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*Saint Anne-pray for us*

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday – 5:00 p.m.

Sunday – 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday – 9:15 a.m.

Wednesday and Friday – 7:00 p.m.

## FIRST FRIDAY

One hr. after the 9:15 a.m. and 7 p.m. Masses.

Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction

## RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m. & 4:15 p.m. Other times upon request.

## BAPTISMS

By appointment only. At least two month advance notice.

Attendance at a pre-baptism class is required for parents.

You may wish to attend this class before your child is born.

## CARE of the SICK

Visitation and/or communion for the sick upon request.

## MARRIAGE

Couples must contact a priest one year in advance. A Marriage Course is required. If either party has been previously married, the Bishop's Office must be consulted before a date may be set.

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Mr. Cyril Moraes

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Mrs. Arlene Morgan

Sacramental Facilitator

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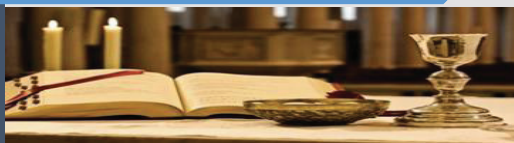
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## MASS INTENTIONS



### **Sunday, September 23**

8:00 AM – For the intentions of the people of St. Anne's

### 10:00 AM – SOLEMN FEAST DAY MASS

### **Monday, September 24**

9:15 AM – † Michael Gbadebo

10:30 AM – **Funeral Mass** - † Beverly Reid

### **Tuesday, September 25**

9:15 AM – † Reggie Schembri

### **Wednesday, September 26**

9:15 AM – † Cecille Legazpi

7:00 PM – † Ivetta Mulman

– † Maria Melo

– † Gilda Bruno & Yvonne Serrao

– In Thanksgiving for Graces received- Andal

– Special intention of Grimaldi Family

### **Thursday, September 27**

9:15 AM – † Eduardo Novo

### **Friday, September 28**

9:15 AM – Mukuna & Beya Riena (85<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary)

7:00 PM – † Palmira Sousa

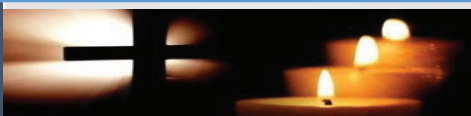
### **Saturday, September 29**

9:15 AM – † Gertrude Lidwin Tissera

11:00AM – **Memorial Mass** - † Nicola Ceci

5:00 PM – † Manuel Moreira

## LAMP INTENTIONS



### **SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 1**

Thanksgiving for Samantha

### **SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 2**

In Thanksgiving – Joseph DeSouza

### **SACRED HEART LAMP**

Lilia Chaves & Family

### **ST. ANNE LAMP**

Special Intention & Healing

### **DIVINE MERCY LAMP**

In memory of Melanie Grell

### **PADRE PIO LAMP**

Special Intention

## SEPTEMBER 23, 2018 – TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### **Can we accept Jesus?**

In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus again predict his passion, death, and Resurrection to his disciples while journeying through Galilee. In predicting his passion, Jesus is acknowledging the danger they will face and is trying to prepare his disciples for it. The disciples listen, but they do not understand. Yet they do not ask for explanations.

Aren't we the same? When Jesus explains his work for us we silently wait and think we understood it all. But we don't get it. When he requests our eyes for his mission we use our eyes for window shopping, television, video games, lustful images etc. When he requests our hands for his mission we are busy using our hands to collect whatever we can collect for our own selves. Our minds are busy about thinking only ourselves, etc. But we have crosses around our necks, in our vehicles, our homes, work places etc. Do we venerate it? At least do we think about it? Aren't we always thinking my position, wealth, power etc. (simply "who was the greatest") as they did in today's gospel?

Jesus gave us the answer. "If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all."

He stressed one main point. The use of power is not to ascend or rule, but to descend and serve. There is no doubt that many of us have difficulties in accepting this view. In the family whom do we regard as first? Who is the one who serves the family? Parents? Children? Will parents dominate or manipulate children or treat them with love? The same question can be asked of children. Will children treat parents with love or treat them as "old school folks"? Where do we stand? The same theory applies to work place, parish etc.

Jesus then calls forward a child and teaches the Twelve that to receive a child in Jesus' name is to receive both Jesus and the One who sent him. We might easily fail to understand the significance of this action. In first-century Palestine, children were without status or power, possessing no legal rights (not like 21<sup>st</sup> century North American Child). **In this action, Jesus is teaching his disciples and us that when we serve the least ones among us, we serve Jesus himself.** Who are the people without power or status in our society that Jesus is calling us to serve?

This would be all those in our society who are powerless and easily manipulated, who are easily abused, neglected and marginalised. The poor, the sick, the disabled, the elderly, the immigrant...

