



# Saint Anne Parish

20 Boston Road Southborough, MA 01772

## ST. ANNE PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of St. Anne Parish, Southborough, in the Diocese of Worcester are called through Baptism to become one faith family. We commit ourselves to embody the presence of Christ in Word and Sacrament; by using our ministries to welcome all who are seeking Jesus and to share in the life and work of our Catholic faith. In the spirit and truth of the Holy Trinity, we will use our time, talents and treasure to answer God's command to love one another as He has loved us, in holy worship, prayer, Catechetical formation for all, evangelization and service to others.

We welcome all visitors to St. Anne Parish. If you would like to join our faith community, please call the Parish Office to register, 508-485-0141.

September 9, 2018  
Twenty-Third Sunday  
IN ORDINARY TIME

**Parish Contact Information**  
**Office Hours, Monday ~ Thursday**  
**9:30 am to 3:30 pm**  
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Gospel:  
Mark 7:31-37

Has Jesus performed a miracle in your life? All of us have prayed for a special intention. Unlike the man in the Gospel story we are not asked to "tell no one about this." Instead we are invited to go out and preach to all nations, telling them about the good news of Jesus.

This news is revealed in Scripture and in our own lives.

When your prayers are answered it is God's love for you revealed. When there is a miracle in your life it is a continuation of the Gospel.

Go tell the world!  
~ Pastoral Center



Have you received a Welcome Email from Flocknote? Flocknote is a new application that allows Fr. Albert, Linda Bradstreet, and ministry leaders to communicate with parishioners via email (or text). If we have your email already, you should also have received an update about the Golf Tournament. To join Flocknote, please go to our website [www.stannesouthborough.org](http://www.stannesouthborough.org) and click on the Quicklink "Flocknote Sign Up"

### **Lord's Day Mass Schedule:**

**Saturday ~ 5:00 pm**

**Sunday ~ 8:30 am & 10:30 am**

**An additional mass will added on Sunday, September 16 at 5:30 pm**

**Children's Liturgy of the Word**  
**10:30 am Mass during school year**

### **Filipino Mass:**

**Third Sunday of the month - 12 pm**  
**Begins on September 16**

### **Daily Mass Schedule:**

**Week Day Mass,**  
**Monday-Thursday: 9:00 am**  
**First Fridays: 9:00 am**

### **Confessions:**

**Saturday ~ 4:15 pm,**  
**or anytime on request**

### **Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:**

**Wednesday ~ 9:30 am to 4:00 pm**

### **Sacrament of Baptism**

**Call the Parish Office to schedule a Baptism.**

**Baptisms are generally celebrated at any of the Masses on the first weekend of the month so that the child may be welcomed and received in the presence of the parish community.**

### **Sacrament of Marriage**

**Arrangements with a Priest required at least one year prior to the wedding date.**

### **Visitation of the Sick**

**Fr. Albert and St. Anne's Ministers of Communion are pleased to bring Holy Communion to parishioners who are unable to join us for weekly worship. Please call the Parish Office to arrange a time.**

# Parish Information



## FALL BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER FOR VISITATION HOUSE

Our Parish is participating once again in a Baby Bottle Fundraiser to benefit Visitation House, a Catholic home for homeless pregnant women in crisis. Since opening 13 years ago on the feast of the Visitation, they have welcomed 300 mothers and their babies. While women await the birth of their babies at the home on Vernon Hill in Worcester, MA, Visitation House feeds, clothes, educates and nurtures them. After the birth of their baby, mothers can stay up to six months and during that time the staff at Visitation House assists them with housing, higher education, job opportunities and furnishes them with the basic necessities to start their new lives.

It costs Visitation House \$3,140.00 per month, per mom and baby. They have accommodations for 12 moms and 12 babies at a time.

The bottles will be available this weekend September 10th in the foyers of the church. Please support Visitation House by taking a baby bottle, and filling it with your spare money. The bottles may be returned anytime (there will be a return basket next to the Baby Bottles), but will need to be returned to the church on October 7th.



