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STAYING CONNECTED	THE FSSP	DONATIONS
<p style="text-align: center;">PARISH ONLINE NEWSLETTER</p> <p>To receive the bulletin and important announcements online, call the Parish Office to register.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NEW PARISHIONERS</p> <p>Registration forms are available in the Parish Office or Bookstore.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">St. Stephen the First Martyr is a personal parish of the Diocese of Sacramento. It is served by priests of the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">ST. BERNADETTE FUND</p> <p>Please consider giving to those in need. Donations can be made online or in the Parish Office.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ONLINE GIVING</p> <p>Available at the parish website. www.sacfssp.com</p>
<p>Envelopes are very helpful for our bookkeeping. Please pick them up in the Parish Office or Bookstore.</p>		

LITURGICAL CALENDAR



28 April 2019
Low Sunday

Sun. 28 Apr.	Low Sunday, I
8:00 am	Rose Wedinsky
10:30 am	Pro Populo
1:30 pm	Nicholas Di Giovanni
6:00 pm	Glenda Lee Scully
Mon. 29 Apr.	St. Peter of Verona, Martyr, III
7:00 am	Anastacia Schiele
12:15 pm	Tom Reese
Tu. 30 Apr.	St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin, III
7:00 am	†Sidney Long
6:30 pm	†Camilla & Marina Maldonado
Wed. 1 May	St. Jos. the Wrkmn, Sp. of BVM & Conf., I
7:00 am	Bill Fippin
12:15 pm	Suffering Souls in Purgatory
Th. 2 May	St. Athanasius, Bishop, Conf. & Dr., III
7:00 am	†Audrey Kasak
6:30 pm	Bob Ball
Fri. 3 May	Feria, IV
7:00 am	Kathryn Shay Armstrong
12:15 pm	Mary Gwen McQuown
6:30 pm	†Adolf Turchi
Sat. 4 May	St. Monica, Widow, III
7:00 am	†Dr. Gerald Foy
9:00 am	Larry & Linda White

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Barbara Graichen, Sandy Sneary, Johan Newaz, Jim Carlson, Darryl Gallagher, Fr. Goodwin, Margaret Northan, Jean Haun, Helen DiCarlo, Barbara Cogan, Ramon & Robert Daley, Liz Nicolini, William Cummings, Lorraine Peterson, John Testa, Mitzi Vandenburg, Richard Cummings, Gretchen Medel, Dario Gonzalez, Rick Rabenau, Holly Hollingsworth, Michael Cuellar, Ken Taylor, Michelle di Giovanni, Barbara Jeong, Carol Cummings, Joan Rutschow, Patricia Quinn, Rogelio Mendoza, Ann Richardson

PARISH GROUPS

Altar Guild	Mike Solton
<i>Boys 10 - 18, Third Saturday</i>	916-832-2859
Choir & Music Classes	Keven Smith
<i>Youth & Adults, Sun. & Wed.</i>	ksmith_writer@yahoo.com
Sodality of the BVM	Amy Rutschow
<i>Girls 14 - 18, First Saturday</i>	916-340-5782
Rosa Mystica	Sue McGrath
<i>Girls 9 - 13, First Saturday</i>	916-531-3946
Little Flowers	Katie Scarry
<i>Girls 5 - 8, First Saturday</i>	530-945-6947
Bible Study	Fr. Dominic Savoie, FSSP
<i>Adults, Thursday</i>	frsavoie@fssp.com
OLSW Co-op	Keetje Terzo
<i>Ages 14 - 18, Tuesday & Thursday</i>	kterzo@hotmail.com
CCM Co-op	Krista Williams
<i>Ages 3 - 14, Friday</i>	916-955-6437
Youth Group	Liz Hernandez
<i>Ages 14 - 18, Second & Fourth Friday</i>	916-396-4062
Chesterton Society	Spencer Roundtree
<i>Adults, Second Tuesday</i>	sac.chesterton@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus, Council #16419	Mike McVean
<i>Adult men, Third Wednesday</i>	916-747-3021
Holy League	Mike Rund
<i>Adult men, Third Wednesday</i>	916-218-0096
Altar Linen & Flowers Society	Tomoko McDonough
<i>Adult women, Third Saturday</i>	mcdonoughmommy6@gmail
Church Flowers	Greta Munsill
<i>Friday</i>	916-425-7112
Church Cleaning	Eli Gonzalez
<i>Thursday</i>	916-395-7408
Ushers	Patrick Risse
<i>Sunday</i>	patrickgeraldrisse@gmail.com
Coffee & Donuts	Durke & Mary Pilegaard
<i>Sunday</i>	209-365-9395
Collection Count Crew	Kelly Manstch
<i>Monday</i>	Parish Office 916-451-5114
Brown Bag Lunch Program	Maureen Olguin
<i>Sunday</i>	jmolguin5960@att.net
St. Vincent de Paul Society	William Giovannetti
<i>First & Third Sunday</i>	916-531-4730
Security	Patrick Clemons
<i>Parish Events</i>	916-717-0244

