

# SAINT ANNE of the SUNSET CHURCH

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*The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 11, 2024*



***“Be Made Clean”***

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**Daily Mass: 8:45am Mon.—Sat.**

**Sunday Masses: Sat. Vigil at 5pm,  
Sundays at 8am, 10am, and Noon (Chinese)**

**All Masses Livestreamed except Sunday 8am**

**Confessions: 20 minutes before  
Saturday Vigil and each Sunday Mass**

**Office Hours: Mon.—Fri., 9am — 4:30pm**

**Baptisms: 2nd Sat. of month, 12:30pm  
(Registered Parishioners only)**

**Baptismal Prep: 3rd Sat. of month, 10:00am  
(Registered Parishioners only)**

Blessed is the one whose  
transgressions are forgiven,  
whose sins are covered.  
Psalm 32:1

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### *Embodying Compassion*

In the Gospel for the 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B, Mark 1:40-45, we witness a profound moment where Jesus, moved by compassion, heals a man afflicted with leprosy. This encounter isn't just a miraculous healing; it's a testament to Jesus' radical approach to love and inclusion. By reaching out to touch the leper, Jesus breaks societal norms and religious laws that dictate purity.

This act is revolutionary, signifying that no person is beyond the reach of God's love. Jesus' willingness to become "unclean" to restore another's health and dignity challenges us to reconsider our own attitudes towards the marginalized and the outcast in our society. It invites us to ask ourselves: Are we willing to extend our hands and hearts, even if it means crossing the boundaries of our comfort zones?

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*Saint Anne's*  
*Athletic Department*  
**CRAB BASH**



*Saturday, March 2, 2024*  
*5pm in Moriarty Hall*

*\$60 per adult until 2/5, \$70 after 2/5*  
*\$15 per child (kid's meal, no crab)*

*Make check to : St Anne Athletic Department*

### *Pastor's Column*

**Through the Desert to Freedom** – Pope Francis' Lenten message for this year focuses on the Book of Exodus, the Israelites journey from slavery in Egypt to Freedom and the Promised Land. He reminds us that *"when God reveals Himself, His message is always one of freedom."* In moments when we feel hopeless, wandering through life like a desert and lacking a promised land as our destination, *"Lent is the Season of Grace in which the desert can become once more – in the words of the prophet Hosea – the place of our first love."* He continues, *"the desert is the place where our freedom can mature in a personal decision not to fall back into slavery."* Just as our Lord was tempted in the desert, we too may suffer and struggle from a myriad of temptations. Because of this, the Pope encourages us to *"pause in prayer, in order to receive the Word of God, to pause like the Samaritan in the presence of a wounded brother or sister."* The 3 pillars of Lent – prayer, almsgiving, and fasting – the Pope explains, are not 3 separate acts, but a *"movement of openness and self-emptying in which we cast out the idols that weigh us down, the attachments that imprison us... In the presence of God, we become brothers and sisters, more sensitive to one another: in place of threats and enemies, we discover companions and fellow travelers."* In closing the Pope invites us to set aside moments *"to rethink our lifestyles, to examine our presence in society, and the contribution we make to its betterment."*

**Lenten Activities** – To help us grow as a community and grow in our spiritual lives, the parish has organized the following activities. Although you can probably do spiritual reading and grow on your own, we do want to encourage you to participate and grow with others in a community, especially during Lent. If your time allows, please consider participating in one or all of these:

**Parish Lenten Retreat** – Eucharistic Miracles by Dr. Scott French, Sat, 2/17 from 10-2pm in School.

**Angels in Scripture & in the World** – by Ken DelPonte, Mondays of Lent @ 7pm in Rectory.

**Christian Meditation** – w/Fr Dan, Tuesdays @7pm via Zoom.

**Laudato Si** – Caring for our Mother Earth by caring for our Convent Garden. Wednesdays, 3-5pm @ the Convent, 1330-14<sup>th</sup> Avenue, with Rachel Leluc.

**Faith Sharing Book Club** – with Alma Zamora using Beautiful Eucharist & Fit for Heaven, Wednesdays @7pm in the Rectory.

**Lent & Easter Choir** – Join the choir during Lent & Easter. Rehearsals on Thurs @ 6pm in Rectory.

**Stations of the Cross** – at 7pm in the Church, with Soup Supper @ 6pm in the Vestibule.

To sign up or for more information, visit the information table in the Vestibule, or call Tessie at the Office, 415-665-1600 x 22.

