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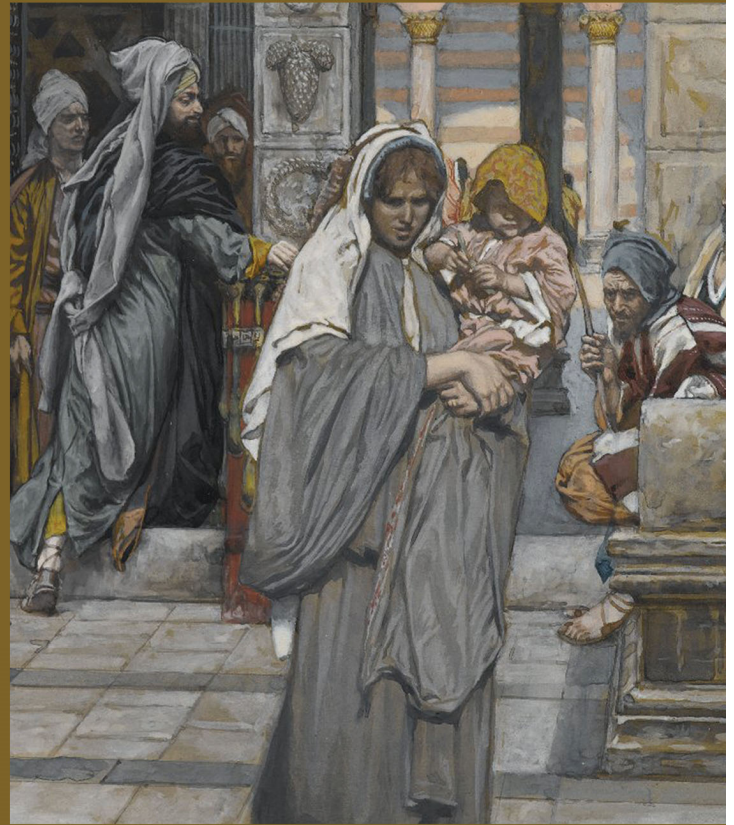
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THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 7, 2021

*This poor widow
put in more than all
the other contributors
to the treasury.*

Mark 12:43



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SAINT ANNE MASSES

Daily Masses: 8:45am Mon.—Sat.

Sunday Masses: Sat. Vigil at 5pm,

Sundays at 8am, 10am, and Noon (*Chinese*)

All Masses Livestreamed except Sunday 8am

Confessions: Sat. @ 4pm

Office Hours: Mon. & Tues. 1-4p,

Thurs. & Fri. 9a—12p

Baptisms: 2nd Sat. of month, 12:30pm

Baptismal Prep: 3rd Sat. of month, 10:00am

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time November 7, 2021



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***The Lord keeps faith forever,
secures justice for the oppressed,
gives food to the hungry.***

—Psalm 146:6-7

We Need Saints!

Wow!! Who could believe that 2021 would go this fast and that we are in the month of November already? It seems to me as if this year is a car on the track in a Formula One race. We thank God for his mercy and protection so far in this year, even as we are almost at the end of the year. We celebrated the solemnity of All Saints on November 1st, we prayed for the intercession of the Saints for all of us Christians, and we want to be like the Saints, too. Although a lot of us think that the Saints are extraordinary people or super-humans, they are not. ***As Pope Francis says, "Saints are not supermen or women who are born perfect, but rather, they are ordinary people who followed God with all their heart."***

We need Saints that have the commitment to help the poor and to make needed social changes. We need saints to live in the world, to sanctify the world, and not to be afraid of living in the world by their presence in it. We need saints that drink Coca-Cola, that eat hot dogs, that surf the internet and that listen to their iPods. We need saints that love the Eucharist, that are not afraid or embarrassed to eat a pizza or drink a beer with friends. We need saints who love the movies, dance, sports, theater. We need saints that are open, sociable, normal, happy companions. We need saints who are in this world and who know how to enjoy the best in this world without being callous or mundane.

In this month of November, we also celebrated the feast of All Souls, remembering our loved ones who passed on. Any day is a good day to remember our departed ones, but the Church has set aside this month for prayers and Holy Masses to be offered for those departed souls dear to us and for the souls of those who have no one to pray for them. Praying for departed souls is an act of mercy and it

also shows our love for the communion that exist among us at the different levels of the Church, that is: the Church Triumphant, (All Saints), the Church Suffering (All Souls), and the Church Militant (Present Christians).

Let us continue in this month to pray in thanksgiving to God and for an end to the pandemic and to thank God for bringing us this far even though the year has been rough. God is in control of the world so he will not let us continue to suffer the burdens of the day. He will bless us now and in the world to come. Let us strive to be modern-day saints because the world needs saints!

- Fr Celestine

THE POOR

As Christians, we hear a lot about the witness and service that we are called to render to the poor among us. However, the poor also have a witness and a service to render to us. Like the actions of the widow in today's Gospel, the openness and generosity of many of those who are poor, even in the midst of their own poverty, bear witness to the fact that, ultimately, we can depend only on God. Giving one's all witnesses that God will give all to anyone who trusts in divine goodness.

