

Saint Anne Parish Bulletin

St. Anne Parish 20 Boston Road Southborough, MA 01772



We welcome all visitors to St. Anne parish. If you would like to join our faith community, please call the Parish Office to register, 508-485-0141.



January 14, 2018

**SECOND SUNDAY
IN
ORDINARY TIME**

**Fr. Albert Irudayasamy,
Parish Administrator**
fralbert@stannesouthborough.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Director of Religious Education - LifeTeen
Monica Shay (Parish Intern)
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Administrative Assistant

Linda Bradstreet
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Bookkeeper

Bridgitte Morgan
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Safe Environment Coordinator

Pat Moran
patmoran29@verizon.net

Music Ministry

Organist & Choir Director:
Paul Crivello 508-366-0821
musicdirector@stannesouthborough.org

Kathy Bernier ~ Organist
Saturday at 5:00pm

Maintenance

Matt Bernier
mbern@stannesouthborough.org

SPEND TIME WITH HIM

The stories of discipleship in John's gospel follow a pattern. People come to Jesus, are brought to him, or are introduced to him by someone they know. They spend time with him for a while. They talk with him, listen to his teachings, and watch how he lives his life. Once they have spent some time with him, they go and bring others to him so that they can meet him. The cycle continues. We see this pattern in today's gospel when Andrew and another unnamed person spend time with Jesus after John the Baptist introduced them. Andrew then found his brother Simon and brought him to Jesus. The next day, Philip spends time with Jesus, and then finds Nathanael and invites him to come meet Jesus. A couple of chapters later the woman at the well talks with Jesus and goes away to tell her townspeople they should come to meet him as well. Maybe there is a lesson in here for us. Maybe the way we are all called to evangelize—to spread the Good News—isn't by preaching with a megaphone on a street corner, going door-to-door to talk about religion, or threatening that if people don't become believers they won't be saved. Maybe instead we can follow the two simple steps taken by the disciples: spend time with Jesus ourselves, and then invite other people to come and experience him for themselves.

~ from the Pastoral Center

Lord's Day Mass Schedule:
Saturday ~ 5:00 pm
Sunday ~ 8:30 am & 10:30 am
Children's Liturgy of the Word
10:30 am Mass during school year
Filipino Mass:
Third Sunday of the month - 12 pm

Daily Mass Schedule:

Week Day Mass,
Monday-Thursday: 9:00 am
First Friday: 9:00 am

Confessions:

Saturday ~ 4:15 pm,
or anytime on request

Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Wednesday ~ 9:30 am to 4:00 pm

Sacrament of Baptism

Call the Parish Office to schedule a Baptism.

Baptisms are generally celebrated at any of the Masses on the first weekend of the month so that the child may be welcomed and received in the presence of the parish community.

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements with a Priest required at least one year prior to the wedding date.

Visitation of the Sick

Fr. Albert and

St. Anne's Ministers of Communion are pleased to bring Holy Communion to parishioners who are unable to join us for weekly worship. Please call the Parish Office to arrange a time.

Parish Contact Information

Office Hours, Monday ~ Thursday

9:30 am to 3:30 pm

Friday ~ 9:30 am to noon

Telephone 508-485-0141

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JESUS' INVITATION TO YOU:

COME AWAY BY YOURSELF.
SPEND TIME IN MY PRESENCE AND
REST IN MY CARE.

Parish Information

TO PARISHIONERS FROM FR. ALBERT

Dear Parishioners,

As you may have heard or have seen in our St. Anne parish website, Karla Reuter has resigned from her position as Coordinator of High School and Confirmation. She cited family priorities as her reason for leaving, effective January 2018. She has served our parish in many ways and we are grateful for her service. We also wish her all the best and God's blessings.

As she has left at the middle of this academic year, I have requested Monica Shay to assume oversight of those classes with the help of the teacher assistants. With the grace of God and support of one another, we will be able to get through this transition. Let us keep everyone in our prayers.

