

Saint Anne Catholic Church

December 10th, 2017 - Second Sunday of Advent



Church Schedule

Daily Mass:

Tuesday–Friday: 8:00 am

Adoration:

Wednesday: 9:00 am - 3:30 pm

Confessions:

Saturday: 3:00 pm–3:45 pm

Thursday: After Mass

**Novena of the Miraculous Medal of
the Blessed Virgin Mary:**

Thursday after Mass

Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am, 8:30 am

& 11:00am

(Special Feast Day Masses, will be listed
inside, as they occur)

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Weddings: Please contact church office a minimum of 6 months prior to
requested Wedding date.

Baptism: Please contact church office a minimum of 1 month prior to
requested Baptism date.



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The rugged land shall be made a plain; the rough country, a broad valley (Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11).

Psalm — Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation (Psalm 85).

Second Reading — Conduct yourselves in holiness, hastening the coming of the day of God (2 Peter 3:8-14).

Gospel — I have baptized you with water; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit (Mark 1:1-8).

Mass Intentions

- Sat Dec 9, 4 pm **+ Thoi Le**
by Kim Le
- Sun Dec 10, 7:00 am **+ Henry & Dorothy Dugger**
by The Dugger Family
- Sun Dec 10, 8:30 am **Pro Populo (For the Parish)**
- Sun Dec 10, 11 am **+ Dr. Bob Bradley**
by Don & Martha Krehely
- Mon Dec 11 (Father's Mass)
+ Wendy Peterson
by The Salamida Family
- Tue Dec 12, 8 am **+ Frank Hardt**
by Jim & Rose Putman
- Wed Dec 13, 8 am **+ Custodia Parales**
by Cherry Parales
- Thur Dec 14, 8 am **+ Pauline LaBonte**
by Tom & Rose Matthews
- Fri Dec 15, 8 am **sp Gene Bish**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Is 35:1-10; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Lk 5:17-26
- Tuesday: Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Jdt 13:18bcde, 19; Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47, or any readings from the Common of The Blessed Virgin Mary, nos. 707-712
- Wednesday: Is 40:25-31; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10; Mt 11:28-30
- Thursday: Is 41:13-20; Ps 145:1, 9-13ab; Mt 11:11-15
- Friday: Is 48:17-19; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Mt 11:16-19
- Saturday: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16, 18-19; Mt 17:9a, 10-13
- Sunday: Is 61:1-2a, 10-11; Lk 1:46-50, 53-54;

PRAYERS FOR PEACE

Sara Barnheart, Judy Bauman, Joseph Chrisco, Andy Cicero, Gert Cicero, Brenda Crosby, Estelle Davis, Frank Dileonardo, Patricia Dileonardo, Butch Durden, Joan Ebert, Francis Figaniak, Sylvia Figaniak, Alice Francisco, Cheryl Gilroy, Robert Greathouse, Agnes Heule, **Fr. Kevin Johnson**, Robert Johnson, Mary Ellen Kolbe, Ruthie Matthews, Wanda McCagg, Jack McCurdy, James McGregor, Faith Middleton, Josh Middleton, Virginia Moretti, Theresa Mowry, Kathleen Nowak, Leonard O'Donovan, Rubin O'Donovan Jr., John Peters, Ron Poljak Sr., **Kathy Price, Sonny Price**, Aubrey Reed, Prescilla Robinson, Betty Schmitz, Angel Sifuentes, Sandy Starkey, Fr. Henry Thorsen, Lisa Tisdale, Barbara Turner, Robert Turner, Blaise Vallese. To add/remove someone to/from the prayer list please call 456-5966 or email office@stannebv.org.

ST. ANNE NEWS AND EVENTS

NEWS OF COMFORT

In a time of preparation, much of it having to do with material things, it is good to hear the words of Isaiah, "Comfort, give comfort to my people, / says your God" (Isaiah 40:1). In a time of such stress and rush, when our usual burdens are augmented by piles of Christmas preparations, we can choose to slow down, take some time to heal, and appreciate the enormous gift we are about to receive. Christ, the Son of God, has become one of us, and knows our human limitations. Yet God, even now, is freeing us from the burdens that our inattentiveness to our God and to our deepest inner longings have heaped upon us. The Lord comes, not as a king with mighty armies, but as a shepherd leading the flocks with care and tenderness. Isaiah prophesies good news: our oppression is over, our sins forgiven. The savior we have awaited is coming, not the first time, but in the end times, as our salvation.

Burse Club Collection

The Burse Club Collection is next weekend, outside after all Masses. Thank you!

Holy Name Breakfast * DATE CHANGE *

The Holy Name Society will be serving breakfast next week, December 17th after 8:30 am Mass.

Advent Penance Service December 14th - 6:00 pm

The Giving Tree

Each year, the number of homeless on the streets of Pensacola continues to grow. The Alfred Washburn Center (St. Vincent dePaul) provides meals, showers and laundry facilities for free to the homeless. This year, we are asking for you to hang new items such as gloves, scarves, socks or other ideas you have, on our Giving Tree. Our tree is located in our gazebo and will collect items until December 21st. Thank you for your support.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Monday: St. Damasus I

Tuesday: Our Lady of Guadalupe;
Hanukkah begins at sunset

Wednesday: St. Lucy

Thursday: St. John of the Cross

Saturday: *Las Posadas* begins

Altar Society

Christmas Party, Thursday 6pm

Do-It-Yourself Advent

Week 2

Step 1 – Light two candles on the Advent Wreath

Step 2 – (optional) Read Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11;
2 Peter 3:8-14; Mark 1:1-8

Step 3 – Reflect on the readings: In the Bible passages for this Second Week of Advent we hear John the Baptist repeat the words of Isaiah the prophet, "Prepare the way of the Lord!" Both remind us to work seriously to make straight our own path and to clean up the wasteland of our own life. St. Paul tells us how: by being holy.

