

Sunday of Divine Mercy

April 27, 2025

St. Ann Catholic Church

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Sacramental Emergency

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Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipation 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday and Thursday: 9:30 a.m.

Adoration

First Tuesday 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:15 p.m.—3:45 p.m.

Or by Appointment

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*You believe in me,
Thomas,
because you have
seen me,
says the Lord;
blessed are those who
have not seen me,
but still believe!*

Daily Mass Readings

	1 st Reading	Psalm	2 nd Reading	Gospel
Sun. 4-27	Acts 5:12-16	Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24	Rev 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19	John 20:19-31
Mon. 4-28	Acts 4:23-31	Ps 2:1-9		John 3:1-8
Tue. 4-29	Acts 4:32-37	Ps 93:1-2, 5		John 3:7b-15
Wed. 4-30	Acts 5:17-26	Ps 34:2-9		John 3:16-21
Thur. 5-01	Acts 5:27-33	Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20		John 3:31-36
Fri. 5-02	Acts 5:34-42	Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14		John 6:1-15
Sat. 5-03	1 Cor 15:1-8	Ps 19:2-5		John 14:6-14
Sun. 5-04	Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41	Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13	Rev 5:11-14	John 21:1-19

Altar Servers and Parents

Please utilize the Ministry Sign Up Sheet located on the bulletin board in the north hallway.

More than one name may be entered per mass.

Also, please submit a method of contact (you and your parent) to the email address:

liturgy@stannindy.org

Use "Altar Server" in the subject line.

This information is needed to assist in keeping you well informed.

Thank YOU!

Nominations for three Parish Council positions are now being accepted.
Forms are at the back of church.

Commissions and Committees

Administrative/Finance—Ken Betz

Bulletin—Lisa Halbert

Festival—Tom & Rhonda Gerding

Giving Tree/Respect for Life—Mike Duffy

Ladies' Guild—Donna McGrath

Liturgy—Lisa Halbert

Parish Council—Leslie Maxwell

St. Vincent de Paul—Tom Gerding

Stewardship—Amanda Williams

Faith Formation—Tom Guilfoy

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We, the parishioners of St. Ann Catholic Church, are called to worship God, learn and share our faith as we serve the needs of all our neighbors.

Your Gifts

April 20, 2025	
Weekend Collection	\$6,385
Online Giving	\$1,960
Weekly Total	\$8,345
Fiscal Year to Date—Overage	\$18,883
Seeds of Hope	\$563
St. Vincent de Paul	\$
Intentional Giving	\$3,700
Holy Land	\$323
Building Loan Balance as of 3/31/2025	\$531,082.77

CHANGE to 50-50 Coming in JULY

As of July 1st, 2025 the cost to play 50-50 will increase to \$5/week. If you pay for the entire year the total due will be \$260.

St. Ann 50-50 Report for 4-20-2025

Pot = \$384 #1244—Juan Diaz-Rodriguez

Did NOT Play

To be eligible to win, place your envelope containing \$3.00, with name and parish registration number in the 50/50 box located outside the office. Clearly marked envelopes may be placed in the collection basket. Empty envelopes will be voided.

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ONLINE GIVING

Online Giving made easy with the use of this QR Code.

Scan the code to reach the OSV-Hub.

From there you can access the online giving options.



Thank You for your support!

United Catholic Appeal: St. Ann Parish—49 donors.

\$17,647 pledged. 93% of our \$18,953 Goal.

Upcoming Events

Apr 26 & 27 Second Collection—Catholic Home Mission Appeal

Apr 26 1st Communion Mass

Apr 27 Confirmation—Candidate Sponsor Day—10:00 a.m.

Faith Formation Classes 10:00 a.m.

Divine Mercy Sunday K-of-C—STM—3:00 p.m.

May 1 Confirmation SS Peter & Paul Cathedral 5:45 p.m.

May 3 Deborah Garrison Funeral 10:00 a.m.

May 4 May Crowning 8:30 a.m.

May 6 Fr. Jude visiting family in India (Returns June 5)

May 8 Cornhole Baseball—6:00 p.m.

May 11 Mother's Day

May 13 Ladies' Guild—6:00 p.m.

May 18 Graduation Mass 9:00 a.m.

May 19 St. Vincent de Paul—6:00 p.m.

Sede Vacante

(Latin for “the seat is vacant”)

Our Pope Has Died—Now What?

The **Camerlengo** (a special Church leader) makes the official announcement of the pope's death and seals the pope's apartment, securing his personal items and papers.

The Church enters the **Novendiales**—a nine-day period of mourning and prayer.

The **bronze doors of St. Peter's Basilica** are closed and the **Vatican flags** are flown at half-staff.

The pope's special ring, called the **Fisherman's Ring**, is destroyed to show that his authority has ended.

Until a new pope is determined nothing big or new can happen in the Church. The **College of Cardinals** takes care of ordinary business and the Camerlengo serves as a “temporary manager” of the Church, assisting with day-to-day needs.

Cardinals from around the world assemble in Rome to meet in “general congregations” to prepare for the conclave and make plans for the funeral. Any final instructions the pope may have left are read and reflected upon by the cardinals to assist in their preparation.

