE THE DATE

July 26, 2026 Feast of St. Anne & Food Truck Festival
August 15, 2026 Centennial BINGO
August 16, 2026 Heritage Sunday

CENTENNIAL YEAR GRAND 50/50 RAFFLE

This weekend, we are launching this year's 50/50 raffle to benefit our church roof repair and other facilities maintenance. Tickets are available after each mass and at the parish office during regular office hours. \$10 donation/ticket.

Be Part of the History of St. Anne

Our parish 100th year anniversary celebration is in full swing! To immortalize this milestone, we are now in the works to create a Centennial Book so that future generations will be able to have a glimpse of our rich history.

For more information on how you can be included in the St Anne's Centennial Book, please call or email the parish office.

Happy Father's Day!

This Father's Day treat your dad to a retreat



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That is right for you...



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