

SAINT ANNE CATHOLIC CHURCH

1131 NE 10th St., Grants Pass, OR 97526

“We are Saint Anne Catholic Church. A welcoming community, inspired by the Holy Spirit, we seek to proclaim Christ’s loving mission.”



*No servant can
serve two masters.*

Luke 16:13

SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

**TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

St. Anne Liturgy Schedule

**Daily morning Masses & Saturday 5 PM Mass
live-streamed on [Youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com)
(search [St. Anne Catholic Church Grants Pass](https://www.youtube.com))**

Saturday Vigil:	5:00 PM
	7:00 PM Misa en Español
	8:30 AM 1st Saturday of the Month
Sunday:	8:00 AM, 11:00 AM
Weekday Masses & 1st Saturday of the Month:	8:30 AM Monday thru Friday, & 1st Saturday of the Month
Reconciliation:	3:30 PM-4:30 PM—Saturdays

Our Lady of the River

3625 N. River Road; Gold Hill, OR 97525
PO Box 1596; Rogue River, OR 97537
Phone: 541-582-1373

Sunday: Mass 8:30 AM

St. Patrick of the Forest

407 W. River Street; PO Box 357
Cave Junction, OR 97523
Phone: 541-592-3658

Sunday: Mass 11:00 AM

St. Anne Parish Office

Monday-Friday 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

Email: office@stannegp.com
Website: www.stannegp.com



Are You New to St. Anne Catholic Church?

Please call the Parish Office
at 541-476-2240, or stop by the office
for a “Welcome Packet”.



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF
September 18, 2022 - September 25, 2022**

Sun	Sept 18	8:00 am	All Parishioners
		11:00 am	✠ Joy Young Nelson Crews Family ✠ Ermina Zimmer
	RR	8:30 am	✠ Mike Czarny
	CJ	11:00 am	Jim & Annie Pingree
Mon	Sept 19	8:30 am	Margaret Henry
Tues	Sept 20	8:30 am	✠ Lou Murphy & ✠ Kaye Murphy
Wed	Sept 21	8:30 am	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thurs	Sept 22	8:30 am	Rick & Kathy Nelson
Fri	Sept 23	8:30 am	Sal Blydenburgh
Sat	Sept 24	5:00 pm	Jamee Chapman Angela Padilla
		7:00 pm	Fernando Lepe

Sunday Sept. 18th:
Am 8:4-7; Ps 113:1-2, 4-8; 1 Tm 2:1-8;
Lk 16:1-13 [10-13]

Monday Sept. 19th:
Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday Sept. 20th:
Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30,
34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday Sept. 21st:
Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

Thursday Sept. 22nd:
Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc;
Lk 9:7-9

Friday Sept. 23rd:
Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc,
3-4; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday Sept. 24th:
Eccl 11:9 — 12:8; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17;
Lk 9:43b-45

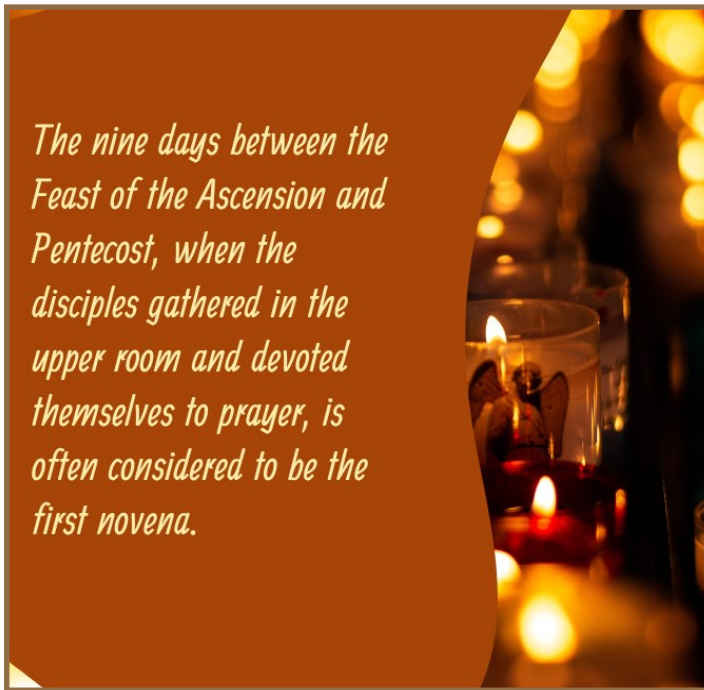
Sunday Sept. 25th:
Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7-10; 1
Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

RCIA meets weekly on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the KYC. If you are interested in becoming Catholic, completing your Sacraments of Initiation (First Communion and/or Confirmation) as an adult, or just want to deepen your knowledge of the Catholic faith, please join us!