Can we accept them so willingly? Then we can accept Jesus.

## ST. ANNE'S FEAST



Historically speaking, we know very little about Saint Anne. The Bible says nothing about her, whereas other writings that circulated in the early Church speak about her at great length. However, devotion to Saint Anne is grounded in something that is historically certain: the Virgin Mary had a mother, and being the mother of the Virgin Mary and the grandmother of Jesus was a sufficient reason for the Church to have a great veneration and respect toward Saint Anne from the very beginning.

St. Anne is known as the Patroness of Mothers & Grandmothers; Childless & Pregnant Women; Comforter of the Sorrowing and Intercessor of the Sick.

### PRAYER TO ST. ANNE

O glorious St. Anne, you are filled with compassion for those who invoke you and with love for those who suffer! Heavily burdened with the weight of my troubles, I cast myself at your feet and humbly beg of you to take the present intention which I recommend to you in your special care. Please recommend it to your daughter, the Blessed Virgin Mary, and place it before the throne of Jesus, so that He may bring it to a happy issue. Continue to intercede for me until my request is granted. But, above all, obtain for me the grace one day to see my God face to face, and with you and Mary and all the saints to praise and bless Him for all eternity. Amen. Our Father, . . . Hail Mary . . .  
O Jesus, Holy Mary, St. Ann, help me now and at the hour of my death.

**Good St. Anne, intercede for me.**

### LECTORS NEEDED FOR WEDNESDAY EVENING MASSES



We are currently looking to recruit new Lectors to join our ministry. The responsibility of a Lector is to proclaim the Readings at Mass. Training will be provided. If you are interested or would like to join, please leave contact information at the parish office.

**Thank you, in advance, for your consideration.**

### ONLY ONE WEEK LEFT FOR SACRAMENTAL ONLINE REGISTRATION

The 2018/2019 Sacramental **ONLINE** Registration **CLOSES** on **Oct. 1**

It is quick and easy to register... Visit: [www.stanneschurch.ca](http://www.stanneschurch.ca)

Any families that do **NOT** have access to a computer or internet, please schedule an appointment to complete the online form in the church office. Faith Formation Office, 905.453.1303 x114, stanne\_sacramental@outlook.com

### DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMS SPAGHETTI DINNER - OCTOBER 6 – 6PM



Come join us after the 5:00 p.m. Mass in the Stephenson room on Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup>. There will be raffle draws and, of course, wonderful Italian penne, salad and dessert. Please mark this date on your calendar. Tickets available after all Masses this Sunday, Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> and after all Masses NEXT weekend of September 29/30<sup>th</sup>.

This Week	Room Booking
Sunday (Sept. 23 <sup>rd</sup> )	11:30am – <b>Feast Day Procession</b> (C) 12:00pm – <b>Buffet Luncheon</b> (SR)
Monday (Sept. 24 <sup>th</sup> )	10:30am – Funeral – Beverly Reid(C) 11:00am – Funeral Reception (SR) 7:00pm – Legion of Mary (FR)
Tuesday (Sept. 25 <sup>th</sup> )	10:00am – Legion of Mary (FR) 7:00pm – RCIA (PR) 7:00pm – Youth choir practice (C) 7:30pm – Faith Sharing (FR) 8:00pm – 8AM choir practice (C)
Wednesday (Sept. 26 <sup>th</sup> )	10:00am – Food Assistance (FR) 10:00am – Rosary Apostolate (PR) 8:00pm – Knights general mtg. (PR)
Thursday (Sept. 27 <sup>th</sup> )	9:30am – Centering Prayer (FR) 7:30pm – 10AM Choir practice (C)
Friday (Sept. 28 <sup>th</sup> )	9:30am – Over 55 Group (SR) 6:30pm – <b>Youth Ministry</b> (all rooms)
Saturday (Sept 29 <sup>th</sup> )	8:00am – Confessions (C) 11:00am – Memorial Mass(C) 4:00pm – Confessions (C) 6:00pm – Lifeteen (SR)

### OFFERTORY COLLECTION

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### YOUTH MINISTRY

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Lifeteen (Gr. 9 – University)

September 15 – 6 pm – 9 pm

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*Application forms also available in the parish office*

### NEW PARISH WEBSITE

Receive automatic updates and parish bulletins directly to your email by signing up online through our new parish website at:

<https://stannesbr.archtoronto.org/contact-us/sign-up>

### PRAYER REQUESTS

#### FOR THE SICK

Mary Schembri	Steven Rei
Antonio Colli	Michael Atzori
Codrington Batson	Antonietta Cifelli
Rita Soberman	Manuel Rodrigues
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