

### **SACRAMENTS**

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STAYING CONNECTED

PARISH ONLINE NEWSLETTER

To receive the bulletin and important

announcements online, call the Parish

**NEW PARISHIONERS** 

Registration forms are available in the

Parish Office or Bookstore.

Office to register.

# MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday	8:00 am, 10:30 am (High),
	1:30 pm & 6:00 pm
Monday	7:00 am & 12:15 pm
Tuesday	7:00 am & 6:30 pm
Wednesday	7:00 am & 12:15 pm
Thursday	7:00 am & 6:30 pm
Friday	7:00 am, 12:15 & 6:30 pm
Saturday	7:00 am & 9:00 am
Holy Day	Check bulletin.

## **CONFESSIONS**

Everyday	Thirty minutes prior to
	all Masses.
Saturday	8:30 am - 10:00 am

# **BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS** Contact the Parish Office.

# SICK CALLS

Call the Parish Office to schedule a home visit for the Sacraments.

If someone is dying, outside of office hours, dial 916-455-5114, then press 1. You will be transferred immediately to the priest-on-call.

# THE FSSP

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.



# **DEVOTIONS**

# **EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION**

Thursday First Friday Friday Saturday

BY THE FRATERNITY OF S

3:00 pm - 6:15 pm After the 12:15 pm After the 6:30 pm 7:45 am - 8:45 am

# THE HOLY ROSARY

7:30 am, 10:00 am, Sunday 2:30 pm, 5:30 pm Last Saturday After the 9:00 am (15 decades, offered for priests.)

**OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL** HELP Tuesday

After the 6:30 pm

SAINT MONICA SODALITY

First Thursday After the 6:30 pm

## FATIMA PROCESSION

The 13th of every month from May to October. See bulletin announcements for times.

## **MEN'S HOLY LEAGUE**

Third Wednesday 7:00 pm Holy Hour, lecture & food

## DONATIONS

# ST. BERNADETTE FUND

Please consider giving to those in need. Donations can be made online or in the Parish Office.

> **ONLINE GIVING** Available at the parish website. www.sacfssp.com

Envelopes are very helpful for our bookkeeping. Please pick them up in the Parish Office or Bookstore.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR	PARISH GRO	UPS
	Altar Guild Boys 10 - 18, Third Saturday	Mil 916-
COR ROA	Choir & Music ClassesYouth & Adults, Sun. & Wed.ks	
	<b>Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b> <i>Girls 14 - 18, First Saturday</i>	Amy R 916-
5 January 2020	<b>Rosa Mystica</b> <i>Girls 9 - 13, First Saturday</i>	Sue 1 916-
Holy Name of Jesus	<b>Little Flowers</b> <i>Girls 5 - 8, First Saturday</i>	Kat 530-
Holy Name of Jesus, II FSSP Priests	<b>Bible Study</b>	
Pro Populo †Sue White †Michael Vizcarra	<b>OLSW Co-op</b> Ages 14 - 18, Tuesday & Thursday	Chris 530-
Epiphany of the Lord, I	<b>CCM Co-op</b> Ages 3 - 14, Tuesday	
†Gabriela Perez-Hudson Shelly Lembke	<b>Youth Group</b> Ages 14 - 18, Second & Fourth Friday	Liz He 916-
John and Elaine Testa Feria of Epiphany, IV	Chesterton Society Adults, Second Tuesday sa	-
David Adesanva	Knights of Columbus, Council #16419	-

Tu. 7 Jan.Feria of Epiphany, IV7:00 amDavid Adesanya6:30 pm†Prescilla M. Johansen

**Sun. 5 Jan.** 8:00 am 10:30 am 1:30 pm 6:00 pm

**Mon. 6 Jan.** 7:00 am 12:15 pm 6:30 pm

Wed. 8 Jan.Feria of Epiphany, IV7:00 amJohn & Erin Reilley12:15 pmJohn Joseph Frank

**Th. 9 Jan.**Feria of Epiphany, IV7:00 am†Eric Forney6:30 pm†Adaobi Amy Okon Kwo

Fri. 10 Jan.Feria of Epiphany, IV7:00 amNatalie Rhea12:15 pm†Oswaldo Maldonado6:30 pmFSSP Priests

Sat. 11 Jan.Saturday of Our Lady, IV7:00 am†Remedios M. Mortensen9:00 am†Tim Sigurdson

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR VOCATIONS

Mr. Jacob Kasak, FSSP; Patrick Callahan (candidate of COSJ)

#### PRAYER LIST

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 & Carol Cummings, Gretchen Medel, Dario Gonzalez, Rick Rabenau, Holly Hollingsworth, Michael Cuellar, Ken Taylor, Michelle di Giovanni, Barbara Jeong, Joan Rutschow, Rogelio Mendoza, Ann Richardson, Leah Rae Clemons, Dale Trenary, Debbie Vaughan, Casandra Calderon, Monique Rance, Linda White, Eileen Morrison, Derald Goyette