If you have any questions about RCIA or want to learn more about becoming an RCIA inquirer, catechist, or sponsor, please contact:

Emily at [541-479-4848](tel:541-479-4848) or
email at esuda@stannegp.com



The nine days between the Feast of the Ascension and Pentecost, when the disciples gathered in the upper room and devoted themselves to prayer, is often considered to be the first novena.

FAMILY & YOUTH

Families of Faith kicks off this weekend!

This program is for **families with children in Kindergarten through 8th grade** and is required for those seeking Sacraments this year (**First Communion** or **7th/8th grade Confirmation**). The goal of this program is to inspire and equip parents to teach and practice the Catholic faith at home with their children.

All meetings are from **9:30 to 10:45 am** in the **Parish Center**.

Sunday, Sept. 18:

Families of Faith Orientation Meeting

Parents will be introduced to the Families of Faith program and its goals, and K-8 children will meet in class groups. Childcare will be available for younger children, but babies and littles are welcome in the parent class. Families who have not yet registered are welcome to attend!

Upcoming Dates:

Sunday, Sept. 25:

Families of Faith Community Meeting --

Knights of Columbus breakfast with activities for families and children.

Sunday, Oct. 2:

Families of Faith Prep Meeting --

Parents and K-8 class groups; introduction to October's home catechesis topics.

Sunday, Oct. 16:

Sacramental Preparation Orientation Meeting --

For First Communion and 7th/8th grade Confirmation only; at least one parent must attend with their child.

Sunday, Oct. 30:

Families of Faith Community Meeting --

Whole-family activities to extend and wrap up October's home catechesis.

A complete calendar for the year can be found on our parish website at

www.stannegp.com/faith-formation.

Novena for Youth and Families

8-8:30 a.m. Saturdays in the Kelly Youth Center Sep 17 - Nov 12.

Open to everyone of all ages and interest, please join in a ministry of prayer for our families and youth and all the ministries for them. If you can't be present, please follow along with our outline on Facebook or our abridged version in the bulletin.

Come for as many of these days as you can. Pop-ins welcome.



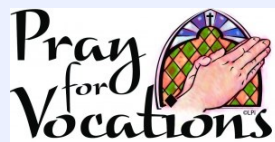
By the time you read this, we will already have gathered for our first prayer in our nine week novena for families and youth. If you missed it or can't make some of the gatherings in person, please pray along with us. The full handout is on Facebook and an abbreviated one is found below:

Opening Prayer: O God of small beginnings, we offer to you all families and young people in our community that they may know you and be convicted in their call to live joyfully in your presence, and so help all they encounter to do the same. We ask that we might continue the work of building your Kingdom, in our community, through this novena. We ask that you bless the parish ministries for families and youth that have begun and will begin. Most of all, we ask that we may be open to your voice during this time of prayer as we ponder your Word and consider how best we can serve you in serving our families and youth.

Scripture: Matthew 13:31-32 | **Silence and Intentions**

Concluding Prayer: O God of small beginnings, fill us with confidence in our work. May your presence in what we do encourage us to dare. May solidarity and togetherness be our strength. Amen.

Brian Suda
Pastoral Associate for Evangelization, Family and Youth



VOCATION MINISTRY

Contact: Paul Wilson

We ask each Parishioner to pray the following Petition:
“For those dedicated to serving God’s people as Priests, Deacons and Consecrated Religious, that they will be generously supported in their vocations,”

We pray to the Lord

Something to Think About This Week:

“[Jesus turned and said] ‘What are you looking for?’” Jn 1: 38

If Christ may be calling you to serve Him as a Priest, Religious or Permanent Deacon, call the Parish office at 541-476-2240 to make an appointment with Fr. Wolf or Fr. Joseph. You can also find vocation resources on the Archdiocese website at archdpdxvocations.org.



