

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

THE PRIESTLY FRATERNITY OF ST. PETER

7TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



On the Finding of St. Anne's Relics

From

How Charlemagne discovered the relics of St. Anne in Apt
- Michael Journal

The long years of peace, which King Charlemagne's wise rule gave to southern France, enabled the people to build a magnificent new church on the site of the old chapel at Apt.

When the day of its consecration arrived (Easter Sunday, 792 A.D.), at the most solemn part of the ceremonies, a boy of fourteen, blind, deaf and dumb from birth — and usually quiet and impassive — to the amazement of those who knew him, completely distracted the attention of the entire congregation by becoming suddenly tremendously excited. He rose from his seat, walked up the aisle to the altar steps, and to the consternation of the whole church, struck his stick resoundingly again and again upon a single step.

His embarrassed family tried to lead him out, but he would not budge. He continued frantically to pound the step, straining with

his poor muted senses to impart a knowledge sealed hopelessly within him. The eyes of the people turned upon the emperor, and he, apparently inspired by God, took the matter into his own hands. He called for workmen to remove the steps.

A subterranean passage was revealed directly below the spot, which the boy's stick had indicated. Into this passage the blind lad jumped, to be followed by the emperor, the priests, and the workmen. They made their way in the dim light of candles, and when, farther along the passage, they came upon a wall that blocked further advance, the boy signed that this also should be removed. When the wall fell, there was brought to view still another long, dark corridor. At the end of this, the searchers found a crypt, upon which, to their profound wonderment, a vigil lamp, alight and burning in a little walled recess, cast a heavenly radiance.

As Charlemagne and his afflicted small guide, with their companions, stood before the lamp, its light went out. And at the same moment, the boy, blind and deaf and dumb from birth, felt sight and hearing and speech flood into his young eyes, his ears, and his tongue.

"It is she! It is she!" he cried out. The great emperor, not knowing what he meant, nevertheless repeated the words after him. The call was taken up by the crowds in the church above, as the people sank to their knees, bowed in the realization of the presence of something celestial and holy.

The crypt at last was opened, and a casket was found within it. In the casket was a winding sheet, and in the sheet were relics, and upon the relics was an inscription that read, "Here lies the body of Saint Anne, mother of the glorious Virgin Mary." The emperor had an exact and detailed account of the miraculous finding drawn up by a notary and sent to Pope Adrian I. These documents and the pope's reply are preserved to this day.

St Anne's Feast is Tuesday July 26

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

JULY 24 - JULY 30

SUNDAY: 7TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:00 AM LOW MASS
10:15 AM HIGH MASS

MONDAY: ST. JAMES THE GREATER, AM

7:45 AM LOW MASS

TUESDAY: ST. ANNE, MOTHER OF THE BVM

7:45 AM LOW MASS

WEDNESDAY: FERIA/ST. PANTALEON, M

7:45 AM LOW MASS

**THURSDAY: SS NAZARIUS & CELSUS, MM,
VICTOR I, PM AND INNOCENT I, PC**

7:45 AM LOW MASS

FRIDAY: ST. MARTHA, V

5:00 PM SOLEMN HOLY HOUR
6:00 PM LOW MASS

**SATURDAY: SATURDAY OF OUR LADY
COMM: ST. ABDON & SENNEN, MM**

8:00 AM SOLEMN HOLY HOUR
9:00 AM LOW MASS

CONFESSIONS

SUNDAY: 7:15 AM AND 9:30 AM
MON-THURS: 7:25AM - 7:40AM
FRIDAY: 5:10 PM - 5:40 PM
SATURDAY: 8:10 AM - 8:40 AM

OR BY APPOINTMENT

Announcements and Upcoming Events



Saint Anne and the Blessed Virgin

Mass Class continues this Friday

Friday, July 29 following the 6:00 pm mass, Fr. Mahowald will continue the class on the traditional mass in the parish hall. If you can remember to bring your handouts from our previous session it would be helpful..

Confirmations with Bishop Coffey

Wednesday, August 3rd: Bishop Joseph Coffey of the Archdiocese of Military Services will be here to confirm this year's class. The Confirmation Ceremony will begin at 6:00 pm with Low Mass and a dinner reception in the Parish Hall following.

Baby Bottle Fundraiser

Please take a baby bottle home to fill up with spare change. All the proceeds go to help the Pennsylvanians for Life; to educate the public on "life issues", to help women in difficult pregnancies to choose life as well as provide resources before and after delivery. Proceeds also go to aid women heal from the trauma of abortion. Please return the bottles next Sunday July 31st.

Feast of St. Anne

This Tuesday (July 26th) is the feast of St. Anne, the Mother of the Blessed Virgin Mary. We will say the Litany of St. Anne following mass.

St. Michael's Parish Picnic and Dance

Saturday August 13, 2022
11:00 am at LaCoe's Grove

(2345 Milwaukee Road, Clarks Summit, PA)

Burgers and Hot Dogs will be provided, please sign up for a side dish and dessert. Bring drinks for your family and to share.

Caller Dance begins at 2:30 pm and will go to 5:30 pm

Sign-up sheets and more information will be available in the vestibule.

St. Anne Word Search

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ANNE	IMMACULATE	WOLVES
SHEEP	MARTHA	MAGDALENE
LAZARUS	JOACHIM	JAMES
PANTALEON	NAZARIUS	APOSTLE
SLAVE	ALLELUIA	JUSTICE
THORNS	FRUIT	FIGS
MODESTY	PURITY	HEAVEN
HELL	PURGATORY	CHARLEMAGNE

"Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly are ravenous wolves. By their fruits you will know them... A good tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor can a bad tree bear good fruit."

MATTHEW 7:15-16, 19

MASS INTENTIONS JULY 24 - JULY 30

Sunday: 8:00 AM and 10:15 AM

Pro Populo

Matthew Gillenkirk

rb: Gillenkirk Family

Monday: 7:45 AM

+Andrew and +Rose Mastrocinque

rb: Bonacore Family

Tuesday: 7:45 AM

+Carmine & +Helen Pastina

rb: Bonacore Family

Wednesday: 7:45 AM

Lisa Bonacore

rb: Bonacore Family

Thursday: 7:45 AM

+Stan Cheblowski

rb: Gillenkirk Family

Friday: 6:00 PM

Barbara Lazzaro

rb: Gillenkirk Family

Saturday: 9:00 AM

Michael Teoli

rb: Lori Teoli