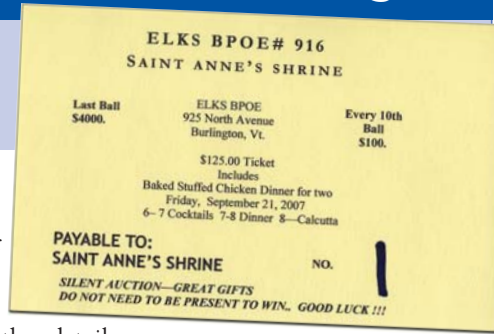


Announcing... First Annual Calcutta Night!

This event will be held
Friday, September 21, 2007
 at the Elk's Club in Burlington, Vermont.

All proceeds will benefit Saint Anne's Shrine. We extend our deepest gratitude to Don Sutton and Mary Shepard for their invaluable assistance in organizing this exciting event. Please call the Shrine offices to reserve your ticket now or for further details.



Having an Everlasting Effect on Saint Anne's Shrine...

• **In Your Will** We are forever grateful to those that have remembered the Shrine in their wills. There are many forms a bequest can take: giving a percentage of your estate, a fixed amount, specific property, or a residue of your estate. Your attorney can assist you in the exact procedure for remembering the Shrine in your bequest.

• **A Memorial Gift** Memorial gifts are a fitting and appreciated way to remember a loved one. All those who are remembered with a memorial gift to the Shrine are perpetually enrolled in the good works, Masses and prayers of the Shrine. Remembering Saint Anne's Shrine will assure the continuation of this Apostolate of bringing people to God and God to people through Good Saint Anne.

Other News *continued from inside...*

Keeping our grounds sacred...

Thanks to the generosity of Stanley and Roseanna Sobon, the A-Frame structure now has new shingles! Repairs were made and new shingles were also placed on the Gift Shop, as well as the completion of much needed work on the east side of the Father Boucher Building. The wiring on the gold Statue of Our Lady of Lourdes has been inspected and repaired and is likewise slated for inspection and cleaning in the spring, as soon as weather permits. All of these improvements are made possible because of the generosity of you, our faithful supporters. We would be unable to maintain the Shrine's beautiful buildings and grounds without such support. May God bless you for your share in this Apostolate. ☺

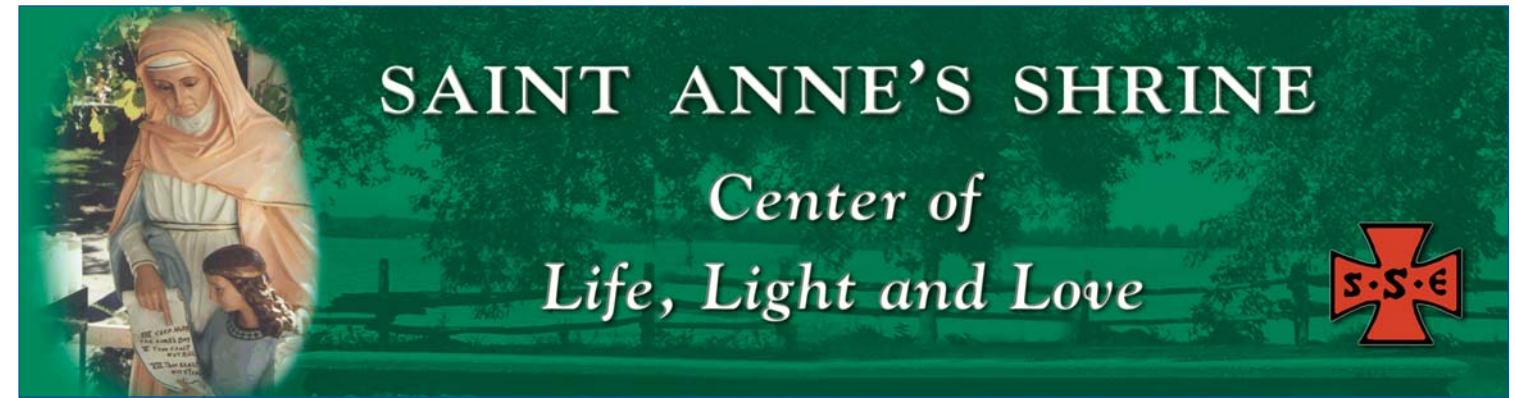
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Together We Continue to Celebrate!



Message from Father Brian...



WE ARE PLEASED AND GRATEFUL TO send you our latest newsletter filled with candid photos of the many visitors, students, Bishops, Clergy, civic and religious organizations which help to tell the story of God's Spirit present on these Holy Grounds of Saint Anne's Shrine!

As we begin our 2007 season, I am pleased to announce our new initiatives in spiritual programming for people of all ages! Please take the time to look over the *Schedule of Activities for our 2007 Season* on the following page.

We continually strive for financial stability as we make improvements to our buildings and grounds. *Your financial support helps cover our operating expenses and enables us to provide the quality spiritual programming our pilgrims seek and desire.* I assure you... your continued support makes a difference in people's lives.

