


SAINT STEPHEN THE FIRST MARTYR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



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<p>STAYING CONNECTED</p>	<p>THE FSSP</p>	<p>DONATIONS</p>
<p>PARISH ONLINE NEWSLETTER</p> <p>To receive the bulletin and important announcements online, call the Parish Office to register.</p> <p>NEW PARISHIONERS</p> <p>Registration forms are available in the Parish Office or Bookstore.</p>	<p>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>ST. BERNADETTE FUND</p> <p>Please consider giving to fellow parishioners in need. Donations can be made online or at the Parish Office.</p> <p>ONLINE GIVING</p> <p>Available at the parish website. www.sacfssp.com</p>
<p>Envelopes are very helpful for our bookkeeping, unless you are giving online. Please pick them up in the Parish Office.</p>		

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

12 May	Sun	Sunday after Ascension, II
	7 am	+ Richard Strahler
	8:30 am	+ Fr Jose Maghinay, SJ
	10 am	+ Harold Murphy
	11:30 am	Joseph & Marie Patricia Henao
	1 pm	<i>Pro populo</i>
	6 pm	Nicholas Lycan
13 May	Mon	St. Robert Ballarmino, III
	7 am	Alvaro Zapata, Jr
	12 pm	+ Michael Sikora
	6 pm	Colette Aranas
14 May	Tues	St. Boniface, IV
	7 am	Robert Trisler
	12 pm	+ Holy Souls
	6 pm	+ Jose R. Cabangon
15 May	Wed	St. John Baptist de la Salle, III
	7 am	Nancy Butchy
	12 pm	Darla Fishback
	6 pm	Augustine Jeffrey
16 May	Thurs	St. Ubald, III
	7 am	David & Susan Galbraith
	12 pm	Marcello Guillen
	6 pm	Lucy Iden
17 May	Fri	St. Paschal Baylon, III
	7 am	Wynette Sills & family
	12 pm	+ James McCreay Moorefield, Jr
	6 pm	Agatha Johnson
18 May	Sat	Vigil of Pentecost, I
	7 am	+ Mary Rickard
	8:30 am	+ Shirlee Murphy
	12 pm	Joh & Mariela Strandhagen

PRAYER LIST

Avianna Ramirez, Catherine Durant, Ed Schneider, Paula Belen, Vanessa Jimenez, Ralph Clark, Michelle DiGiovani, Mark Mitchell, Phil Carey, Judy Bennett, Jasinkas, Debbie Vilar, Dominick Damore, Judi Geldermann, Elaine Testa, Monique Rance, Nancy Tostenson, Karen Rich, Bob Crocker, Stephanie Reali-Saavedra, Theresa Reali, Don Varley, Dolly Lewis, Mary Ann Cuny, Barbara Graichen, Jim Carlson, Darryl Gallagher, Helen DiCarlo, Barbara Cogan, Jordan Aranas, JoAnn Mutterties

Please keep all of the sick and homebound of the parish in your daily prayers, as well as our adult catechumens and candidates.

IN MEMORIAM

Bill Sneeringer, Marion Nicholas, Vincent DiCarlo, Estelle McKnerney, Alfred Solorio, Fr. James Buckley, Rudy Nagel, Paul Graff, Pietro Lopresti, John Hymes, Teodosio Dino, Barbara Chu, Nellie Reyes, Albert Treskon, Violet Corr, Mary Hayes, Derald Goyette, Bonnie Williams, Frank Bowa, Ramon Daley, Eileen Morrison, Richard & Louise Szabo, Cesar Oliva, Joseph Damore, Ken Taylor, Joseph Menezes, Edgardo Mercado, Barbara Jeong, Jean Haun, Rene Iway, Richard Seifert, Fiona Silverio, John Dunlap, Jeff Long, David Tostenson, Eleanor Roberts, Robert Rose

PARISH GROUPS

Choir & Music Classes	Keven Smith <i>Youth & Adults, Sunday & Thursday</i> ksmith_writer@yahoo.com
Altar Guild & Altar Guild Minor	Mike Solton <i>Boys 7 – 18, Third Saturday</i> 916-832-2859
Troops of Saint George (Scouting)	James Campbell <i>Boys 6 – 18</i> Jcampbell@tsgtroop750.org
Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary	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	Megan Gury <i>Girls 5 – 8, First Saturday</i> 916-207-0498
Youth Group	Liz Hernandez <i>Ages 14 – 18, Second & Fourth Friday</i> 916-396-4062
OLSW Co-op	Inocencio Rangel <i>Ages 14 – 18, Tuesday & Thursday</i> 916-804-6359
CCM Co-op	Blanca Pimentel <i>Ages 3 – 14, Thursday</i> blancaerodria@yahoo.com
Veritas (Young Adult Group)	AJ Alvarado <i>Ages 18 – 39, Third Tuesday</i> veritasnorcal@gmail.com
Adult Catechism	Fr. Joshua Curtis, FSSP <i>Adults, Second & Fourth Thursday</i> frcurtis@fssp.com
Chesterton Society	Spencer Roundtree <i>Adults, Second Tuesday</i> sac.chesterton@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus #16419	William Giovannetti <i>Adult men, Third Wednesday</i> 916-531-4730
Ushers	Roger Soto <i>Adult men, Sundays & Holy Days</i> 209-610-1163
Security	Patrick Clemons <i>Adult Men, Sundays & Parish Events</i> 916-717-0244
Altar Linen & Flowers Society	Tomoko McDonough <i>Adult women, Third Saturday</i> mcdonoughmommy6@gmail
Church Flowers	Greta Munsill <i>Friday or Saturday</i> 916-425-7112
Church Cleaning	Eli Gonzalez <i>Wednesday</i> 916-395-7408
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
The Gabriel Project	Catarina Hinojos <i>On call</i> 415-286-6228
Senior’s Lunch (55+)	Ann Zacharias <i>Third Thursday</i> 916-838-7404