*With prayers
Fr. Albert*

PRAYER, HEALING MINISTRY AND SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT: The Spiritual Development group will meet every **Tuesday morning immediately after the 9:00am mass.** We will spend 30 minutes in prayer in the church, followed by fellowship and study in the Parish Hall Conference Room. (Refreshments will be served.)

On January 15 we will begin a 40 week, St. Ignatius spiritual exercises study program called **Sacred Story**, alternating with an overview of the **Catechism of the Catholic Church.** All parishioners are invited to join us at any time. Please contact Monica Shay at monica@stannesouthborough.org for more information or questions.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY: The ministry members meet every Monday at 10:00am to noon in the Conference Room at the Parish Hall. Anyone interested in being a part of this Ministry are welcome to join.

Annette Buhmer, Chair

UNITED PARISHES OF SOUTHBOROUGH FOOD PANTRY: Thank you so very much for your continuous support of the Southborough Food Pantry. we are in need of: **peanut butter, paper towels, toilet paper, paper napkins, ketchup and mayonnaise.** Donations may be left in the foyer of the parish hall. If you know of anyone who could benefit from the Food Pantry, please encourage them to come. **Pantry hours (located at Pilgrim Church) are Tuesdays from 7-8pm & Fridays from 10-11am.**

Pat Draper, St. Anne Food Pantry Coordinator

PARISH STEWARDSHIP REPORTS FOR:

January 6 and 7, 2018

Weekly Offering.....\$6,655.00
Capital Improvement.....\$1,490.00

We appreciate and thank you for your ongoing support.

Diocesan and Special Collections in JANUARY ~ 2018
Catholic University of America January 14

1-ONLINE GIVING: St. Anne Parish partners with **WeShare** for on-line giving. WeShare allows both onetime gifts, as well as regular, scheduled donations. Please visit our Parish website www.stannesouthborough.org for the link to WeShare.com or call 1-800-950-9952 and use option 1 to answer any questions you have.

2-ONLINE GIVING through the ST. ANNE'S WEBSITE: With our website we have an **additional resource for online giving and online CE registration** St. Anne Parish partners with **eCatholic and BluePay** for easy on-line giving. Our one-step on-line form allows both one-time gifts, as well as regular, scheduled donations. Please visit our Parish website www.stannesouthborough.org and select the Quick Link to the BluePay On-Line Giving page.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING: Are you looking for a way to get more involved at St. Anne's? Volunteering as an Altar Server is a fun and special way to get closer to Christ during the mass. On Tuesday, January 23rd from 6:30 to 8:30 pm, Fr. Albert will be conducting a training session for students in the 4th Grade and older in the Church. Please contact Fran Schiebe at 508-380-3332.



SPREAD THE WARMTH... ONE BLANKET AT A TIME

Please help us collect blankets for those in need of warmth this winter. We will be collecting donations for **Our Father's Table.** This non-profit organization provides meals three times a week for those in need in the Marlborough community. We will be collecting blankets from now until the end of the month at the following locations.

- Southborough Library (Children's Room Lobby)
- St. Anne Church (inside church by front doors)

We will be collecting items until January 30. All donations and checks will be dropped off at Our Father's Table..

You may also mail checks to Our Father's Table, P. O Box 916, Marlborough, MA 01752.

We have already raised \$200 *Let's warm, their hearts, one blanket at a time!*

Religious Education

MISSISSIPPI MISSION TRIP ~ 2018

St. Matthew Youth Ministry will be returning to the Gulf coast of Mississippi for a mission trip. Mississippi remains one of the poorest areas of our country, and the need for assistance is great. Our group will be hosted by Seashore United Methodist Assembly in Biloxi, Mississippi, **July 28-August 4, 2018, \$1,000 per person for St. Matthew/St. Anne parishioners includes airfare, transportation, food and lodging. \$1000 for guests from other parishes** Registration begins **Jan. 14th at noon**

