

ST. ANNA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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REGULAR MASS

SCHEDULE

Monday: 9:00 am
Tuesday: 12:15 pm
Wednesday: 12:15 pm
Thursday: No Mass
Friday: 9:00 am

VIGIL MASS

Confession: 3:30-4:30pm
Saturday 5:00 pm

SUNDAY MASSES

9:00 am and 12:00 pm

*ADORATION

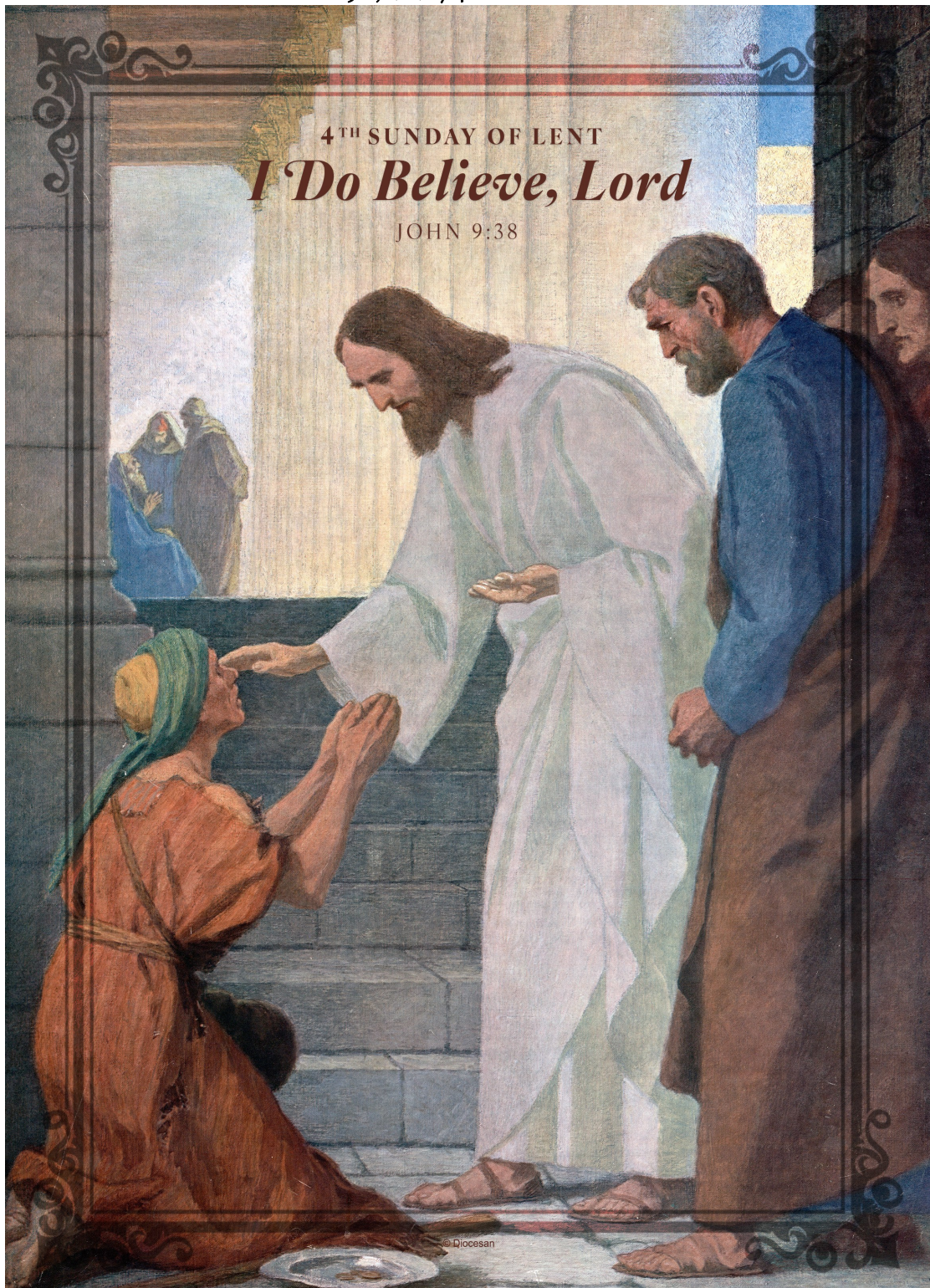
Fridays: 9:30 am-3:30 pm
*in the Chapel

HOLY DAY OF

OBLIGATION MASSES

12:15 pm & 6:00 pm

MARCH 15th, 2026 / 4th SUNDAY OF LENT



FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES CALL 770.520.8003

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**** SENIOR LUNCHEON ****



All St. Anna's seniors are invited to the luncheon on **Wednesday, March 18th at 1:00 PM** in the parish hall. **Come enjoy Don Williams' famous corned beef and cabbage!** Please **RSVP** to Lynn Warren: lynnvw@windstream.net

FRIENDS OF THE HEART

Ladies, please join us **Monday, March 16th at 5:30 PM in the Parish Hall**. Join in and fellowship with others from other masses than you attend! Bring your favorite dish to share. Hope to see you there! For questions, please contact Barbie PG: BarbiePG2015@gmail.com.



PARISH LENTEN MISSION RETURN. REMAIN. RENEW.



"Return to me with all your heart" —Joel 2:12
St. Anna's Parish invites you to join us for our Parish Lenten Mission on **March 12th, 19th & 26th from 7:00-8:15 PM**. Remember to bring your Bible!

FAMILY PASTA DINNER

All are welcome to join us at the pavilion behind the church for a family-style pasta dinner on **Thursday, March 19th at 6:00 PM** to celebrate the Solemnity of St. Joseph. Bring enough pasta for your family. Fellowship, faith and fun for all ages!

CELEBRATING THE SOLEMNITY OF ST. JOSEPH



Men of the parish are invited to join together in celebrating the Solemnity of St. Joseph on **Thursday, March 19th from 5:30 AM-7:00 AM**. We will meet in the Sanctuary to pray the Rosary, followed by a light breakfast and coffee. We hope to see you there for this time of prayer and fellowship.

COLLECTING FOR EASTER EGG HUNT



