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<p style="text-align: center;">STAYING CONNECTED</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">THE FSSP</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">DONATIONS</p>
<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>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 those in need. Donations can be made online or in the Parish Office.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ONLINE GIVING</p> <p>Available at the parish website. www.sacfssp.com</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Envelopes are very helpful for our bookkeeping. Please pick them up in the Parish Office or Bookstore.</p>		

LITURGICAL CALENDAR



31 March 2019
4th Sunday of Lent

Sun. 31 Mar.	4th Sunday of Lent, I
8:00 am	Carlos S. Solis
10:30 am	Pro Populo
1:30 pm	Nick McDonough
6:00 pm	Priests at North American Martyrs
Mon. 1 Apr.	Feria of Lent, III
7:00 am	†Ruth Rodgers
12:15 pm	Father Fitzpatrick
6:30 pm	†Deanne Wilson
Tu. 2 Apr.	Feria of Lent, III
7:00 am	Jacqueline Cristi
6:30 pm	Sorin Marinesco & Family
Wed. 3 Apr.	Feria of Lent, III
7:00 am	†Dr. Gerald Foy
12:15 pm	Tom & Marlene Davenport
6:30 pm	†Adolph Turci
Th. 4 Apr.	Feria of Lent, III
7:00 am	Rose Mary Clemons
6:30 pm	George
Fri. 5 Apr.	Feria of Lent, III
7:00 am	Inferrera Family
12:15 pm	Larry & Linda White
6:30 pm	Mary Holl
Sat. 6 Apr.	Feria of Lent, III
7:00 am	Priests at the Baltimore Apostolate
9:00 am	†Audrey Kasak

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, Patricia Quinn, Rogelio Mendoza, Ann Richardson

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	Keetje Terzo
<i>Ages 14 - 18, Tuesday & Thursday</i>	kterzo@hotmail.com
CCM Co-op	Krista Williams
<i>Ages 3 - 14, Friday</i>	916-955-6437
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>Parish Events</i>	916-717-0244

IN MEMORIAM

Barbara Lyons, Norman Sayles, Penny Hummell, Charles Bardin, Shawn Williams, Marcial Cristi, Louise Szabo, Gerald Foy, Mieczysław Jasinski, Joseph Murphy, Olapeju Adesanya, Alice O'Kane, Willard Coillot, Audrey Kasak, Gordon Alder, Mary Ann St. Cloud, Adolph Turci

FROM THE PASTOR

FSSP Orains Seven Deacons

On Saturday, March 30, the Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter ordained seven men to the diaconate. His Excellency the Most Reverend Joseph Perry, Auxiliary Bishop of Chicago, was the ordaining bishop. At the point of receiving the diaconate, the seminarian has spent six long years in discernment and formation under the watchful care of the priests of the seminary and district: one year of spirituality, two of philosophy, and three of theology. Ordination to the diaconate typically is administered towards the end of this sixth year; the deacon has one more year of theological studies ahead of him. In the summer after his ordination, he will travel to our European seminary in Wigratzbad (in southern Germany), staying in residence there to acquaint himself with his European brothers. Returning to the North American seminary in the fall, he will split his time between studies at the seminary and pastoral training in one of the nearby apostolates. Classes will include training in the administration of the Sacraments, particularly the rubrics of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, which the deacon will spend long hours studying and practicing, until he can say the *Missa sicca* (the so-called "dry Mass") from beginning to end without error. Having received the diaconate, the man has a canonical right to receive the priesthood, barring some unforeseen grave cause. Already, he is a full member of the Priestly Fraternity; he attends district gatherings, votes for delegates to general and provincial chapters, and is entitled to receive temporal benefits. In short, he belongs to us, and we to him, in what should be an irrevocable bond.

God willing, in a little over a year these men will be ordained priests and placed in parishes. Please pray for them:

- Rev. Mr. David McWhirter
- Rev. Mr. Javier Ruiz Aguilar
- Rev. Mr. Thomas Sofatzis
- Rev. Mr. Joseph Loftus
- Rev. Mr. Daniel Alloy
- Rev. Mr. William Rock
- Rev. Mr. Eric Krager

Investiture of the dalmatic: "May the Lord clothe thee with the garment of salvation and the vestment of joy, and may He encompass thee always with the Dalmatic of justice. In the Name of the Lord."

IMPORTANT DATES

May 4	First Holy Communion
May 11	Great Marian Procession
May 17-19	Carmel Mission Pilgrimage
June 16-22	Camp Sacred Heart
July 21-25	Parish Retreat

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **Parish Bookstore** is receiving donations of used books in good condition, secular and religious.

Fundraiser. This Sun., Mar. 31, after the three daytime Masses. Bake sale and hotdogs, for the SFX mission trip.

Second Collection. This Sun., Mar. 31, for OLGS (the North American seminary for the FSSP).

Extra Masses for Lent. 6:30 pm Masses on Mon. & Wed.

7 Steps to Becoming Financially Free. Next session is Tues, Apr. 2 at 7:30 pm, in Classroom 2.

Funeral Mass. Wed., Apr. 3, at 10:30 am, for Albert Haedinger.

Stations of the Cross. This Friday after the noon and evening Masses.

Lenten Soup Meals. Friday evening. All are welcome, but we do need about 6-8 volunteers (each bringing one crock pot) each week. Please contact Janice Aranas (e-mail: justforjan@frontiernet.net) if you're able to bring a crock pot of soup or a tray of bread. Sign ups for future meals will be available in the vestibule after all Sunday Masses.

First Friday and First Saturday. Girls' Group meet this Sat.

Baby Bottle Program. The Rosa Mystica Girls' Society will be collecting baby bottles in the vestibule after the 8:00 am, 10:30 am, and 1:30 pm Masses on Sun., Apr. 7. For those who cannot bring their bottle next Sunday, please bring it to the bookstore before Easter. Thank you!

Veritas. Fr. Cassian will speak on Christian marriage to the Veritas Young Adult group at Monk's Cellar, on Mon., Apr. 8, at 7:00 pm.

Palms. We're looking for volunteers to trim the palms that will be blessed and distributed on Palm Sunday. Volunteers will meet at 10:00 am on Sat., Apr. 13; the work generally takes about one hour. Please contact the Parish Office if you're able to help.

8th Annual Carmel Mission Pilgrimage. May 17-19, 2019 from San Juan Bautista Mission to Carmel Mission with Mass at Carmel at 3:00 pm on the 19th. In honor of Our Lady of Bethlehem, the first statue to be brought to California by St. Junipero Serra. Fr. Cassian will be the chaplain this year. More information: Phil Carey (916-992-4442) or Gary Flores (209-954-2205).

Camp Sacred Heart. Camp Sacred Heart will be held June 16-22 this year. Registration is open to boys age 9-18. Boys unknown to the chaplain must get a letter of recommendation from a priest. For more information call the parish office. Sponsors needed for Camp. If you are able to help sponsor a boy for camp, please consider doing so. There is a great need, especially for large families. Your help is very much appreciated!



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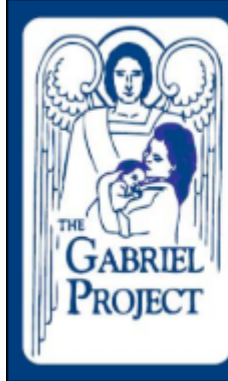
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