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As often as you eat this bread and drink this cup,
you proclaim the death of the Lord
until he comes.

—*1 Corinthians 11:26*

FED BY THE LORD

Jesus' words "This is my body" and "This cup is the new covenant in my blood" were only part of his table blessing. Jesus twice said: "Do this in remembrance of me" (*1 Corinthians 11:24, 25*).

This is the good news of today's solemnity. Like the five thousand hungry souls, we are fed by our Lord. This is not food that satisfies for only a short time, until the next meal. It is food that lasts and changes us. It is food for sharing in much the same way as Melchizedek did when he brought bread and wine to the returning Abraham.

As children of God's reign, we are blessed to be able to receive and share God's gift. And we do so in the way most appropriate to our state in life—as parents, children, husbands, wives, or religious.
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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Once the early Christians realized that Christ's coming in glory was delayed, there was a need to provide for the governance and everyday needs of the church. The various "orders" within the church carried forward the apostles' ministry, but also allowed for a measure of creativity. The sacrament we call "holy orders" evolved somewhat slowly. At first, it made sense for Christians to use the forms they knew, adapting them to new situations. Synagogues, for example, were administered by a board of "elders," translated into Greek as *presbyters*. We know from the Acts of the Apostles that a system of presbyters was a normal feature of church life from earliest days. They stood in relationship to another order, that of "overseers," translated into Greek as *episkopos*, giving us the English "bishops." The bishop was the shepherd, the faithful tender of the flock, one who offered the Eucharist, forgave sins, and maintained the bond of charity. Just as the deacons were the chief advisers for the charitable life of the church, so were the presbyters meant to advise the bishop on the spiritual life of the faithful. They were trusted advisers at first, not pastors or priests as we understand those terms today.

—*Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.*

Pastor's Column

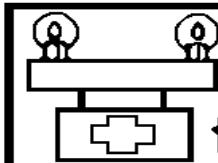
Jubilee for Deacons – Various events are planned in Rome during the Jubilee Year of Mercy. They include: opening of the Holy Door of St. Peter's Basilica (Dec 8, 2015), sending forth of the Missionaries of Mercy (Feb 10), Jubilee for Boys and Girls (Apr 23-25), Jubilee for the Sick and Persons with Disability (Jun 10-12), Jubilee for Volunteers of Mercy (Sep 2-4) and Catechists (Sep 23-25). This weekend (May 27-29), Deacons and their families from throughout the world are invited to come to Rome to celebrate this Jubilee. The events include prayer and reflection, entering through the Holy Doors to obtain favors from the Lord (indulgence), and the highlight is Holy Mass with Pope Francis at St. Peter's Square. The origin of the ministry of Deacon comes from the book of Acts, chapter 6. As the community of faith grew, the apostles needed help in caring for those in need. They asked for men full of Spirit to help them. And thus the ministry of deacon, a Greek word that meant "servant," came about to help carry out the charitable works of the Church. Today, the Deacon serves in 3 areas of the Church: Word, Liturgy and Charity.

Deacon John Dupre, a native of New Orleans, has been a Deacon since June 1990. Besides his professional career as a Psychiatrist, he serves as a Deacon at our parish and at Our Lady of Lourdes in the Bayview. Thank you **Deacon John** for your love for the Lord and your ministry to His people.

Remembering Those Who Have Served – On Mon., May 30th at 11am, there will be a special mass honoring our veterans and remembering the sacrifices that they and their loved ones have made for us. All are invited to attend the mass held at Holy Cross Mausoleum Chapel at Holy Cross Cemetery in Colma. The Rev. Charles Puthota, PhD., Director of Pastoral Ministry and Pastor of St. Veronica will be the Celebrant.

Congratulations Rev. Mr. Andrew Ginter – Deacon Ginter will be ordained to the Priesthood on Sat, June 4, 2016 @ 10am at St. Mary's Cathedral and all are invited to attend. This native of Novato, Ginter said he wanted to teach since he was in 3rd grade. While studying in the seminary at Menlo Park, he was able to pursue both dreams and earned a Master's in Curriculum and Instruction at Notre Dame in Belmont. During his internship at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish in Belmont, he was also able to teach theology at Riordan and coach their Lacrosse team. Riordan's principal, Vittorio Anastasio, said of Ginter that "he is so down to earth... and [has] been a real role model." Congratulations, soon-to-be **Father Andrew Ginter!**

— Fr. Dan



Masses for the week

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May 29—June 4, 2016

Sunday, May 29

7:30 Dominador Sy (D)

9:00 Barbara Harwick (D)

10:30 Parishioners of Saint Anne

Noon Grace Tang (D)

Monday, May 30—MEMORIAL DAY

8:45 John Hickey (D)

Tuesday, May 31

6:30 Erminia Lucier (D)

8:45 Ilisa Chan (D)

Wednesday, June 1

6:30 Fermo Melencion (D)

8:45 Telesfora Gorospe (D)

Thursday, June 2

6:30 Ben Bergado, thanksgiving

8:45 John Hickey (D)

First Friday, June 3

6:30 Paula Chow (D)

8:45 Lorenzo Amigo, Sr. (D)

Saturday, June 4

8:45 Confraternity of St. Anne

5 p.m. David Liu (D)

Presider

Bishop Walsh

Fr. Nascimento

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Fr. Zhai, SVD

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Bishop Walsh

Fr. Nascimento

On Monday, May 30, in observance of Memorial Day, the Rectory office will be closed. That morning there will only be one Mass celebrated at 8:45. Please pray for the more than one million men and women who gave their lives while serving us in the armed forces.



