


SAINT STEPHEN THE FIRST MARTYR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



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STAYING CONNECTED	THE FSSP	DONATIONS
<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 style="text-align: center;">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 fellow parishioners in need. Donations can be made online or at the Parish Office.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ONLINE GIVING</p> <p>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 Oct	Sun	Christ the King, I 7 am + Pietro Lopresti 8:30 am + John Alvarez 10 am + Pietro Lopresti 11:30 am Levi Respicio 1 pm <i>Pro populo</i> 6 pm + Anne Richmond
30 Oct	Mon	Feria, IV 7 am + Ernest John Carey 12 pm + Holy Souls 6 pm Raul & Bernardita Baccay
31 Oct	Tues	Feria, IV 7 am + Ariston Mercado 12 pm + Marietta Abelgas 6 pm + Michael Jaimes
1 Nov	Wed	All Saints, I 7 am + John & Mary Margaret 8:30 am + Pietro Lopresti 12 pm <i>Pro populo</i> 6 pm + Domingo Cabangon
2 Nov	Thurs	All Souls, I 7 am + All Souls Novena 12 pm + All Souls Novena 6:30 pm + All Souls Novena
3 Nov	Fri	Feria, IV 7 am + All Souls Novena 12 pm + All Souls Novena 6 pm + All Souls Novena
4 Nov	Sat	Feria, IV 7 am + All Souls Novena 8:30 am + All Souls Novena 12 pm + All Souls Novena

PRAYER LIST

Paula Belen, Vanessa Jimenez, Ralph Clark, Michelle Di Giovanni, Carolina Ferraza, Mark Mitchell, Phil Carey, Judy Bennett, Jasinkas, Debbie Vilar, Dominick Damore, Judi Geldermann, Elaine Testa, Monique Rance, Nancy Tostenson, Victoria Grimm, Karen Rich, Bob Crocker, Stephanie Reali-Saavedra, Theresa Reali, Don Varley, Arman Mazidi, Dolly Lewis, Mary Ann Cuny, Barbara Graichen, Jim Carlson, Darryl Gallagher, Helen DiCarlo, Barbara Cogan, Jordan Aranas, JoAnn Mutterties

Please keep all of the sick and homebound of the parish in your daily prayers, as well as our adult catechumens and candidates.

IN MEMORIAM

Paul Graff, Pietro Lopresti, John Hymes, Teodosio Dino, Barbara Chu, Nellie Reyes, Albert Treskon, Violet Corr, Mary Hayes, Derald Goyette, Bonnie Williams, Frank Bowa, Ramon Daley, Eileen Morrison, Richard & Louise Szabo, Cesar Oliva, Joseph Damore, Ken Taylor, Joseph Menezes, Edgardo Mercado, Barbara Jeong, Jean Haun, Rene Iway, Richard Seifert, Fiona Silverio, John Dunlap, Jeff Long, David Tostenson, Eleanor Roberts, Robert Rose, Sharon Graves, Eda Granby, Gloria Garcia, Raymond Villalpando

PARISH GROUPS

Choir & Music Classes	Keven Smith <i>Youth & Adults, Sunday & Thursday</i>ksmith_writer@yahoo.com
Altar Guild & Altar Guild Minor	Mike Solton <i>Boys 7 – 18, Third Saturday</i> 916-832-2859
Troops of Saint George (Scouting)	James Campbell <i>Boys 6 – 18</i>Jcampbell@tsgtroop750.org
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> 916-207-0498
Youth Group	Liz Hernandez <i>Ages 14 – 18, Second & Fourth Friday</i> 916-396-4062
OLSW Co-op	Inocencio Rangel <i>Ages 14 – 18, Tuesday & Thursday</i> 916-804-6359
CCM Co-op	Blanca Pimentel <i>Ages 3 – 14, Thursday</i> blancaerodria@yahoo.com
Veritas (Young Adult Group)	AJ Alvarado <i>Ages 18 – 39, Third Tuesday</i> veritasnorcal@gmail.com
Adult Catechism	Fr. Joshua Curtis, FSSP <i>Adults, Second & Fourth Thursday</i> frcurtis@fssp.com
Chesterton Society	Spencer Roundtree <i>Adults, Second Tuesday</i> sac.chesterton@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus #16419	William Giovannetti <i>Adult men, Third Wednesday</i> 916-531-4730
Ushers	Roger Soto <i>Adult men, Sundays & Holy Days</i> 209-610-1163
Security	Patrick Clemons <i>Adult Men, Sundays & Parish Events</i> 916-717-0244
Altar Linen & Flowers Society	Tomoko McDonough <i>Adult women, Third Saturday</i> mcdonoughmommy6@gmail
Church Flowers	Greta Munsill <i>Friday or Saturday</i> 916-425-7112
Church Cleaning	Eli Gonzalez <i>Wednesday</i> 916-395-7408
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
The Gabriel Project	Catarina Hinojos <i>On call</i> 415-286-6228

