

SAINT ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH

MAY 8, 2022
4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8 DE MAYO DE 2022
4° DOMINGO DE PASCUA



“Seeing his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing near her, Jesus said to his mother, “Woman, this is your son.””
(John 19-26)

“Jesús, viendo a su madre y junto a ella al discípulo a quien amaba, dice a su madre: Mujer, ahí tienes a tu hijo.”
(Jn 19, 26)

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Thank you for joining us today!
¡Gracias por acompañarnos!

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
Faith Formation Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

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MASS SCHEDULE



Parishioners are invited to come celebrate with us.



Monday-Friday 9:00 AM - Eng.
Friday 6:00 PM - Sp.

Saturday, Vigil Mass for Sunday 4:00 PM - Eng.
Saturday, Vigil Mass for Sunday 6:00 PM - Sp.
Sunday 8:00 AM - Eng. 10:00 AM - Eng.
12:00 PM - Sp. 6:00 PM - Sp.

Confessions:

Fridays 4:00-5:00 PM and Saturdays 2:00-3:30 PM, or by appointment.

Call the Parish Office at (863) 422-4370. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 7, 2022

4:00 PM ☩ Alvira Burns
6:00 PM (Sp.) ☩ Efrain Rangel

Sunday, May 8, 2022

8:00 AM For the members of our Parish
10:00 AM ☩ Alvira Burns
12:00 PM (Sp.) ☩ Alicia Sanchez
6:00 PM (Sp.) ☩ Alvira Burns

Monday, May 9, 2022

9:00 AM ☩ Alvira Burns

Tuesday, May 10, 2022

9:00 AM ☩ Marie Brockman

Wednesday, May 11, 2022

9:00 AM ☩ Memorial Mass Association

Thursday, May 12, 2022

9:00 AM ☩ Alvira Burns

Friday, May 13, 2022

9:00 AM ☩ Alvira Burns
6:00 PM (Sp.) ☩ Alvira Burns

Saturday, May 14, 2022

4:00 PM ☩ Robert McKissick
6:00 PM (Sp.) ☩ Alvira Burns

Sunday, May 15, 2022

8:00 AM ☩ Alvira Burns
10:00 AM For the members of our Parish
12:00 PM (Sp.) ☩ Alvira Burns
6:00 PM (Sp.) ☩ Alvira Burns

PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Please consider making a donation.

April 30 & May 1, 2022

Regular Offertory: \$11,961.50
Buildings & Grounds: \$3,101
50/50 Winner: Mrs. Hink \$169
OCA Update:
Goal: \$133,624.71
To Date: \$62,614.73
Still Needed: \$71,009.98



ADORATION



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place all day on **Fridays** in the Chapel from 9:30 AM-5:00 PM.



Are you going on vacation this summer and not sure where to worship? Please visit Discovermass.com or Masstimes.org to locate churches and Mass times for your vacation destination.



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HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

We would like to wish all mothers a very Happy Mother's Day! Thank you for all the sacrifices you have made for us! Thank you for the gift of life! Today, as we gather as a community of Faith, we pray to our mother Mary to continue to intercede for us. Our prayer for our parish is that we are able to recognize the maternal gifts.

Nos gustaría desearles a todas las madres un muy feliz día de la madres. Gracias por todos los sacrificios que has hecho por nosotros. Gracias por el regalo de la vida. Hoy, cuando nos reunimos como comunidad de fe, oramos a nuestra madre Maria que continúe intercediendo por nosotros. Nuestra oración por nuestra parroquia es que seamos capaces de reconocer los dones maternos.

Fr. Alfonso Cely
Deacons
Parish Staff

THE BEAUTY OF THE HANDS OF GOD



On this Fourth Sunday of Easter, we celebrate the feast of Christ, our Good Shepherd who volunteered his life for his flock. We celebrate our shepherd because he loves us and looks after us in all circumstances. He is willing to lead all those who follow and obey him in the spring of eternal life.