We are preparing for our annual Easter Egg Hunt! We are in need of candy **without nuts or coconut**. If you are able to donate, please put your donations in the large bucket in the Parish Hall. We will be collecting eggs and candy until April 1st.

EASTER HAM RAFFLE



The drawing will be held on **March 29th**. Please see one of the Knights of Columbus to purchase your tickets or you may use a credit card online by scanning the QR code. **One ticket costs \$5.00 and 3 tickets cost \$10.00.**



FRIDAY LENTEN FISH FRY

The Knights of Columbus fish fry returns to St. Anna's during Lenten Fridays.

Our Fish Fry will be served from **5:00 PM -7:00 PM in the Parish Hall on 13th, 20th & 27th**. Dine-in or take-out is available, with entrée choices including: fried cod, broiled cod, fried catfish or shrimp with French fries, coleslaw, and hush puppies. Other sides available are: macaroni & cheese, baked potatoes. Kids (fish sticks) and Family meals available. Lemonade, Tea and Water is complimentary. Cash, checks, and credit cards accepted. Proceeds benefit the many charities of the Knights of Columbus.



ADULT CONFIRMATION PREPARATION



If you're baptized, have received First Holy Communion and are older than 18 but were never confirmed, we invite you to join our Adult Confirmation preparation. It's never too late to be sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit. For more information, please contact Yomaira Diaz: ydiaz@st-annas.com or call the Parish office.

CHURCH DIRECTORY



If you and your family were unable to get your picture taken you may submit a photo. Forms are located in the office or Narthex. **The final date to have your photo and completed form is March 31st**. Please submit your photo and form to Caseygirls@comcast.net.

SACRED MUSIC LINKS



Please visit our St. Anna's Catholic Church website to listen to our sacred music that is played and sung during the Mass. The links can be found under our **Ministries** tab. Click on **sacred music** and **click on the individual hymns** to listen to the music. For any questions please email Gerard:

gmirandilla@st-annas.com

ST. ANNA'S INVITES YOU TO:

LENTEN BOOK STUDY SMALL GROUP SIGN-UP



After Lent, we will begin gathering in small groups to reflect, pray, and grow together as missionary disciples.

