

# 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."

## Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 3, 2021



## Let the children come to me;

do not prevent them,  
for the kingdom of God  
belongs to such as these.

Mark 10:14

**THE PARISH OFFICE is OPEN Monday-Friday  
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM**

**E-mail: [office@stannegp.com](mailto:office@stannegp.com)  
Website: [www.stannegp.com](http://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"**



### St. Anne Liturgy Schedule

**Daily morning Masses live-streamed on YouTube  
Saturday 5pm Mass live-streamed on YouTube**

<b>Saturday:</b>	5:00pm Vigil Mass
	7:00pm Misa en Español
<b>Sunday:</b>	8:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am
<b>Weekday Mass:</b>	8:30am Monday thru Friday
<b>Reconciliation:</b>	Saturdays – 3:30pm-4:30pm

### 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**

### Parish Office: 541-476-2240

**Fax: 541-476-2194**

Pastor Fr. William Holtzinger  
Parochial Vicar: Fr. Stephen Kenyon  
Deacon: Rev. Mr. Robert Chapin

Parish Manager: Stephen Voehl  
Parish Bookkeeper: Carol Scherf  
Administrative Assistant: Debbie Todor

### Parish Center Office: 541-479-4848

Coordinator of:  
Evangelization & Catechesis: Sandra Lopez  
Coordinator of Music Ministry: Vacant  
Faith Formation Coordinator: Carri Pirosko

### Kelly Youth Center Office: 541-476-5802

Coordinator Youth Ministry: Vacant

### Parish School Office: 541-479-1582

School Principal: Colleen Kotrba  
School Office Manager: Shawna Prestianni  
School Bookkeeper: Sunny Barrett

### Capital Campaign Office 541-787-4711

Campaign Secretary: Carole Kay

### THE BARRIERS THAT SEPARATE US

We live in a society that has many technological avenues for stimulation and entertainment, one in which the urban population exceeds the non-urban. It is curious that loneliness is a prevalent malady. It is easy to reach out and touch someone, we are told. But—in truth—it is not all that easy, and statistics from the mental health field will reinforce that opinion. Today's readings are about the ways in which we can authentically reach out: God touches Adam to create a mate and end his solitude; God-in-Jesus takes on human flesh and death in order that we might come to glory; Jesus reaches out to the children whom the disciples had tried to keep away, showing us the manner in which we must approach the loving embrace that awaits us in heaven. Until that day, however, we must remember that ours is a sacramental church, a church of signs of the love of God. And so we are called to reach out continually to ease the loneliness and the barriers that separate us from one another and, therefore, from the love of Christ.

### Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Using beads for prayer and meditation is an ancient custom, found in many cultures and religions. The Christian rosary dates from the twelfth century, when it provided a way for ordinary Christians to learn about the lives of Jesus and Mary. Alan de la Roche, a fifteenth-century Dominican, preferred "Psalter of Our Lady" to "rosary." This fitting name recalls an explanation of the devotion's origin. Unable to read the one hundred fifty psalms that formed the Church's "official" daily prayer, medieval Christians substituted first one hundred fifty *Pater Nosters*, and later one hundred fifty *Ave Marias*. By meditating on the various mysteries of the rosary while repeating these simple prayers, the faithful could immerse themselves in the whole mystery of the Incarnation and the Resurrection.

The dedication of October to the Blessed Virgin Mary is an appropriate reminder of this venerable form of prayer. Faithful Christians everywhere continue to meditate on the mysteries of the rosary, praying in groups or alone. Why not take advantage of this season to renew your acquaintance with the rosary?

### ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING



All ladies of the Parish are invited to the St. Anne Altar Society meeting in the KYC Tuesday, October 5th, starting at 11:00am with Recitation of the Rosary, followed by our business meeting.

**For more information, please call Tina Garncarz**

**Due to our priest attending the annual  
Priest Convocation this week the following  
MASSES HAVE BEEN CANCELLED:**

**Tuesday, October 5th  
Thursday, October 6th  
Friday, October 8th**

### FEAST OF FAITH The Sign of Peace

"Greet one another with a holy kiss," wrote Saint Paul to the Corinthians (1 Corinthians 16:20), and he said the same thing to other communities as well. The holy kiss, the sign of peace, has been a hallmark of Christians from the very beginning. In giving and receiving the sign of peace, we are not giving something of our own, but something that Christ has given to us. "Peace I leave with you, my peace I give to you," Jesus told his disciples (John 14:27). Jesus comes to us when we gather together in community. We celebrate the Eucharist not just to receive spiritual nourishment to help us on our solitary way to salvation, but to be transformed into one body, the Body of Christ in the world. As we receive the Eucharist, we are not only united to Christ; we are united to each other. It is never easy to live in community, and we hurt each other on the way. So we need to turn to each other in a sign of reconciliation and forgiveness, to look into each other's eyes, and give and receive the peace that is not ours, but Christ's.



