



***Lenten Mission presented by  
Fr. Anthony J. Mastroeni***

***“Challenges to Living the Faith in an  
Aggressively Secularized Culture”***

***St. Stephen the First Martyr Parish Sacramento  
Monday, March 2nd through Thursday March 5th, 2015***

**Fr. Anthony J. Mastroeni** was ordained for the diocese of Paterson, N.J. in 1972. He earned an S.T.L. in Spiritual Theology, a doctorate in Moral Theology from the Angelicum in Rome; a J.D. in Civil Law from Rutgers Law School; and an M.A. in Psychology from Seton Hall University. For the last 33 years he has been teaching university students, as well as giving retreats, mostly to consecrated women. From 1978-1985 he taught theology and philosophy at the University of San Francisco's St. Ignatius Institute. From 1990-1999 he taught at the Franciscan University of Steubenville, with four years service spent at the University's campus in Gaming, Austria, as well as *The International Pontifical Institute for Marriage and the Family* in Gaming. From 1999 to the present Fr. Mastroeni has taught theology and directed the chaplaincy at Christendom College in Front Royal, Virginia. Additionally, he has taught at Seton Hall University and Mt. St. Mary's Seminary MD.

Fr. Mastroeni has preached retreats for the Sisters of Life in CT, as well as for Mother Teresa's Sisters of Charity in many of their missions around the world.

He is presently the Pastoral Consultant for Priests for Life .

*Fr. Mastroeni will hear confessions during the 12:15 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Masses Monday through Thursday, and will preach after each of those Masses. (Same lesson each day, but a shortened version at the earlier talk)*