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First Friday— This Friday, June 3, there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament following the 8:45 a.m. Mass. Adoration will conclude with Benediction at 10 a.m.

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal 2016— We remain at \$14,620 in contributions for this worthy cause, in which we are asked to support the many projects of the Archdiocese and identify ourselves as more than mere parishioners but as members of the Archdiocese of San Francisco as well as members of the universal church. Please help us make our goal of \$54,292. We still have a way to go!

Bulletins for the Homebound— If you or someone you know is homebound and /or unable to attend Mass at Saint Anne's regularly and you wish to receive our weekly bulletin in the mail, please call the rectory secretary at extension 22, and we would be happy to include you in our weekly homebound mailing. You should also know that our present and past weekly bulletins are available on our website www.stanne-sf.org

Replacing the Church Carpet— Thanks to the efforts of Finance Council member Bill Barnickel, we have been receiving bids to replace our tired old church carpet. We have settled on the best offer on a higher-end solution, a carpet that will last at least 20 years, rather than a cheaper one that would show signs of wear after 10. Labor and materials will bring the cost to approximately 50K. One generous parishioner has already pledged 10K. Anyone else? The starting date for this installation, however, has been postponed due to the more pressing safety issue described below, which may prove to be quite costly.

Saint Anne Roofing Tiles— Curious about the scaffolding around certain areas of the church and the yellow tape in the schoolyard? Recently a tile from the church roof, probably loosened by the strong winds of a few weeks ago, dropped into the play yard of the preschool! Luckily the children were all inside. Parishioner Rick Riley, who owns a construction company and was instrumental in helping to remodel Moriarty Hall some years back, climbed up into the bell tower for a better view of the roof and noticed other loose tiles, anywhere from a dozen to fifty. He thought it prudent that we put up some scaffolding "tunnels" to shield us from any other falling tiles until we can address this issue. By the time you read this, we will have had both a 150-foot crane brought onto Funston Ave. as well as a 70-foot crane positioned in the south end of the schoolyard so that an expert can be lifted up roof-level to assess the extent of the problem and its cause. We will keep you posted as to the findings and the cost of the proposed solution.

Faithful Citizenship Resources— The California Catholic Conference of Bishops has created a Frequently Asked Questions document to guide parishioners, pastors, and parishes in preparing for the upcoming elections. This is in addition to resources provided by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. Please visit the websites listed below to access these materials:

USCCB.org

CACatholic.org

Casino Night, held four weeks ago in Moriarty Hall, managed to raise 1K for the Athletic Department.

Remember the Parish Picnic in Golden Gate Park on Sunday, July 10. Donations and volunteers needed. Contact Bev Perea at 415 823-4380 or Mie Mie Kwong at 415 606-5776.

Last Week's Collections

1st Collection, May 21, May 22— \$4,175.00
Catholic Communication Campaign— \$719.00

This Week's Second Collection:
St. Vincent de Paul Society

Thank You All for Your Generosity!
For On-line giving, visit: www.stanne-sf.org

Thank you all for helping keep our beloved church a clean and beautiful sacred place of worship!

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ST. ANNE REGULAR SCHEDULE

Sunday Mass:

Sat: 5pm; Sun: 7:30am, 9am, 10:30am
& 12pm (Chinese)

Daily Mass:

Mon - Fri: 6:30am & 8:45am
Sat: 8:45am (Devotion to St. Anne)

Holy Days of Obligation:

6:30am, 8:45am, 12 noon, & 6pm

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament:

1st Friday following 8:45am Mass until 10am

Reconciliation:

Sat: 4 - 4:55pm or by appointment

Baptism:

Baptismal Preparation Class:
2nd Sunday @ 1:30pm in Rectory

Office Hours:

Mon.—Fri., 9am—4:30 pm



*Tuesday, May 31
The Feast of the Visitation
of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

St. Anne Mission Statement

We, the people of Saint Anne, envision a Christ-centered community, enriched by the gifts of a diverse heritage. We remember the past and are open to the future; living out the Gospel values with enthusiasm, joy and celebration under the protection of Saint Anne.

We commit ourselves to sharing the mission belonging to all followers of Christ: caring for one another and reaching out to those in need.

We commit ourselves to revitalizing our parish community; to participating meaningfully in the celebration of the Sacraments, especially the Eucharist, to developing a strong sense of stewardship; and to regularly evaluating our work and ministries.

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