IN MEMORIAM

Barbara Lyons, Norman Sayles, Penny Hummell, Charles Bardin, Shawn Williams, Marcial Cristi, Louise Szabo, Gerald Foy, Mieczysław Jasinski, Joseph Murphy, Olapeju Adesanya, Alice O'Kane, Willard Coillot, Audrey Kasak, Gordon Alder, Mary Ann St. Cloud, Adolph Turci, Al Haedinger, Tommie Chavez

FROM THE PASTOR

ST FAUSTINA ON HELL

I, Sister Faustina Kowalska, by the order of God, have visited the Abysses of Hell so that I might tell souls about it and testify to its existence... the devils were full of hatred for me, but they had to obey me at the command of God, What I have written is but a pale shadow of the things I saw. But I noticed one thing: That most of the souls there are those who disbelieved that there is a hell.... It is a place of great torture; how awesomely large and extensive it is! The kinds of tortures I saw: the loss of God; perpetual remorse of conscience; that one's condition will never change; the fire that will penetrate the soul without destroying it - a terrible suffering since it is a purely spiritual fire, lit by God's anger; continual darkness and a terrible suffocating smell, and despite the darkness, the devils and the souls of the damned see each other and all the evil, both of others and their own; the constant company of Satan; horrible despair, hatred of God, vile words, curses and blasphemies. These are the tortures suffered by all the damned together, but that is not the end of the sufferings. There are special tortures destined for particular souls. These are the torments of the senses. Each soul undergoes terrible and indescribable sufferings related to the manner in which it has sinned. There are caverns and pits of torture where one form of agony differs from another. I would have died at the very sight of these tortures if the omnipotence of God had not supported me. Let the sinner know that he will be tortured throughout all eternity, in those senses which he made use of to sin. I am writing this at the command of God, so that no soul may find an excuse by saying there is no hell, or that nobody has ever been there, and so no one can say what it is like... how terribly souls suffer there! Consequently, I pray even more fervently for the conversion of sinners. I incessantly plead God's mercy upon them. O My Jesus, I would rather be in agony until the end of the world, amidst the greatest sufferings, than offend you by the least sin." (Diary 741)

IMPORTANT DATES

May 4	First Holy Communion
May 11	Great Marian Procession
May 17-19	Carmel Mission Pilgrimage
June 16-22	Camp Sacred Heart
July 21-25	Parish Retreat

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **Parish Bookstore** is receiving donations of used books in good condition, secular and religious.

Great Marian Procession. Mike Solton will be accepting donations and receiving volunteers after the 8:00 am, 10:30 am, and 1:30 pm Masses this Sun., Apr. 28. Make sure to mark your calendars for May 11 for the Procession!

Divine Mercy. The chaplet will be prayed this Sun., Apr. 28 at 3:00 pm.

Music Recital. This Sun., Apr. 28, at 3:00 pm (after the recitation of the Divine Mercy chaplet), there will be a music recital featuring Mr. Jacob Kasak as well as some of the St. Francis Xavier missionaries. A basket will be passed to raise some money for some of Mr. Kasak's expenses related to his assignment to Mexico this summer, and for the SFX mission. A potluck will follow the music recital; please everyone bring a dish! To volunteer with the food service, please contact Judy Kasak at 916-955-0377.

Fr. Erik Deprey, FSSP, formerly assigned to St. Stephen the First Martyr, will be visiting the parish this Sun., Apr. 28. He will offer the 10:30 am Mass, and he will join the parish for the Music Recital and potluck described above.

There is a **Second Collection** today for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal, along with the Black & Indian Missions.

First Friday and Saturday fall this week.

First Communion & Reception. Volunteers needed! The Solemn Mass for First Holy Communion will be at 10:30 am on this Sat., May 4. A reception will follow. There is a signup sheet in the vestibule for volunteers for the reception; for more details or to signup from home, contact Barbara Cristi (916-995-7855) or Ingrid Millan (916-225-4197).

Brown Bag Lunch. Donations for the brown bag lunches can be left in the black box under the bulletin table. Items needed are posted in the vestibule. Items currently needed are: tuna or chicken lunch packs, pouches or pull-tab cans; fruit cups; soft granola bars, breakfast bars; crackers, chips; peanut butter/cheese crackers; deserts, like cookies; bottles of water (16 oz.); packages of brown bags. Cash donations can also be made at the Parish Office.

9th Annual Carmel Mission Pilgrimage. Information: Phil Carey (916-992-4442) or Gary Flores (209-954-2205).

Camp Sacred Heart. Camp Sacred Heart will be held June 16-22 this year. Registration is open to boys age 9-18. Boys unknown to the chaplain must get a letter of recommendation from a priest. For more information call the parish office. Sponsors needed for Camp. If you are able to help sponsor a boy for camp, please consider doing so. There is a great need, especially for large families. Your help is very much appreciated!

Frs. Savoie and Latimer will be away from Mon. to Thurs. of this week for FSSP conferences for priests ordained less than three years.

Frs. Curtis and Cassian will be away for conferences the following week (May 6 - 10) from Mon. to Fri.



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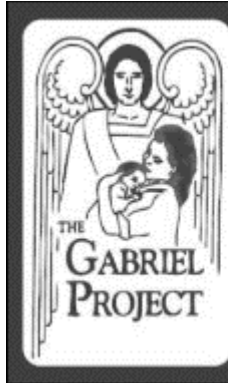
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