**PARISH MINISTRIES**

Admin. Council Chair	Phil Busch
Adoration Chapel	Julie Scott
Altar Servers	Vacant
Altar Society	Tina Garnearz
Bazaar Guild	Susan Finley
Coffee & Donuts	Bill Bailey
Contemplative Prayer Grp	Paul Wilson
Eucharistic Ministers	Sandra Lopez
Greeters	Gail Travers
Jo Co Jail-Adult Ministry	Terri Currie
Lectors	Sandra Lopez
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
Spirituality & Art	Dee Mahannah
Usher Coordinator	Paul O'Brien
Vocation Ministry	Paul Wilson

**ORGANIZATIONS & COMMUNITY LIFE**

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

**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

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

**COMMUNITY HELP IN CRISIS**

**St. Vincent de Paul Social Services** 541-479-0926  
132 SE "H" St., Grants Pass No mask required if you  
Tues, Wed, Fri 10:00 AM-2:00 PM are fully vaccinated.

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

**Mobile Kitchen Locations: 12:00pm-1:00pm (updated 3/22/21)**  
Monday Redwood Country Church-1640 Redwood Ave.  
Tuesday Church of Latter Day Saints-Harbeck Rd/Wms Hwy  
Wednesday Church of Latter Day Saints-Harbeck Rd/Wms Hwy  
Thursday Redwood Country Church-1640 Redwood Ave  
Friday Church of Latter Day Saints-Harbeck Rd/Wms Hwy

**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

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF  
October 3, 2021 - October 10, 2021**

Sunday: Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-6; Heb 2:9-11;  
Mk 10:2-16 [2-12]  
Monday: Jon 1:1 — 2:2, 11; Jon 2:3-5, 8; Lk 10:25-37  
Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8; Lk 10:38-42  
Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4  
Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:5-13  
Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9;  
Lk 11:15-26  
Saturday: Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12;  
Lk 11:27-28  
Sunday: Wis 7:7-11; Ps 90:12-17; Heb 4:12-13;  
Mk 10:17-30 [17-27]

**Mass Intentions  
for the Week**

Sun	Oct 3	8:00 am	All Parishioners
		9:00 am	✠ June Miller
		11:00 am	✠ Sam Burton ✠ Victoria Fernandez ✠ Pauline Johnson
	RR	8:30 am	Fr. William Holtzinger
	CJ	11:00 am	Fr. Stephen Kenyon
Mon	Oct 4	8:30 am	✠ Renee Snodgrass
Tues	Oct 5	8:30 am	<b>MASS CANCELLED</b>
Wed	Oct 6	8:30 am	Gail Travers
Thurs	Oct 7	8:30 am	<b>MASS CANCELLED</b>
Fri	Oct 8	8:30 am	<b>MASS CANCELLED</b>
Sat	Oct 9	5:00 pm	Denis Paradis ✠ Stephen Corso The Hanna Family
		7:00 pm	Sandra Lopez

**SPEAKING OF GOD**

Almost everything said of God is unworthy, for the very reason that it is capable of being said.—*St. Gregory the Great*

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**VOCATION MINISTRY****Contact: Paul Wilson**

We ask each Parishioner to pray  
the following Petition:

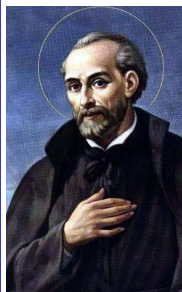
**“That men and women will be open  
to the Lord’s call to serve Him  
in the Religious Life,”**

**We pray to the Lord**

**Something to Think About This Week:**

**“He must increase; I must decrease.”  
John 3: 30**

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 Bill at [wholtzinger@stannegp.com](mailto:wholtzinger@stannegp.com) or Fr Stephen Kenyon at [skenyon@stannegp.com](mailto:skenyon@stannegp.com). You can find information about the priesthood on our Parish website, [stannegp.com](http://stannegp.com) - go to Vocations under the Resources & News tab. You can also find vocation resources on the Archdiocese website at [archdpdxvocations.org](http://archdpdxvocations.org).