The poor or disadvantaged also serve. They serve judgment on our individual and corporate ways of acting. If people are sleeping in our streets, that is a judgment on our priorities regarding others. At the same time, the poor can act as mediators of salvation. When they care for others they can redeem our indifference and insensitivity, lead us to care as well, and save us from ourselves.
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FEAST of FAITH: Concluding Rites

The Prayer after Communion gives us a glimpse of the heavenly banquet, of which we have had a foretaste in the Eucharist. The concluding rites speak of what we are to do with this great gift of God. That includes the parish announcements, which are usually given following the Prayer after Communion. Believe it or not, the announcements, which are not an "official" part of the Mass, have been included in the Mass from as early as the fifth century! The deacon or the homilist—even the bishop—would announce coming liturgical celebrations and encourage the people to participate. Today's parish announcements include opportunities for prayer, service, learning, and community building. They should be succinct and should include only significant events and activities in the life of the parish. But even when they are long and tedious, the announcements (and the parish bulletin) flow out of the concluding rites of the Mass. They offer us ways to live the Eucharist, to become what we have received—the Body of Christ, living and active in our local community.
--Corinna Laughlin, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



Saint Anne Parish
MASS INTENTIONS
WEEK of November 7, 2021

Sunday, November 7	Presider
8:00am All Souls Novena Arlene Zitas Balmaceda Brillantes (D)	Fr. Nascimento
10:00am All Souls Novena Pantaleon Larrazibal (D)	Fr. Nascimento
Noon All Souls Novena Thanksgiving, Fiona Kong Rev. Stan Wu (D) Rev. Gabriel Lua Yu Ting (D) Ilisa Chan (D)	Fr. Zhai, SVD
Monday, November 8	
8:45am All Souls Novena Thanksgiving, May Kay	Fr. Nascimento
Tuesday, November 9	
8:45am All Souls Novena Birthday, Jane Anne Sullivan Birthday, Gloria Pizzinelli Mrs. Elisa Ortega-Gepiga (D)	Fr. Nascimento
Wednesday, November 10	
8:45am All Souls Novena Intention, Sana Wolden	Fr. Nascimento
Thursday, November 11—Veterans Day	
8:45am All Souls Novena All Veterans and Military Men and Women Thanksgiving, Vivienne Rull Ken Foster (D)	Fr. Zhai, SVD
Friday, November 12	
8:45am Birthday, Clifford Reid Rev. Rafael De Avila (D)	Fr. Zhai, SVD
Saturday, November 13	
9am MASS of REMEMBRANCE Confraternity of Saint Anne	Fr. Nascimento
5pm Parishioners of St. Anne Thanksgiving, Cora Intertas	Fr. Nascimento



**Saint Anne
of the Sunset**
will be accepting donations for
**The St. Vincent de Paul
Annual Food Drive**

Thanksgiving is the perfect time
to share our bounty with those less fortunate.
There will be collection bins in the vestibule
from November 20 through December 28.

Let's help fill them up!

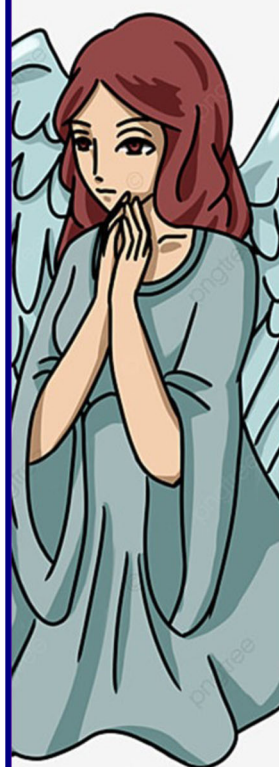
For any questions, please contact
Vincent Louie @ 415 661-6890
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All Souls/
Día de los Muertos
Novena
Nov 2-11, 2021
8:45 AM Mass

Nov 13, 2021
9AM Mass of
Remembrance

St. Anne Church

All are welcome 



**All Souls/Día de los Muertos
altar**

- Señor Marco, St. Anne School's Spanish teacher, will install altars for All Souls/Día de los Muertos throughout the church to honor our beloved departed
- Nov 2 to Nov 11, nine days of prayer, at 8:45 am masses.
- Altars will remain throughout the month of November.

Everyone is invited to place a photo or name of your loved one at an altar.

- Photo sizes 3x5 to 4x6.
- Please write your name at the back of the photo.

Last Week's Collections

October 31, 2021— \$3,291.87
All Saints Day — \$742.00
All Souls Day—\$1,240.00

This Week's Second Collection

School Earthquake Retrofit Fund

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal 2021

Goal: \$53,983

Donations Received as of 11/2: **\$37,944.00**

We have reached **70%** of our goal!

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