Return **ALL** forms (found in the entrances of the church) with a \$200 deposit, checks payable to St. Matthew. *On Jan. 14th Mark Polny will be accepting registration forms in his office from noon until 5:00pm. Registration is open for the first 100 people or March 4th, whichever comes first* After **Jan. 14th forms and deposits can be mailed or dropped off at the Parish Office** St. Matthew Church Mississippi Mission Trip, 105 Southville Road, Southborough MA 01772 **Please do not leave in the mailbox at the Parish Center** Participants must have completed 9th grade by date of trip to be eligible. **Registrations will NOT be accepted prior to Jan. 14th**

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD: Held on Sunday at the 10:30am Mass. If interested in participating in a Children's Liturgy leadership role, please contact Joanne Flathers at jflathers@charter.net or 508-485-4345.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASS DATES:

Grade 1-2: Meet on **Sunday, February 4**, 9:00am -10:30am and **Monday, February 5**, 4-5:30pm (New Location-Parish Office, Conference Room) (First year of Sacramental preparation) ~ Mrs. Pat Battles and Mrs. Jane Wood

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION:

Grade 2 and up Meets on **Sunday, January 21** from 9-10:30AM and **First Reconciliation Service is on January 28** at 2:00pm ~ with Mrs. Joanne Flathers and Mrs. Pat Draper. This class meets in the Children's Liturgy Room unless otherwise notified.

Grade 3: Meet on **Sunday, February 4**, 9-10:30am and **Monday, February 5**, 4-5:30pm
~Mrs. Deb Sanford and
~Mrs. Laura Schroeder

Grade 4-5: Meet on **Monday, February 5**, 4-5:30pm in the Parish Hall main room.
~Mrs. Beth McGonagle and Melissa Shields

Grade 6: Meet on **Monday, February 5**, 4-5:30pm (new Location- Parish Hall Conference Room)
~ Ms. Maggie Murphy

Grade 7 -8: The Edge Program will meet on the following Sundays:

January 21 and January 28

See "The Edge" Box below for details

6:00 pm youth/family mass in the Church, with Edge class dinner and lessons in the Parish Hall ~Mrs. Monica Shay

Grade 9-10 (Confirmation Candidates): **Sunday, January 14**, 7:00pm to 8:30pm

CONFIRMATION ~ 2018:

CONFIRMATION CLASS: **Sunday, January 28**, 9:00am to 11:30am

PRAYER SPONSOR PROGRAM FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES:

In order to involve our whole parish community in the **Sacrament Program of First Communion and Confirmation** we have developed the Prayer Sponsor Program. It involves parishioners like you, who choose to sponsor a Candidate with prayer as they prepare for their Sacraments. Prayer is a powerful way to support our candidates especially as they journey towards God and His Sacraments. Please take an envelope from the basket labeled Prayer Sponsor in the foyers of the church and pray for that Candidate daily. We also encourage you to send them a card or note by dropping it into the "Prayer Sponsor Mailbox" which will be located in the front entrance of the Church. The box will be there until the end of April. We will forward the card or note to the candidate.

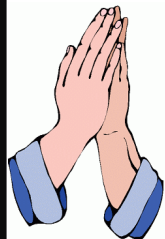


ST. ANNE'S MIDDLE SCHOOL (GRADES 7 & 8) RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM IS GOING TO "THE EDGE" (A LifeTeen Program)

January 21 ~ BATTLE CRY: An Edge night On Jesus' Public Ministry

January 28 ~ DEFEATED: An Edge Night on Jesus' Passion and Death

Please contact Monica Shay if you have any questions
monica@stannesouthborough.org