We are very familiar with the image of Jesus as a shepherd holding a sheep on his shoulders or lap, caring for the little one. In this popular and familiar image, we can contemplate his tenderness, care, and love for his flock, especially for the weak sheep who need special attention. The Good Shepherd Jesus always supports us in the various trials of our lives. If we have a problem or reach a dark valley, Jesus becomes our salvation, and he comes to our aid and rescue.

In today's Gospel, we can meditate on his self-proclamation as a good shepherd. It becomes a grand declaration about who is in charge of our lives, who cares for us, and how his salvific mission is continually accomplished in our daily lives, especially in testing moments when we don't have anyone or anything to do. He will be ready to heal and cure our wounds. Hearing his voice becomes a sweet melody that comforts us. He says: "My sheep hear my voices; I know them, and they follow me" (John 10:27) and "No one can take them out of my hand" (John 10:28). How beautiful it is to know that we can rest in the hands of the Lord.

"The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice, and they follow me." On the other hand, it also specifies the responsibility of Christ, the Good Shepherd, towards us: "I give them eternal life, they will not be lost under my protection, and no one will ever steal them from me." Hence, if we heed the voice of Christ, we are assured of his love, care, and protection. Christ, our Good Shepherd, never fails.

Fr. Alfonso Cely
Pastor

OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We are fast approaching when 84 of our dedicated faith-filled students will receive the Eucharist, the Real Presence of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, for the first time at a special Mass on Saturday, May 21, 2022, at 10:00 AM.

It is required that students who are receiving First Communion and their parents/guardians attend a practice/rehearsal on Wednesday, May 18, 2022, at 6:00 PM in the church.

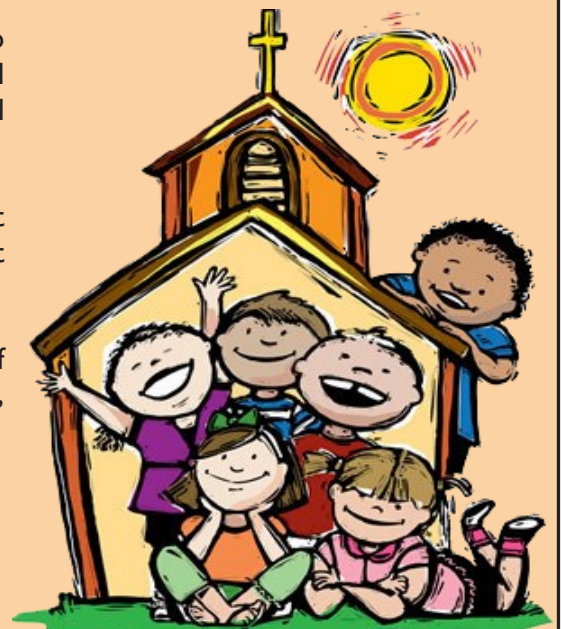
As a reminder, due to the overwhelming desire of our parents to have their children receive the Sacraments, we have reached our legal classroom capacity for the number of days our classes are scheduled for the next academic year.

This means we are no longer accepting registration for direct assignments to classes. In its place, we have opened a waiting list which carries with it no guarantee that a future opening will occur.

If future openings occur, which is dependent upon the availability of volunteers to become Catechists and to teach on a weekday evening, or Virtually via Zoom, we will open up enrollment again.

Thank you, and God Bless!

Rita Morano, CRE



FAITH DIRECT

If you haven't already, please consider enrolling. You may visit faith.direct/FL1031 or through our website www.stannhc.com to enroll for regular Offertory and our Buildings & Grounds fund securely on-line. Also, "text to give" is available at **(863) 400-1077**. You can text to enroll and text any dollar amount.

We pray for your continued good health and safety in this time of change, and always know you are in our prayers. God Bless You!



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY



St. Vincent de Paul holds food distributions every Monday and Wednesday, 11:00 AM-12:30 PM. For the week of April 17, we provided food to 779 individuals from 185 families. The need is great. Your food and financial donations are crucial to our operation and greatly appreciated as we continue to support our neighbors in need with not only food, but also financial assistance.