**CELEBRATING THE SAINTS**

**ST JOHN LEONARDI (1541 - 1609)**, born in Italy, studied for the Priesthood and was ordained in 1572. After ordination he worked in hospitals and prisons with several laymen who also became Priests. In 1579 he formed the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine. Despite opposition, he proposed a congregation of diocesan Priests, the Clerks Regular of the Mother of God, which was ultimately confirmed in 1595. He died of the plague from tending the sick. John was venerated for his miracles and religious fervor.

**His Feast Day is October 9th**



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**Questions? Call  
Connie Murphy  
at 541-476-4600**

**LIFE, JUSTICE, AND PEACE**  
**Prayer in Union with Creation**

**Father, we praise you with  
all your creatures.**

They came forth from your  
all-powerful hand.  
**Praise be to you!**

Son of God, Jesus, through you all things were made. You were formed in the womb of Mary our Mother, you became part of this earth.

**Praise be to you!**

Holy Spirit, by your light you guide this world toward the Father’s love and accompany creation as it groans in travail.

**Praise be to you!**

Triune Lord, wondrous community of infinite love, teach us to contemplate you in the beauty of the universe, for all things speak of you.

Awaken our praise and thankfulness for every being you have made.

Give us the grace to feel profoundly joined to everything that is.

God of love, show us our place in this world as channels of your love for all the creatures of this earth, for not one of them is forgotten in your sight.

Enlighten those who possess power and money that they may avoid the sin of indifference, love the common good, advance the weak, and care for this world in which we live.

The poor and the earth are crying out. O Lord, help us to protect all life, to prepare for a better future, for the coming of your Kingdom of justice, peace, love, and beauty.

**Praise be to you! Amen**

*[Adapted from Pope Francis’ Encyclical, Laudato Si’]*

**SOUTHERN OREGON  
YOUNG ADULT CATHOLICS**

**Come and join us for Mass with Fr Stephen Kenyon after hiking to the top of Lower Table Rock. Be sure to bring water, comfortable shoes, and a positive attitude.**

- **Saturday, October 9, 2021**
- **Lower Table Rock**
- **9 am – 12 pm**

Table Rocks Area has some of the most beautiful scenic panoramas of the Rogue Valley, vistas of the volcanic Cascades and Siskiyou Mountain ranges. Enjoy God’s amazing creation along with some wonderful young adults.

## Week at a Glance

Daily morning Masses live-streamed on YouTube  
Saturday 5pm Mass live-streamed on YouTube

Sun	<b>Oct 3</b> <i>27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM 9:00 AM 9:30 AM 11:00 AM 6:00 PM	Mass – Church Mass – Church Faith Formation Class–PC Mass—Church Theology of the Body Workshop for Teens– KYC
Mon	<b>Oct 4</b> <i>St. Francis of Assisi</i>	8:30 AM 9:30 AM 7:00 PM	Mass – Church Bazaar Arts & Craft Grp– PC Rm 1 Relationship Recovery Grp– Zoom
Tue	<b>Oct 5</b> <i>Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest</i>	8:30 AM 11:00 AM 11:30 AM 3:00 PM 5:45 PM 6:00 PM 6:00 PM 7:00 PM	<b>MASS—CANCELLED</b> Rosary-Altar Society-KYC St. Anne Altar Society Mtg-KYC Baptism Class– PC Rm 1 Bible Study "Revelations" - KYC Clase de Bautismo– PC Rm 1 K of C 4th Degree Mtg-Elmer's Grupo Misionero Guadalupano Mtg—PC Rm 2
Wed	<b>Oct 6</b> <i>St. Bruno, Priest Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin</i>	8:30 AM 6:30 PM 7:00 PM	Mass – Church RCIA Class– KYC K of C Officers Mtg– PC Rm 2
Thu	<b>Oct 7</b> <i>Our Lady of the Rosary</i>	8:30 AM 9:30 AM	<b>MASS—CANCELLED</b> Parish Leadership Team Mtg-KYC
Fri	<b>Oct 8</b>	8:30 AM 9:30 AM	<b>No School-In Service Day</b> <b>MASS—CANCELLED</b> Spirituality & Art– PC Rm 2
Sat	<b>Oct 9</b> <i>St. Denis, Bishop, &amp; Companions, Martyrs St. John Leonardi, Priest</i>	9:00 AM 3:30 PM 5:00 PM 7:00 PM	Ladies Crafting <b>Reconciliation</b> —Church Mass– Church Misa en Español -Church
Sun	<b>Oct 10</b> <i>28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 AM 9:00 AM 9:30 AM 11:00 AM 6:00 PM	Mass – Church Mass – Church Faith Formation Class–PC Mass—Church Theology of the Body Workshop for Teens– KYC

