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<p>PARISH ONLINE NEWSLETTER To receive the bulletin and important announcements online, call the Parish Office to register.</p> <p>NEW PARISHIONERS 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>ST. BERNADETTE FUND Please consider giving to fellow parishioners in need. Donations can be made online or at the Parish Office.</p> <p>ONLINE GIVING 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		
6 Jul	Sun	Fourth Sunday after Pentecost, II
	7 am	+ Frank & Lucille Farinha
	8:30 am	+ Maria Greco
	10 am	+ Yvonne Perez
	11:30 am	Vanessa Beaton-Rice
	1 pm	<i>Pro populo</i>
	6 pm	Lily Watts
7 Jul	Mon	Sts. Cyril and Methodius, III
	7 am	+ Gary Gshwandtner
	12 pm	Chisom Osuagwu
	6 pm	India & Matt Casaday
8 Jul	Tues	St. Elizabeth of Portugal, III
	7 am	Institute of Christ the King
	12 pm	Inocencio Rangel & family
	6 pm	Van Cao & family
9 Jul	Wed	Feria, IV
	7 am	+ Sonia Reyes
	12 pm	+ Alfredo Reyes
	6 pm	Greg Lang
10 Jul	Thurs	7 Holy Brothers & Rufina & Secunda, III
	7 am	+ Holy Souls
	12 pm	Conversion for Mendez family
	6 pm	Jeana Wuchter
11 Jul	Fri	St. Pius I, IV
	7 am	+ Ruth Casciaro
	12 pm	Fr. Franco
	6 pm	+ Virgilio Esplana
12 Jul	Sat	St. John Gualbert, III
	7 am	+ Epifania Cabangon
	8:30 am	Kurt Heppe
	12 pm	+ John Casciaro

PRAYER LIST

Fr. Evaristus, Geoff Pyka, Carol Cummings, Ron Mantsch, Daniel Huynh, Avianna Ramirez, Ed Schneider, Paula Belen, Ralph Clark, Michelle DiGiovani, Mark Mitchell, Phil Carey, Judy Bennett, Jasinkas, Debbie Vilar, Dominick Damore, Judi Geldermann, Elaine Testa, Monique Rance, Karen Rich, Stephanie Reali-Saavedra, Theresa Reali, Don Varley, Dolly Lewis, Mary Ann Cuny, Barbara Graichen, Jim Carlson, Darryl Gallagher, Barbara Cogan, Jordan Aranas, JoAnn Mutterties

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

IN MEMORIAM

Jim Kasak, Anthony Correa, Helen DiCarlo, Daniel Nguyen, Fr. Salgado, Jazmin Orozco, Peter Luong Van Tran, Anne Marie Ternes, Bob Crocker, Kathleen Scarry, Bill Sneeringer, Marion Nicholas, Vincent DiCarlo, Estelle McKnerney, Alfred Solorio, Fr. James Buckley, Rudy Nagel, 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

PARISH GROUPS

Choir & Music Classes & Organ Society **Keven Smith**
Youth & Adults, Sunday & Thursday ksmith_writer@yahoo.com

Altar Guild & Altar Guild Minor..... **Mike Solton**
Boys 7 – 18, Third Saturday 916-832-2859

Troops of Saint George (Scouting)..... **James Campbell**
Boys 6 – 18 Jcampbell@tsgtroop750.org

Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary..... **Amy Rutschow**
Girls 14 – 18, First Saturday 916-340-5782

Rosa Mystica **Hannah Fauci**
Girls 9 – 13, First Saturday 323-590-8003

Little Flowers **Katie Scarry**
Girls 5 – 8, First Saturday 530-945-6947

Youth Group..... **Liz Hernandez**
Ages 14 – 18, Second & Fourth Friday 916-396-4062

OLSW Co-op **Inocencio Rangel**
Ages 14 – 18, Tuesday & Thursday 916-804-6359

CCM Co-op..... **Blanca Pimentel**
Ages 3 – 14, Thursday blancaerodria@yahoo.com

Veritas (Young Adult Group)..... **Kyle Watson**
Ages 18 – 39, Third Tuesday veritasnorcal@gmail.com

Adult Catechism..... **Fr. Joshua Curtis, FSSP**
Adults, Second & Fourth Thursday frcurtis@fssp.com

Chesterton Society **Spencer Roundtree**
Adults, Second Tuesday sac.chesterton@gmail.com

Ushers..... **Roger Soto**
Adult men, Sundays & Holy Days 209-610-1163

Security **Federico Serrano**
Adult Men, Sundays & Parish Events 916-907-4236

Altar Linen & Flowers Society **Tomoko McDonough**
Adult women, Third Saturday mcdonoughmommy6@gmail

