

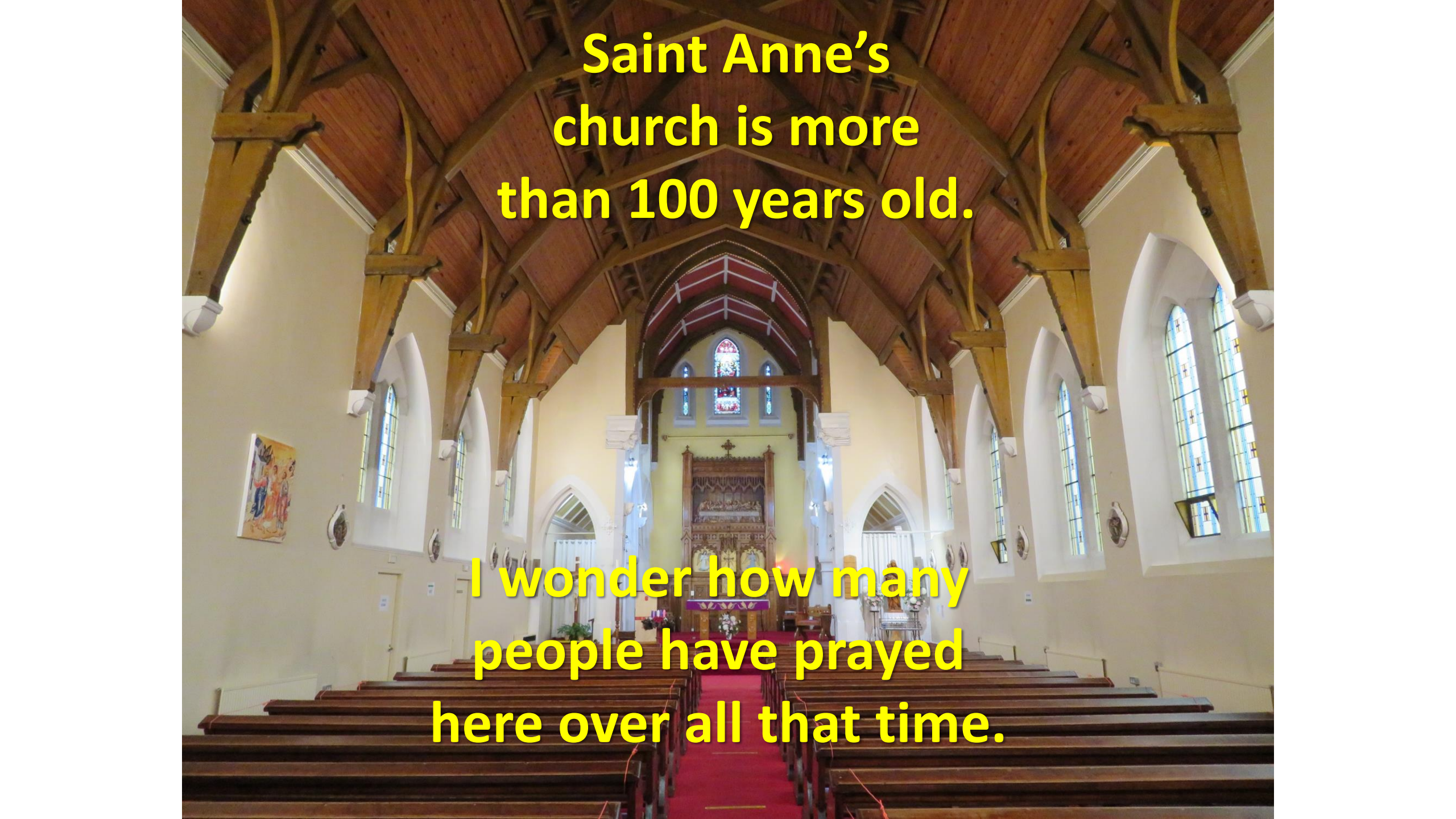
**Here is  
Saint Anne's  
Church.**

**We are  
going on a  
Treasure  
Hunt.**

**Let's take  
a look  
inside.**





The image shows the interior of a church with a high, vaulted wooden ceiling supported by a complex network of dark wooden beams. The walls are light-colored, and the floor is covered with rows of dark wooden pews. A red carpet runs down the center aisle. In the background, there is an altar with a large, ornate wooden structure and a stained glass window. The overall atmosphere is one of a well-maintained, historic place of worship.

