

SAINTE ANNE PARISH

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THIRTY-THIRD-SUNDAY-IN-ORDINARY-TIME

November 15-16, 2025



Mass Schedule

Tuesday through Friday 7:00 a.m. Saturday (**Vigil**) 5:00 p.m. Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Devotions

Novena Holy Mass to O.L.P.H.

Wednesday 7:00 a.m.

Holy Hour

Thursday 5:30 p.m. **Novena Holy Mass to Sacred Heart**First Friday 7:00 a.m.

PARISH DIRECTORY

PASTOR: Rev. Ronan Sarmiento

Secretary: Denise Hobson **Finance**: Suzanne Adrien

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For your Mass intention and the Sanctuary Lamp, please call Becky Ledee ((340)-513-8007 or (340)-774 9266), **Monday through Friday** or anytime via church email.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 15

†Deceased Relatives of Jean and Lorraine Turbe Rb. Jean and Lorraine Turbe

Sunday, November 16

†Anthony Olive Rb. Cecilia Olive

Tuesday, November 18

†Mary Jo and Joseph Graham Rb. Mary Angela Meyer

Wednesday, November 19

† Eugene and Dorothy Greaux Rb. Phil and Sandy

Thursday, November 20

†Yolanda Fontelar Rb. Fr. Ronan Sarmiento

Friday, November 21

†Nathan Liverpool Rb. Sonia Etienne

Saturday, November 22

For a thanksgiving Rb. Rebecca Ledee

Sunday, November 23

†Clement Brin Rb. Margaret Brin and Family

FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

Endurance in faith: The readings encourage endurance

and perseverance, reminding us that through faith and steadfastness, we can secure our lives. This is especially relevant during difficult times, such as persecution or natural disasters.

Malac 2 Thes Luke 2

Hope in a world of change: Unlike temporary things like political systems or personal health, Christ is the rock of our salvation and the one constant we should cling to. Even when life seems chaotic, Jesus provides wisdom, love, and hope.

Living in the present: The reflection is not about *when* the end will come, but about living faithfully *now*. We are called to prepare by making the effort to know our faith, live by the Gospel, and be a "Christ to others".

Community and mutual support: The Church is called to be a community that helps one another weather life's storms. This involves providing support, rebuilding what has been lost, and finding God's reign even in joy and sorrow.

The promise of the future: The readings point to a future where there will be no more suffering, and the righteous will have their reward. This hope should encourage us as we work toward that day with faithfulness and perseverance.

HURRICANE PRAYER

God, All-powerful Father, Christ, our Savior, Spirit of Love, You reveal yourself in the depths of our being, drawing us to share in Your life and love. Be near to the people formed in Your image. Close to the world, Your love brings us to liFe. Save us from all harm. Draw us ever closer to You as we confidently seek Your protection from the destructive force of all storms which frighten us. Let every hurricane or natural threat of disaster serve only to blow us ever more securely into Your loving, merciful embrace. We ask this, Father, with the intercession of the Virgin Mother, Mary, Lady of all Nations, through your Son, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Sunday, November 16: 33rd Sunday in OT

Malachi 3:19-20a 2 Thessalonian 3:7-12 Luke 21:5-19

Monday, November 17: S. Elizabeth of Hungary 1 Maccabees 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63 Luke 18:35-43

Tuesday, November 18

2 Maccabees 6:18-31 Luke 19:1-10

Wednesday, November 19 2 Maccabees 7:1, 20-31 Luke 19:11-28

Thursday, November 20

1 Maccabees 2:15-29 Luke 19:41-44

Friday, November 21: Presentation of BVM

1 Maccabees 4:36-37, 52-59 Luke 19:45-48

Saturday, November 22: S. Cecilia

1 Maccabees 6:1-13 Luke 20:27-40

PRAY FOR THE SICK & SHUT-INS

Angela Quetel, Michael & Marie Greaux, Jessica T. Magras, Annette Magras, Marie Magras, Florie Magras, Florence (Nini) Quetel, Edwin Olive(Pinky), Betty Quetel, Reynaldo and Gloria Turbe, Carol Cerge

Please call to add or remove names to or from this list.