### RELATIONSHIP RECOVERY



Zoom Meetings are Mondays at 7:00 p.m.

If you are currently in the program and would like more information about our Zoom meetings please call Linda Hughes

The program is all about using the broken places in our lives for spiritual growth.



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."*



Please either apply on Indeed or email stanneschool@stannegp.com

### ST. ANNE CATHOLIC SCHOOL & CHURCH HIRING FULL-TIME JANITOR/MAINTENANCE

#### Pay & Benefits

\$15.00 per hour  
Benefits: 401(k), Dental insurance, Flexible spending account, Health insurance, Paid time off, Vision insurance

#### Job description

St. Anne Catholic Church and School are looking for a custodian to split hours between the church and school. Most hours will be working at the school. Regular custodial, maintenance and outdoor work will apply.

Schedule will be 10:00am to 6:30pm with a 30-minute unpaid lunch break per day.

We follow all COVID-19 requirements for schools and employees. All employees will be required to be fully vaccinated by October 18th per the governor's ruling.

### ST. ANNE CATHOLIC SCHOOL HIRING RECESS & LUNCH SUPERVISOR

#### Pay

\$14.00 per hour

#### Job description

Supervise recesses, snack time, and lunch with other staff members.

Schedule will be from 9:00am-12:30pm on Monday and 9:30am-12:30pm Tuesday through Friday whenever school is in session.

We follow all COVID-19 requirements for schools and employees will be required to be fully vaccinated by October 18<sup>th</sup>.

### ENCOURAGEMENT

As vital as oxygen is to the body, so is encouragement to the soul.—Anonymous

## Youth Activities



Any questions, please call the  
Parish Office at 541-476-2240



## RECYCLING

Your donations make a difference!  
Thank you!

- Please check your cans and bottles to make sure they are redeemable in Oregon. Please note that wine bottles are NOT redeemable.
- Please do not crush plastic bottles or cans.
- Please do not remove the labels from your bottles—in order to redeem the bottles, they must have the labels with the bar codes.



High School Confirmation classes begin:  
Sunday, October 31st  
9:00am—10:45am  
KYC

These classes are open to high school SOPHOMORES and older. The 2021-2022 calendar schedule of classes will be available in the coming weeks. You can get a registration for Teen Confirmation in the Parish Office. Continue to check the bulletin for updated details.



## THE ADORATION CHAPEL

God is the giver of all good things; come  
let us adore him

The 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 Blessed Sacrament occurs, Monday through Friday from 9am until Noon when the Parish Office is open.

**If you would like to sign up for a specific hour during  
Exposition please call Julie Scott**

We meet every Monday  
9:30am-11:30am  
to craft together in  
Room 1 of the Parish Center

You are welcome to join in!

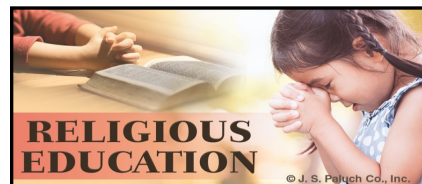
Please use the Parish Center side entrance closest to Rm 1

**Our Fall Bazaar is scheduled for one day only  
Saturday, November 6th 9am-4pm**

**Questions? Please contact Susan Finley**



## FAITH FORMATION



Faith Formation classes for  
Kindergarten- 5th Graders are underway!

All are welcome, please join us this  
Sunday, October 3rd  
9:30-10:45 in the Parish Center.

**Registration is now open for Faith Formation.**

Registration forms are available at the  
Pastoral office in the Parish Center.