The **Conclave** is the private meeting where those cardinals, under the age of 80, vote on who should be the next pope. The voting takes place in the **Sistine Chapel** where a special Mass is celebrated and each voting cardinal takes an **oath of secrecy**. Voting takes place **up to four times per day**—two in the morning and two in the afternoon. To elect a new pope a **2/3 majority** of the vote is required. After each round of voting the **ballots are burned**. If the 2/3 majority is not met—no one is elected and a special chemical agent is added to the burning ballots to produce **black smoke**. The black smoke rising from the chimney of the Sistine Chapel sends a message to those outside the conclave that the vote was not successful—the seat is still vacant. The voting continues.

Once the 2/3 majority vote is achieved, a new pope is elected, and **white smoke** rises from the chimney of the Sistine Chapel—the world now knows that **we have a new pope!**

Once the elected cardinal accepts his election as pope, he chooses his papal name.

The Cardinal Protodeacon steps onto the balcony of St. Peter's Basilica and announces to the world: **“Habemus Papam!”**

(Latin for “We have a pope!”)

The new pope then comes out to greet the people and give his first blessing as pope, called the **Urbi et Orbi** (“to the city and to the world”).

The St. Ann Respect Life Ministry will be distributing baby bottles after the masses Mother's Day weekend (May 10th and 11th), along with a spiritual adoption prayer card. Each family is invited to take a bottle and use it to collect change or donations that will be used to support the Gabriel Project, and to use the prayer card to spiritually adopt a baby at risk of abortion. Please return the bottles the weekend of May 26th and 27th.

Make any checks payable to “The Gabriel Project”.

Thank YOU!

St. Ann Mass Intentions

Sat. Apr 26	4:00 p.m.	Jason & Max Codarmaz
Sun. Apr 27	9:00 a.m.	The Parishioners of St. Ann
Tue. Apr 29	9:30 a.m.	Bud & Dolly Kile
Thu. May 01	9:30 a.m.	Jason & Max Codarmaz
Sat. May 03	4:00 p.m.	St. Ann Parishioners
Sun. May 04	9:00 a.m.	Jose Rivera



Congratulations

To our
First Communicants

St. Ann Prayer Chain

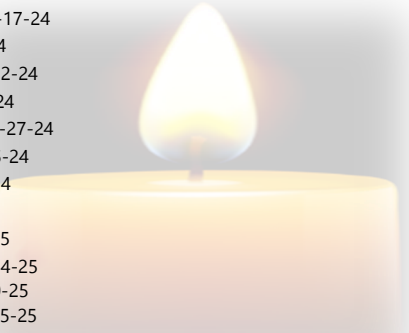
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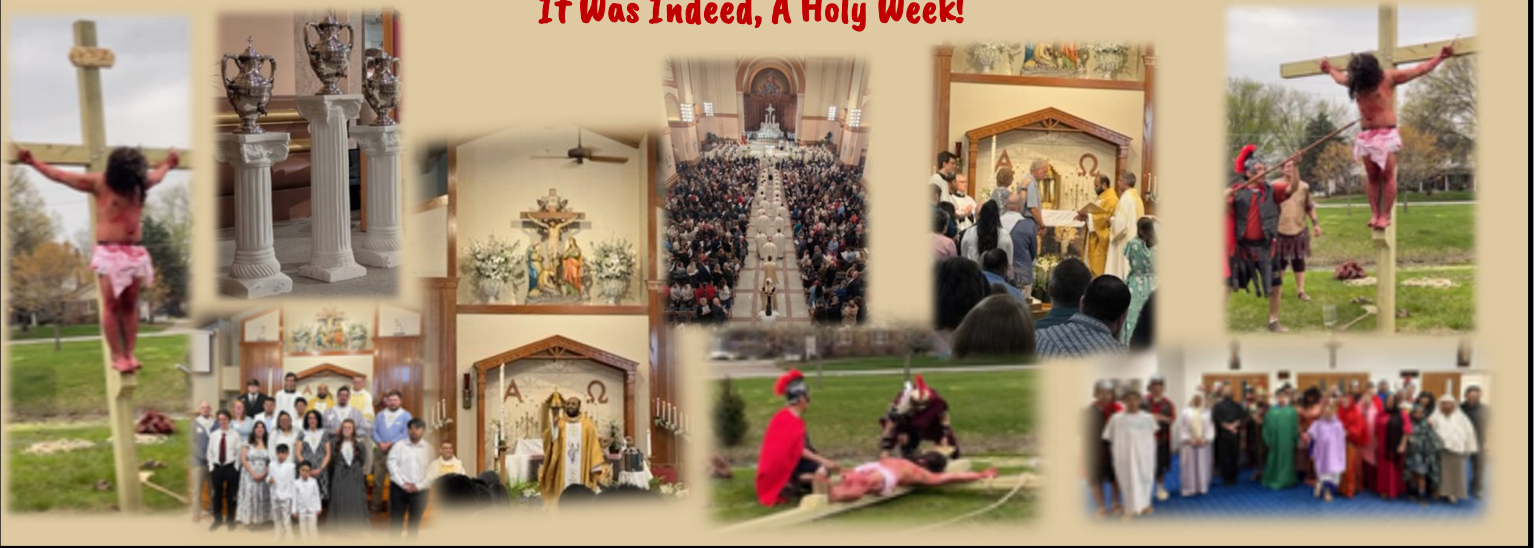
Michelle & Sierra Taylor
Dr. & Mrs. Tom Thomson
Rogelio Ari Weiheit
Don Wilgus