MASS ATTENDANCE Nov 8-9, 2025 Saturday 5:00pm 36 / Sunday 8:00am 45 / Total 81

Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel

"Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; And do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen."

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Last Weekend's Collections

First Collection: \$ 1,102.00 Second Collection: \$ 249.00 Candles: \$ 63.00

SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEBER 2025

November 2 Health Insurance November 9 Military Services November 16 Campaign for Human Dev't November 23 Maintenance Fund November 30 Pastor's Salary

Announcements



Seven Days Sanctuary Lamp Devotion

The Sanctuary Lamp is a reminder of our Lord's presence. For the week of November 16-22, the sanctuary lamp is burning for the eternal repose of †Anthony Olive as requested by Cecilia Olive.

Catholic Charities seeks Volunteers

Catholic Charities is seeking for volunteers to help with their annual pre-Thanksgiving food drive to be held at Cost U Less and Price Smart on November 21-22, Friday-Saturday, from 9am to 5pm. Please help us replenish our pantry and spread joy to the less fortunate.

Parish Bingo

Saint Anne Parish will once again host a BINGO next Sunday November 23, 2025, at the Frenchtown Parish Community Center. It starts at 1:30pm onwards.

Dance

The Saint Anne Parish community will be hosting a Christmas **DANCE** at the Frenchtown Community Center on Saturday, December 20, 2025, from 8:00pm to 12:00pm. Tickets are available for purchase at \$20.00 in advance and \$25.00 at the door, which includes ham and sweetbread. Music will be provided by **Obsession Band** with intermission music by Mr. **Oleak Ledee**. The Saint Anne Raffle will also be drawn at this event. Tickets can be purchased from Mr. Jerry Lewis at 340-201-0461, Mrs. Olivia Danet.

Raffle

Saint Anne Parish will be having a fundraising **RAFFLE**, which will be drawn on Saturday, December 20 at the Parish Christmas Dance. The prices are:

1st Price: \$5,000.00

2nd Price: \$1, 500.00

3rd Price: 10 Sheets of Virgin Islands Lottery tickets for the

January drawing

One book will contain 10 plus 1extra for the seller or buyer. They are \$5 per chance and \$50.00 per book.

Parish Information

Sacrament of Baptism

Fourth Sunday of every other month. Please register your children. Present a copy of the child birth certificate. A minimum of 4 classes is required.

Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) Classes

Classes will be held every Sunday during the school year and begin with attendance at Holy Mass and instructions thereafter.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Classes

RCIA is the journey of faith by which interested persons become members of the Roman Catholic Church. The program instructs adults to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church through Baptism and/or Confirmation and Holy Communion. To register, please call the Office at (340) 714-1101.

Sacrament of Penance

Confession is the sacrament that allows us to admit our faults and develop humility, but the most profound part is we get to experience Christ's gift of mercy. Confession is available by appointment and every Saturday at 4:00pm – 4:50pm.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Please call the church office at (340) 714-1101 whenever a family member or friend is seriously ill or hospitalized.

Funerals

All funeral services begin at 10:30 a.m. No funerals are held on weekends. Arrangements must be made with the Church before funeral arrangements with the funeral home.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please make arrangements with Fr. Ronan Sarmiento 6 months before your wedding by calling the church office.

Parish Registration

Parishioners who are 18 years and older are invited to register at the Church Office as well as become active and contributing members. We would like to maintain an up-to-date-listing of all-Saint-Anne-parishioners.- Registration- alsohelps in providing quick services for the request and proof of miscellaneous church letters for individuals, Baptism, Confirmation, etc.

MASS INTENTIONS & SANCTUARY LAMP
DEVOTION AVAILABLE DATES

Please note that the 2025 Mass intention book is open for request.

Please contact Becky Ledee for reservation.



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