To volunteer, donate or request help, call (863) 419-4819 or e-mail svdp4819@gmail.com. Our services are described on our website: svdpstann.org.

EASTER VIGIL / VIGILIA DE PASCUA



Each week, we will feature memories of our extraordinary Holy Week celebrations.

SAINT OF THE WEEK: OUR LADY OF FATIMA



Between May 13 and October 13, 1917, three Portuguese children—Francisco and Jacinta Marto and their cousin Lucia dos Santos—received apparitions of Our Lady at Cova da Iria near Fatima, a city 110 miles north of Lisbon. Mary asked the children to pray the Rosary for world peace, the end of World War I, sinners, and the conversion of Russia.

Mary gave the children three secrets. Following the deaths of Francisco and Jacinta in 1919 and 1920, respectively, Lucia revealed the first secret in 1927. It concerned devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The second secret was a vision of hell. When Lucia grew up, she became a Carmelite nun and died in 2005 at 97.

Pope John Paul II directed the Holy See's Secretary of State to reveal the third secret in 2000; it spoke of a "bishop in white" shot by a group of soldiers who fired bullets and arrows into him. Many people linked this vision to the assassination attempt against Pope John Paul II in St. Peter's Square on May 13, 1981.

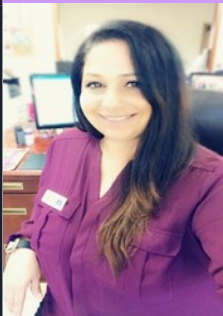
The feast of Our Lady of Fatima was approved by the local bishop in 1930; it was added to the Church's worldwide calendar in 2002.

Reflection:

The message of Fatima is simple: Pray. Unfortunately, some people—not Sister Lucia—have distorted these revelations, making them into an apocalyptic event for which they are now the only reliable interpreters. They have, for example, claimed that Mary's request that the world be consecrated to her had been ignored. Sister Lucia agreed that Pope John Paul II's public consecration in St. Peter's Square on March 25, 1984, fulfilled Mary's request. The Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith prepared a June 26, 2000, document explaining the "third secret."

Mary is perfectly honored when people generously imitate her response, "Let it be done to me as you say" (Luke 1:38). Mary can never be seen as a rival to Jesus or the Church's teaching authority, as exercised by the college of bishops united with the bishop of Rome.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. ANN'S



Good and Blessed Sunday to All!

I am happy to announce and update you regarding some of the good things happening in our Parish:

SACRAMENTAL REGISTRY: We completed updating our system to keep our Sacramental Registers up to date. This will now help us verify sacraments, print certificates, and more.

We currently have 271 new students enrolled in the Faith Formation program for 2022-23. We have seven new catechists that have come forward to help teach the Word of God to our youth.

CHILDREN'S GARDEN UPDATE: We have planted 22 Climbing Madavilla plants in four different colors at each end of our 11 metal arches that will soon flourish. Also, we have mounted birdhouses painted by some of the children of Religious Education on one of the trees in our garden.

NEW AC UNIT: We have ordered a new replacement unit for our church's right front side, cooling the Cry Room, Narthex, and Ladies Room. This unit will be here in about two weeks. In the meantime, we will have some temporary units in place to help cool those rooms.

NEW FISH IN OUR POND: We have placed ten new baby Coy fish in our man-made pond behind our Parish Office. Let us pray this will be a new, happy home for them!

Each month I will keep you updated on all the exciting new projects we have going on at our parish.

Lily Muñiz
Parish Manager

LA BELLEZA DE LAS MANOS DE DIOS



En este Cuarto Domingo de Pascua, celebramos la fiesta de Cristo, nuestro Buen Pastor, que entregó voluntariamente su vida por su rebaño. Celebramos a nuestro pastor porque nos ama y nos cuida en todas las circunstancias. Está dispuesto a conducir a todos los que le siguen y le obedecen a la fuente de la vida eterna.

