



St. Ann's Parish

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Welcome and Registration

Welcome to all who worship with us today! May the Lord bless you! If you would like to register with our parish, please fill out a registration form. These can be found at the main entrances. We ask you to inform our office if you are moving out of the parish.

Memorial Donations: Please keep our love for the parish alive: When recommending expressions of sympathy, please remember St. Ann Parish.

Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight – Michael Moss

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St. Vincent de Paul

Please call the parish office for more information.

Parish Schools

St. Ann's	905.523.2340
St. Joachim's	905.523.2341
Holy Name of Mary	905.523.2342
Immaculate Conception	905.523.2463
Bishop Tonnos Secondary	902.523.2331

The Lord's Day Masses

Saturday 5:00p.m.; Sunday 9:00a.m. & 11:00a.m.

Weekday Mass

Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday—Friday 8:00 a.m.

Reconciliation

Tuesday 6:15 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

Saturday 4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday 6:00 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m.—9:15 a.m.

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Baptism

Please call the parish office. Six weeks notice is usually requested.

Marriage

You are asked to call the parish office to make wedding arrangements at least six months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick

Upon request. Please call the parish office.

Catholic Funeral Rites

When a death occurs in your family, please call the parish office and we will assist you in making the necessary liturgical arrangements.

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Mass Intentions Fourth Sunday of Lent (March 27, 2022)

Tuesday, March 29

7:00p.m. † Jose Alexander Medeiros
† Nicola Cornacchione
† Elia Bilanzola
Intentions of Carole Ann Durran

Wednesday, March 30

8:00a.m. † Joe Bianco

Thursday, March 31

8:00a.m. † Jack Gisborn

Friday, April 1

8:00a.m. Intentions of Christina Wilson

Saturday, April 2

5:00p.m. † Stan & Maria Filice
† Peter Nguyen Van Chau
Intentions of Jodi & Hanna Radowicki
Intentions of Joe Ricci & Family

Diocesan Prayer Calendar Week of the March 27, 2022

This week we especially pray for:

Monday	Rev. William Trusz
Tuesday	Rev. David Reitzel
Wednesday	Sisters of St. Joseph of Canada (C.S.J.)
Thursday	Rev. Ross Campbell
Friday	Rev. Peter Robinson
Saturday	Rev. David Reilander

God, the source of creation and love, You invite each of us to serve You through the life which is your gift. May Your grace encourage men and women to heights of holiness through service to the Church as priests, sisters, brothers, and lay ministers. Make me an instrument to encourage others to give themselves and challenge me to do the same. Amen



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Please note, registration will not be required for any of the Celebrations.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Each Friday evening of Lent there will be Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Every Tuesday 6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Every Saturday 4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.
Thursday April 7th 7:00 p.m.
(Parish Lenten celebration; guest confessors available)

PALM SUNDAY: APRIL 10TH

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.
11:00 a.m.

HOLY THURSDAY: APRIL 14TH

THE MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

7:00 p.m.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until
10:00 p.m.

GOOD FRIDAY: APRIL 15TH

THE PASSION OF OUR LORD

Solemn Liturgy 11:00 a.m.
Solemn Liturgy 3:00 p.m.

HOLY SATURDAY: APRIL 16TH

Easter Vigil 8:00 p.m.

EASTER SUNDAY: APRIL 17TH

THE MASS OF THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

9:00 a.m.
11:00 a.m.

ST. ANN, PRAY FOR US

March 27, 2022

HELP NEEDED

Holy Name of Mary Catholic Elementary School is seeking Lunchroom Supervisors (2 positions) every day from 12:00pm- 12:50pm. Any interested applicants can email the school at hnom@hwcdsb.ca or call Carolyn Schillaci, Principal at Holy Name of Mary at 905-523-2342.

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

Standing up to corporate power in Honduras

The People and Planet First campaign is about helping communities stand up to corporate power.

In Honduras, as in much of the Global South, corporations often threaten and criminalize activists who speak up against their abuses.

The Lenca Indigenous leader Víctor Vásquez was imprisoned for fighting the corporate takeover of his people's ancestral territory. Development and Peace's partner, the Honduran Centre for the Promotion of Community Development (CEHPRODEC), helped free him from jail.

Another partner, Caritas Choluteca, trains and accompanies community leaders in advocating for policies that respect human rights and the environment. Recently, they got mayoral election candidates to undertake to declare the municipality of Orocuina a mining-free zone if elected.

Read more about these people's victories in our Mini-magazine at devp.org/lent/resources.



From the desk of:

**FR. PETER TUYEN
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Dear Parishioners and Friends of St. Ann:

During the difficult and challenging time of the pandemic, our Welcoming and Safety Committee has worked hard to ensure the health and well-being of parishioners. I would like to offer my sincere gratitude for the efforts that were undertaken to implement and maintain the precautionary measures that kept our parishioners safe.

As of March 21st, we have moved into post COVID with several restrictions being lifted. Bishop Lobsinger is leading all staff and clergy in the diocese in a workshop called "Moving Forward Together" to prepare us for the new normal and rebuilding of our parish communities.

In the coming months we will need to essentially rebuild our ministries and reengage those who have not attended Masses in over two years. We need to recruit

volunteers and welcome people back to church. At St. Ann's we have already begun with having Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors and more than one Altar Server at most Masses. The training of new servers is underway. Starting this Sunday, the 9:00 choir will be back and after Easter the 11:00 choir will be in full voice.

We have learned a great deal during COVID and over the last two weeks we have seen a surge in people returning to Mass. It was wonderful to see you all in Church and also the abundance of little ones and visitors. Our Parish team has plans to begin Children's Liturgy after Easter and to consider Vacation Bible School this summer

As for the Welcoming and Safety Committee we will be making some changes. Starting after Easter it will not be necessary to have people sanitizing hands and ushering at communion at the weekday Masses. We will have hand sanitizer available at the doors of the church. Sunday Masses the Welcoming Committee will still be present at the doors of the church. We will continue to have the parish center open for Sunday Masses and make decisions based on the numbers if this will continue. The plan is to have families chose to sit in the parish center and then the children will go directly to their liturgy before Mass. We will not at this point have an offertory collection. We now have a collection box at the back door similar to the one at the front door (thank you to James) for your envelopes and offerings. The back door will now be open before Mass and be an entry point into the church and parish center. The Lady Chapel will not be open as a quiet room for children. It will remain as the confessional.

There are no longer capacity restrictions, and the wearing of masks is a personal choice, but not required. As we transition through these changes there are many that may have different levels of comfort and immunity, so let us continue to be sensitive to one another by showing patience, respect, care, and love. The Welcoming Committee will be wearing masks as well as Eucharistic Ministers. This is for their safety as well as the parishioners.

Those who wish to receive communion on the tongue are asked to wait until the end of the line when going to communion as per the recent directive from the Diocese. As we are preparing for the solemnity of Easter Triduum, which calls us to give witness to the good news of the Lord's victory over suffering and death, may the Lord bless you and yours abundantly this Holy Season!