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Sacramento, CA 95820	<b>Wednesday</b> 7:00 am & 12:15 pm	THE HOLY ROSARY
Bookstore 916-223-3112  PRIESTS  Fr. Joshua Curtis, FSSP Pastor	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.	Sunday 7:30 am, 10:00 am, 2:30 pm, 5:30 pm Weekdays After the 12:15 pm
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Fr. Dominic Savoie, FSSP Par. Vicar	CONFESSIONS	Tuesday After the 6:30 pm
frsavoie@fssp.com  Fr. Graham Latimer, FSSP Par. Vicar frlatimer@fssp.com	Everyday Thirty minutes prior to all Masses.	SAINT MONICA SODALITY
1	<b>Saturday</b> 8:30 am - 10:00 am	First Thursday After the 6:30 pm
STAFF Tish Gallagher Parish Secretary stephenproto@yahoo.com Keven Smith Choirmaster	BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS  Contact the Parish Office.	FATIMA PROCESSION  The 13th of every month from May to October. See bulletin announcements for times.
ksmith_writer@yahoo.com  Kelly Mantsch Parish Bookkeeper ststephenbusinessoffice@gmail.com  Barbara Cristi Parish Assistant  Junior Solorio Maintenance  Edward Wedinsky Maintenance  Francis Dugyon Sacristan	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.	MEN'S HOLY LEAGUE  Third Wednesday 7:00 pm Holy Hour, lecture & food
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STAYING CONNECTED	THE FSSP	DONATIONS
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Registration forms are available in the Parish Office or Bookstore.		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



14 April 2019 Palm Sunday

Sun. 14 Apr.	Palm Sunday, I
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8:00 am FSSP

10:30 am Pro Populo1:30 pm Mateus Dichoso6:00 pm Ben & Barbara Cristi

**Mon. 15 Apr. Monday of Holy Week**, *I* 7:00 am †Mr. Samuel Adesanya

12:15 pm +Alberto Doble 6:30 pm +Deanne Wilson

Tu. 16 Apr. Tuesday of Holy Week, I

7:00 am Skip Scully6:30 pm Inferrera Family

Wed. 17 Apr. Wednesday of Holy Week, I

7:00 am +Gerald Foy 12:15 pm Justin Dugyon 6:30 pm +Adolf Turchi

Th. 18 Apr. Holy Thursday, I

9:00am Tenebrae 7:00 pm Pro Populo

Fri. 19 Apr. Good Friday, I

8:00 am Tenebrae

12:00 pm Stations of the Cross1:00 pm Mass of the Presanctified

Sat. 20 Apr. Holy Saturday, I

9:00 am Tenebrae 6:30 pm Pro Populo

#### 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

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#### 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, Al Haedinger, Tommie Chavez

#### FROM THE PASTOR

#### Holy Week Schedule

April 14 - 20

#### Palm Sunday - Please Note Change in Mass Schedule!

Low Mass 8 am \*

Solemn Mass and Blessing of Palms 10:30 am

Low Mass 2 pm

Low Mass 6pm

\* Please, if attending the 8 am Mass, do not stay for the blessing of the palms at 10:30 am, as parking will be an issue.

#### **Holy Thursday**

Tenebrae 9 am

Mass 7 pm

Altar of Repose 9 pm - 1 pm (Friday)

#### **Good Friday**

Tenebrae 8 am

Stations 12 pm

Mass of the Presanctified 1 pm

#### **Holy Saturday**

Tenebrae 9 am

Vigil Mass 6:30 pm

#### Tenebrae

If you have never experienced Tenebrae before, please consider coming this year!

#### **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.

**Baby Bottle Program.** Thank you to all who have returned your bottles for the Sacramento Life Center project! We will be collecting again Sunday, April 14. If you have not yet returned your bottle, please bring it to the vestibule after the 8:30 Mass or after the 10:30 Mass. If you cannot return it Sunday, please bring it to the book store before Easter. Thank you!

**Extra Masses for Lent**. This is the last week! 6:30 pm Masses on Mon. & Wed.

Altar of Repose. Each year we ask families to contribute flowers for the Altar of Repose on Holy Thursday, and each year the altar is more beautiful than the last! Please bring calla lilies, cut flowers from your garden and Easter lilies to the kitchen sometime on Thursday, April 18th—the earlier the better. Any and all contributions are

welcome. If you leave containers you would like to retrieve, please look for them on a table in the hall on Good Friday or any day following over the weekend. Thank you for your generosity.

If you would like to volunteer to help with the flower arranging, including de-thorning roses, please come to the kitchen at 10:00 am on Holy Thursday; or, if you wish to help move vases and rearrange flowers for Holy Saturday, please join us in the kitchen at 10:00 am on Holy Saturday. You are welcome to join us either day or both days—many hands make light work.

All Night Exposition and Vigil with Our Lord. Please sign up in the vestibule for a slot of the all night vigil from Holy Thursday (Apr. 18) to Good Friday (Apr. 19). We will need people to commit especially to the middle of the night slots.

Brown Bag Lunch. Jerri Rush from The Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament's Brown Bag Lunch Ministry sends a hearty "thank you" to St Stephens for our support of their lunch ministry. In 2018, they served 23,000 lunches! St Stephen's continues to contribute 120 lunches, twice a month. Thank you to all who have participated in donations, bagging and delivering lunches to support the Cathedral's ministry to the hungry people on the streets in Sacramento!

Donations for the brown bag lunches can be left in the black box under the bulletin table. Items needed are posted in the vestibule. Items currently needed are: tuna or chicken lunch packs, pouches or pull tab cans; fruit cups; soft granola bars, breakfast bars; crackers, chips; peanut butter/cheese crackers; deserts, like cookies; bottles of water(16 oz.); packages of brown bags.

Cash donations can also be made at the Parish Office

9th 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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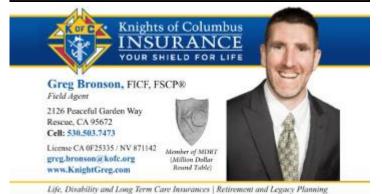
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