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

**Rev. Mr. Jacob Kasak, FSSP;
Sr. MaryAnne Regina, CM**

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

PASTOR'S COLUMN

INDULGENCES FOR THE DEAD

There are many indulgences, applicable only to the Souls in Purgatory, that can be obtained during the month of November. From the fourth edition of the *Enchiridion of Indulgences*, 1999:

A plenary indulgence, applicable only to the souls in purgatory, is granted to the faithful who,

- on any and each day from November 1 to 8, devoutly visit a cemetery and pray, if only mentally, for the departed;
on All Souls' Day, devoutly visit a church or an oratory and recite an Our Father and the Creed.

A partial indulgence, applicable only to the souls in purgatory, is granted to the faithful who,

- devoutly visit a cemetery and at least mentally pray for the dead;
devoutly recite lauds or vespers from the Office of the Dead or the prayer Requiem aeternam (Eternal rest).

IMPORTANT DATES

Table with 2 columns: Date and Event. Includes: Oct 31 All Hallows Eve Party, Nov 1 All Saints (Holy Day of Obligation), Nov 2 All Souls, Nov 11 Women's Recollection (8:30 am - 3:30 pm), Jan 2-5 FSSP NAP Convocation, Jan 6 Christmas Party, Jan 7 FHC Registrations Due, Jan 14 FHC Classes Begin, Jan 27 Marriage Workshop (12 pm - 5 pm)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Registrations for First Holy Communion are now available in the parish office and bookstore. They will be due on Sun, Jan 7. Classes will begin on Sun, Jan 14. Fr. McWhirter will be teaching the classes this year.

The Troops of St. George are holding a fundraiser this Sun, Oct 29, following the 7, 8:30, 10, 11:30 am & 1 pm Masses. The menu for the fundraiser includes: after the 7 & 8:30 am Masses - pastries & coffee; after the 10, 11:30 am & 1 pm Masses - hot dogs, chips & beverages.

The Troops of St. George is a parish apostolate for fathers and sons. They use the outdoors and related skills to instill virtue and while growing closer to God and our Catholic faith. Thank for your support. To learn more about the Troops you can visit this website:

https://tsgtroop750.org

The All Hallows Eve Party is this Tues, Oct 31. We now have the schedule:

- 4:30 pm Parade of the Saints
5:30 pm Litany of the Saints in the Church

- 6 pm Holy Mass
7 pm Dinner (hot dogs and pot-luck chili)
7:30 pm Children's Activities
9:30 pm Clean-up

All Saints. Wed, Nov 1 is the Feast of All Saints; it is a holy day of obligation. Masses will be at 7 am, 8:30 am, noon (Solemn), and 6 pm.

All Souls. Thurs, Nov 2. Masses will be at 6:30 am, 7 am, 7:30 am; then at 11:30 am, 12:00 pm, 12:30 pm; and finally at 5:30 pm, 6 pm, 6:30 pm (Sung). Communion will be given at the 7 am, 12 pm, and 6:30 pm Masses.

Novena for the Dead. In November, the parish will offer nine Masses for the repose of the soul of our parishioners as well as their friends, family, and benefactors. Envelopes are now available in the vestibule - submitted names will be placed in a cloth envelope that is kept on the gradine of the altar for the duration of November.

Nine Masses for the Novena will be offered on Nov 2, 3, and 4.

First Friday & First Saturday fall this week.

There will be a sung Mass at noon on Fri, Nov 3.

The Little Flowers, Rosa Mystica, & Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary meet this Sat, Nov 4.

Women's Recollection. We will be hosting a day of recollection for the women of the parish on Sat, Nov 11. Registration forms for the recollection are available in the parish bookstore and office. Registration is due by Sun, Nov 5. The schedule is available online:

https://www.sacfssp.com/event/womens-day-of-recollection-5/

Marriage Workshop. On Sat, Jan 27, after the noon Mass, Fr Curtis will be providing an afternoon workshop for marriage. There will be three conferences on the following topics: weighing the options for education; difference modes of fathers and mothers relating to children; the hierarchy of the family and the virtuous exercise of authority; the different vulnerabilities of husbands and wives in marriage; and others, also question and answer. The workshop will begin with noon Mass and go until 5 pm.

Some of the young adult ladies of the parish have graciously agreed to provide childcare, with some organized activities, on the classroom side of the property for younger children during the Marriage Workshop.

40 Days for Life began on Sept 27 and will continue until Nov 5. Consider signing up at:

https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/sacramento/

Sunday Coffee. Join us in classroom 1 following the 7:00, 8:30 and 10:00 am Masses for fresh coffee & the opportunity to build community with fellow parishioners.

Volunteers: Please e-mail jmjhensons@icloud.com!



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