## UNITED PARISHES OF SOUTHBOROUGH FOOD PANTRY:

You are truly answering Jesus call to help your neighbors. Current needs are: **dish detergent, tin foil, plastic wrap, baggies (all sizes), facial tissue (e.g. Kleenex), shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, relish, cranberry sauce and tea (non-flavored)**. As most food items are date sensitive, please be sure that your donation is not out of date. Donations may be left in the foyer of the parish hall. Please do not leave clothing. Instead put clothing in the St. Vincent de Paul bin. If you know of anyone who could benefit from the Food Pantry, please encourage them to come. Pantry hours (located at Pilgrim Church) are Tuesdays from 7-8 p.m. and Fridays from 10-11 a.m.

*Pat Draper, St. Anne Food Pantry Coordinator*

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY:** The ministry members meet every Monday at 10:00am to noon in the Conference Room at the Parish Hall. Anyone interested in being a part of this Ministry may join at any time.



May God Bless,

*Riley Rose Johnson*

as she receives the gifts of Grace and new life through Baptism in Christ.

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP REPORTS FOR:

September 1 and 2, 2018:

Weekly Offering.....\$2,870.00  
 Capital Improvement Fund.....\$ 600.00  
Online giving through BluePay (eCatholic), August 2018:  
 General Account.....\$ 464.00

Thank you to everyone who gives to St. Anne Parish on a continuous basis.

Diocesan and second collections taken in September~ 2018

Annual Catholic Schools Appeal

September 30



## St. Anne Golf Tournament

Monday, September 24, 2018

Shining Rock Golf Club  
 Northbridge, MA

Have fun, meet friends, and support the youth of our parish

10:00 am modified shotgun

\$125/player, \$500/foursome  
 Includes morning coffee, lunch, gift bag, and dinner

Non-golfers—join us for dinner and \$50  
 (includes 5 raffle tickets)

Auction and Raffle prizes!

For details and information:

[www.stannesouthorough.org/golf-tournament](http://www.stannesouthorough.org/golf-tournament)

**MANY VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED**

## HAND MADE QUILT RAFFLE



This beautiful handmade quilt, quilted by one of our parishioners will be raffled off on the day of the Golf Tournament, Monday, September 24.

You will have an opportunity to buy Raffle Tickets after the 8:30 am and 10:30am masses starting this weekend, September 9 and each weekend through September 22nd.

Tickets are \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00

GOOD LUCK!



**St. Anne Parish Picnic is fast approaching!**

**Sunday, September 30, 2018**

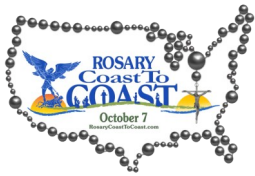
**Starting at 11:30 am**

**Bring your favorite dish, and or dessert, we need volunteers to set-up and clean**



## Parish Information...continued

**PARISHIONER NEEDS A RIDE TO THE 8:30am MASS ON SUNDAYS:** One of our parishioners who lives in Marlboro is unable to drive anymore. We are looking for a parishioner (s) who live in Marlboro who would like to give her a ride to the 8:30 am Mass on Sundays when they can. Please call the Parish Office, 508-485-0141 if you might be available to help.



For the parishes in the Worcester Diocese regarding the Rosary Coast to Coast. Rosaries are encouraged to take place on Sunday Oct. 7th, 2018. In 2018 we once again invite all Catholics to join together to pray

the 54 day Novena for Our Nation from the August 15 Feast of the Assumption through the October 7 Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. We ask all then to join together on October 7 in praying the Rosary coast to coast.

**OUR FATHER'S TABLE:** St. Anne Parish youth participates by cooking a meal on Wednesday at St. Anne Parish Hall, 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm. This happens on the 4th week of the month. The meal is served in Marlborough at the New Hope Community Church, 204 Main St., Marlborough (entrance in the rear on Weed Street) on Thursday, the follow evening at 4:30pm. If you are able, please make a dessert to serve at 4:30pm on Thursday. **Upcoming dates in September are the 26 (to cook), September 27 (to serve.)**  
RSVP/Regina McAuliffe, 508-485-0159

## OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

**1230AM & 970AM EMMANUEL RADIO**  
DR. RAY GUARENDI TO SPEAK AT EMMANUEL RADIO  
101.1FM LAUNCH

DR. RAY IS COMING TO WORCESTER!! EWTN's Dr. Ray, Guarendi, Host of "The Doctor Is In", heard weekdays at 1pm on 1230AM & 970AM Emmanuel Radio, will be the featured speaker when Emmanuel Radio launches its third Catholic radio station, 101.1FM WESO, on September 13, 2018! Doors open at 6pm at the Tsotsis Family Academic Center at Assumption College. Space is limited so reserve your free seats today! Call (508) 767-1230. Emmanuel Radio is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization whose express ministry is to proclaim the Gospel of the Lord through the New Evangelization. To donate visit 1230radio.com. Emmanuel Radio - Truth for Life!

