


SAINT STEPHEN THE FIRST MARTYR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



PARISH INFORMATION	SACRAMENTS	DEVOTIONS
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<p><b>STAYING CONNECTED</b></p> <p><b>PARISH ONLINE NEWSLETTER</b>  To receive the bulletin and important announcements online, call the Parish Office to register.</p> <p><b>NEW PARISHIONERS</b>  Registration forms are available in the Parish Office or Bookstore.</p>	<p><b>THE FSSP</b></p> <p>St. Stephen the First Martyr is a personal parish of the Diocese of Sacramento. It is served by priests of the <b>Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter</b>.</p> 	<p><b>DONATIONS</b></p> <p><b>ST. BERNADETTE FUND</b>  Please consider giving to fellow parishioners in need. Donations can be made online or at the Parish Office.</p> <p><b>ONLINE GIVING</b>  Available at the parish website.  www.sacfssp.com</p>
<p>Envelopes are very helpful for our bookkeeping, unless you are giving online. Please pick them up in the Parish Office.</p>		

**LITURGICAL CALENDAR**

**29 August 2021**

*Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

<b>Sun 29 Aug</b>	<b>Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost, II</b>
7 am	Fr Latimer
8:30 am	+ Julia Costales
10 am	+ Luisa Mercado
11:30 am	+ Calixta Paraque
1 pm	<i>Pro populo</i>
6pm	Sr. Rose Brennan, CM
<b>Mon 30 Aug</b>	<b>St. Rose of Lima, III</b>
7 am	+ Seferina Trujilio
12 pm	+ Magdalena Calder
6 pm	+ Domingo Cabangon
<b>Tues 31 Aug</b>	<b>St. Raymond Nonnatus, III</b>
7 am	Julie Banda
12 pm	Bella Cory
6 pm	Paul Cases
<b>Wed 1 Sept</b>	<b>St. Files or Twelve Holy Brothers, IV</b>
7 am	Colleen Holbrook
12 pm	Francis Dugyon
6 pm	Corrine Cases
<b>Thurs 2 Sept</b>	<b>St. Stephen of Hungary, III</b>
7 am	Gianina Mores
12 pm	Michael Mantsch
6 pm	St Monica Sodality
<b>Fri 3 Sept</b>	<b>St. Pius X, III</b>
7 am	Joseph Magabo
12 pm	+ Kell Khattar
6 pm	+ Margaret Sabino
<b>Sat 4 Sept</b>	<b>Saturday of Our Lady, IV</b>
7 am	+ Fernando Costales
8:30 am	Mejia family
12 pm	Jon Vigil & Jennifer Naylor

**PRAYER LIST**

Barbara Jeong, 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**

Eda Granby, Gloria Garcia, Raymond Villalpando, Rogelio Mendoza, Linda White, William Cummings, Rick Perez, 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**

<b>Altar Guild &amp; Altar Guild Minor</b> .....	Mike Solton
<i>Boys 7 - 18, Third Saturday</i>	916-832-2859
<b>Choir &amp; Music Classes</b> .....	Keven Smith
<i>Youth &amp; Adults, Sunday &amp; Wednesday</i>	ksmith_writer@yahoo.com
<b>Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b> .....	Amy Rutschow
<i>Girls 14 - 18, First Saturday</i>	916-340-5782
<b>Rosa Mystica</b> .....	Sue McGrath
<i>Girls 9 - 13, First Saturday</i>	916-531-3946
<b>Little Flowers</b> .....	Megan Gury
<i>Girls 5 - 8, First Saturday</i>	916-584-6018
<b>Adult Catechism</b> .....	Fr. Joshua Curtis, FSSP
<i>Adults, Second &amp; Fourth Thursday</i>	frcurtis@fssp.com
<b>OLSW Co-op</b> .....	Keetje Terzo
<i>Ages 14 - 18</i>	916-878-6433
<b>Youth Group</b> .....	Liz Hernandez
<i>Ages 14 - 18, Second &amp; Fourth Friday</i>	916-396-4062
<b>Chesterton Society</b> .....	Spencer Roundtree
<i>Adults, Second Tuesday</i>	sac.chesterton@gmail.com
<b>Knights of Columbus, Council #16419</b> .....	William Giovannetti
<i>Adult men, Third Wednesday</i>	916-531-4730
<b>Altar Linen &amp; Flowers Society</b> .....	Tomoko McDonough
<i>Adult women, Third Saturday</i>	mcdonoughmommy6@gmail
<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> .....	Roger Soto
<i>Sunday</i>	209-610-1163
<b>Collection Count Crew</b> .....	Kelly Manstch
<i>Monday</i>	Parish Office 916-451-5114
<b>Brown Bag Lunch Program</b> .....	Maureen Olguin
<i>Sunday</i>	jmolguin5960@att.net
<b>The Gabriel Project</b> .....	Karen Presta
<i>On call</i>	530-820-3919
<b>Security</b> .....	Patrick Clemons
<i>Sundays &amp; Parish Events</i>	916-717-0244
<b>Veritas Young Adult Group</b> .....	Taylor Bur
<i>Third Thursday; 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**