We will be using the book '*From Christendom to Apostolic Mission*'.



REGISTER TODAY FOR A SMALL GROUP!

Any questions?

Please reach out to Yomaira:
ydiaz@st-annas.com

RETRouvaille WEEKEND



Retrouvaille is a marriage program dedicated to helping couples grow closer and develop a stronger bond. You give your heart and soul to everything you do, between your work and your family. Are you giving your heart and soul to your marriage? Sometimes the distance between a husband and a wife can seem so wide that it cannot be repaired. Retrouvaille is a marriage program designed to bring couples closer together. If you want more information about our upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program, **April 24th-26th, contact: 404-644-3253 or visit our website: HelpOurMarriage.org**

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UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTION:

March 29th: *Holy Land/Palm Sunday

ONLINE OFFERTORY GIVING:

You can give online by scanning the
(**GREEN**) QR!



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YOUTH GROUP (HIGH SCHOOL)

Meetings & Confirmation Classes

Wednesdays at 6:30PM

March: 18th & 25th

ldibble@st-annas.com

CAN YOU HELP FEED US? (Youth Group)



We are still doing a meal train for our youth group. If you are interested in donating or making a meal visit:

<https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/dd9471>

WEEKLY MEETINGS

MARCH 15TH— MARCH 21ST

Sunday:

Mass—9:00AM

Mass—12:00PM

No School of Religion

(Spring Break)

Monday:

Mass—9:00AM

Tuesday:

Mass—12:15PM

OCIA Class—7:00PM^(PH)

Wednesday:

Mass—12:15PM

Youth Group & Confirmation

Class—6:30PM

Thursday:

No Mass

Office Closed

Parish Lenten Mission

7:00PM

Friday:

Mass—9:00AM

Eucharistic Adoration

9:30AM-3:30PM (in our chapel)

Stations of the Cross—6:00PM

Lenten Fish Fry

5:00PM-7:00 PM^(PH)

Saturday:

Reconciliation 3:30PM-4:30PM

Vigil Mass—5:00PM

Confirmation Retreat

(all day)-PH & Classrooms

Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM

Sunday 12:00 PM

Monday 9:00 AM

Tuesday 12:15 PM

Wednesday 12:15 PM

Friday 9:00 AM



Barbara McDonald (D)

Tabitha Fister (L)

For the Parishioners of St. Anna's

The Haney Family

Jerry Hobbs (D)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday, March 20th-March 27th at 6:00 PM

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Holy Thursday Mass: 7:00 PM

Liturgy of Good Friday: 7:00 PM

Easter Vigil Mass: 7:00 PM

Easter Sunday Mass: 9:00 AM & 12:00 PM

SACRAMENTS:

RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday 3:30PM-4:30PM or by appointment

INFANT BAPTISM

Catholic parents must be active, registered for six months 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!

OCIA

Open to those inquiring about the Catholic Faith.

Tuesdays (Sept.-April) 7:00PM

For more information contact Christine Feibish:

cfeibish62@gmail.com

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

Week of March 15th, 2026

Fourth Sunday of Lent

1 Sam 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a, Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Eph 5:8-14;

Jn 9:1-41 or Jn 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Monday

Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday

Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday

Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30

Thursday

Solemnity of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

2 Sam 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29;

Rm 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Friday

Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday

Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Jn 7:40-53

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Rm 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 or

Jn 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45



If you become aware of or have a reasonable suspicion of abuse you are required to report within 24 hours by Georgia law. **Reports of child abuse and neglect can be made by phone to 1-855-GA CHILD (1-855-422-4453)** 24 hours/day, 7 days/week. Archdiocesan policy **requires a follow up letter** to be sent to your local DFCS office detailing all the information provided to the intake center in order to keep records of our response to allegations of abuse. A copy of the letter also needs to

be sent to the **Office of Child and Youth Protection**. If an allegation of abuse involves any member of the clergy,

employee, or volunteer of the Archdiocese of Atlanta, you must contact the Office of the District Attorney and the Office of Child and Youth Protection in addition to DFCS within 24 hours.