**For more information or questions email  
Carrie Pirosko at [cpirosko@stannegp.com](mailto:cpirosko@stannegp.com)**

## The Little Ones

Jim Burrows



When Jesus saw this, he was indignant and said to them,  
"Permit the children to come to me; do not hinder them;  
for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these." Mk 10:14

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- Are you interested in becoming Catholic?
- Do you have a friend or loved one who is thinking about joining the Church?
- Are you Catholic and missing a sacrament (confirmation, Eucharist)?



Please contact Sandra Lopez with any  
questions or to become part of the RCIA program at  
**541-479-4848** or email at [slopez@stannegp.com](mailto:slopez@stannegp.com)



### Offertory Report Fiscal Year 2021/2022

4th Weekend of Sept	'20-'21 Last Fiscal Year	'21-'22 Current Fiscal Year	\$	%
Weekend Collection	\$ 9,755.00	\$ 15,941.63	\$ 6,186.63	63.42%
Month to Date	\$ 43,202.06	\$ 49,826.74	\$ 6,624.68	15.33%
Year to Date	\$ 136,979.41	\$ 158,606.23	\$ 21,626.82	15.79%
ACTUAL	BUDGET	\$	%	
YEAR TO DATE	\$ 158,606.23	\$ 148,651.99	\$ 9,954.24	6.70%

(Fiscal Year = July-June)

Regards,  
Stephen Voehl, Business Manager



### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL DONATION PROGRAM

Our donation program helps to serve the poor and marginalized within the Grants Pass community. We have a different donated item each month. The donated items do not need to be new, just clean and useable.



**OCTOBER'S** donation items are:

### BLANKETS & TOWELS



Please drop off your donations at our  
**Thrift Store at 132 SE "H" Street,**  
**Tuesday thru Friday, 10:00am to 4:00pm**

**There are NO collection bins in the Church, Parish Hall, or Parish Office.**

**Thank you for helping us help others.  
God Bless You!**

## FORMED®

PICK OF THE WEEK

Oct 3, 2021

### WATCH

#### CLARE AND FRANCIS

This outstanding movie is unique among films about St. Francis because of the historical accuracy of the story and its authentic spirit of joy and piety so characteristic of Francis, as well as the major role played by Clare, who is given equal stature with him. Both found major religious orders, and together they inspire many to follow their radical call to live the Gospel. Their impact has reached across the centuries to change the world.



### LEARN

#### MISERY MEETS MERCY: ST FAUSTINA

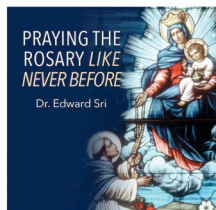


Dr. Ben Akers and Fr. Mateusz Ratajczak discuss St. Faustina Kowalska and her role of bringing the message of Divine Mercy to the Church.

### LISTEN

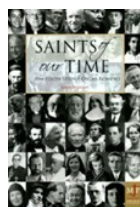
#### PRAYING THE ROSARY LIKE NEVER BEFORE BY DR. EDWARD SRI

In this Lighthouse Talk, Sri discusses the main tenets of his book, *The New Rosary in Scripture: Biblical Insights on Praying the Twenty Mysteries*. Dr. Sri shares Pope St. John Paul II's practical strategies for praying the Rosary better so you can encounter Jesus more deeply in prayer.



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.

### SAINTS OF OUR TIMES - BOOK



A collection of almost 50 portraits of modern day saints, which first appeared in The Sacred Heart Messenger magazine. Here you will find well-known figures such as Bishop Oscar Romero, Simone Weil, Edith Stein, and Billy Graham, as well as many lesser-known heroes such as Rose Hawthorne, Georges Rouault, Laura Vicuna, and Aloysius Stepinac. A fascinating look at men and women of the past century who were heroes in their own ways, in the name of Christ.

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

### SPIRITUALITY AND ART



You are invited to participate in a relaxed, prayerful experience of reflection and creativity

**2nd and 4th Friday of each month  
in the Parish Center-Room 2  
9:30am - 11:00am.**

This is an opportunity for each of us to grow closer to our God by being open to the Holy Spirit as we create together and share our faith. No artistic experience is required, there is no fee and all supplies are provided.

**For more information contact Dee Mahannah**



### Latin Mass Invitation Every Sunday at 3:30pm Sacred Heart Catholic Church 517 W. 10th Street, Medford

Please join fellow Catholics for the celebration of the Traditional Latin Mass— everyone is invited to attend.

Father Stephen Kenyon is the Priest  
who presides at this Mass.