I wish you a pleasant and restful summer and truly hope you will visit us soon at Isle La Motte. May God continue to bless you and your loved ones!

Yours in the Risen Lord,

Brian J. Cummings, S.S.E.

Rev. Brian J. Cummings, S.S.E.
 Spiritual Director

Check out our new website: www.saintannesshrine.org

Message from Celine Paquette...



It is with a heightened sense of anticipation, hope and renewal that we bring you this second issue of the Saint Anne's Shrine newsletter. As a new spring season arrives and demonstrates God's gift of nature in our beautiful surroundings, so too does a new pilgrimage season commence for the Shrine. Inside this publication, you'll find the *Schedule of Activities for 2007*. Consistent with the momentum and objectives that emerged from the Shrine Advisory Board's strategic planning initiative last fall, the entire Saint Anne's Shrine community (i.e. leadership, staff, volunteers, members of the Edmundite Community, etc.) have worked very hard to ensure that we continue to provide the ministry and programs to all those we serve and for all those who seek peace and spiritual renewal at our sacred site.

In addition to developing such activities, we've also completed work necessary to repair and maintain various buildings and structures within the Shrine's grounds. This work is undertaken (and remains an ongoing priority) in order to preserve the beauty and tranquility of Saint Anne's Shrine, thereby nurturing its charm to visitors for many years to come.

By no means would any of this be possible absent the generous support of all of you. We are indeed blessed and extraordinarily grateful for our extended Shrine community. On behalf of all those touched by the Shrine, I thank you. I also invite you to visit us this season and share in our enthusiasm for the Shrine as "A place of peace and hope for all God's people." As expressed in my previous message, I ask that you continue to keep our efforts in making the strategic planning goals a reality in your prayers. Your collective assistance in that regard is always welcome.

Celine Racine Paquette

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Advisory Board Chair

Schedule of Activities for our 2007 Season

Circle your calendar and plan to share with us!

- MAY**
- 26-27 Official Opening for Season**
- JUNE**
- 9-10 Blessings of Autos & Travelers**
After each Mass
- 16-17 Anointing of Sick at all Masses**
- 16 "Trinkets & Treasures Sale"**
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- 24 Mass Celebrated in French @ 11:30 a.m.**
Rev. Marcel Rainville, S.S.E.
- JULY**
- 1 50th Anniversary of Ordination Celebration** for Father Rosaire Fredette @ 11:30 a.m. Mass
- 5 Recollection Series** "The Blessed Mother" with Father Richard Lavalley, Pastor St. Francis Xavier Parish, Mass @ 11:15 a.m., followed by Lunch, Retreat @ 1:00 p.m.
- 8 VT Knights of Columbus @ 11:30 a.m.**
Most Rev. Salvatore Matano, Bishop of Burlington
- 11 Recollection Series** "Perfect Love Casts Out Fear" with Father Michael Deforge, St. Catherine of Siena Parish, Mass @ 11:15 a.m., followed by Lunch, Retreat @ 1:00 p.m.
- 14 Jazz Night @ 8:00 p.m.**
- 15 Mass of Thanksgiving** for Diocesan Musicians @ 11:30 a.m. with Most Rev. Salvatore Matano, Bishop of Burlington
- 18 "Life Teen Mass" @ 7:00 p.m.** with Father Richard O'Donnell
- 22 NY Knights of Columbus @ 11:30 a.m.**
Most Rev. Robert Cunningham, Bishop of Ogdensburg
- 24 Triduum of Saint Anne** Candlelight Procession @ 8:00 p.m. / Most Rev. Moses Anderson, S.S.E., Auxiliary Bishop of Detroit
- 25 Recollection Series** "The Imitation of Christ" with Fr. Stanley Deresienski, S.S.E./Mass at 11:15 a.m., followed by Lunch, Retreat @ 1:00 p.m.
- 25 Triduum of Saint Anne** Candlelight Procession @ 8:00 p.m. / Very Rev. Michael Cronogue, Superior General of the Society of Saint Edmund
- 26 Feast of Saint Anne**, Mass @ 11:15 a.m. & 8:00 p.m. (Most Rev. Salvatore Matano, Bishop of Burlington) / Candlelight Procession Sacrament of Reconciliation 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.; Rosary 11:00 a.m.
- 28-29 Catholic Musician**, Al Barbarino at all Masses

2007 Mass Schedule

Saturday: 7:00 p.m. (May 26-September 2)

Sunday:
8:30 a.m. (June 24-September 2)
10:00 a.m. (May 27-October 7)
11:30 a.m. (May 27-October 7)

Daily: 11:15 a.m., Monday-Friday (July 2-August 31)

