

# SEPTEMBER 6, 2009

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## ST. ANNE CHURCH WEEK

### Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Liturgy of the Hours

Week III

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>September 6, 2009</b>
8:00 AM	Mass
10:00 AM	Mass
	<i>St. Anne Parishioners, Intentions</i>
11:00 AM	Coffee & Donuts
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>September 7, 2009 - Labor Day</b>
	<b>Parish Office Closed</b>
8:30 AM	Morning Prayer
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>September 8, 2009</b>
8:30 AM	Morning Prayer with Communion
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>September 9, 2009</b>
8:30 AM	Mass
	<i>Dick &amp; Molly Malloy, Intentions</i>
7:00 PM	Finance Council
7:00 PM	Liturgy Commission
7:00 PM	Back-to-School Night - Middle School
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>September 10, 2009</b>
8:30 AM	Mass
	<i>† Steve Moriarty</i>
7:00 PM	Let Your Life Speak
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>September 11, 2009</b>
8:45 AM	School Mass
7:30 PM	AA Meeting
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>September 12, 2009</b>
4:00 PM	Reconciliation
5:00 PM	Mass

*† Deceased*

**NOTE:** Martha's Workers will not make sandwiches on Monday, September 7. They will resume on Monday, September 14 at 8:45 AM.

## Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 6, 2009

**(Strengthened by Faith)**

**Reading I:** [Isaiah 35:4-7a](#) (Be Strong)

**Reading II:** [James 2:1-5](#) (Show No Partiality)

**Gospel:** [Mark 7:31-37](#) (He Makes the Deaf Hear)

*Adults: As I listen to today's Gospel, what thought patterns or prejudices cry out within me to be opened by the touch of Jesus?*

*Children: What does it mean when we say that "actions speak louder than words?"*



# Let Your Life Speak

a five-session  
program  
exploring God's  
unique purpose  
for your life

Begins this Thursday  
**September 10**  
**Register now!**

Each of us has a unique purpose in life, something God has called and prepared us to do. As we discover and act on that purpose, we find deep meaning, joy, energy and fulfillment.

**W**hen was the last time you considered your calling? *Let Your Life Speak* is designed to help you listen to God speaking through your life, and to evaluate your response to that call. Participants meet for five sessions over a ten-week period, using reading, presentations, projects and sharing to explore their life experience, values, gifts and relationships, and to discern future direction.

Take time to listen to your life.  
What you hear may surprise you.

Registration brochures are available in the church foyers, or contact Ron Ryan at the Parish Office 206-282-0223 or rryan@stanneseattle.org.



**Blessing of New Crucifix**  
September 19 - 20  
Our parish will mark another milestone in our church renovation with the arrival and blessing of our new crucifix on the week-end of September 19 & 20.

As announced earlier this summer, artist Alexandre Safonov has been commissioned to carve the corpus. Mr. Safonov has been carving sacred art since the 1970s, first in his native Russia and for the past two decades here in the United States. He has designed an original life-sized corpus for St. Anne, which will be mounted on a ten-foot cross and hung at the east end of the church, near the baptismal font. It will be blessed during the liturgies on September 19 & 20, and parishioners will be able to view the crucifix at eye level after Mass. The following week it will be raised and positioned on the wall at the east end of the church.

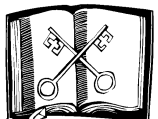
## Faith Formation is Coming!

Faith Formation for preschool through sixth grades will begin in September. The preschool through kindergarten program is held during the



10:00am Mass. The program for elementary children is designed for those children who do not attend a Catholic school and meets twice monthly on Sundays at 8:30am.

Registration for the Sunday Pre-school and Elementary Faith Formation programs will be held after all the Masses on September 12-13, 2009.



How well do you know your faith?

## Catechism for Adults

A monthly study  
of Catholic teaching & practice  
using the US Catholic Catechism for Adults

**Begins Sunday, September 20, 11:30 am**

Many Catholics just don't feel like they really know their faith. Some were never taught what the Church believes in an organized way; others haven't taken a course in years. Even many parents don't feel confident enough to be able to teach their children the basics of their Catholic Faith.

