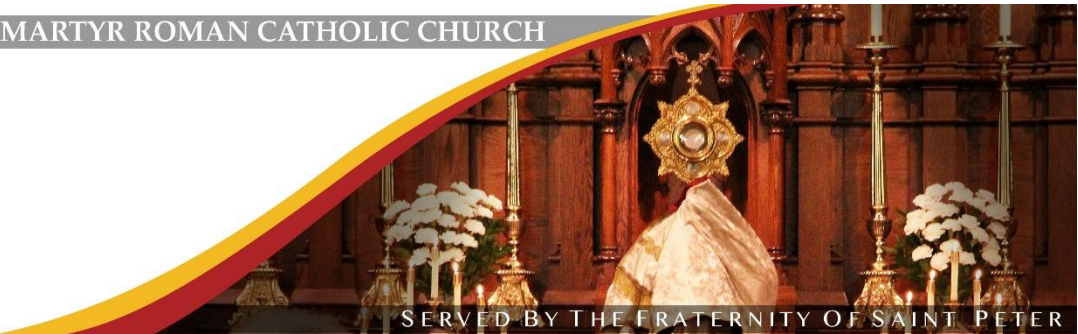



SAINT STEPHEN THE FIRST MARTYR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



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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 fellow parishioners in need. Donations can be made online or at 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, unless you are giving online. Please pick them up in the Parish Office.</p>		

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

11 Aug	Sun	Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost, II 7 am Preservation of the FSSP & Latin Mass 8:30 am + John & Ann Marie Peacock 10 am Grace Warner 11:30 am + Timothy E Stone 1 pm <i>Pro populo</i> 6 pm Ricardo Orozco
12 Aug	Mon	St. Clare, III 7 am + Pietro LoPresti 12 pm + Rudy Nagel 6 pm Anthony LoPresti
13 Aug	Tues	Ss. Hyppolitus & Cassian, IV 7 am Peter Freiling 12 pm + Gonzalo Lira 6 pm Micaela Perez & family
14 Aug	Wed	Vigil of the Assumption, II 7 am Mary Anne Park 12 pm Daniel & Jessica Erickson 6 pm Cheryl Erickson
15 Aug	Thurs	The Assumption of the BVM, I 7 am Nancy Butchy 8:30 am Margaret Keeler 12 pm <i>Pro populo</i> 6 pm Confraternity of St Peter
16 Aug	Fri	St. Joachim, II 7 am + Holy Souls 12 pm Karen Rogers 6 pm + Luis Medina
17 Aug	Sat	St. Hyacinth, III 7 am + Holy Souls 8:30 am Joan Caroline Baldini 12 pm + Rafael Trujillo

PRAYER LIST

Esther Jimenez, Daniel Huynh, 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, 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

Bob Crocker, Kathleen Scarry, Bill Sneeringer, Marion Nicholas, Vincent DiCarlo, Estelle McKneme, 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

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	Katie Scarry <i>Girls 5 – 8, First Saturday</i> 530-945-6947
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

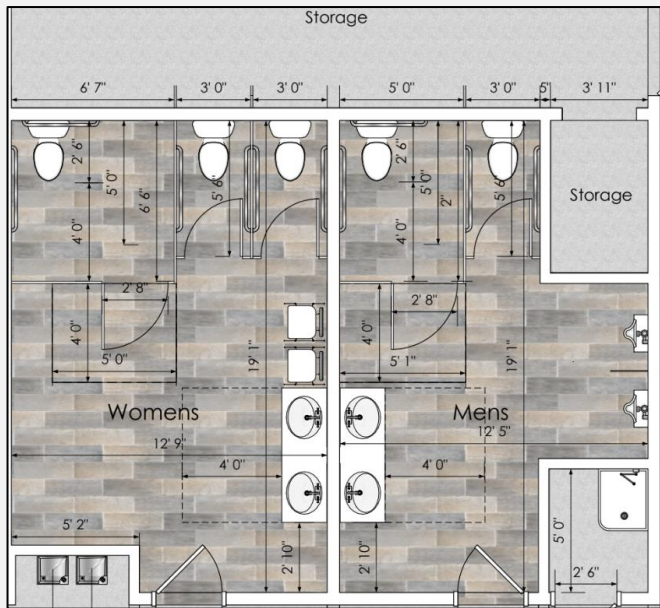
**Fr. Jacob Kasak, FSSP;
Sr. MaryAnne Regina, CM; Kiana Nava**

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

PASTOR'S COLUMN

CONSTRUCTION BEGINS

On Friday, August 16, we will begin construction on the restrooms in the classroom building. The restrooms will be closed for at least a month; those attending groups or events should plan on using the restrooms near the parish hall.