**FROM THE PROVINCIAL**

*Fr. Lawrence, FSSP*

It has come to my attention that the Washington Post and possibly other media organizations are searching out members of our faithful to interview. I therefore ask that you relay the following message to your faithful:

*I ask you to request the faithful to please refer any media-related opportunities, interviews, questions, or conversations touching on the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter to their pastor. I hope that the faithful will understand that doing this will help to ensure a clear, uniform message is delivered on behalf of the Fraternity of St. Peter.*

I hope that the faithful also realize that there is no guarantee that what they say to a given media representative will be ultimately reported in context and exactly as it was said.

**FROM CARDINAL BURKE**

I express my deepest gratitude to God, to the healthcare professionals who are caring for me, to the staff of the Guadalupe Shrine, to my brother bishops and priests, and to all those who have remembered me in their prayers.

**FROM THE CONFRATERNITY OF SAINT PETER**

The Confraternity is calling on all members to pray for the Fraternity and the traditional Latin Mass. Details can be found here:

<https://fssp.com/confraternity-message-from-fr-reiner-fssp/>

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR  
FR. CHRISTOPHER MAHOWALD**

Much gratitude to all that have been keeping Fr. Mahowald in your prayers. He is by no means clear of danger yet, remains hospitalized, and has developed some conditions that continue to threaten his life. Please continue praying for him.

**PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT**

I am pleased to present the annual financial report to parishioners. It is available in the sacristy, for those who wish to take one home. Keep in mind it is two pages; an overview of profit & loss as well as balance sheets, with a cover letter.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

Aug 29	Today! Confirmation (2021) classes resume
Sept 11	Day of Recollection for 2021 Confirmandi
Sept 13	Monday, Fatima Procession after 6 pm Mass
Sept 14	2021 Confirmations
Sept 25	Italian Dinner

Oct 30	Chesterton Event
Nov 13	Women's Day of Recollection

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*Today! A reminder that classes for this year's confirmations (i.e., classes that went into recess at the beginning of summer, 2021) resume on today, August 29.*

**Second Collection.** For the Church in Latin America. Envelopes are available in the vestibule.

**Phone and internet security class.** A class will be offered to give you tips on how to have better security when using your cell phone. We will discuss more secure texting, email, internet use, and general phone setup. Bring your Android or Apple phone on **Thurs, Sept 2** after the 6:00 pm Mass and we will help you make your phone more secure. Contact Dave Tostenson at [timefragment@protonmail.com](mailto:timefragment@protonmail.com) or 530-320-7995 or with any questions.

**First Friday & First Saturday** fall this week.

**Confirmations 2022.** Registration is now open for classes for children of the parish who will be 12 years of age by June 1, 2022. Classes will begin on Sept 19, 2021. In order to register, you must have a copy of your child's Baptism certificate. Please pick up forms in the bookstore. The definite deadline for turning in application forms is Sept 12.

**High School Co-op.** Religion classes (Old & New Testament) will be held on Tues and Thurs afternoons at 1:00 pm, after the noon Mass, beginning Tues, Sept 7. Please contact Keetje Terzo for more information, at 916-878-6433 or [kterzo@hotmail.com](mailto:kterzo@hotmail.com).

**Girls.** I am working out a day of recollection and hike in October with the sisters from Minneapolis. Stay tuned! (The day will likely be October 8, but we are still working out the details.)

**The 14th Annual Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home Dinner** will be held on Sun, Sept 12 at Armaan's Palace Event Hall, 1301 Longport Court, in Elk Grove. Dinner tickets are \$85 per person and our speaker is Fr. Dan Madigan. See our website [bgmhsacramento.org](http://bgmhsacramento.org) for more event information. For questions, please call 916-395-3961 ext.105 to leave a message for a volunteer to return your call. Reservations and checks may be sent to BGMH, PO Box 221155, Sacramento, CA 95822. Your support is greatly appreciated!

**Italian Dinner.** Our parish Knights of Columbus men are sponsoring an FSSP Seminary fundraiser dinner on Sat, Sept 25 at 6:00 pm. *A Taste of Italy* will make for an enjoyable evening with delicious Italian cuisine and live entertainment! Please reserve the date; tickets on sale after Masses every Sunday.

**Fr McWhirter** will be away from Sept 1 - 8.



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