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Sr. Yvette, Faith Stephens, June Phillippo, Jan & Charlie Mangana, Danielle Taylor, Jamie Farley, Stephanie McMahon, Rachel Knoll, Brad Arsenaault, Paine Family, Lavallee Family, Marilou A. Custodio, Melinda O'Connor, Susan Davis, Scott Broussard, Paul Brodeur, Kenny Cassidy, Colleen Manning, Simone Almeida, Nolan Francis Lane, Bill Yetman, Phil Auzenne, Gayle Dufour, Alexandra Barr, Carolyn Green, (Red) Weir, Zenta Franz, Denise Perrin, Katie Lutz, Judi Shea, Irene Larochelle, Barbara Peterson, Isabel Chesak, George Wood, Gertrude Wallace, Judy Christian, Jeanne Walker, Dianne Higgins, Shannon Hayden, Millie Garden, Brian K., Eunice, June St. Andre, Emily, Mark S. Tootalian, Richard Buttiglieri, Milton Rattet, Dorothy Reid, Yvonne Allain, Dewey Morton, Nancy Powers, Carol Dunn, Stephen Brown, Fr. John Sassani, Jack Maley, Elaine Taylor, Karen Gazzardi, Fernard, Cecile, Beverly, Michael Santella, Kristine Livingstone



WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE with MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday, January 13 ~ Sunday, January 21, 2018

SATURDAY	5:00pm	Carmen Colyer (6th Month Anniversary) by her daughters
SUNDAY	8:30am	Andrew Sheridan (11th Anniversary) by his Parents
	10:30am	Commander Wm. O. Wallace (6th Anniversary) by the Wallace and Spicer Families
MONDAY	9:00am	Ed Hasbrouck by Jim and Millie Garden
	9:00am	Margaret Anne Hostage by her Family
WEDNESDAY	9:00am	Jeanette Acosta by Monica Shay
	10:00am	<i>Funeral Mass</i> for June Phillippo
THURSDAY	9:00am	Joe Shay (Healing) by Jim and Monica Shay
FRIDAY	No mass	
SATURDAY	11:00am	<i>Funeral Memorial Mass</i> for Joseph Alfred DiBello
	5:00pm	Irene Waterman (3rd Anniversary) by her Family
SUNDAY	8:30am	Parishioners of St. Anne Parish
	10:30am	Willis McGue (6th Anniversary) By Dick and Pat Draper
	12 noon	Filipino/St. Anne Community Mass

Saint Anne Parish extends sympathy to the family and friends of:

June Phillippo

May she Rest in Peace



We pray for the recently deceased:

Reverend Richard G. Roger

May he rest in peace.

Other Announcements

PILGRIMAGE TO ROME TO FATIMA AND ROME Father Donato Infante is leading a pilgrimage to Fatima and Rome from **September 21-30** with Deacon Steve Kohut of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Worcester and past president of Serra Club of Southern Worcester County. This coincides with the annual diaconate ordination in Rome, at which a Worcester seminarian, Alfredo Porras, is on track to be ordained. If you are interested in joining or seeing the itinerary, visit www.johnpaultours.com/sjcc.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter: "*Samuel answered, 'Speak, for your servant is listening.'*" Let us practice listening better to God and our spouse by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are Jan 19-21, 2018 in South Kingstown, RI and Mar 9-11, 2018 in Duxbury, MA. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://wwmema.org/>.

liturgical Minister Schedule

January 13 and 14

5:00pm	Lector	Roger Jolicoeur
	Communion Ministers	M. Andries/P. Moran
8:30am	Lector	Regina McAuliffe
	Communion Ministers	B. & A. Shea
10:30am	Lector	Pat Draper
	Communion Ministers	P. Howard/J. Flathers
	<i>Counters</i>	<i>P. Moran</i>

January 20 and 21

5:00pm	Lector	Nick Paganella
	Communion Ministers	J. Castelda/G. Polanik
8:30am	Lector	Tom Bhisitkul
	Communion Ministers	D. Campero/K. Battles
10:30am	Lector	John Callinan
	Communion Ministers	P. Draper/P. Bradstreet
	<i>Counters</i>	<i>R. Flathers/G. Stagno</i>

PREVENTING CHILD ABUSE IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY:

It's every adult's moral responsibility to protect possible victims (any age) by reporting suspected abuse or neglect to the responsible authorities. For particular help you may call: The Office for Healing and Prevention, Diocese of Worcester, at 508-929-4363. The Diocese of Worcester requires Safe Environment Training for all staff & volunteers.