



SAINT ANNE SHRINE AN ASSUMPTIONIST MISSION FOR THE COMING OF THE KINGDOM

Located in the picturesque small town of Fiskdale (Sturbridge), MA, St. Anne Shrine is situated on 35 acres of natural woodland and is a sanctuary of peace, tranquility, respite, comfort and spiritual refreshment. Located within the Diocese of Worcester, it is staffed by the Augustinians of the Assumption (Assumptionists).

St. Anne Shrine is opened year round and hosts many visitors and pilgrims both nationally and internationally. On site folks have many opportunities for healing and spiritual development through its celebration of the sacraments, the celebration of two Masses each day, a Vigil Mass on Saturday and four Masses on Sunday.

As a mission of the Assumptionists dedicated to the love for Jesus Christ, His Mother Mary and His Church, St. Anne Shrine expresses the triple characteristic values of living a commitment of faith, fostering community and in solidarity with those in need. These take form through programs such as: Thinking and Moving with the Church, Spiritual Development, One Day Retreats, Various Traditional Devotions and Charitable Healing Projects.

Serving the Diocese of Worcester and beyond, the Shrine opens its arms to all pilgrims, clergy and lay, individuals and groups, and those from other faith traditions.

As the director of St. Anne Shrine, I would like to invite you to visit us in person or on the website: www.saintanneshrine.org. It is our mission to make this place a home for pilgrims to deepen their relationship with our loving and merciful God. All are welcome!

Fr. Dinh Vo Tran, A.A.

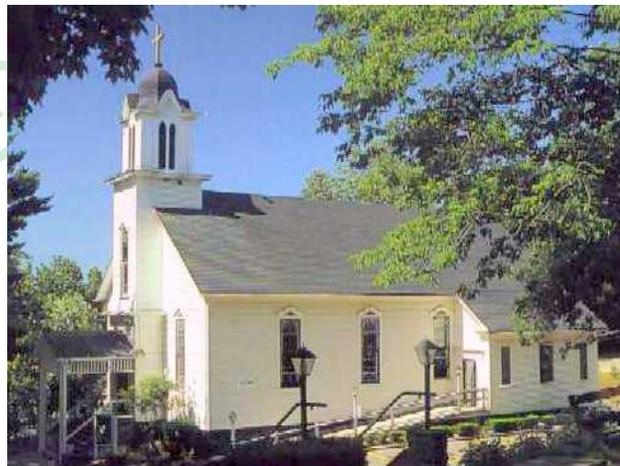


Spiritual Development One-Day Retreat

JOURNEY
in Lent

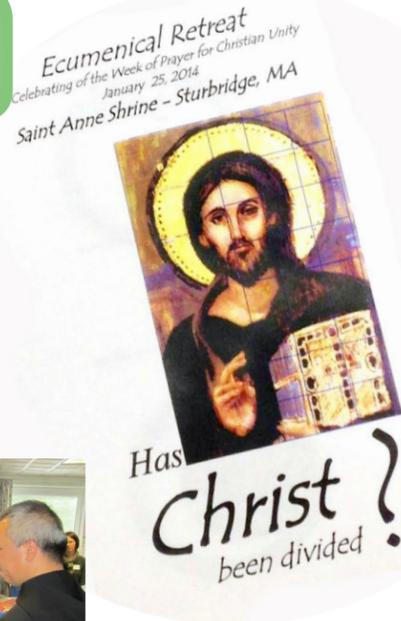


*Repent
And
Believe
In
Gospel*



„ FAITH FORMATION, BUILDING UNITY AND COMMUNITY AND REACHING OUT TO THOSE IN NEED!

Fostering faith in minds and in hearts...



In this peace-filled atmosphere, pilgrims and visitors find physical and spiritual healing and hope, strength and comfort for themselves and their loved ones.



“Prayer opens us to God’s actions. It is the ever refreshing fountain of our apostolic action.”
Rule of Life #44



God wants to talk to you!



Saint Anne Shrine
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The Eucharist is the center of Saint Anne Shrine. It is symbolized as a circle covers the Icon of Saint Anne and the bell tower of the church. The color line represents the pilgrims from different places, belong to different generations who come to Shrine for healing and peace of heart and mind through the intercession of Saint Anne. The detail decor in the background symbolizes the beauty of 35 acres of natural woodland of Shrine.

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SUMMER 2014



Saints...heroes, companions
and models.





In July 1888, Mrs. Jean-Baptiste (Marie Julian) Houde was miraculously cured of dropsy. Since the first procession led by Mrs. Houde, tens of thousands of hope-filled pilgrims have come – especially during the annual celebration of the Novena - to walk the hills of Saint Anne’s Shrine, praying for relief for themselves and for their loved ones.





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Saint Anne Novena Schedule - July, 2014

You are cordially invited to attend a Novena to Saint Anne.
Our theme this year is **"Gather Us in as a Family"**

Pilgrims of all faiths, generations and cultures are invited to join our celebration of **127th Novena to Saint Anne**. The novena will begin on Friday, July 18, 2014 at 6 PM and conclude on Saturday, July 26, 2014, the Feast of Saint Anne and Saint Joachim.

Healing Mass with the Sacrament of Anointing will be celebrated on Saint Anne Feast Day July 26, 2014 at 11 am. A variety of presiders/ homilists and music ministers-African, Asian, Latin American and others- will enhance our liturgies.

SAINT ANNE SHRINE- STURBRIDGE (FISKDALE)

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SAVE THE DATE

September 6, 2014 Saturday 6:30PM
St. Anne Shrine-Outdoor Pavilion

Standing in Steadfast Love-The Power of God's
Forgiveness

"Jesus touched me, He healed me, He forgave me."

Featuring Kim Harmon, speaker and author of the forthcoming book *FINatical Forgiveness-7 Pathways to INfinite Harmony, Freedom, and Love* with special guest German musician and singer, Gisela Krambeer. Come listen & be inspired with personal experiences of overcoming adversity through faith and forgiveness.

All are welcome!