# Ste. Anne Parish

Mackinac Island, MI

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025



Saint Anne Prayer

Good Saint Anne, obtain for me an increase of faith in the great mystery of the Holy Eucharist. Help me to see in this great Sacrament Christ our High Priest, making real for me the saving grace of His death on the cross; feeding my soul with His Flesh and Blood so that I may live in Him and He in me; producing the unity of the people of God and gathering His Church together. By your powerful intercession with God, help me to center my life around the altar that I may inherit the promise of the Lord: "He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood, has life everlasting." Amen.

# **Parochial Administrator:**

Fr. John C. Essel 906-847-8090 chrisjohness@gmail.com

#### Mass Schedule:

Saturday, 5:30 p.m. Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

## **Daily Mass**

(We will not be holding Weekday Masses from September 23<sup>rd</sup> – October 24<sup>th</sup>)

Parish Office

Amanda Pomber, Secretary

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The bulletin can also be found online by going to our website www.steanneschurch.org

If there is anyone who would like to become a Mass volunteer or volunteer in the gift shop, please contact the Church Office or speak to Fr. John Essel.

#### Communion

How Beautiful Is the Body of Christ
Receiving Holy Communion in the Catholic Church is a sacred moment for those who share the fullness of our Catholic faith. We kindly ask those who are not fully practicing Catholics to join us in prayer from their seats during Communion.

We welcome all visitors and thank you for worshiping with us. If there is anyone who is moving to the area and would like to become a member of our parish, please call or stop in the parish office to register.



#### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

...Please keep the following people in your prayers...

JESUS, YOU ARE GOD'S GIFT OF HEALING LOVE. WHILE ON EARTH YOU HEALED THE SICK WHO CAME FOR HELP. WE BELIEVE THAT YOU CONTINUE TO HEAL THE SICK TODAY. PLEASE HEAL ALL THOSE FOR WHOM WE PRAY:

Rosie Brodeur, Pat Pulte, Ross Vecchio, Olivia Naber (Peggy Bynoe Naber's daughter), Ed Pfeiffelman, and Shelly Mclean.

To add someone to our prayer list, please call 847-3507



Saturday, October 4<sup>th</sup> 5:30pm + Robert & Leonore Bengal

By: Jerry & Theresa Fedewa

Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup> 10:30am + Sally Murphy

By: John & Eileen Anding

Saturday, October 11th

5:30pm + Norman & Lorainne Fedewa

By: Jerry & Theresa Fedewa

Sunday, October 12th

10:30am + John Fisher

By: Fisher Family

Saturday, October 18th

5:30pm For the Parishioners

Of Our Parish

Sunday, October 19th

10:30am + Victor Callewaert

By: Liz Boyd

#### Mass Attendance

Sat. Sep 27<sup>th</sup>– 5:30PM: 150 Sun. Sep 28<sup>th</sup>– 10:30AM: 205



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Ste. Anne's Church has a long and rich history that began over 350 years ago. The Jesuits established their mission in 1670, beginning the presence of the Christian faith on the Island. The birch bark chapel was first located on Mackinac Island, then moved to St. Ignace, on the north shore of the straits, then Mackinaw City, on the south shore of the straits, and finally back to the Island, across the ice, in 1779. Our written records date back to April 1695 and since that time our parish has seen the area occupied by the French, twice by the British and twice by the Americans. The parish has witnessed the rise and fall of the fur trade, the military garrison and the fishing industry.

We welcome residents, seasonal employees and all visitors to Mackinac Island. By worshipping in our parish, you join a Roman Catholic tradition dating back 2,000 years and a 350-year-old faithful Island community. By joining us, you are no longer a stranger here.

### **Upcoming Events**

Saturday, October 4: Morehead/Bremer Wedding

Sunday, October 12: Johnson Baptism

Friday, October 17: Zalewski/McCabe Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday, October 18: Zalewski/McCabe Wedding

Saturday, October 25: Last Saturday Mass

Sunday, October 26: Drawing for the Summer Raffle

Sunday, November 2: All Souls Day

Fr. John Essel will be traveling to his home in Ghana from September 23<sup>rd</sup> – October 24<sup>th</sup>. Fr. Rick Courier will be the celebrant for the weekend Masses while he is gone. We will unfortunately not have daily Mass during this time.

Please consider supporting Ste. Anne's Catholic Church in preserving our historic church and our many community programs by purchasing a raffle ticket!

Summer Raffle Ticket - \$5 each or 5 for \$20 Prize Package: 1 Night Stay at Grand Hotel with Breakfast included, Dinner for 6 at 1852 Grill Room, A Private Carriage Tour at Mackinac Island Carriage Tours, 2 Half Day Bike Rentals from Mackinac Wheels, and a 1 Year Family Membership to Mackinac State Historic Parks

St. Patrick's Day Raffle Ticket - \$100 each 1<sup>st</sup> Prize: \$3,000 2<sup>nd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Prizes: \$1,000

You can purchase your tickets after weekend Masses, in the gift shop or by phone at 906-847-3507. You do not need to be present for the drawing to win. Thank you!



Join us every Thursday at 10:00 AM to pray the rosary at Ste. Anne's

### Prayer

Lord, give us faith to trust in You even when we do not understand. Help us to serve with love and humility, expecting nothing in return. Strengthen us to use the gifts You have given us to do Your work. May our lives reflect Your goodness and bring others closer to You. Amen.

Join us every Tuesday from 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM for Women's Bible Study. The current study is the Ignatius Catholic Study Bible's Gospel of John.

Bible Study is located in the garden (inclement weather location is the Parish Hall)

# SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY October 5, 2025

Habakkuk 1:2-3, 2:2-4; 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14; Luke 17:5-10

Located on page 599 in the Word of the Lord Book



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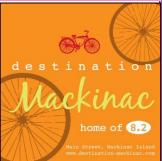
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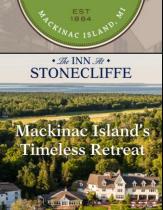


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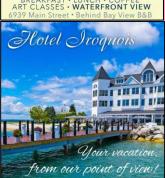


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# Ste. Anne's Catholic Church

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