<b>Altar Guild</b>	Mike Solton
Boys 10 - 18, Third Saturday	916-832-2859
<b>Choir &amp; Music Classes</b> Youth & Adults, Sun. & Wed.	
<b>Sodality of the Blessed Virgin M</b>	faryAmy Rutschow
<i>Girls 14 - 18, First Saturday</i>	916-340-5782
<b>Rosa Mystica</b>	Sue McGrath
Girls 9 - 13, First Saturday	916-531-3946
<b>Little Flowers</b>	Katie Scarry
<i>Girls 5 - 8, First Saturday</i>	530-945-6947
<b>Bible Study</b>	Fr. Dominic Savoie, FSSP
Adults, Thursday	frsavoie@fssp.com
<b>OLSW Co-op</b>	Chrissy Wing
Ages 14 - 18, Tuesday & Thursday	530-354-8779
<b>CCM Co-op</b> Ages 3 - 14, Tuesday	TBA
Youth Group Ages 14 - 18, Second & Fourth Frida	
<b>Chesterton Society</b>	Spencer Roundtree
Adults, Second Tuesday	sac.chesterton@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus, Council #	<b>16419</b> Mike McVean
Adult men, Third Wednesday	916-747-3021
Holy League	Mike Rund
Adult men, Third Wednesday	916-218-0096
<b>Altar Linen &amp; Flowers Society</b> Adult women, Third Saturday	
<b>Church Flowers</b>	Greta Munsill
<i>Friday</i>	916-425-7112
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Eli Gonzalez
<i>Thursday</i>	916-395-7408
<b>Ushers</b>	Patrick Risse
Sunday	patrickgeraldrisse@gmail.com
<b>Coffee &amp; Donuts</b>	Durke & Mary Pilegaard
Sunday	marypilegaard@gmail.com
Collection Count Crew	Kelly Manstch
Monday	Parish Office 916-451-5114
Brown Bag Lunch Program	Maureen Olguin jmolguin5960@att.net
<b>St. Vincent de Paul Society</b>	William Giovannetti
<i>First &amp; Third Sunday</i>	916-531-4730
<b>Security</b>	Patrick Clemons
Sundays & Parish Events	916-717-0244

#### **IN MEMORIAM**

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, Thomas McDonough, Judith Kelly

#### PASTOR'S COLUMN

#### EPIPHANY CHALK BLESSING

Blessed chalk is available in the vestibule. Upon returning home, the lintel of the main door of the house is marked with the blessed chalk by the head of the household in the following manner.

Inscribe **20+C+M+B+20** *while saying* the following prayer:

The Three Wise Men ...

- C Caspar ...
- M Melchior ...

**B** & Balthasaar, followed the star of God's Son who became Man ...

- **20** Two-thousand ...
- 20 and twenty years ago ...
- + May Christ ...
- + bless our home ...
- + and remain with us ...
- + through the new year. ...

Almighty God, incline Thine ear. Bless us and all who are gathered here. Send Thy holy angel who will defend us, and fill with grace all who dwell here. Amen.

#### **EPIPHANY WATER BLESSING**

Those who would like water blessing on the eve of the Epiphany may bring water in containers of at least one-gallon capacity (limit, two containers). The blessing will be held at 3:00 pm – after the 1:30 pm Mass – on Sunday, January 5. Containers with water can be dropped off in the parish office.



## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Jan 5	First Communion forms due!!
Jan 12	First Communion classes begin
Jan 22	Day of Reparation for Roe v. Wade
Jan 25	West Coast March for Life
Mar 28	Confirmations at 10:30 am
May 2	May Fatima Procession to Cathedral
May 9	First Holy Communion
June 16-21	Camp Immaculate Heart
June 21-27	Camp Sacred Heart

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Second Collection. St. Stephen Building Fund.

**First Holy Communion registration**. Due today!! Forms are available in the Parish Bookstore. *Classes* (12:30 pm every *Sunday*) will begin Sun., Jan. 12.

Confirmation classes resume today, Sun. Jan. 5.

The **Epiphany Water Blessing** will be held today, Sun., Jan. 5, at 3:00 pm in the Church.

**Offertory envelopes** for 2020 are ready to be picked up in the vestibule. If you don't see a box with your name on it, and would like envelopes, please inquire at the Parish Bookstore.

**Christmas Giving Tree**. In the vestibule, please consider taking an envelope and donating to the St. Bernadette Fund, which assists parishioners in need.

**Epiphany**. There will be a Sung Mass on Mon., Jan. 6, at 6:30 pm, in addition to the usual 7:00 am & 12:15 pm Masses.

Adult Catechism. Meets this Thurs., Jan. 9, at 7:30 pm.

**Candles** to be blessed at Candlemas are available for order in the Parish Bookstore. <u>The order will go in on Jan. 10</u>.

Youth Group. Meets this Fri., Jan. 10, at 7:30 pm.

The Little Flowers, Rosa Mystica, and Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary will meet Sat., Jan. 11, at 10:00 am.

A **Bake Sale Fundraiser** will be held next Sun., Jan. 12, after Masses in support of the St. Francis Xavier Mission Trip.

Next Mon., Jan. 13, **Veritas** will host, at the Monk's Cellar, Fr. Bradley Elliot, OP, who will speak the Church and the Papacy. Ages 18 - 39 are welcome to attend. More details available at: http://catholicveritas.com.

**West Coast Walk for Life**. Sat., Jan. 25. Details for the event are available at: www.walkforlifewc.com. We have a bus going to and from San Francisco; those who have tickets can expect to depart from the parish around 8:30 am on the day of the Walk for Life.

The **Youth Group** are invited to attend the Walk for Life. Fr. Curtis will say the 7:00 am Mass that Saturday, followed by a short brunch and then a carpool to the train station. We will take the train into the city together. More details will be forthcoming.





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