

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

30 May 2021
Trinity Sunday

Sun 30 May	Trinity Sunday, I
7 am	Anastasia Dugyos
8:30 am	+ Marty Gatlin
10 am	+ Linda White
11:30 am	+ Rogelio Mendoza
1 pm	<i>Pro populo</i>
6pm	+ Victor Bernal
Mon 31 May	Queenship of Mary, II
7 am	Irma Valdez
12 pm	+ Timothy Stone
6 pm	Dolly Lewis
Tues 1 June	St. Angela Merici, Virgin III
7 am	+ Kell Khatter
12 pm	Kelly Trawick
6 pm	Diana Mora
Wed 2 June	Ss. Marcellinus, Peter, & Erasmus, Martyrs IV
7 am	Tillie Banda
12 pm	Kyle Roolsaert
6 pm	Norry Barnes
Thurs 3 June	Corpus Christi, I
7 am	Priests & Seminarians of the FSSP
12 pm	Stella, Sandra, & Anton Bedoy
6 pm	St. Monica Sodality Confraternity of St. Peter
Fri 4 June	St. Francis Caracciolo, Confessor III
7 am	+ Ann Barher
12 pm	Ana Padilla & + Aurora Garcia
6 pm	Ana Padilla & Marco Flores
Sat 5 June	St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr III
7 am	Aleander Gonzales
8:30 am	Imelda Garcia & family
12 pm	Special intention

PRAYER LIST

Barbara Graichen, Johan Newaz, Jim Carlson, Darryl Gallagher, Jean Haun, Helen DiCarlo, Barbara Cogan, Eileen Morrison, Derald Goyette, Theresa Reali, Jordan Aranas, JoAnn Mutterties

Please keep all of the sick and homebound of the parish in your daily prayers.

IN MEMORIAM

Rogelio Mendoza, Linda White, William Cummings, 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

PARISH GROUPS

Altar Guild & Altar Guild Minor	Mike Solton
<i>Boys 7 - 18, Third Saturday</i>	916-832-2859
Choir & Music Classes	Keven Smith
<i>Youth & Adults, Sunday & Wednesday</i>	ksmith_writer@yahoo.com
Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary	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	Megan Gury
<i>Girls 5 - 8, First Saturday</i>	916-584-6018
Adult Catechism	Fr. Joshua Curtis, FSSP
<i>Adults, Second & Fourth Thursday</i>	frcurtis@fssp.com
OLSW Co-op	Keetje Terzo
<i>Ages 14 - 18</i>	916-878-6433
CCM Co-op	Keetje Terzo
<i>Ages 3 - 14</i>	916-878-6433
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	William Giovannetti
<i>Adult men, Third Wednesday</i>	916-531-4730
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	Roger Soto
<i>Sunday</i>	209-610-1163
Coffee & Donuts	Durke & Mary Pilegaard
<i>Sunday</i>	marypilegaard@gmail.com
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
The Gabriel Project	Karen Presta
<i>On call</i>	530-820-3919
Security	Patrick Clemons
<i>Sundays & Parish Events</i>	916-717-0244
Veritas Young Adult Group	Taylor Bur
<i>Ages 18-39</i>	651-357-2080

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

**Mr. Jacob Kasak, FSSP; Br. Patrick Callahan (COSJ);
Sr. Rose Brennan (CM)**

Thou hast made us for thyself, O Lord, and our heart is restless until it finds its rest in thee.

PASTOR'S COLUMN

AD CAELI REGINAM

Pius XII (1954)

From the earliest ages of the Catholic Church a Christian people, whether in time of triumph or more especially in time of crisis, has addressed prayers of petition and hymns of praise and veneration to the Queen of Heaven. And never has that hope wavered which they placed in the Mother of the Divine King, Jesus Christ....

[St. Ephrem] thus prays to her: ". . . Majestic and Heavenly Maid, Lady, Queen, protect and keep me under your wing lest Satan the sower of destruction glory over me, lest my wicked foe be victorious against me." St. Gregory Nazianzen calls Mary "the Mother of the King of the universe," and the "Virgin Mother who brought forth the King of the whole world," while Prudentius asserts that the Mother marvels "that she has brought forth God as man, and even as Supreme King." And this royal dignity of the Blessed Virgin Mary is quite clearly indicated through direct assertion by those who call her "Lady," "Ruler" and "Queen."