**Saint Anne's  
church is more  
than 100 years old.**

**I wonder how many  
people have prayed  
here over all that time.**





**Here is the ALTAR**

**It is one of the most important places in church**

**Do you know why it is so important?**



This beautiful wooden carving  
is behind the altar.

Who are the people in the carving?



What is happening in this picture?



**Above the  
carving is this  
glass window.**

**Saint Anne is  
the patron  
saint of our  
church, our  
parish and  
our school.**



**It shows us  
Saint Anne.**

**Who was  
Saint Anne?**

**Who was her  
daughter?**

**There is a lovely statue of Mary, the Mother of Jesus, in our church.**



**It is carved out of wood and was made in Germany.**

**People often like to light a candle here and say a prayer to Our Lady.**





**The CRUCIFIX  
reminds us just  
how much Jesus  
loves us.**



**We remember  
that Jesus, God's  
Son, died for us on  
the Cross and that  
He rose again.**

**Next to the  
Lectern is the  
EASTER  
CANDLE.**

**We light the  
Easter Candle  
to remind us  
that Jesus  
rose from the  
dead and  
that he is  
ALIVE.**



**This is the  
LECTERN.**

**This is where  
people read  
stories to us  
from the  
Bible and  
stories about  
Jesus from  
the Gospels.**

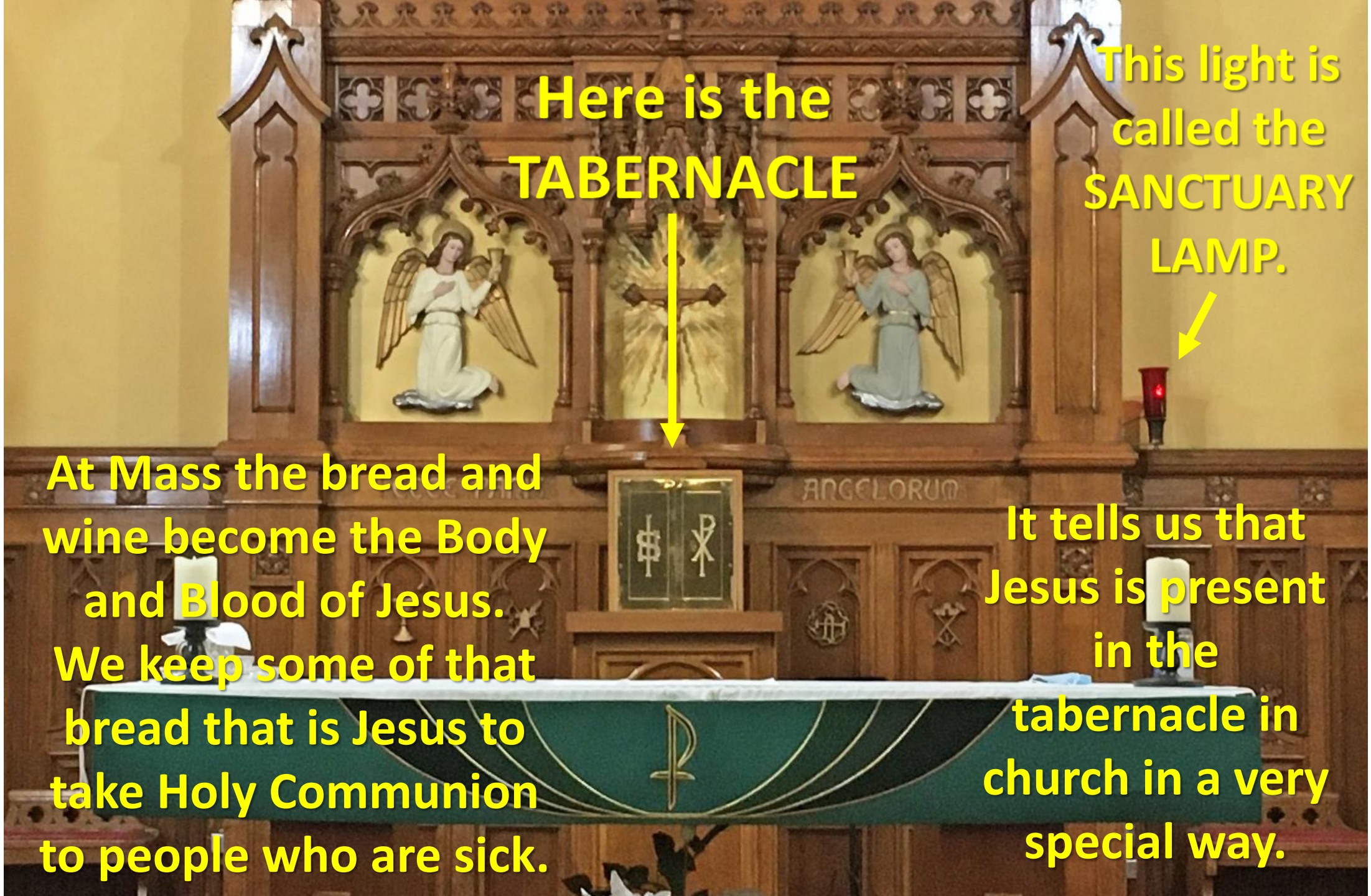


Here is the  
**TABERNACLE**

This light is called the  
**SANCTUARY  
LAMP.**

At Mass the bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Jesus. We keep some of that bread that is Jesus to take Holy Communion to people who are sick.

It tells us that Jesus is present in the tabernacle in church in a very special way.





Here is our  
**BAPTISM FONT.**

The word **FONT**  
sounds a bit  
like **FOUNTAIN**.  
This is because  
it contains the  
**WATER** for  
Baptism.



**Babies, children  
and adults are  
baptised with  
water here.**

**Through  
BAPTISM we  
become  
members of  