CELEBRATING THE SAINTS

ST VINCENT DE PAUL (1581-1660), born in France, was ordained in 1600 and became chaplain to a wealthy family. After ministering to imprisoned galley slaves he founded the Congregation of the Mission to evangelize the poor. He also established confraternities of charity to serve the poor, and with ST LOUISE DE MARILLAC founded the Sisters of Charity, who cared for the sick, the poor, prisoners, orphans, the mentally ill and the homeless. He also helped Priests in their vocation and established seminaries. His charitable works continue through the Society of St Vincent de Paul.

His Feast Day is September 27



**Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 September 18, 2022**

God . . . wills everyone to be saved and to come to knowledge of the truth.—
1 Timothy 2:4

LIFE, JUSTICE, AND PEACE

Death Penalty Update

The Pope’s Worldwide Prayer Network has released Pope Francis’ new video message with his prayer intention for September, **inviting prayers for the abolition of the death penalty.**



“Each day, there is a growing “NO” to the death penalty around the world.

For the Church, this is a sign of hope.

From a legal point of view, it is not necessary.

Society can effectively repress crime without definitively depriving offenders of the possibility of redeeming themselves. Always, in every legal sentence, there must be a window of hope.

Capital punishment offers no justice to victims, but rather encourages revenge. And it prevents any possibility of undoing a possible miscarriage of justice. Additionally, the death penalty is morally inadmissible, for it destroys the most important gift we have received: life. Let us not forget that, up to the very last moment, a person can convert and change. And in the light of the Gospel, the death penalty is unacceptable. The commandment “Thou shalt not kill,” refers to both the innocent and the guilty.

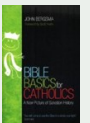
I, therefore, call on all people of goodwill to mobilize for the abolition of the death penalty throughout the world. Let us pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.”

[For the video go to popesprayer.va]



Be sure to check out the Lighthouse Kiosk located in the Church narthex. The payment slot is on the lower right side of the Kiosk.

**BIBLE BASICS FOR CATHOLICS
 A NEW PICTURE OF
 SALVATION HISTORY (BOOK)**




This overview of the Bible is based on Bergsma's wildly popular introduction to theology course at Franciscan University, where he is a colleague of Scott Hahn. Bergsma combines sound theology, academic expertise, pastoral wisdom, and an endearing playfulness to draw readers into the connection between the great stories of the Bible and salvation in Jesus. Central to the book's themes are Bergsma's signature illustrations of key biblical characters, which are deceptively simple but profound.

\$3.00 for CDs, \$3.00 for booklets, \$5.00 for books

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sun Sept 18 <i>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM	Mass – Church
	9:30 AM	Families of Faith—Adult Mtg., K-8 class groups—PC
	11:00 AM	Mass —Church
	1:30 PM	Evangelization Team Mtg – KYC
Mon Sept 19 <i>St Januarius, Bishop and Martyr</i>	8:30 AM	Mass – Church
	9:30 AM	Bazaar Arts & Crafts Grp—PC Rm1
	6:00 PM	Women’s Bible Study in Spanish— KYC
	7:00 PM	Relationship Recovery Grp.—PC
Tues Sept 20 <i>Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-Gon, Paul Chong Ha-Sang, & companions, Martyrs</i>	6:30 AM	Men’s Bible Study Grp—KYC
	8:30 AM	Mass – Church
	7:00 PM	Grupo Misionero Guadalupano Mtg.—PC Rm 2
Wed Sept 21 <i>St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist</i>	8:30 AM	Mass – Church
	10:00 AM	Rosary Making Grp Mtg—PC Rm 1
	3:00 PM	Pastoral Staff Mtg-PC Fireside Rm
	6:30 PM	RCIA Session—KYC

Thur Sept 22	7:00 AM	Women’s Bible Study—PC Rm 2
	8:30 AM	Mass – Church
	6:30 PM	Admin. Council Mtg—KYC
Fri Sept 23 <i>St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest</i>	8:30 AM	Mass – Church
Sat Sept 24	8:00 AM	Novena for Family and Youth—KYC
	9:00 AM	Clase de Bautismo (no walk-ins) - PC Rm 1
	3:30 PM	Reconciliation – Church
	5:00 PM	Mass – Church
	7:00 PM	Misa en Español -Church
Sun Sept 25 <i>26th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM	Mass – Church
	9:00 AM	K of C Pancake Breakfast—PC
	9:30 AM	Families of Faith—Community—PC (All family members)
	11:00 AM	Mass —Church



Save the date **Saturday, November 5th** for the next St. Anne Bazaar.