Once-a-month  
after Mass!  
Childcare  
provided.

Join Ron Ryan for this refresher course using the new *United States Catholic Catechism for Adults*. The one-hour sessions will be held once-a-month on Sundays following the 10 am Mass. There is no registration or fee. Childcare provided. Copies of the *Catechism* will be available for purchase at the first session.

St. Anne Book Club will begin its new season in September. We will meet to discuss "A Long Way Gone – Memoirs of a Boy Soldier" by Ishmael Beah on Tuesday, September 29 at 7:00 PM in the Assembly Room. This is the story of a boy who fled attacking rebels in Sierra Leone and was picked up by the government army, eventually being rescued by UNICEF.

All are welcome, one time or monthly.

## Adult Faith Formation/ Liturgy

## Children's Sacramental Prep

### Infant Baptism

Please call the parish office to receive a registration packet for the next baptism class which will be held **September 19** in preparation for the **October 3 - 4, 2009** baptisms. The registration materials along with a copy of the birth certificate attached are due back by **September 14**. There will be a limit of four children baptized at each Mass. Parents awaiting the birth of their child are also encouraged to attend this class.

## Parish Life

### September Birthdays

Congratulations to these parish seniors (born in 1934 or earlier) who celebrate birthdays this month! **Rudy Benitez, Charlene DeRosier, Nita Hester, Marianne Jurich, Phil McCluskey, Betty Negro, Arthur Nordhoff, and Antonette Ruppin.**



Please pray for parishioners and loved ones of parishioners who are serving our country in the military.

#### And for the Sick:

**Gary Anderson**, *father of Traci Savauge*, **Sister Lillian Anderson**, **Rick Bauman**, **Michael Casey**, *brother of Terry*, **Terry Casey**, **Vera Cornall**, **Marie Coyle**, **Sheila Durch**, **Florence Evans**, **Jack Gardner**, **Fr. Al Gehlen**, *brother of Claire Steck*, **Ashley Girard**, **Nora Hoisington**, **Erma Legaz**, **Mary Lewis**, **Jeffrey Lubetkin**, *husband of Susan*, **Lisa Kurtz Luciano**, **Carol Luster**, **Jan Manning**, **Sheelah McFarland**, **Didi McIntosh**, **Nancy McNamee**, *mother of Anne Schmidt*, **Ben Morris**, **Margaret Rowe Nelson**, **John Nolan**, *brother of Judy, Molly and Monica*, **Sr. Nelle O'Connor**, **Mizi Oldstrom**, **Joyce Powers**, **Joe Roth**, **Alexandra Serex**, **Alice Truitt**, **JoEllen Vinyard**, *mother of Jennifer Bosserman*, **Claire Venables**, **Thelma Vogt**, **Dick Young**, and **Mary Zamberlin**, *daughter of Colleen Zamberlin*.

#### And for the Deceased:

**Fr. Ramon Velasquez, SOLT**

Dear Parishioners,

Please help us keep the prayer list current by letting us know if you have recently become critically ill or injured, or have a serious chronic illness. Please do not submit someone's name without their knowledge. Call the parish office to add or remove names.

### BUILD HOPE

*Too many people have lost hope.*

You can help them find it!

Your gift restores hope. Build Hope Campaign is next weekend September 12 & 13. Build Hope supports human development efforts for the poor and the use of modern communications to spread the Gospel message.



### Italian Dinner 2008 That's Amore!

Get Ready, Get Set,  
It's the 36th Annual  
St. Anne Parish Italian Dinner

Save the Date!

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14**  
Following 5PM Mass

Interested in volunteering, being a program sponsor or just being a part of the fun?  
Please contact Kelly Nolan Shafer,  
knolanshafer; or Mike Vizzare,  
mikevcarpetliquidators@msn.com

### Groundskeeper Position Opening

St. Anne Parish is looking for a part-time employee (approximately 25 hours/ week) to maintain the grounds of the parish, school and convent. The applicant will need the following qualifications: able to do heavy lifting, operate yard machinery and related equipment, perform duties related to custodial maintenance of the physical plants, and perform duties without constant supervision. For an interview or further information, please contact Rich Santi, 282-0223.