God's family,  
the Church.**



**These little silver jars contain the HOLY OILS.**

**They are used to bless the child before and after he or she has been baptised.**



**The silver shell is used to pour water 3 times over the head of the child.**

**The priest says "I baptise you in the name of the FATHER and of the SON and of the HOLY SPIRIT."**



**This is the PRIEST'S  
CHAIR in church.**

**The long cloth  
(like a scarf)  
over the chair is  
called a STOLE.**

**The priest wears a  
stole when he leads  
us in prayer.**



**Sometimes the  
stole is white or  
green or red or  
purple.**

**The priest will  
wear a purple  
stole when you  
celebrate  
Reconciliation**



The image shows the interior of a church with a high, vaulted wooden ceiling. The walls are white with arched windows and doorways. In the center, there is an ornate wooden altar with a large stained glass window above it. The floor is covered in red carpeting, and wooden pews are visible in the foreground. The text is overlaid in yellow on the upper part of the image.

These are some of the treasures you can find in Saint Anne's church.

Which ones did you like best?



The image shows the interior of a church, likely Saint Anne's, featuring a prominent wooden altar with a green and gold cloth, a red carpeted floor, and white arched columns. The altar is adorned with a large floral arrangement. The background shows a detailed wooden structure with a crucifix and a relief sculpture. The text is overlaid in yellow on the image.

**We hope you have enjoyed your virtual treasure hunt of Saint Anne's church.**

**But there is one very important thing that is missing!**

**Can you guess what it is?**





# PEOPLE

Church is where we come  
together as **GOD'S PEOPLE** to  
pray for one another, to thank  
God for all God's gifts and to  
celebrate God's love for all of us.





**We look forward to  
welcoming you all  
there very soon!**