Confessions before Mass/upon request

- AUGUST**
- 1 Recollection Series** "Eucharist: The Way of Thanksgiving" with Fr. Stanley Deresienski, S.S.E. / Mass @ 11:15 a.m., followed by Lunch, Retreat @ 1:00 p.m.
- 5 Vermont Blue Army Lady of Fatima**
9:30 a.m. Rosary, 10:00 a.m. Mass, 1:00 p.m. Rosary & Procession, 2:30 p.m. Devotions
- 8 Recollection Series** "The Power of Forgiveness" with Fr. Stanley Deresienski, S.S.E. / Mass @ 11:15 a.m., followed by Lunch, Retreat @ 1:00 p.m.
- 14 Vigil Mass of the Assumption / Mass @ 7:00 p.m. / Candlelight Procession /** Most Rev. Louis Gelineau, Auxiliary Bishop of Providence
- 15 Recollection Series** "The Power of Forgiveness" with Fr. Stanley Deresienski, S.S.E. / Mass @ 11:15 a.m., followed by Lunch, Retreat @ 1:00 p.m.
- 15 Feast of Assumption / Masses @ 11:15 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. / Candlelight Procession /** Most Rev. Salvatore Matano, Bishop of Burlington
- 22 Recollection Series** "Reclaiming Your Spiritual Life" with Fr. Stanley Deresienski, S.S.E. / Mass @ 11:15 a.m., followed by Lunch, Retreat @ 1:00 p.m.
- 31 Last Daily Mass**

- SEPTEMBER**
- 3 Labor Day**
- 9 Grandparents Day**
- 15 Teddy Roosevelt Luncheon**
- 21 First Annual Calcutta @ the Elks Club, Burlington, VT**
- 30 Saint Michael's College Chorale, 1:00 p.m.**
- OCTOBER**
- 7 Official End of Pilgrimage Season**
- 7 Annual Harvest Dinner**
- 7 Raffle**

SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE, PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR UPDATES AND DETAILS.

Summer Recollection Series

We are very pleased and honored to welcome Rev. Stanley Deresienski, S.S.E., Edmundite Father, to the Shrine on July 25, August 1, 8, 15 and 22 to lead us in a Summer Retreat Program. Each session will begin at 1:00 p.m. See the *Schedule of Activities* for more details such as the specific topic on each retreat program!



Rev. Stanley Deresienski

All programs will begin with the 11:15 a.m. Mass, followed by lunch and program to begin at 1:00 p.m. through 2:00 p.m. All welcome! Please contact the Shrine office for reservations!



New York Knights of Columbus visiting

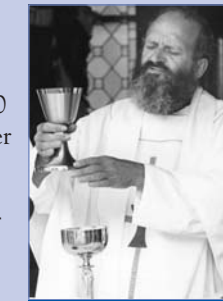
Call the Shrine Office for Details!

Please note: There will be no 7:00 p.m. Saturday evening Mass after the Labor Day Weekend. Reservations would be greatly appreciated for the Summer Recollection Series to be held on July 5, 11 & 25, August 1, 8, 15 and 22. Thank you!

Honoring Father Fredette

We are both pleased and honored to celebrate with Father Rosaire Fredette, OPREAM on the occasion of his 50th anniversary of ordination to the priesthood! A special Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated by Father Fredette on Sunday, July 1 at 11:30 a.m.

Father has served our beloved Shrine with great devotion and dedication for over 30 years, alongside Father Maurice U. Boucher, S.S.E. It is with great admiration that all of us take the time to share in this special day for Fr. Fredette.



Father Rosaire Fredette

In Fond Memory



The entire Shrine community was saddened over the loss of Brian Wrigley, a former Advisory Board Chair and devoted supporter of Saint Anne's Shrine. Brian was diagnosed with an inoperable brain tumor a few days after Christmas and passed away in mid-January of this year. Brian was a faithful communicant during the summer months along with his devoted family. He had recently served on our Retreat Team to support the strategic planning for the future stability of Saint Anne's Shrine. Brian and his loving family will remain in our thoughts and prayers throughout the Pilgrimage Season. He will be missed dearly.

Other News...

Our Annual Harvest Dinner will return to its customary Columbus Day Weekend, and Thanksgiving Weekend for our neighbors in Canada, and be held October 7, 2007. Please join us for Turkey with all the trimmings and good cheer as we close out the activities for the Shrine season!

Life Teen Mass to be celebrated by Father Richard O'Donnell on July 18 at 7:00 p.m. Mark your calendars and see the *Schedule of Activities* for further information. Reservations/RSVP required for this event.

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Edmundite Fathers Serving Saint Anne's Shrine



Rev. Richard Berube



Rev. Maurice Boucher



Very Rev. Michael Cronogue



Rev. Brian Cummings



Rev. Stanley Deresienski



Rev. Raymond Doherty



Rev. Joseph Hart



Rev. Marcel Rainville

Visiting Fathers for the Season



Rev. Michael Deforge



Rev. Richard Lavalley



Rev. Richard O'Donnell



Rev. John McDermott

Mission Statement: The Mission of Saint Anne's Shrine is to serve as a welcoming place of peace and hope, ministering to all God's people through prayer, devotion, hospitality, and spiritual renewal.