The Bazaar Planning Committee will meet on **Monday, September 19th at 9:30 am.** We meet in Room 1 of the Parish Center.

All are welcome, we love feedback. It is our goal to make this a wonderful and profitable event.

We will be hosting our Turkey Dinner as take out. There will not be a Bake Sale.

Please help us do more by donating some of your crafts.

Questions? Please contact Susan Finley



God heals all of our ills;
Let us adore Him

During the month of September, please sign in when you use the Chapel with an asterisk after your name to denote you are a regular attendee. If you would like to sign up for an hour between 9:15 and noon Monday through Friday just use the asterisk by your name and I will add you to the list. I am sure that my records of the parishioners who have signed up for regular hours in the Adoration Chapel during Exposition of the Eucharist are out of date.

The Adoration Chapel is available to parishioners 7 days a week 24 hours per day. It is secured by a keypad. If you have not visited the Chapel before, please call the office for the code. Exposition of the Holy Eucharist hours are 9:30 am until noon, Monday through Friday when the Parish Office is open.

Please call Julie Scott at if you have any questions regarding the Chapel.



ST. ANNE CATHOLIC SCHOOL
 541-479-1582
 website: stanneschoolgp.com



“St. Anne Catholic School is committed to faith formation, scholarship, leadership, and service according to our Catholic values.”

Dear faithful supporters of the school ministry of St. Anne,

As we begin a new school year, please consider adding the school ministry to those that you support. This year, we have just under \$100,000 in calculated tuition assistance needs for our school families.

Tuition assistance needs are calculated by FACTS Tuition Management based on the family size, income and allowable expenses. All families applying for tuition assistance are required to apply through FACTS every year and that is how assistance is awarded. Even with assistance, our poorest families still sacrifice every month so their children can attend St. Anne and receive a Catholic education.

Of the 24 students who qualify for tuition assistance, there are 14 students whose families cannot afford to pay anything for tuition, and yet they make the sacrifice and commit to paying something every month. That is how important it is to these families that their children be in a faith-filled environment with a foundation based on our Catholic values. As always, part of the mission of St. Anne Catholic Church is that no Catholic be denied a Catholic education due to inability to pay tuition.

A big part of our ability to provide tuition assistance is through the generous matching grants offered by the Joseph E. Weston Foundation. All the donations we receive throughout the year (October 1 through September 30) are matched dollar for dollar up to \$35,000. This \$35,000 is then earmarked for tuition assistance.

The other Weston matching grant is for our Endowment Fund and will match dollar for dollar up to \$45,000 donated to our Endowment Fund.

This fund is instrumental in providing tuition assistance for our students every year. Under the direction of the fund committee, it has grown from under \$20,000 in the early 2000s to over \$616,000 in July 2022. The earnings are then designated each year for tuition assistance.

We are coming to the end of this yearly cycle, and would like to ask our parishioners to consider donating to our Endowment Fund before the end of the month. At our auction in August, we received \$15,000 in donations for the Endowment Fund! With just \$30,000 more, we will qualify for the maximum matching grant from Weston. That would result in not only \$45,000 being added to the fund now, but then another \$45,000 being deposited into the fund in January. The more funds we have, the more we are able to help all families who want a Catholic education for their children.

There are several ways you can donate. The school office is open Monday through Friday from 7:30am to 4:30pm. If the school office is closed, you are welcome to drop off a check at the parish office with “School Endowment Fund” in the memo and it will get to us. When at Mass on the weekend, you can put a check in the offertory and write School Endowment Fund in the memo or put the check in an envelope and make a note that it is for the Endowment Fund. You can also donate online at <https://st-anne-catholic-school.square.site/> and select Endowment Donation.

Your support is very appreciated and has a great impact on the children and families in our community as we spread the Gospel to everyone God brings to us each year. Thank you for your prayers and support for the school ministry of St. Anne.

Colleen Kotrba, Principal

Knights of Columbus Free Pancake Breakfast

Come join us Sunday, September 25th for a great breakfast presented by the Knights of Columbus.