**Celebrate Priesthood ~ Tastes of the Diocese Gala to be held on Thursday, October 18, 2018** at the St. Vincent Hospital Atrium. This annual gathering has been a wonderful opportunity to honor the priesthood in our diocese, and the proceeds are used to offset the roughly \$1 million in deficits each year associated with priests' Retirement Care. Flyer in bulletin this weekend.

**Fall Retreat for Women SAVE THE DATE!** On Saturday, **October 20**, A retreat for Women with Jaymie Stuart Wolfe will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at St. Mary Church Hall, Shrewsbury. Sponsored by the Commission for Women of the Diocese of Worcester. For more information, please contact Pamela Ashmankas at 508-798-0612.

## Religious Education

**Liturgy of the Word with Children at St. Anne Church**  
"Children's Liturgy of the Word" (CL) at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Those confirmed members of St. Anne Church wishing to share their faith with the children of St. Anne in the fall should contact Joanne Flathers at [jflathers@charter.net](mailto:jflathers@charter.net) or 508-485-4345 for more information."

Religious Education registration packets for the 2018-19 Academic Year have been sent out to all families with school age children. If you did not receive the packet would you please call the Parish Office at 508-485-0141. **We are asking families to register your children as soon as possible either by mail or online. THE DEADLINE DATE IS SEPTEMBER 9, 2018**

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**SEPTEMBER 2018:**

### First Communion/First Reconciliation

Parent Meeting: September 13 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall. This is an important and required meeting.

### Catechetical Sunday: September 16

- Grades 1/2 ~ (Non-Sacramental) meet on Sundays, September 16/23, 9:30 -10:30am
- Grade 2 & older\* ~ First Reconciliation/First Communion meet on Sundays September 16/23, 9:30-10:30am
- Grade 3 ~ Meet on Sundays, September 16/23, 9:30-10:30am
- Grade 4/5 ~ Meet on Mondays, September 17/24, 4:00-5:00pm
- Grade 6 ~ Meet on Mondays, September 17/24, 4:00-5:00pm
- Grade 7/8 ~ Meet on Mondays, September 17/24, 6:30-8:00pm
- Grade 9/10 \* ~ Meet on Sundays, September 16/23 5:30pm-8:00pm (includes 5:30pm Youth Mass)  
September 16,  
Parents/Confirmation Candidates important informational meeting at 6:30 pm

\*A copy of your child's baptism certificate is required if they are to receive a Sacrament this year. These certificates are needed before classes begin. If your child was baptized in a parish other than St. Anne, you will need to call the parish where the baptism took place and have them mail the copy, (20 Boston Road, Southborough 01772 or FAX# 508-460-0181.)

**We are in need of Catechists/Assistants for grades 4/5 (1), grade 6 (1), and grade 7/8 (2).**

This Week's Readings at Mass:  
*Isaiah 35:4-7a - Israel's deliverance*  
*James 2:1-5 - Against favoritism*  
*Mark 7:31-37 - Healing of a deaf-mute*



### Be Healed - Keep Quiet

Jesus' ancestors awaited a savior who would work miracles with great power, opening the eyes of the blind, opening the ears of the deaf, and healing the lame. What they probably didn't imagine was a person like Jesus who healed people even in areas like the Decapolis, where most people did not worship the Jewish God. Even less would they have imagined a Messiah who would heal by sticking his fingers in ears and sharing his saliva by touching other people's tongues! Another surprise and mystery for Jesus' followers was his insistence that the people he healed keep quiet about the miracles.