AT THE SCHOOL OF MARY

The FLM sisters are hosting some online classes. Details are available in the glass case in the vestibule. We are looking into having the single-lecture classes available in the parish hall. Please stay tuned.

IMPORTANT DATES

Aug 15	Holy Day of Obligation: the Assumption
Aug 15	Registrations due for Girls Groups
Aug 31	Registrations due for Confirmation
Sept 1	Confirmation classes begin (2:45 pm)
Sept 7	Kiana Nava entrance to Ava
Sept 7	Girls groups resume
Sept 13	Youth Group resumes
Sept 21	Altar Guild resumes
Oct 12	Chesterton Event
Nov 9	Women's Recollection

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fr Schwab will be away from the parish from Mon, Aug 12 until Fri, Aug 16.

Registrations are available for **Confirmation catechism classes**; please obtain them from the parish bookstore. The deadline is Sun, Aug 31. Classes begin on Sun, Sept 7.

Registrations are also available for the **Little Flowers, Rosa Mystica**, and the **Sodality of the BVM**. For more information, or to register, visit the booth in the courtyard. The deadline for registration is Thurs, Aug 15. **This week!**

Second Collection for the Church in Latin America.

FOCUS Missionary Eron Jay Mendoza-Garcia is running a fundraiser booth in the courtyard after all Masses today, Sun, Aug 11.

Fatima Procession after the 6 pm Mass on Tues, Aug 13.

The **Chesterton Society** meets on Tues, Aug 13.

Relic of St. Jude. *The arm of St. Jude, venerated in Rome since ancient times, will be on display at St. Rose (5961 Franklin Blvd.), on Tues, Aug 13, from 2 pm until 10 pm.*

Feast of the Assumption of the BVM. Thurs, Aug 15. Masses at 7, 8:30 am, noon (Sung Mass), & 6 pm. This is a holy day of obligation.

Seniors (55+) Lunch is on Thurs, Aug 15, after the noon Mass, in classroom 1. Bring your own lunch and join other parishioners for shared fellowship.

St George Melkite Church is hosting a Food Festival on Sun, Sept 1, from noon to 11 pm. *The festival will have a wide variety of Arabic cuisine and sweets, live music, craft vendors, and a kids zone with pony rides and henna. The festival will end with a lamb shank dinner celebration at 6 pm.*

The following is a court-ordered posting; it will remain in the bulletin until October 1. Parishioners should also anticipate receiving a mail notice of the same.

**In re: The Roman Catholic Bishop of Sacramento,
Case No. 24-21326**

U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of California

Notice of Deadline for Filing Claims: October 1, 2024

YOU MAY HAVE A SEXUAL ABUSE CLAIM OR OTHER CLAIM AGAINST THE DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO

On April 1, 2024, The Roman Catholic Bishop of Sacramento aka Diocese of Sacramento filed a chapter 11 bankruptcy petition for protection under title 11 of the United States Code.

If you were sexually abused by any person connected with the Diocese, you must file a claim so as to be received by October 1, 2024, or otherwise you will be forever barred, estopped, and enjoined from asserting such claim against the Diocese.

Claims based on acts or omissions of the Diocese that occurred before April 1, 2024, must be filed on or before October 1, 2024, even if such claims are not now fixed, liquidated, or certain or did not mature or become fixed, liquidated, or certain before April 1, 2024.



For more information on how to file a claim or about the bankruptcy, visit: <https://www.donlinrecano.com/rcbsacramento>, or contact the Debtor's claims agent Donlin, Recano, & Company, Inc. via email at rcbsacramentoinfo@drc.equiniti.com or by phone at 1-866-714-7301; or visit the Debtor's website at <https://scd.org> and follow the links for Chapter 11 filing.



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