Parish Bulletin
4th Sunday of Easter
May 3, 2020

Mass Intentions
FOR THE WEEK
May 3 - 9, 2020

Sunday, May 3
7:30  Thanksgiving by Bishop Walsh
9:00  Telesfora & Arturo Gorospe & Mary Ann Zamora (D)
10:30 * Remembrance of Priests & Religious who served at St. Anne
12:00 ** Parishioners of St. Anne

Monday, May 4
6:30  William Vaquillar (D)  Bishop Walsh
8:45 * Edward & Michael Collins Fr. Tieng, LRMS

Tuesday, May 5
6:30  Healing of Roberto Reina Fr. Zhai, SVD
8:45 * Intention of Gloria Pizzinelli Fr. Nascimento

Wednesday, May 6
6:30  Bea Torres (D)  Bishop Walsh
8:45 * Amelia DeJesus (D)  Fr. Tieng, LRMS

Thursday, May 7
6:30  Healing of Jane Cunningham Fr. Zhai, SVD
8:45 * Healing of Faye Yee Fr. Nascimento

Friday, May 8
6:30  Heling of Covid-19 patients Bishop Walsh
8:45 * Gerry Intertas, Jr (D)  Fr. Tieng, LRMS

Saturday, May 9
8:45 * Confraternity of St. Anne Fr. Nascimento
5pm  Evelyn Rull (D)  Fr. Nascimento

* - Watch mass at: https://www.facebook.com/StAnneSF/
** - Watch Chinese mass at: https://www.facebook.com/CCinSF/

Pastor’s Corner

How are YOU doing? - Now that we are nearing 7 weeks of Sheltering-in-Place with the possibility of 3 to 4 more weeks to go, how are you holding up? Do you need help with groceries? Do you need to hear a human voice? Do you have enough TP (toilet paper)? As human beings, God made us so that we need each other, so don’t hesitate to let us know if we can be of service to you. Give us a call or let us know if you are available to help others. You can reach us at tessievelicaria@stanne-sf.org or frdan@stanne-sf.org @ 415-665-1600 x 22 or frdan@stanne-sf.org @ 415-665-1600 x 24.

How are WE doing? - Paralleling with “How YOU are doing” is, “How are WE doing” in our on-line ministry to you? We’re all adapting to the virtual world. We welcome your feedback to help us improve. Give us ideas or suggestions on how we may be able to better serve you. Our staff and volunteers have called everyone in our parish directory to check-in on you. And we’ve also been praying for you. Fr. Pete has started Bible Study again on Wednesday nights at 7pm. And we’re so glad that many of you have been able to join us in prayer through Facebook and YouTube. I want to thank Eugene Libadia, an award winning videographer, who guided us to use Facebook as our livestream platform. Wai Wong and his wife Min Min Sun who helped improve our office and church’s Wi-Fi so we can livestream the masses to you. As our picture gets better it’s because Wai provided us with better cameras. Next we’ll work to improve the sound quality at mass. But do let us know what’s on your mind as we continue the Shelter-in-Place until the end of the month. You can reach me at: frdan@stanne-sf.org or at 15-665-1600 x 24.

Novena to Our Lady of Fatima - As the feast of Our Lady of Fatima is on the 13th of May, we’ll do a rosary novena beginning on Tuesday, May 5, praying daily at 3pm and Sunday at 10am. As next Sunday, May 10 is Mother’s Day, we’ll also do our May Crowning at the 10:30am mass, featuring Bishop Walsh as our presider. Hope you can join us in our celebration of Mother Mary during this month of May.

Navigating Unchartered Waters - As many of you heard, beginning July 1, I’ll be both the Pastor of St. Anne and the Administrator of Holy Name Parish. The current Pastor, Fr. Arnold Zamora, hosted a virtual meeting for me and the school and parish staff to meet each other. We’ll all be discovering what the assignment will look like in the months ahead. I’ll certainly be present to them and look forward to meeting the parishioners, students and parents there, all the while still being present to our own community. Fortunately, the Archbishop will also be sending another priest to assist me there, Fr. Celestine Tyowua, currently the Associate Pastor at St. Brendan, but that won’t be until Sep 1, 2020. In the meanwhile, like all things, we surrender the situation over to God and do the best we can. Pray for me and I’ll be praying for you.

Blessings,

- Fr. Dan

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Good Shepherd Sunday

“My sheep listen to my voice; I know them and they follow me.”
(John 10:27)
St. Anne makes masks for Catholic Charities

“St. Anne is a powerhouse of mask making. We are so grateful to have them” said Carol Laughlin, Volunteer Coordinator of Catholic Charities, when she discovered how many masks we prepared for them.

Living Christ’s life fully and bringing Christ to others is contagious at St. Anne. Sarah and Amelia, St. Anne 7th grade lifelong learners, saw their new face mask making skills could help others, especially other students’ grandparents. Their enthusiasm spread to their parents, Rene & Brian Batt which then spread to St. Anne’s pastor and Facebook page. And within only 1 week, St. Anne families and the Brazilian community swiftly mobilized to deliver almost 300 face masks to Catholic Charities, the majority hand sewn.. wow!

Our goal is to help Catholic Charities protect close to 400 people in their residential programs who are vulnerable due to health issues and age. We’re on track in achieving this goal with ongoing mask production from different St. Anne ministries. Huge shout out to everyone who helped spread the word, shared materials, donated and sewed masks!

Inspirations of the Holy Spirit continue to spread as St. Anne looks for other ways to help virtually. More to come on #gifts in kind for Catholic Charities’ hotel for homeless families.

Thank you Catholic Charities for the opportunity to support your mission, Serving Everyone With Determination & Compassion During COVID-19.

- Rachel Leluc