WEEKEND EUCHARIST
Saturday: 7:30 AM Mass
4:00 pm Vigil Mass (Live-Stream)
Sunday Masses:
8:00 AM, 9:30 (Live-Stream),
11:00 AM & 5:00 PM

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST
Monday - Friday:
6:30 AM
8:45 AM  (Live Stream)

RECONCILIATION
Saturday:  3:00
(Outside on Transcontinental)

Pastor: Fr. Billy O’Riordan
Parochial Vicar:
Fr. Vincent Nguyen

TEMPORARY WEEKDAY
CHURCH HOURS
MONDAY-FRIDAY
8:30 am - 6:00 pm

Pray with us on Saturdays!
Divine Mercy Chaplet
at 3:00 PM
Rosary at 3:20 PM
Mass 4:00 PM

Updates on parish activities
with regard to
coronavirus precautions
can be found on our website:
stannchurchandshrine.org/coronavirus-updates

St. Ann School
stannschool.org

4921 Meadowdale St.
504-455-8383

Lindsay Guidry, Principal
**Parish Calendar**

Meetings and events have been canceled in accordance with the guidance of the Archbishop with regard to the restrictions set forth by the President and the Governor.

Masses are being live-streamed on Facebook and our website as long as the dispensation of the obligation to attend Mass is in place. You can sign up online or call the office 504-455-7071.


Please refer to our website for schedule updates.
[https://stannchurchandshrine.org](https://stannchurchandshrine.org)

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**Mass Intentions**

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**Readings for the Week**

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June 7 ~ 13, 2020
Sanctuary Light (Church)
Robert McGinnis

Sanctuary Light (Chapel)
Mr. & Mrs. Moore Gauthier
God so loved the world

One day, Augustine was walking by the seashore while contemplating the mystery of the Blessed Trinity. For over three decades, he had been working on a treatise on the Trinity. As he was walking, he saw a little boy playing. The child was using a seashell to carry water from the ocean and pour it into a hole in the sand. Augustine asked the child what he was doing. “I am pouring the entire sea into this hole,” the boy answered. “It’s impossible since the ocean is so vast and the shell and the hole was so little,” said the bishop. The child replied: “It is no more impossible than what you are trying to do — comprehend the immensity of the mystery of the Holy Trinity with your small mind!”

On the first Sunday after the Pentecost, we celebrate the Mystery of the Most Holy Trinity. The Church teaches that this mystery “is the central mystery of the Christian faith and of Christian life. God alone can make it known to us by revealing himself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit.”

Today’s Scripture readings help us know who the Triune God is. In the first reading from Exodus, God revealed Himself to us as “the LORD, a merciful and gracious God, slow to anger and rich in kindness and fidelity.” In the Gospel, Jesus gave us a portrait of the Father: “God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life.”

What is love? The word “love” is used so loosely that its meaning can be diluted and abstract. But for Christians, love has a human face. Out of His infinite love for us, the Father sent His only Son by the power of the Holy Spirit into the world. The Holy Trinity is the fountain of love. This infinite source of love has been pouring into the world. Since our Triune God is a loving God, we the Church need to be a loving community. We Christians are baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Whenever we bless ourselves with the sign of the Cross, we remind ourselves of God’s love for us. And as the Son was sent by the Father into the world, so also we are sent by the Father into the world to be the sign of His love.

May the merciful and gracious Triune God be with you always!

Reflection by: Fr. Vincent
Happy Summer to our Mariners and the entire St. Ann Family!

Please notice a couple of changes to our website.
https://stannchurchandshrine.org

First, notice the Mass Times button at the bottom of the page. Clicking this will give you all of our Mass Times, including an arrow that will link you with the Masses that are live-streamed. There are also tabs for Confession and Adoration Times.

There is now a link to the video page on the menu bar near the top of the page, next to the HOME button, to help you find the live-streamed events.

I hope these changes are helpful. If you have any questions, please call the office, 504-455-7071.

Please subscribe to our YouTube Channel
https://www.youtube.com/c/StAnnChurchNationalShrine

We need 1,000 subscribers in order to live-stream on YouTube. Please help us get there by subscribing and sharing with your family and friends and asking them to subscribe.

Being able to live-stream on YouTube would give us another way to communicate and stay connected to our parishioners and others with videos of Masses, The Rosary, Novenas, Missions, and much more.

