


SAINT STEPHEN THE FIRST MARTYR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



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<p>STAYING CONNECTED</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>THE FSSP</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>DONATIONS</p> <p>ST. BERNADETTE FUND</p> <p>Please consider giving to those in need. Donations can be made online or in 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. Please pick them up in the Parish Office or Bookstore.</p>		

LITURGICAL CALENDAR



22 September 2019
15th Sunday After Pentecost

Sun. 22 Sep.	15th Sunday After Pentecost, II
8:00 am	Father Cassian
10:30 am	Pro Populo
1:30 pm	†Pablo Uclaray
6:00 pm	†Myron Howe
Mon. 23 Sep.	St. Linus, Pope & Martyr, III
7:00 am	Victor & Dolores Cabral
12:15 pm	Dennis & Rebecca Watts
Tu. 24 Sep.	Feria, IV
7:00 am	Jacqueline Ayala
6:30 pm	†John Fetyko
Wed. 25 Sep.	Feria, IV
7:00 am	Chris & Felipe Ramirez
12:15 pm	Cynthia Dulay
Th. 26 Sep.	SS. Brebeuf, Jogues, & Comp., Mart., II
7:00 am	†Patricia Dunlap
6:30 pm	Edward Joseph Pierini III & Family
Fri. 27 Sep.	SS. Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs, III
7:00 am	Raymond Alatouet Family
12:15 pm	†Rouzbeh Daylam, M.D.
6:30 pm	Vida De La Paz
Sat. 28 Sep.	St. Wenceslaus, Duke & Martyr, III
7:00 am	David Duarte
9:00 am	Geralyn Dennis

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, Rogelio Mendoza, Ann Richardson, Leah Rae Clemons, Bridget Pauls, Dale Trenary, Debbie Vaughan, Casandra Calderon

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	Chrissy Wing
<i>Ages 14 - 18, Tuesday & Thursday</i>	530-354-8779
CCM Co-op	Christine Watts
<i>Ages 3 - 14, Tuesday</i>	Text 916-549-9007
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>Sundays & Parish Events</i>	916-717-0244

IN MEMORIAM

Marcial Cristi, Louise Szabo, Gerald Foy, Joseph Murphy, Olapeju Adesanya, Alice O'Kane, Willard Coillot, Audrey Kasak, Gordon Alder, Mary Ann St. Cloud, Adolph Turci, Al Haedinger, Tommie Chavez, Steven Korner, Patricia Dunlap, Patricia Quinn, Johanna Dunn, Aidar Longtin, Juliet Matlack, Fr. Michael Irwin, FSSP

PASTOR'S COLUMN

SEATING AT MASS

The limited number of seats in the nave is becoming more apparent, especially at Masses on Sundays. The priests are working diligently with an architect to formulate a working site plan for the expansion of the Church. That plan is nearing completion, ready to be submitted to the county, for inspection, and a general contractor, for an initial estimate. Next, it will have to be submitted to the diocese and to the Fraternity headquarters, for approval. We are hoping that it should only be a few more months before we are able to unveil the plan to the community. The expectation is to at least double the number of seats in the nave.

In the meantime, please be patient and considerate with one another while finding seating for Mass. *Seats should never be reserved for people that are not already and currently present on Church property.* They may be reserved for people waiting in line for confessions, making use of the restrooms, or temporarily taking small children out of the Church before Mass; but in these cases, families should make every effort to leave at least one person behind in the pews (a parent or older child). This may require rotating members of the family to the confessional line. Under normal circumstances, adolescents should be in the Church before Mass, especially for the praying of the Holy Rosary.

On the other hand, please do not displace items placed to denote someone temporarily away from a pew for the reasons listed above.

Please also be mindful that each pew is expected to fit eight adults. I have asked the ushers to help direct people to available seats, up until the beginning of Mass.

I would encourage men in the parish, especially younger, single men, to keep an eye on the seating situation, and to be ready to give their seats to the elderly, or to women and children. If they do so, they may stand and kneel along the sides or in the back of the Church.

FR. MICHAEL IRWIN, FSSP

Requiescat in pace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Fr. Michael Irwin FSSP, who passed away on the evening of September 17, around 10.30 p.m.

Father Irwin was born on November 23 1937 and was ordained for the Diocese of Dallas, TX, on May 30, 1964. He was thereafter attached to the Diocese of Fort Worth, created in 1969. He exercised various ministries in Texas between 1964 and 1986. He was appointed pastor of Arteaga, Mexico, from 1986 to 1990. He joined the Fraternity in 1990 and after a year in Wigratzbad, was chaplain in Dallas, TX (1991-1992), Rapid City, SD (1992-

1995 and 1997-2001), Vienna, OH (1995-1997), Maple Hill, KS (2001-2003) and Post Falls, ID (2004-2008). He became a definitively incorporated member of the FSSP on October 18, 1994.

We will have a sung Requiem Mass for Fr. Irwin. Details are below.

IMPORTANT DATES

Oct 1-2	Parking Lot Resurface
Oct 9	40 Days for Life
Oct 13	Fatima Procession, after 1:30 pm Mass
Nov 9	Women's Day of Recollection
Nov 16	New date! G.K. Chesterton Event

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sung Requiem Mass. For the repose of the soul of Fr. Michael Irwin, FSSP. Mon., Sept. 23, at 6:30 pm.

Adult Catechism. Meets this Thurs., Sept. 26, at 7:30 pm.

Youth Group. Fri., Sept. 27, at 7:30 pm. If possible, youth should make every effort to attend the 6:30 pm Mass.

Rosary for Priests. Sat., Sept. 28, at 10:00 am. Please join fellow parishioners in praying fifteen decades of the Rosary for the sanctification of priests.

Parking Lot Resurface. The asphalt of the parking lot will be resealed with a double coat on Tues., Oct. 1 and Wed., Oct. 2. The parking lot will be unavailable on these two days; parking will be limited to the street, and access to the Church grounds will be through the vestibule doors only.

40 Days for Life. We've volunteered to keep vigil on October 9 of this year; an information and sign-up sheet is available in the vestibule. We will need three volunteers every hour from 8:00 am until 6:00 pm, praying on the sidewalk in front of the Planned Parenthood at 2322 Butano Drive in Sacramento. Please consider signing up!

Brown Bag Lunch Food Drive. On **Sun., Sept. 29**, St. Stephen's Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be sponsoring a **food drive** before and after the 8:00, 10:30, and 1:30 Masses to replenish our food pantry. We will be collecting the following types of food in the courtyard (all food must be non-perishable):

Tuna or chicken lunch packs, pouches, or pull-tab cans (single serving). Apple sauce cups or fruit cups. Chips or peanut butter crackers/cheese crackers. Desserts, like cookies. Jars of peanut butter, jelly or preserves.

Cash donations will also be accepted. You may also sign up to be a regular donor. If you cannot make it to one of the above Masses, food may be dropped off in the black box under the bulletin table in the vestibule.



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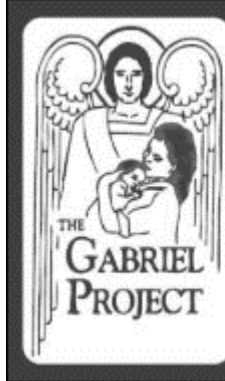
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