

St. Anna's Catholic Church



6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"And whoever loves me
will be loved by my Father,
and I will love him and
reveal myself to him."
- Jn 14:20-21

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SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30-4:30 PM
(or by Appointment)

INFANT BAPTISM

Catholic parent(s) must be active, registered
and participate in a baptism class, please call
the office to schedule.

MARRIAGE

Call at least six months before proposed date.
Catholics must be active and registered!

RCIA

Open to those inquiring about the Catholic
Faith. Tuesdays (Sept.-April) 7:00PM
Deb Farabaugh: debfarabaugh@gmail.com

**For Sacramental Emergencies please call:
706-688-9870**

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DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday 9:00 AM
Tuesday 12:15 PM
Wednesday 12:15 PM
Thursday No Mass
Friday 9:00 AM
(Adoration every Friday
9:30 AM—3:30 PM)

VIGIL MASS

Saturday 5:00 PM

SUNDAY MASSES

9:00 AM and 12:00 PM

OFFICE INFORMATION

WEBSITE: www.st-annas.com

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,
Friday:
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

*Happy
Mother's Day*
*St. Anna's
Moms*



May 14th, 2023 | Sixth Sunday of Easter

Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM: St. Anna's families & parishioners

Offertory 05/07/2023:
\$17,533.00



Sunday 9:00 AM:

Sunday 12:00 PM: Fredrico Basan (D)

Monday 9:00 AM

Tuesday 12:15 PM

Wednesday 12:15 PM

Friday 9:00 AM



A SURVEY IS COMING!!

St. Anna's has always been a church of faith, family and fellowship. Help us continue to be the church family *WE* want to be for *GOD* and for *EACH OTHER*!

Beginning the weekend of May 20-21st, The Stewardship Council will be initiating a survey. Help us identify your interests and

needs, as St. Anna's continues to grow. Your ideas matter and we would like to hear from each and every one of our parish family members—both young & old.

"God has given each of us some special abilities. It is important that we use them to help one another, passing on to others the many blessings that God has given us."

"Use your gifts: Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire."

-St. Catherine of Siena



Dear mother, intercede for all of our mothers. Ask your Divine Son to give them the grace of surrendered love so that they could join with you in giving their own "Fiat." May they find daily strength to say yes to the call to the sacrificial love - the very heart of the vocation of motherhood.

...Amen

SAINT OF THE WEEK:



Servant of God, Mari-Rose Juliette Toussaint, was originally born into slavery in Haiti and later freed in New York City as a young adult. Along with her husband, Venerable Pierre Toussaint, she is remembered for her incredible charity work in and outside the Church.

Lord God, source of love and compassion we praise and honor You for the virtuous and charitable life of our sister in Christ, Servant of God Mari-Rose Juliette Toussaint. If it is Your will, let the name of Mari-Rose Juliette Toussaint be officially raised to the rank of saint, so that the world may know this Haitian New Yorker who refused to hate and be bitter, but instead lived to the full commandments of heaven and the divine law of love—love for God and for neighbor. By following her example and asking for her prayer, may we too, be counted among the blessed in heaven. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen..

This weekend is our Second Collection for the Georgia Bulletin.

Our next Second Collection will be 05/21/23 for Catholic Communications.

*We will now be using color coded collection baskets, for the first collection we will be using **GREEN** baskets, for the second collections we will be using **RED** baskets.*

SCHOOL OF RELIGION

NEWS:

Peace Be with You!

MISSION TRIP:

TIME TO SIGN UP!

**Our Mission Trip is now on the schedule: June 11-16, 2023 in Morganton, NC. Mission trips are a great way to earn church and community service hours! You must sign up to attend by May 22nd! If you haven't received an email link, please call or email Victoria:

770-267-7637 or
vreeves@st-annas.com

May:

13-21: Eucharistic Miracles

16: VIRTUS Training 6-9PM

June:

3: Altar Server Training 10AM

11-16: Mission Trip (N.C)

26-30: VBS: Cathletics 5:30-8:00PM (Dinner provided)

Let's start making



"Let the children come to me, and do not prevent them; for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.."

MT 19:14

Congratulations to our 2022-2023 Sacramental Students. We had 17 students receive First Holy Communion and 8 students receive Confirmation this year. Please continue to pray for our students as they embark on the next chapters of their faith journeys. May God bless each of them and have the Holy Spirit enkindle their hearts.