In one of the homilies attributed to Origen, Elizabeth calls Mary "the Mother of my Lord." and even addresses her as "Thou, my Lady." The same thing is found in the writings of St. Jerome where he makes the following statement amidst various interpretations of Mary's name: "We should realize that Mary means Lady in the Syrian Language." After him St. Chrysologus says the same thing more explicitly in these words: "The Hebrew word 'Mary' means 'Domina.' The Angel therefore addresses her as 'Lady' to preclude all servile fear in the Lord's Mother, who was born and was called 'Lady' by the authority and command of her own Son."

Moreover Epiphanius, the bishop of Constantinople, writing to the Sovereign Pontiff Hormisdas, says that we should pray that the unity of the Church may be preserved "by the grace of the holy and consubstantial Trinity and by the prayers of Mary, Our Lady, the holy and glorious Virgin and Mother of God." The Blessed Virgin, sitting at the right hand of God to pray for us is hailed by another writer of that same era in these words, "the Queen of mortal man, the most holy Mother of God."

St. Andrew of Crete frequently attributes the dignity of a Queen to the Virgin Mary. For example, he writes, "Today He transports from her earthly dwelling, as Queen of the human race, His ever-Virgin Mother, from whose womb He, the living God, took on human form." And in another place he speaks of "the Queen of the entire human race faithful to the exact meaning of her name, who is exalted above all things save only God himself."

Likewise St. Germanus speaks to the humble Virgin in these words: "Be enthroned, Lady, for it is fitting that you should sit in an exalted place since you are a Queen and

glorious above all kings." He likewise calls her the "Queen of all of those who dwell on earth."

She is called by St. John Damascene "Queen, ruler, and lady," and also "the Queen of every creature." Another ancient writer of the Eastern Church calls her "favored Queen," "the perpetual Queen beside the King, her son," whose "snow-white brow is crowned with a golden diadem." And finally St. Ildephonsus of Toledo gathers together almost all of her titles of honor in this salutation: "O my Lady, my Sovereign, You who rule over me, Mother of my Lord . . . Lady among handmaids, Queen among sisters."

ADULT CATECHISM

Please consider inviting a non-Catholic friend or family member to the adult catechism classes, which will begin in late August, and continue on second and fourth Thursday evenings (7 pm - 8:30 pm) until Easter. Inquiries may be directed to frcurtis@fssp.com.

IMPORTANT DATES

May 13	Fatima Procession after the 1:00 pm Mass
June 12	Fr. Eichman Solemn Mass (noon)
Sept 11	Day of Recollection for Confirmandi
Sept 14	Confirmations

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fr. Curtis will be away from the parish from Monday to Saturday (May 31 - June 5) this week.

First Friday and **First Saturday** occur during this week.

Next Sunday we will observe the external solemnity of Corpus Christi. A procession will follow the 1 pm Mass.

Next Monday, June 7, we will be joined by a seminarian, Mr. Brian Myers, FSSP. He will stay with the parish for about one month.

First Mass. We are pleased to announce then Fr. Nicholas Eichman will offer a Solemn High Mass on Saturday, June 12, 2021, at 12:00 pm.

Youth Group. Our next event will be on the afternoon of Saturday, June 12. We will begin at noon with the Solemn First Mass of Fr. Eichmann. Afterwards, we will have a brief lunch and talk by Fr. Curtis, before going bowling. See **Parish Groups** for contact information.

Choir. We're looking for more members for the choir, particularly men! Those interested please contact Keven Smith at ksmith_writer@yahoo.com. Prior experience is not required.

Chesterton Academy in Dixon, California is currently enrolling students in grades 9-12 for the fall semester. Chesterton provides a classical curriculum that includes a strong grounding in Catholic theology. Contact Chris at 530-574-0804 or go to <http://www.valleyofthesacredheart.com>.



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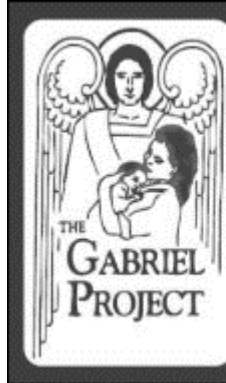
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