9:00 PM—1:00 PM in the Parish Center

Breakfast includes pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage patties and biscuits and gravy.

Donations will be gladly accepted.



St. Anne Parish Information

Parish Office: 541-476-2240 (Fax: 541-476-2194)

Pastor	Fr. Robert Wolf
Parochial Vicar	Fr. Joseph Mujaeropiro
Deacon	Rev. Mr. Robert Chapin
Parish Manager	Carol Scherf
Parish Bookkeeper	Veronica Lee
P/T Administrative Assistant	Debbie Todor
P/T Administrative Assistant	Carole Robertson

Parish Center Office: 541-479-4848

Pastoral Associate for Liturgy & Catechesis	Emily Suda
Coordinator of Music Ministry	Nick Kucharik
Faith Formation Coordinator	Carri Pirosko

Kelly Youth Center Office: 541-476-5802

Pastoral Associate for Evangelization, Family & Youth	Brian Suda
---	------------

Parish School Office: 541-479-1582

School Principal	Colleen Kotrba
Teaching and Learning Coach	Cathleen Price
School Office Manager	Shawna Prestianni
School Secretary	Juliet Fisher
School Bookkeeper	Sunny Barrett

PARISH MINISTRIES

Admin. Council Chair	Phil Busch
Adoration Chapel	Julie Scott
Altar Servers	Vacant
Altar Society	Tina Garncarz
Bazaar Guild	Susan Finley
Coffee & Donuts	Julie Scott
Contemplative Prayer Grp	Paul Wilson
Eucharistic Ministers	Emily Suda
Funeral Coordinator	Carole Kay
Greeters	Gail Travers
Jo Co Jail-Adult Ministry	Terri Currie
Lectors	Emily Suda
OYA-Youth Prison	Rick Nelson
Pastoral Council Chair	Scott Polen
Prayer Line	Dave Currie
Prayer Line Email	prayerministry@stannegp.com
Relationship Recovery	David Barbian & Linda Hughes
Safety Committee	Don Fasching
Sound Coordinator	Phil Busch
Usher Coordinator	Paul O'Brien
Vocation Ministry	Paul Wilson

SACRAMENTS—Contact the Parish Office at 541-476-2240 for:

- **Baptism and Sacramental Preparation**
- **Marriage:** Arrangements should be made 6 months in advance.
- **Anointing of the Sick or Communion to the Homebound**

ORGANIZATIONS & COMMUNITY LIFE

Knights of Columbus—
Adam Busch, G.K.
Phil Lothrop, F.N.

St. Rita Retreat Center- Fr. Stephen Fister 541-855-1333
PO Box 310, Gold Hill, OR 97525

St. Vincent de Paul Store- Gary Quinn, Mgr. 541-476-5137
132 SE "H" Street, Grants Pass
Tues-Fri 10:00 AM—4:00 PM (*No longer open on Saturday*)
Now accepting Credit Cards—\$10 MINIMUM purchase required

COMMUNITY HELP IN CRISIS

St. Vincent de Paul Social Services
541-479-0926
132 SE "H" St., Grants Pass
Tues, Wed, Fri 10:00 AM-2:00 PM

St. Vincent de Paul Kitchen
757 SE 7th Street 541-472-8579

Mobile Kitchen Locations:
12:00pm-1:00pm (*updated 2/28/2022*)

Monday	Redwood Country Church-1640 Redwood Ave
Tuesday	Church of Latter Day Saints-1969 Williams Hwy
Wednesday	Church of Latter Day Saints-1969 Williams Hwy
Thursday	Redwood Country Church-1640 Redwood Ave

**Offertory Report
Fiscal Year
2022/2023**

	2nd Week of Sept	'21-'22 Last Fiscal Year	'22-'23 Current Fiscal Year		
				\$	%
Weekend Collection		\$ 8,435.55	\$ 10,391.49	\$ 1,955.94	23.19%
Month to Date		\$ 26,458.01	\$ 27,240.63	\$ 782.62	2.96%
Year to Date		\$134,167.50	\$134,630.10	\$ 462.60	0.34%

	ACTUAL	BUDGET	\$	%
YEAR TO DATE	\$134,630.10	\$128,412.19	\$ 6,217.91	4.84%

(Fiscal Year = July-June)