Thank you!
We would like to thank all of our parishioners and friends who have continued to make your contributions during this difficult time. It has really helped us to keep up with our expenses and it is greatly appreciated.

It is preferred that you use electronic or text giving for your support, if possible. However, you are welcome to mail your envelopes to the parish office as well.

The link for electronic giving is https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stannchurch
To text a donation, text the amount you wish to donate to 504-226-7404.

The office address is 4940 Meadowdale St., Metairie, LA 70006.

Let us continue to pray deeply during this time of great difficulty, especially for those who work in the medical field and those in hospitals at this time.

- St. Ann, Mother of the Mother of God ... Pray for us!
- St. Michael ... Pray for us!
- St. Roch ... Pray for us!
- Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos ... Pray for us!
- Our Lady of Prompt Succor ... Pray for us!

Universal Charitable Deduction

The signing of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security ("CARES") Act has created a Universal Charitable Deduction of $300 for taxpayers. This is an “above-the-line” deduction, which means it will be available to all taxpayers, not just those who itemize.

Example: A taxpayer who takes the standard deduction and makes a $300 cash gift (not stock) to a qualified charitable organization, like their parish, may claim the $300 deduction in computing his or her adjusted gross income. The gift may be made at any time during the remainder of 2020. This deduction is in addition to the taxpayer’s standard deduction.

If you would like to make a donation to St. Ann Church & National Shrine, you can do so electronically here: giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stannchurch or text to 504-226-7404, or you can mail it to 4940 Meadowdale St., Metairie, LA 70006. Your generosity of stewardship is always appreciated.
St. Ann Vacation Bible School!
Up to now, we have been holding off making a decision regarding Vacation Bible School as we awaited the lifting of restrictions regarding the corona-virus pandemic. The state and archdiocese has finally adopted its guidelines for summer camp activities and we have reviewed the various policies and guidelines. Based upon this review as well as consultation with officials with the archdiocese and our pastoral staff, we have decided to cancel this year’s VBS program. This has been an agonizing decision and one that we were hoping that we did not have to make. However, we feel that it is better to forgo this year’s program as we try to maintain the health and safety of all involved. We look forward to offering this program next summer. We pray that all of our campers, leaders and volunteers are safe during this pandemic and we hope to see you soon.

What Do You See?
Author Unknown

When I look at a patch of dandelions, I see a bunch of weeds that are going to take over my yard.
My kids see flowers for mom and the chance to blow white fluff and make wishes.

When I look at an old drunk and he smiles at me, I see a smelly, out-of-work person who probably wants money, so I look away.
My kids see a man smiling at them, and they smile back.

When I hear music I love, I know I can’t carry a tune and I don’t have rhythm, so I sit self-consciously and listen.
My kids feel the beat and move to it. They sing out the words. If they don’t know the words, they make up their own.

When I feel wind on my face, I brace myself against it. I feel it messing up my hair and pulling me back when I walk.
My kids close their eyes, spread their arms and act like they’re flying, until they fall down laughing.

When I pray, I say thee and thou and grant me this and give me that.
My kids say, “Hi God! Thanks for a new day, and my toys and friends. Please keep the bad dreams away tonight. Sorry, but I don’t want to go to heaven yet. I would miss my mommy and daddy.”

When I see a mud puddle, I see muddy shoes and dirty carpets, and I step around it.

When I hear the alarm, I say, “Good Lord! Morning again!”
My kids say, “Good morning, Lord! It’s morning again!”

5 Reasons to Join the Knights of Columbus

1. Put your faith into action—joining the Knights of Columbus is an excellent way to practice your faith outside of church.

2. Become friends with your fellow Catholic men—The Knights of Columbus is a fraternal group. By joining, you’ll meet men who hold the same Catholic values that you do. Making good friends will strengthen your faith and your parish.

3. Protect your family—Our order was created to care for the families of members who lose their primary wage-earner. Members of the Knights of Columbus have access to excellent life insurance. Men who join can rest assured that their families will be provided for when they pass away.

4. Strengthen your parish—Parishes with less active men shrink. Parishes with more active men thrive. By joining the Knights of Columbus, you can help unite the men of our parish in fully living their faith.

5. Evangelize the community—Through charitable work and spiritual activity, Knights unleash the Gospel. Join us, and help spread the Catholic faith to the New Orleans community.

To learn more, call 338-5229 or check out our website at www.kc3465.org.
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