—Fr. Dan



天主教三藩市總教區華人宗徒事務處誠邀你參加  
The Chinese Ministry of the Archdiocese of San Francisco Cordially invites You



二零二四年農曆甲辰龍年  
新春感恩祭暨祭祖典禮  
Chinese New Year Eucharistic Celebration  
& Ancestor Veneration Ceremony

二零二四年二月二十四日(星期六) 下午兩點半

三藩市聖母升天主教座堂

1111 Gough Street, San Francisco, CA 94109

主祭：總主教 The Most Reverend Archbishop Salvatore J. Cordileone

共祭：榮休主教 The Most Reverend Bishop Emeritus William Justice 和神父

並於晚上在聖堂下層禮堂 Patrons' Hall 設宴慶祝農曆新年

五時：自費酒會 五時半：春宴

餐券：每位七十元

**February 24, 2024 (Saturday) 2:30pm**

The Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption

1111 Gough Street, San Francisco, CA 94109

Principal Celebrant: The Most Reverend Archbishop Salvatore J. Cordileone

Concelebrants: The Most Reverend Bishop Emeritus William Justice and priests

With Chinese New Year Dinner at the Cathedral Patrons' Hall

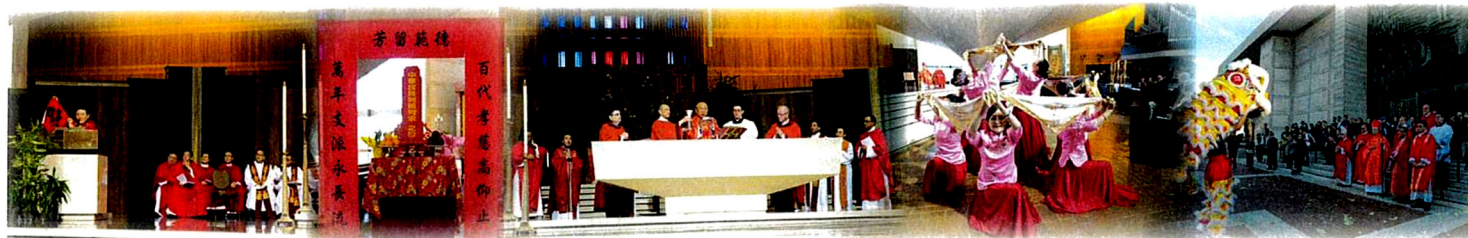
5:00PM No Host Bar 5:30PM Banquet

Banquet Ticket: \$70/person

我們將在彌撒中為去世的親人祈禱。歡迎你將你希望紀念親友們的名字寄給我們。

永懷追思通功代禱篇表格可於網上下載

<https://tinyurl.com/veneration2024>



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ST. ANNE'S  
*Masquerade*  
A night in Venice!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Saturday, March 23, 2024, 6:00 to 10:00 p.m.

St. Anne Moriarty Hall  
1320 14th Avenue, San Francisco

PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS

Tickets are \$65

Tickets will NOT be sold at the door. No host bar.  
Childcare is available for additional fee.  
Access link below or scan code.

<https://stannesf.joinme.org/2024masquerade>



DONATE AUCTION ITEMS

Seeking high end experiences. Examples include tickets to professional sporting or music events, house rentals, timeshares, museum membership, local outings. Contact STANNESFAUCTION@gmail.com by Feb 16th.

• GAMES • FOOD • DRINKS • DANCING





*Saint Anne Parish*  
**MASS INTENTIONS**  
WEEK of February 11, 2024

**Sunday, February 11**

**8:00am** Nelly Gaskin (D)

**10:00am** Charles Cunningham (D)

**Noon** Virginia Yap (D)

**Monday, February 12**

**8:45am** Healing, Giulhermina Valentino

**Tuesday, February 13**

**8:45am** Benito and Leonarda Hidalgo (D)

**Wednesday, February 14 — ASH WEDNESDAY**

**8:45am** Jose R. Miranda (D)

**Noon** People of the Parish

**6:00pm** Souls in Purgatory

**Thursday, February 15**

**8:45am** Motak and Basanes Families (L &D)

**Friday, February 16**

**8:45am** Carmen Melencion (D)

**Saturday, February 17**

**8:45am** Confraternity of Saint Anne

**5:00pm** Intentions, John M. Synan

**Saint Anne's Day of Recollection**  
**Saturday, February 17, 2024**

**10am—2pm**

*Reflections by*  
*Dr. Scott French*

on

*"What Is the Soul?*  
*Is It Immortal?"*

and

*"Why Are There 21st Century*  
*Eucharistic Miracles?"*



*Followed by Lunch*  
*and Eucharistic Adoration*  
*Prayer and Taize Singing*

*Gather in the School Cafeteria*  
*and after Lunch, in the Church*

*RSVP Rectory Office      Donation: \$25*



**Lent Begins on**  
**Ash Wednesday**  
**February 14, 2024**

**A Day of Fasting and Abstinence**  
**No Meat One Meal One Snack**

**"Repent and Believe in the Gospel."**

**Previous Week's Collections**

1st Collection, February 4, 2024— \$4,761.00

School Earthquake Retrofit Fund— \$1,120.00

***This Week's 2nd Collection***

Building and Maintenance Fund

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

For on-line giving, visit:

[www.stanne-sf.org](http://www.stanne-sf.org)

**St. Anne of the Sunset's 36th Annual**  
**ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER DANCE**



**Saturday, March 9, 2024**

**5:30 to 9:30 pm**

**Moriarty Hall**

**Guerra's Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner!**  
**Irish Dancers and Pipers! DJ Dance Party!**

**Adults \$45      Children under 12 \$10**

**RESERVATIONS REQUIRED**

**Ticket Sales end February 26th.**

**Tickets will not be available at the door.**

**ACCESS THE LINK TO REGISTER**

**<https://bit.ly/3S1yS3Q>**

**or write a check to "St. Anne Church"**  
**with "St. Patrick's Dinner" on the memo line**