

# St. Anne Parish

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## **Office Hours:**

Tuesday - 9:00am - 4:00 pm  
Wednesday - 9:00am - 4:00 pm  
Friday - 9:00am - 4:00 pm  
Saturday - 10am - 12pm

## **PARISH SERVICES**

**Reconciliation:** 30 Min. Before every Mass

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please call the Parish office.

**Baptism:** Please call the Parish office.

**Marriage:** Contact the Pastor at least six months in advance.

## **Mass Intention**

If you would like Holy Mass to be offered for your intentions or the intentions of your loved ones, please call the Parish Office or you can write it and drop it in the donation box in the church. Mass offering is \$10.

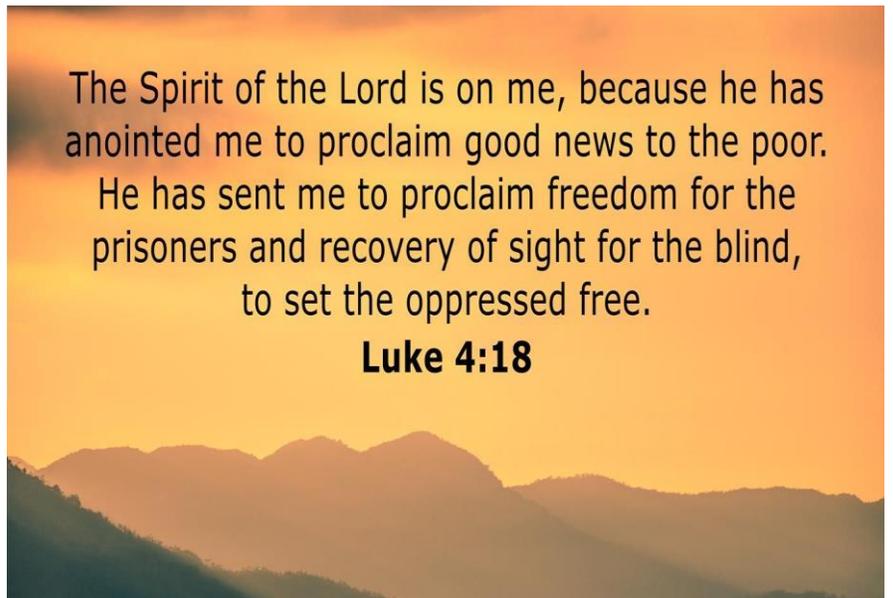
**We acknowledge that we are in Treaty Four Territory, Traditional lands of the Nehiyawak (Cree), Anishinabe (Saulteaux), and Nakota people. Homeland to the Dakota, Lakota and Metis peoples.**



3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022

The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to set the oppressed free.

**Luke 4:18**



## Mass Intentions for the week

### Saturday – January 22<sup>nd</sup>

5:30 Pm † **Marge Mengel**  
*requested by Pham*

### Sunday – January 23<sup>rd</sup>

9:00 Am                      **Mass**

### Tuesday – January 25<sup>th</sup>

7:00 Pm                      **Mass**

### Wednesday – January 26<sup>th</sup>

8:30 Am                      **Mass**

### Thursday – January 27<sup>th</sup>

8:30 Am                      **Mass**

### Friday – January 28<sup>th</sup>

8:30 Am                      **Mass**

Readings for this Sunday:

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Nehemiah 8.2-4a, 5-6, -  
8-10  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 corinthians 12.12-30  
Gospel:                      Luke 1.1-4; 4.14-21



### **Parish Weekly Financial Update: Donations collected for January 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>:**

Collection summary for last weekend as follows:

|                      |             |
|----------------------|-------------|
| - Sunday Collections | \$ 2,942.00 |
| - Building Funds     | \$ 1,000.00 |
| - Solemnity of Mary  | \$ 30.00    |
| - Offering Envelopes | \$ 30.00    |
| - TRC                | \$ 50.00    |

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**Total:** **\$ 4,052.00**

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**Building Fund Goal 2021: - \$50,000.00**  
**Donations Collected: - \$48,172.11**

**TRC Healing Response: - \$ 5,625.00**

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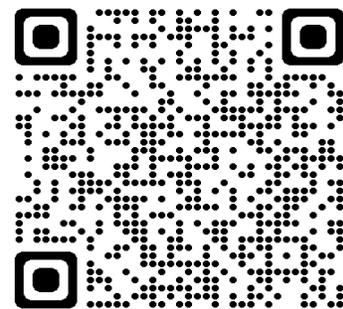
## **Stewardship Bulletin Bit**

“Go, eat rich foods and drink sweet drinks, and allot portions to those who had nothing prepared...”

(Nehemiah 8:10) Ezra’s instructions to the people show us that God does not forbid us from enjoying the good things in life. He wants us to be happy! However, God expects us to be grateful for all that He has given us and to generously share our blessings with those who are in need.

