

The Church of Saint Ann

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With joyful hearts
 we welcome you into
 our house of prayer
 to celebrate the gift
 of life and the special
 faith we share

MARRIAGE & BAPTISM
 Please call the Rectory

CONFESSION:
 Saturday - 3:15 - 3:45 p.m.
 and by appointment

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Reverend Edward D. McCabe, Pastor
 Brendan A. Fitzgerald, Deacon

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday - 4:00 p.m.

Sunday - 8:30 a.m.
 10:30 a.m.

WEEKDAYS - 9:00 a.m.
 Monday & Tuesday
 Thursday & Friday

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
 August 23, 2015






MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, August 22 at 4:00 p.m. - Francisco & Maria Figueiredo - Memorial Mass
SUNDAY, August 23 at 8:30 a.m. - Henry J. & Sue T. Antone - 12th Anniversary Mass
SUNDAY, August 23 at 10:30 a.m. - Mass for the intentions of all our Parish families and Loved ones

Monday, August 24 at 9:00 a.m. - No Mass due to renovation
 Tuesday, August 25 at 9:00 a.m. - No Mass due to renovations
 Thursday, August 27 at 9:00 a.m. - No Mass due to renovations
 Friday, August 28 at 9:00 a.m. - No Mass due to renovations

SATURDAY, August 29 at 4:00 p.m. - Judith M. Maloney - 4th Anniversary Mass
SUNDAY, August 30 at 8:30 a.m. - Mass for the intentions of all our Parish families and Loved ones
SUNDAY, August 30 at 10:30 a.m. - Mass for the intentions of all our Parish families and Loved ones

IN MEMORIA: FOR THE SOULS OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED, WE PRAY:
 Scott Andrews, Richard Alan Anderson, Robert D. Smith, Frances Bernard, and
 Richard R. McGrath whose Funeral Mass was celebrated at Saint Ann's Church this past week

Sunday August 23	Monday August 24	Tuesday August 25	Wednesday August 26	Thursday August 27	Friday August 28	Saturday August 29
8:30 a.m. Mass  10:30 a.m. Mass  "gathering tent" after Masses				 BINGO 6:30 p.m.		4:00 p.m. Mass   "gathering tent" after Masses

The Parish Office is open to serve you Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.



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ALTAR SERVERS

4:00 p.m.
8:30 a.m. Jackson Roberts
10:30 a.m. Page Casavant

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Ed Lindsey * Tom Maloney * Sandy Meho
Maria Baker * Mary Ann Chartier * Louise Domingos
Jessie Russell * Joanne Hanson * Charlotte Hasomeris

LECTORS

Peg Fitzgerald
Ann Werner
Nancy Maloney

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM:

Religious Education Office: 508.588.7140
Religious Education e-mail: stannsccd@comcast.net
Religious Education information is also available on stannswb.com.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION:

Registration for the 2015-2016 religious education classes will be ongoing through the summer. There are registration forms at the doors of the Church as well as on the website. You are encouraged to register early to ensure placement of your child in a class.

TEACHERS NEEDED FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Teachers are needed for Grades 7, 8, 9, and 10 on Sunday nights from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Please call the Rectory if you can participate.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:

The Brockton District of Saint Vincent dePaul is raffling a 1987 Harley Davidson FXR custom. It is in good running condition with 25,000 miles. Tickets are \$10.00 per chance. The drawing is at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 5, 2015, at Holy Ghost Church in Whitman. Please contact Tom Maloney at 508-279-1446 for chances.



THIS WEEK'S THOUGHT:

Jesus concludes His discourse of being the Living Bread. His disciples murmuring reflect their effort in accepting who He is. Jesus asks them, "do you also want to leave?"

We are reminded today of centuries of Catholic Theological teaching that can help our understanding and acceptance of this paramount tenet of our Catholic faith.



WEEKLY OFFERING ENVELOPES:

Envelopes for the months of July and August have been mailed recently. If you did not receive your envelopes, please call the Rectory.



THE GATHERING TENT":

The "gathering tent" will be open after all the Masses this weekend for our parishioners to enjoy refreshments and socialize with other members of the parish.



MORNING MASS SCHEDULE:

The week of Monday, August 24 through Friday, August 28, there will be no morning Mass at 9:00 a.m. due to renovation.

LAST WEEK'S OFFERTORY

\$3,700

NEW AMOUNT

"MICHELANGELO'S CEILING"

\$25,685

SAINT ANN'S WEBSITE:

stannswb.com

We encourage you to visit our website.

SAINT ANN'S E-MAIL:

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If you have questions, comments, or concerns, we would like to hear from you.



PRAYER LINE:

To request prayers from members of Saint Ann's Prayer Line for yourself, another person, or for a special intention, **please call Bette Lindberg - 508.584.2422 or Tom Maloney - 508.279.1446.** Additional volunteers are needed to join the "telephone tree" of the Prayer Line. Also, the start up of an "e-mail tree" is in the process of being established in addition to the "telephone tree". A simple phone call or an e-mail is all that is required to pass on information for people requesting prayers for special intentions.

SPECIAL COLLECTION: (this weekend)

This weekend, a second collection will be taken at all the Masses for "MICHELANGELO'S CEILING"

This will give everyone the opportunity to participate. Many of you who receive envelopes in the mail have already so generously contributed. There will be envelopes available at the doors of the Church and also in the benches.

FOOD PANTRY:

The cupboards are empty. Please continue your generosity. There are many families in need of assistance. **Juices, baked beans, spaghetti sauce, brownie mix, cookies, cereal, condiments, pasta, and white meat tuna are especially needed.**

The Food Pantry is located at the Spring Street School and is open the first & third Wednesday of the month from 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEAT RAFFLE: Saturday, August 29 at 1:00 p.m. in the Parish Center.



BINGO: Every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center...Support Your Church