Church Flowers..... **Hannah Fauci**
Friday or Saturday 323-590-8003

Church Cleaning..... **Eli Gonzalez**
Wednesday 916-395-7408

Collection Count Crew **Kelly Manstch**
Monday Parish Office 916-451-5114

Brown Bag Lunch Program..... **Maureen Olguin**
Sunday jmolguin5960@att.net

The Gabriel Project **Catarina Hinojos**
On call..... 415-286-6228

Senior's Lunch (55+)..... **Janice Marston**
Third Thursday 916-459-9056

Coffee & Donuts..... **Nicole**
Sunday mrs99@pm.me

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

**Fr. Jacob Kasak, FSSP; Riley Silva (OLGS);
 Sr. MaryAnne Regina, CM; Sr. Kiana Nava, OSB**

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

PASTOR'S COLUMN

ROBERT DAO, RIP

After attending a wedding at St. Stephen's some time ago, Robert was reinvigorated in his Catholic faith and began coming regularly to Mass here. He was particularly close with the Rosas family, whom he has known since high school.

Last weekend, during a camping trip in the mountains, he slipped and fell into the rapids. Unable to swim, Robert drowned. He was only twenty-eight years old.

Robert is survived by his father and sister. Please keep him and his family in your prayers. We will offer a funeral Mass for him on Tuesday, July 22, at 10 am. Burial will follow at East Lawn Cemetery in Elk Grove. It would be wonderful if parishioners could assist at the Requiem Mass in order to pray for this young man who had so recently joined our community.

NEW DIAPER CABINET

Drew Bolen has finished the diaper cabinet for the new women's restroom. Mothers can place extra diapers in the cabinet. They may be used when families find themselves unexpectedly without a diaper while at the parish.

I would like to thank the surface fabricator, John, who donated the material and his labor for the quartz surface, which matches the sinks in the restrooms.

Enjoy!



CAMP: LOST & FOUND

A large number of items were left behind by children attending the camps this year. They are available in the parish hall, behind the curtain, near the NE Storage; some may also be found in the *Lost & Found* bin near the Classroom Office. Please recover all lost items soon, as abandoned items will soon be taken to Good Will.

ADULT CATECHISM

Our first class is **Thursday, August 14 at 7 pm**. Those interested in registering or in the full schedule can contact me by e-mail at frcurtis@fssp.com, or they can obtain forms from the parish bookstore.

IMPORTANT DATES

Jul 20-24	Parish Retreat (contact: Patrick Risse)
Aug 2	Pig Roast
Aug 5-7	Chant Camp
Aug 14	Adult Catechism begins (7 pm)
Jun 14-20	2026, Camp Sacred Heart
Jun 20-26	2016, Camp Immaculate Heart

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday

Financial Peace University. Classes continue in classroom 2 today, Sun, Jun 22, at 3 pm. Each meeting includes a seminar video (about one hour) followed by a discussion.

Chant Workshop, in the parish hall, at 2:45 pm.

Second Collection for the Building Fund.

Pig Roast. Tickets on sale in the courtyard! See below for more details.

This Week

The **Chesterton Society** meets on Tues, Jul 8 at 7 pm.

Looking Ahead

Fatima Procession. Sun, Jul 13 after the High Mass.

Funeral. Robert Dao, Tues, Jun 22 at 10 am.

Parish Retreat. 2025 silent retreat from Jul 20-24. \$750. Sacramento, CA. Fr Edmund Page, O.Praem. Register before Mon, Jul 14. Call or text 916-407-7930 for more information. Spots are limited and filling fast!

The Patronal Feast (a.k.a. the Pig Roast) of our parish is coming soon - August 2! Our feast is a chance to express our gratitude to our holy patron, St. Stephen the First Martyr, for all of the blessings he has obtained for our community.

Pig Roast Rummage Sale. Starting Jul 1, kindly bring new, next to new, clean, vintage, antique, or expensive treasures to Classroom 3. *N.B. Some we will save for the auction in Oct.* Contact Barbara Christi at 916 -995-7855 or Mary Schaefer at 916-850-5555.

Our parishioner **Riley Silva** has been accepted as a **seminarian** by OLGS (FSSP seminary) and will begin studies in September. Please keep him in your prayers.



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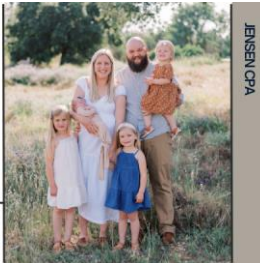
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