Now here’s the hard part – to share all we have without expecting anything in return.

To make a quick, direct donation to  
St. Anne Church  
Please scan the QR code below.



Thank you for your continued  
support!!

## How your sickness can be turned into a positive spiritual experience

- [Philip Kosloski](#) - published on 01/04/22

As humans, we naturally despise any illness that comes our way. It disrupts our plans and in the most severe cases may even lead to death. Outside of faith in God, sicknesses are seen as a curse that needs to be eliminated.

Yet, according to St. John Paul II, getting sick can be turned into a profound moment of encounter with God.

He reflects on the frustration that sickness can bring into our lives in his message for the first annual [World Day of the Sick in 1992](#).

*Illness, which in everyday experience is perceived as a **frustration** of the natural life force, for believers becomes an appeal to “read” the new, difficult situation in the perspective which is proper to faith. **Outside of faith**, moreover, how can we discover in the moment of trial the constructive contribution of pain? **How can we give meaning and value** to the anguish, unease, and physical and psychic ills accompanying our mortal condition? What justification can we find for the decline of old age and the final goal of death, which, in spite of all scientific and technological progress, inexorably remain?*

However, when viewed in the light of faith, an illness can bring us closer to God.

*Yes, only in Christ, the incarnate Word, Redeemer of mankind and victor over death, is it possible to find satisfactory answers to such fundamental questions. In the light of Christ’s death and resurrection illness no longer appears as an exclusively negative event; rather, it is seen as a “visit by God,” an opportunity “to release love, in order to give birth to works of love towards neighbor, in order to transform the whole of human civilization into a civilization of love” (Apostolic Letter Salvifici doloris, n. 30).*

While it is certainly natural to despise any illness, the witness of the saints challenges us to view it as a gift that can be united to the cross of Jesus Christ.

When our illness is offered to God, then and only then can we find meaning in the pain and suffering and see the light in the darkness.



Dear Brothers and sisters in Christ,

I wish you once again a Happy and Peaceful new year 2022 under God’s protection. May our Lord continue to watch over you and bless you and your family. Recently, I reached out to all of you for donations in order to help pay and reduce the burden of our Church’s loan.

I am fully aware of the divisive nature of this loan. I understand how some of you may feel. But as your Parish Priest, I would like us to move on a new path and new beginning. We cannot undo the past, but we can learn from it and move forward on the new path. Until we reduce and pay this loan, the interest will continue to go up and this will be a burden for our Parish development. A burden that we do not want to pass on to others or to our children. That is why I continue to appeal to all of you: let’s move out of the past, let’s come together and deal with this challenge.

With that said, I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to all of you for your generous support and contribution to the Building Fund. You all came together and gave generously. We needed to raise by the end of 2021 an amount of **\$50,000.00**. **We are happy to report that by December 31st, 2021, we collected an amount of \$48,172.11**. We are just \$2,000.00 short of our goal, but this is impressive, and I am grateful to all of you.

Thank you so much for your generosity and much appreciated donation. I pray that God continues to bless you.

Fr. Amédée Ainemon,  
Parish Priest

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



**GET INVOLVED!**

**Our Parish Annual Meeting (AGM) will be on Sunday, February 27<sup>th</sup> after the 9 AM Mass.**

This is an important moment for us all to come together as a Parish family to review the just ended year, project ourselves into the future and take stock of blessings received.

We want you to mark this day in your Calendar and we look forward seeing you.

**Due to the current wave of the Covid-19 pandemic that we find ourselves in, it is important that we take precaution.**

**Please follow the parish Protocol:**

**Face masks must be worn at all times.**

**Sanitize your hands upon entering the Parish, and prior to receiving Holy Communion.**

**Practice physical distancing.**

Thank you!!

Tribute Flowers in Honour of:

Lyndon Kaiser,  
Lorette Ottenbreit,  
Janice Ottenbreit,  
The Balaski Family,  
Dr. Paul & Phyl Schwann,  
Gertrude White & Albert Sears,  
Shirley McDonald,  
Jack Krogan,  
Eugene Jo,  
Val Kosior,  
Mike Romanowich,  
Monica Romanowich,  
Barbara Briet,  
Bernadette Hickie  
Ralph Lipoth,  
Kopriva Family,  
Fr. Fred Buttner,  
Buttner SR.,  
Myrna Stahl Buttner,  
Rev. Fr. Federico Buttner Jr.,  
Gail Buettner.

These are names that have been processed so far.

These flowers will beautify our parish in the upcoming months.

Thank You.



***Mission Statement:*** We, the Catholic Parish of St. Anne, centred in Word and Eucharist, are called to be a caring faith community; coming together to celebrate God's love and truth through the sacraments, and make Christ present to others through loving service.