Our Recently Departed

Edward Novotney 10-17-24
Jerry Perkins 11-01-24
Gloria Novotney 11-22-24
Agnes Oskins 11-25-24
Christopher Grady 11-27-24
Barbie Shepard 12-15-24
Paul Schlienz 12-30-24
Jim Peterec 01-02-25
Mark Perkins 01-11-25
Salvador Murillo 01-24-25
John Monfreda 04-10-25
Debbie Garrison 04-15-25
Javier Rojas 04-18-25



It Was Indeed, A Holy Week!



Ministry Schedule

	April 26 4:00 p.m.	April 27 9:00 a.m.	May 3 4:00 p.m.	May 4 9:00 a.m.
Front Door		Brian Stadter	Pat Robinson	Brian Stadter
Nave Door	Marlene Russell	Elisa Jimenez	Elisa Jimenez	
Sacristan	Cindy Dutton	Donna McGrath	Cindy Dutton	
Altar Server	Mindy Dutton		Mindy Dutton	
1st Reading	Religious Education	Susannah Koerber		Gloria Obiadi
2nd Reading	Religious Education	Nicole Ejimabo	Suzanne Thurman	Nicole Ejimabo
EMHC	1	Cindy Dutton		Cindy Dutton
	2	Lucy Castaneda		Pat Robinson
	3			
	4			
	5			
	6			

Stained Glass Design Approved!

The stained-glass design for St. Ann Church is rich in Catholic symbolism. The existing circular window displays the Holy Eucharist—the source and summit of our faith—on a field of blue waves. This water is the sacramental sign of new birth into the divine life, given to us at baptism by the Holy Spirit. The dark, deep color blue nearest the center indicates the depth of our faith when we remain close to the source. As we drift away from the source of our faith, the waters become shallow and lighter in color, almost colorless—indicating a lack of depth—an empty existence.



Viewing the windows from the other perspective, beginning furthest from the center, the waves pull us back, directing us to the source of our faith, the Eucharist.

The Archdiocese has approved this design. Now it is time for us to produce the financial support needed to finish the job. Your donation, no matter the size, will have a positive impact on this project. Contributions may be dropped off at the office or placed in the weekly collection basket. Please designate your intentional gift by specifying ***“Stained Glass Project”*** on the memo line of your check or envelope

Thank YOU, for YOUR support!



Please say "hi" and introduce yourself to Jeffrey Register and family! You will find them actively engaged at St. Ann, from Music Ministry, Lectoring, Altar Serving, and Sacristan to EMHC. Jeffrey was kind enough to share a little background on himself and his family. He, his mom, Cindy and his grandmother, "Nan" are all from the West Coast; Jeffrey and his mom from "the beaver state" (although duck fans) and Nan "born and bred in East LA." Sisters Mindy and Hailey are from here. He also has a brother and another sister.



Jeffrey attended MSD of Decatur Township Schools, including ECC, Stephen Decatur, Decatur Discovery Academy, and Decatur Township School for Excellence and graduated in 2019 with an honors diploma. Cindy went to high school in Eugene, Oregon. Mindy and Hailey are both homeschooled. His grandmother Mary attended Our Lady of Loretto in West Los Angeles.

Family members became St. Ann parishioners in 2005, thanks to Jeffrey's grandparents and Fr. Glenn. Most important to Jeffrey about his Catholic faith is "the Mass, the three theological virtues—Faith, Hope, and Love, mercy/forgiveness, and the Crucifix being my anchor while I pray."

Jeffrey plays guitar as part of the Music Ministry. His first "real serious" instrument was trombone, but he preferred guitar. It was on his birthday, December 27, 2016, that Jeffrey purchased a game called "Rocksmith" and "played it the following days after buying my guitar." The rest is history. "I also was attracted to the guitar because mom and grandma showed me the greats such as Bill Haley and others

from the 50s. My family is quite a musical one. We have music playing on a daily basis, singing, and playing instruments. My sister, Mindy and my mother are both very talented on the keys." His family enjoys spending time together listening to and playing music, cooking, watching TV/YouTube, and gaming.

What does Jeffrey like about St. Ann's? "The familiarity it brings and also the Faith Formation Program - it's in good hands with Lucy and all the wonderful teachers that strive to keep the image of St. Ann and her traditions alive and thriving!" When asked what advice he has for young people as they grow spiritually and discern their path forward, Jeffrey cautions, "Don't fall for the falsities of the world, and what the father of lies tries to sell. Stay on the straight and narrow in your faith." Interesting to know about Jeffrey, he has a pretty good long-term memory (which has really helped in his Catholic faith, guitar, and what life tosses at him), he has been a Confirmation teacher at St. Ann, and tries to be a peacemaker while standing up for what is right.

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