Step 4 – Pray: Dear God, don't let me miss chances this week to be welcoming to others. Help me change my ways so that I am a good example of someone who loves and follows the Lord.



ST. ANNE & PT - DIOCESE INFORMATION PAGE

Parish Registration

Registration forms for new parishioners are available in the back of church, in the church office, or on our website. Also, please notify the office of any changes in your family registration information (such as address, email or phone number changes. Or if you are moving away from our parish.) Thank you!

St. Anne's News Without Pews

Go to www.saintannebellview.org and view the calendar, upcoming events, ministries, and articles about activities. We also have an "Email Tree" with over 200 members. To subscribe, please send your contact information in an email to stanneinfo+subscribe@googlegroups.com or follow us on [Facebook @stannebellview](https://www.facebook.com/stannebellview)

Bulletin Deadline

Bulletin Submission deadline is due 10 days (two Thursdays) before published Sunday. Email items to office@stannebv.org

Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee #SOCIALMEDIA

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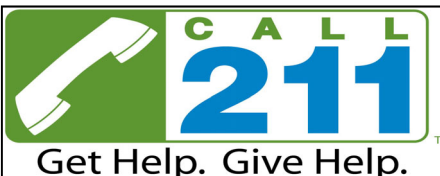


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saintannebellview.org and click on the blue Online Giving button. You can choose your fund (Offertory, Building Fund, Holy Days, etc.), how much you want to contribute to the fund and how frequently you want to have the money taken out for each fund (weekly, monthly, semi-monthly, annually). You can log-in once with your email and a password, or set up a profile for repeat giving. **It is ESSENTIAL to keep track of your info for future changes, as we cannot make changes for you.** For customer service, call 800-675-7430.



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Information and referrals for Northwest Florida now available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

*Emergency food/shelter *Child care resources *Health Care *Services for families and senior citizens *Services for people with disabilities *Etc.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT INFORMATION

Educational Material on the Danger of Abuse - The overwhelming majority of our clergy and lay leaders are hardworking individuals who are dedicated to serving the people of God in our parishes and schools. All of us together are responsible for making sure that all of our ministries are as safe as possible for our children and vulnerable adults. Each of us has a responsibility to educate ourselves about the real danger of abuse. For help with online courses and other safety matters, please contact the Diocese Office of Safe Environment at 850-435-3570.

Victims of Abuse - The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to healing the hurting hearts of sexual abuse victims and has established Victims Assistance Coordinators who are experienced and trained counselors and are available to help persons who have been sexually abused by a priest, deacon or other church personnel. Victim Assistance Coordinator: Pensacola/Fort Walton Beach area: Dr. Louis M. Makarowski, Ph.D., P.A.; 850-477-7181. Coordinadores Para Asistencia A Victimas: Deacon Santiago Molina; Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee; 850-435-3536. Diocesan Abuse Hotline: 850-435-3536.

THIS WEEKEND! DON'T MISS IT!



Sacred Relics of The Saints:
Treasures of The Church
*St. Anne Catholic Church presents
a teaching and exposition of Sacred Relics
Sunday December 10 at 2:00 pm.*

Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross will be here with his very special ministry to teach about these holy objects. He will bring with him over 150 relics, some as old as 2000 years. Among the treasures will be relics of St. Anne, St. Joseph, St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux (the "Little Flower"), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska. In addition, there will also be present a portion of the veil of Our Lady, as well as one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross in the world. Those in attendance will be able to examine and venerate each relic. In the Church's history many miracles and healings have been worked in the presence of relics, and many have been healed through this ministry. Please do not miss this opportunity. You are encouraged to bring your articles of devotion (such as rosaries, holy cards, etc.) and pictures of ill friends/family members which you will be able to touch to the reliquaries as a means of intercession.

For More Information visit: www.treasuresofthechurch.com

Christmas Mass Schedule



Please note Mass time changes for the 4th Sunday of Advent and Christmas.
ALL MASSES WILL BE IN THE CHURCH (Including the Christmas Eve Vigil Masses)

Saturday, December 23rd and Sunday, December 24th Mass times are for the 4th Sunday of Advent. They do NOT count as your Christmas Day Mass obligation.

4th Sunday of Advent Mass Times:

Saturday, December 23rd - 4:00 pm

Sunday, December 24th - 7:00 am & 9:30 am ONLY

Sunday, December 24th and Monday morning, December 25th, to fulfill the Holy Day Obligation for Christmas:

Sunday, December 24th - 4:00 pm & 7:00 pm ONLY

Monday, December 25th - 9:00 am

Mary, Holy Mother of God - January 1st 9:00 am only
(There will NOT be a vigil mass Sunday at 4:00 pm)