Estamos muy familiarizados con la imagen de Jesús como un pastor que lleva una oveja sobre sus hombros o su regazo, cuidando al pequeño. En esta imagen popular y familiar podemos contemplar su ternura, cuidado y amor por su rebaño, especialmente por las ovejas débiles que necesitan una atención especial. El Buen Pastor Jesús siempre nos apoya en las diversas pruebas de nuestra vida. Si tenemos un problema o llegamos a un valle oscuro, Jesús se convierte en nuestra salvación y viene en nuestra ayuda y rescate.

En el Evangelio de hoy podemos meditar en su autoproclamación como buen pastor. Se convierte en una gran declaración sobre quién está a cargo de nuestras vidas, quién se preocupa por nosotros y cómo su misión salvífica se cumple continuamente en nuestra vida diaria, especialmente en los momentos de prueba cuando no tenemos a nadie ni nada que hacer. Él estará listo para sanar y curar nuestras heridas. Escuchar su voz se convierte en una dulce melodía que nos reconforta. Él dice: “Mis ovejas oyen mis voces; Yo las conozco, y ellas me siguen” (Juan 10:27) y “Nadie me las puede quitar de la mano” (Juan 10:28). Que hermoso es saber que podemos descansar en las manos del Señor.

“Las ovejas que me pertenecen escuchan mi voz y me siguen”. Por otro lado, también especifica la responsabilidad de Cristo, el Buen Pastor, hacia nosotros: “Yo les doy vida eterna, no se perderán bajo mi protección, y nadie me las robará jamás”. Por lo tanto, si escuchamos la voz de Cristo, estamos seguros de su amor, cuidado y protección. Cristo, nuestro Buen Pastor, nunca falla.

Padre Alfonso Cely
Pastor

EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

Nos acercamos rápidamente cuando 84 de nuestros estudiantes dedicados y llenos de fe recibirán la Eucaristía, que es la Presencia Real de nuestro Señor y Salvador Jesucristo por primera vez.

Esto tendrá lugar en una misa especial programada para el sábado 21 de mayo de 2022 a las 10:00 AM.

Se requiere que los estudiantes que estén recibiendo la Primera Comunión y sus padres/tutores estén presentes en una práctica/ensayo programada para el miércoles 18 de mayo de 2022 a las 6:00 PM en la iglesia.

Como recordatorio, debido al abrumador deseo de nuestros padres de que sus hijos reciban los Sacramentos, hemos alcanzado nuestra capacidad legal de aula para la cantidad de días que nuestras clases han sido programadas para el próximo año académico.

Esto significa que ya no aceptamos el registro para asignación directa a clases. En su lugar, hemos abierto una lista de espera que no garantiza que se produzca una futura apertura.

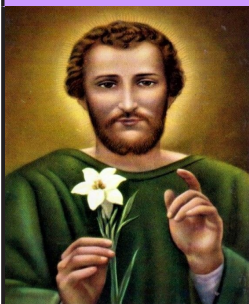
Si se abren vacantes en el futuro, lo cual depende de la disponibilidad de voluntarios para convertirse en catequistas y enseñar en la noche de un día laborable, o virtualmente a través de Zoom, abriremos la inscripción nuevamente.

¡Gracias y Dios te bendiga!

Rita Morano, CRE



CICLO DE ORACIÓN SAN JOSE



Como parte de las celebraciones de nuestra parroquia en honor a San José en su año jubilar, les invitamos a participar los miércoles de oración y meditación en comunidad.

Sera todos los miercoles de este mes de Mayo a las 7:30 PM, en el hogar de la familia de:

Hermelinda Calderón
1323 Power Line Rd
Davenport, FL 33837

En adición a los miércoles nos reuniremos como parroquia en el templo todos los días 19 de cada mes, donde también se realizará la coronilla a San Jose seguido por un tema.

COFRADIA DEL ROSARIO



Se siente el llamado! Nuestra Virgen Peregrina quiere visitarte.

Inscríbete para tener su imagen visitando tu casa y durante una semana recibir todo su amor de Madre para ti y los tuyos.

Si estás interesado te puedes comunicar al **8638525550**, o a la cofradia.stann@gmail.com

EASTER SUNRISE MASS / MISA VESPERTINA DE PASCUA