***Our First Communicants are now eligible to be trained as altar servers! Training will be on June 3rd at 10:00AM*

ATTENTION VOLUNTEERS: In person Virtus will be held on May 16th from 6:00—9:00 PM for all new volunteers wanting to participate in any of the following: VBS, our church picnic, teachers for next year or general volunteering. Email Victoria for more information: vreeves@st-annas.com

We are revitalizing our Foster Care ministry; Care Portal launched in Walton County on May 9th, 2023! By joining Care Portal, St. Anna's will participate with other area churches to address the needs of deprived children in Walton County. This organization is an affiliate of DFCS with the goal of meeting the needs of these children and families through the community to bring unification!



Pope Francis' May Prayer Intention:

For church movements and groups; We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world. ...Amen

May 14th, 2023 | Sixth Sunday of Easter

The Eucharistic Miracles are on display! Join us in the parish hall for a unique experience in the faith! Starting this weekend through May 21st we will have special displays highlighting the Eucharistic Miracles that have taken place in the Catholic Church.

Use this opportunity to deepen your faith and understanding of the Eucharist and take a moment to appreciate the beauty of the miracles.

For more information please visit:

www.maryourmother.org

"And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age."

Matthew 28:20

Our SENIOR LUNCHEON has been cancelled for this month.

We will not be meeting on May 17th, as the Eucharistic Miracles will be on display in the parish hall. Please plan to join us next month, June 21st at 1:00PM for *FOOD, FUN & FELLOWSHIP!*



Youth Group (8-12th) Meet Ups

Wednesdays at 6:30PM

05/17/2023

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Rising Youth (4-7th) Meet Ups

Sundays at 1:00PM

05/21/2023

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****Students starting the 8th grade this fall are invited to join our youth group this summer starting June 7th. They meet Wednesday nights from 6:30 – 8:00PM**



VBS: CATHLETICS is coming to St. Anna's! If you are interested in volunteering please let Ed Weaver know!

Email: edweaver@yahoo.com

We will be setting up for VBS on Sunday, June 25th.

VBS will be held June 26-30th.

Weekly Meetings May 14th - May 20th:

Sunday:

Mass—9:00AM & 12:00PM

VBS SIGN UP (ALL MASSES)

Eucharistic Miracles (All Day)

Monday:

Mass—9:00AM

OLPH Quilters—3:00PM^(107/8)

Centering Prayer—7:30PM
(ZOOM/RM T06)

Eucharistic Miracles (All Day)

Tuesday:

Mass—12:15PM

Eucharistic Miracles (All Day)

VIRTUS 6:00-9:00PM

Wednesday:

Mass—12:15PM

Eucharistic Miracles (All Day)

Youth Group 6:30PM

Thursday:

Office Closed

Eucharistic Miracles (All Day)

Friday:

Eucharistic Miracles (All Day)

Mass—9:00AM

Adoration—9:30AM—3:30PM

Saturday:

Eucharistic Miracles (All Day)

Reconciliation 3:30-4:30PM

Vigil Mass—5:00PM

VIRTUS TRAINING

We will be holding a VIRTUS class for ALL new volunteers and anyone needing to renew their certificate. This is **required** for anyone planning to attend at St. Anna's Parish Functions.

We at St. Anna's are celebrating our vibrant and growing community now and the community it will continue to be long into the future with an Endowment Sunday next week! Our endowment fund supports the mission of our parish long into the future. It ensures the financial stability and sustainability of our parish now and forever. The principal of the fund continues to grow over time – only the interest is spent on current needs of our parish. How can you support our parish endowment fund?

- Make a gift now – You can make a gift of cash, appreciated stock, real estate, or other assets like a coin collection or jewelry. You can also give a one time or recurring online gift with a credit card or ACH payment. You can make a gift to the endowment fund in honor of or in memory of someone you love, a birthday, or an anniversary.

- Make a planned gift – you can make St. Anna's a full or partial beneficiary in your will or estate plans, life insurance policy, or retirement accounts like an IRA.

- Do both – You can also make a gift now and a planned gift in the future in thanksgiving for all that God has entrusted you with. Thank you in advance for your support of St. Anna's both now and in the future with a gift to our endowment fund! For more information please visit: www.cfnga.org/endowmentsunday

In April we held a special mass for the Unborn. We are holding a collection until Fathers Day this year; for items for pregnant mothers and newborn babies. Please consider donating! We will be giving our donations to the PRC.



SAVE THE DATE:

We will be having a Eucharistic Procession on June 11th, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi Sunday!

We will be leaving the parish following the 9:00AM Mass in our vehicles, meeting down town (place TBA) and processing to the Historic Court

House downtown.

More information will be announced soon!



Readings for the week of May 14th, 2023

Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 (1)/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21

Monday: Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Jn 15:26—16:4a

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 16:16-20

Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

Friday: Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23

Saturday: Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10/Jn 16:23b-28

Next Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

Seventh Sunday of Easter: Acts 1:12-14/Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8 (13)/1 Pt 4:13-16/Jn 17:1-11a

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