No one knows for sure what Jesus' desire for secrecy was all about, but there are several theories. Perhaps he understood that the more "PR" he got, the less he would be able to move about freely to continue his ministry. Maybe Jesus realized that as soon as he became a public figure, his teaching and preaching would make him enemies and shorten the time before they killed him for his outspoken views. Maybe Jesus didn't want to be known as a sensationalist, a magician, or a miracle worker (there were others in his time and culture), because his message went far beyond physical healing.

The irony of the story is that after Jesus healed a deaf and mute man, the man couldn't keep quiet, so Jesus' fame spread in a foreign territory which had previously been "deaf" to his teachings. ~ *The Pastoral Center*



### WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE with MASS INTENTIONS

*Saturday, September 8 ~ Sunday, September 16, 2018*

SATURDAY	5:00pm	Parishioners of St. Anne Parish
SUNDAY	8:30am	Nancy Heaps (Healing) by Matthew and Barbara Malloy
	10:30am	Children of St. Anne Parish
MONDAY	9:00am	Millie Garden (Healing) by her Family
TUESDAY	9:00am	Margaret Anne Hostage by her Family
WEDNESDAY	9:00am	Darlene McLaughlin (Healing) by Jim and Millie Garden
THURSDAY	9:00am	Parishioners of St. Anne Parish
FRIDAY	No Mass	
SATURDAY	5:00pm	Cynthia Hussan By Paul and Connie LeDuc
SUNDAY	8:30am	Robert Ethier by Paul and Connie LeDuc
	10:30am	Edward and Elizabeth Callinan by John and Sandy Callinan
	12 noon	Filipino/St. Anne Community Mass
	5:30pm	Youth of St. Anne Parish

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Sr. Yvette, Faith Stephens, Jan & Charlie Mangana, Danielle Taylor, Jamie Farley, Stephanie McMahon, Rachel Knoll, Brad Arsenault, Paine Family, Lavallee Family, Marilou A. Custodio, Melinda O'Connor, Susan Davis, Scott Broussard, Paul Brodeur, Kenny Cassidy, Colleen Manning, Simone Almeida, Nolan Francis Lane, Phil Auzenne, Gayle Dufour, Alexandra Barr, Carolyn Green, (Red) Weir, Zenta Franz, Denise Perrin, Katie Lutz, Judi Shea, Irene Laroche, Barbara Peterson, Gertrude Wallace, Judy Christian, Jeanne Walker, Dianne Higgins, Shannon Hayden, Millie Garden, Brian K., Mark S. Tootalian, Dorothy Reid, Dewey Morton, Carol Dunn, Stephen Brown, Jack Maley, Elaine Taylor, Michael Santella, Kristine Livingstone, Jeff, Joan Pinsky, 4 year old, Sean MacDonnell, Rita Babino, Carolyn Connors, Brian, Jean, Pat Moran, Jan Peterson, Josephine Cushing, Reno Morra, Trent Vaughn, Arron Anderson, Peter Pino



### Liturgical Minister Schedule

#### September 8/9

5:00 pm	Lectors	Laura Schroder
	Communion Ministers	NEED
8:30am	Lector	Nick Paganella
	Communion Minister	B. Shea/A. Shea
10:30am	Lector	Jim Garden
	Communion Ministers	P. Draper/P. Bradstreet

*Counters: J. Flathers*

#### September 15/16

5:00pm	Lector	Roger Jolicoeur
	Communion Ministers	M Andries/NEED
8:30am	Lector	Tom Bhisitkul
	Communion Ministers	D. Campero/NEED
10:30am	Lector	Doug Parent
	Communion Ministers	P. Draper/NEED

*Counters: Open*

5:30pm	Lector & CM	To be determined
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Grandparents Day ~ September 9, 2018

Dear St. Ann, You were truly twice blessed to have our blessed Mother as your daughter and Jesus our Savior as your grandson. I know that every period of our lives has its responsibilities as well as its joys. Today, it seems that grandparents have either too little use or too much; either we are shunted to do nothing, or we are called upon to do everything.

Help me to know just where my duties lie in my particular situation and to carry them out as best I can.

Take care of my family, my children, and their children. Inspire them all to follow your

Grandson and lead truly Christian lives.

Keep all of us in your loving care, never let us turn away from Jesus, And help us in the end to receive the joy of entering into your Grandsons' glorious presence forever. Good St. Ann pray for us grandparents. Amen.