St. Anne Parish Pilgrimage 2010



Journey  
with  
**St. Paul**  
**Greece & Rome**  
April 12 - 23

Visit the cities where St. Paul lived and preached the Good News in Asia Minor, Greece and Rome. This eleven day pilgrimage includes:

- two days exploring **Athens**
- three-day **Greek Isle cruise**, with stops at **Mykonos, Crete, Patmos, and Ephesus**
- tour of ancient **Corinth**
- the ruins of **Pompeii**
- three days in **Rome** and the **Vatican**

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includes round-trip airfare from Seattle, first class hotels (double occupancy), excursion and admission fees, and most meals.

For more information visit [www.ujtours.com](http://www.ujtours.com)  
Click on *Find Your Tour*, and scroll down to *St. Anne*, or contact Ron Ryan at [rryan@stanneseattle.org](mailto:rryan@stanneseattle.org).



## Mark your calendar!

Upcoming events  
At St. Anne Parish

**Thursday, September 18, 7:00 pm**

**Let Your Life Speak**

see announcement for information & registration

**Friday, September 18, 12:00 noon**

**Lydia Luncheon**

for the young at heart; in the Assembly Room

**Sunday, September 20, 11:30 am**

**Catechism for Adults**

First of five monthly sessions exploring the new US Catechism for Adults

**Thursday, October 1, 7:00 pm**

**Meeting Jesus Again, for the First Time**

Take a good look at what you believe about Jesus, and what he means for your life

**Sunday, October 10**

**St. Anne Harvest Festival**

Fun for everyone! Hayrides, games, dinner and family square dance

Mark your calendar!

St. Anne Parish



## Harvest Festival

Saturday, October 10

Fun for all ages!

hayrides & games — 3-7 pm

dinner — 6 pm

square dancing — 7:00 pm

Come dressed for the occasion!

Bring a green salad or dessert.

There is no charge; donations accepted.

### Climb the Stairway to Heaven at a PROMising evening Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 – 11:30 in Banchemo Hall

Life seldom gives you a do-over, but on Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup>, you can redo prom night without the braces, acne or awkwardness. If you are a Dancing Queen or have a Saturday Night Fever, drag out that powder blue tux, dust off the lavender ruffles and join us for a Disco Inferno! Last time you got away from the parents, this time you get away from the kids! We'll supply the chaperones, music, food, beverages and a prom picture – you bring your best dance moves and join us as we climb the Stairway to Heaven. Ruffled dresses, pastel tuxes and big hair are highly encouraged.

Tickets are \$40.00 per person / \$80.00 per couple. All proceeds benefit St. Anne School. To make your reservation or for more information, contact Dana Vizzare at 282-0735 or [dmvizzare@msn.com](mailto:dmvizzare@msn.com).

### Nursery Help

We are looking for someone who enjoys being with children ages 3 months—3 years old. The time requirement would be each Sunday 9:45 am until the end of Mass. If you are interested please call Amy Graff, 206-281-9251 or [sagraff@comcast.net](mailto:sagraff@comcast.net)

### CLOW NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

CLOW (Children's Liturgy of the Word) is in need of volunteers to teach Sunday school - three, four, five-year olds - as well as older CLOW—1st through 5th grades for the coming school year. CLOW is a great way for families with young children to meet other families and connect with our Parish. For more information, please contact Paula Weigand at 270-9329 or [paulaandbillw@comcast.net](mailto:paulaandbillw@comcast.net)

Martha's Workers continue to make sandwiches every Monday at 8:45 am in the Assembly Room. Specific items currently needed are: **jam and cans of tuna**. There is a container label "Martha's Workers" in the foyer by the Assembly Room where you can deposit food items. Thank you!

Parish  
Life