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

**Rev. Mr. Jacob Kasak, FSSP;
Sr. MaryAnne Regina, CM**

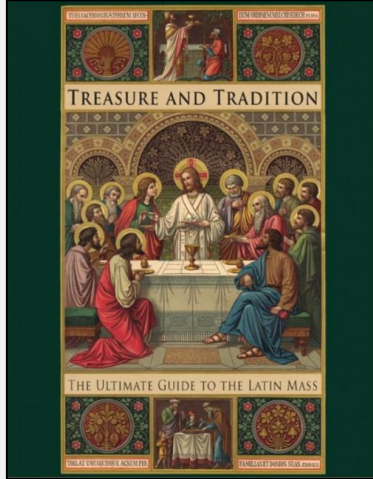
Thou hast made us for thyself, O Lord, and our heart is restless until it finds its rest in thee.

PASTOR'S COLUMN

TREASURE AND TRADITION

The Ultimate Guide to the Latin Mass

Quite a number of parishioners have recommended this book to me. It addresses a wide array of topics, mostly focused on the sacred liturgy, such as the nature of sacrifice, prayer, and worship, the different forms of Holy Mass, the calendar and seasons of the liturgy, the liturgical colors, the various ministers of Mass, the vestments, vessels, and linens used at Mass, the advantages of Latin and the priest facing with the people *ad orientem*, and the various parts of Mass. It also includes sections on the Bible and the Divine Office, concluding with a twenty-page glossary of terms. The book draws upon history from the Old and New Covenant to explain the origin and purpose of the parts of the liturgy, and it includes a number of drawings and photos to make its explanations more clear.



From the book summary: *This book is a must have in every Catholic home and every parish! Whether you've been attending the Extraordinary Form of the Mass for years, or are merely curious about it, this guide is designed to open up the riches contained within the Mass to all. Inside, you will find a word-for-word English translation of the Latin text of the Mass, together with photos, diagrams, notes and explanations that will help you not only to follow along, but also to understand the history and significance of the ceremonies in which you are taking part. In addition, you will find sections explaining the main differences between the Ordinary and Extraordinary Forms, a discussion comparing the development of the Mass with that of its sister liturgy, the Divine Office, an exploration of the English translations of the Bible, a full glossary, and finally, recommended prayers intended to help you prepare when receiving the sacraments of Penance and the Holy Eucharist.*

Treasures & Traditions: The Ultimate Guide is designed to introduce its readers to the many layers of mystery which lend this liturgy its solemn beauty, while breaking down the barriers to understanding that can often be intimidating to newcomers. This book accomplishes all that in wonderfully clear and apt language, explaining the many layers of mystery, the connections to the Old Testament, the historical development of certain parts of the Mass, the applications to our spiritual life. All this is explained always with a view to deepening one's participation in the sacred liturgy and receiving its fruits.

This outstanding production would serve well, not only for children and young adults, but also as a text for Catholics of all

ages who would like to broaden their knowledge and understanding of the Latin Mass. Parish education groups, homeschooling groups and other Catholic discussion groups would benefit greatly with Treasures & Traditions used as their resource.

IMPORTANT DATES

May 18	Altar Guild Cancelled (Transferred to Jun 1)
May 24	Graduation Mass (6 pm)
May 26	Camp registrations due
May 29	Priestly Ordination of then Fr Kasak
Jun 1	Altar Guild & Guild Barbeque
Jun 8	Sacred Heart Procession to Cathedral (2 pm)
Jun 8	First Mass of Fr Kasak at Cathedral (5 pm)
Jun 16-22	Camp Sacred Heart
Jun 22-28	Camp Immaculate Heart
Jul 3-18	FSSP General Chapter
Jul 14-18	Parish Retreat
Aug 3	Pig Roast (Parish Festival)
Sept 8	Kiana Nava entrance to Ava

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happy Mother's Day to all the mothers in our parish!

Second Collection: Catholic Communications Campaign.

The **Chesterton Society** meets on Tues, May 14 at 7 pm.

Altar Guild cancelled this Sat, May 18, transferred to Jun 1.

Next Sun, May 19, the **Chesterton Academy / Valley of the Sacred Heart Academy** of Dixon will host an informational booth after the 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 am, and 1:00 pm Masses.

For more information, you can visit:

www.valleyofthesacredheart.com

Parishioner-run pilgrimage: May 31 - Jun 2. Fellow parishioners are invited to walk from San Juan Bautista Mission to Carmel Mission, with Mass at 4 pm on Sun, Jun 2 at Carmel. For more details visit: <https://ourladyofbethlehem.com/>. The registration password is: **orapronobis**.

Sacred Heart Procession on Jun 8, starts 2 pm at East Lawn Cemetery; visit www.marianprocession.com; followed by 5:00 pm Solemn Mass at the Cathedral, offered by (then) Father Jacob Kasak.

Camps Sacred & Immaculate Heart. Ages: 10 - 18. Cost: The camp will be \$250 for the first child in a family, \$200 for the second, \$150 for the third, etc. *Scholarships will be available for families for whom the registration fee constitutes a financial burden.* Registration: Available in the parish bookstore and office; due on Sun, May 26.

Parish, Silent, Ignatian Exercises Retreat. Jul 14-18. \$750. Fr. Jeffery Jambon (*chaplain of Benedictines of Mary in Ava*). Register in the bookstore before Sun, Jun 23. Please register early so we can anticipate how many will attend.



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