People of Light

O God of all nations,
who beckon us to live in the light,
you scattered the darkness through the birth of your Son, Jesus.
Prophets of old foretold that your brilliance would cover the earth and draw all peoples into your loving care.
Grant that we, who, like the Magi, seek the radiance of your glory are found worthy to proclaim your holy name.
Shine brightly within our hearts and illuminate our minds as we faithfully share the Good News.
May all peoples be drawn closer to you by the revelation of your Incarnate Word.
Keep us ever in your care, so that, filled with joy, we may always work to build a just and peaceful world.
Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.
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Our Mission

The Cathedral Parish of Annunciation is a Community of Disciples called to WELCOME all to CELEBRATE God’s love in Eucharist and Sacrament, and to GROW in our faith and commitment in order to SERVE others in justice and love.

Nuestra Misión

La Catedral de la Anunciación es una Comunidad de Discípulos llamados a ACOGER a todos, a CELEBRAR el amor de Dios en la Eucaristía y los Sacramentos, y a CRECER en nuestra fe y compromiso para SERVIR a los demás en la justicia y el amor.

“I have fear when I posses least, and the Lord knows that I am more afflicted when I have excess of anything than when I have lack of anything. I am not sure if it’s the Lord’s doing, but I have noticed that He provides for us immediately.”

-St. Teresa of Avila

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**From the Parish House:**

As we celebrate the Feast of the Epiphany, the Day of the Magi, the Day of the Tres Reyes Magos, we conclude the Christmas celebrations. This year we have only a couple of weeks before we begin the next great cycle in the Church’s year: the Forty Days of Lent, the Three Great Days of the Lord’s Death and Resurrection, and the Fifty Days of Eastertime.

In the ‘in-between-time’, we try to catch our breath, look around at the wonderful gifts that God has given us in our family and our friends and the unexpected blessings that come to us every day in this Ordinary Time.

Our prayer is that you do take the time to look around, to pay attention, to contemplate the wonders and the gifts that are ours and that you join us in giving thanks to God for all of them. We have reason to hope.

In these very troubled times, in the midst of a very broken world, at a time when many people are displaced and persecuted and in terrible danger, we are called not only to defend and speak and work for their good, but also to be people of hope that trusts the power of love and forgiveness to overcome our brokenness and sin.

With prayers for a peaceful and hope filled New Year—The Pastoral Staff of the Cathedral of the Annunciation.

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**De la Casa Parroquial:**

Al celebrar la fiesta de la Epifanía, el día de los Tres Reyes Magos, concluimos las celebraciones de Navidad. Este año tenemos un par de semanas antes de comenzar el siguiente ciclo de la iglesia: los cuarenta días de Cuaresma, los tres días de la muerte y resurrección del Señor y los cincuenta días de la semana.

Mientras tanto, tratamos de recobrar el aliento, mirando alrededor los maravillosos regalos que Dios nos ha dado en nuestra familia, nuestros amigos y las bendiciones inesperadas que nos llegan día a día en este tiempo ordinario.

Nuestra oración es que usted se tome el tiempo para mirar alrededor, de prestar atención, de contemplar las maravillas y los dones que son nuestros y que unidos demos gracias a Dios por todos ellos. Tenemos una razón para la esperanza.

En estos mismo problemas de tiempo, en medio de un mundo muy roto, en un momento cuando muchas personas son desplazadas y perseguidas y en terrible peligro, estamos llamados no sólo a defender y hablar y trabajar por su bien, sino también a ser personas de esperanza que confía en el poder del amor y el perdón para superar nuestra desobediencia y pecado.

Nuestro deseo es un año lleno de paz y esperanza. Les desea el Equipo Pastoral de la Catedral de la Anunciación.
Schedule of Masses / Horario de las Misas

Saturdays / Sábados: 5:30 pm
Sundays / Domingos: 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 1:00 pm Español
Weekdays / Entre Semana: 6:30 am

Our Family

- Congratulations and blessings to the families of Alexander Maddin Garcia and Roman Mace Garcia who were baptized last week.
- Please pray for those in our community who are ill or going through a difficult time, especially Austin Wade Harrold and Rocío Zavala-Maciel.
- Please pray for those who have passed through death into a new life with Christ, especially Moises Jauregui Sr. and Anita Diaz.

Life Matters

"Reverence for life affords me my fundamental principle of morality, namely, that good consists in maintaining, assisting and enhancing life, and to destroy, harm or to hinder life is evil."

- Albert Schweitzer

Mass Intentions / Misa de Intención:

1/08/18: 9:00 am: Bernadine Smith
1/09/18: 6:30 am: Jovita Vargas
1/10/18: 6:30 am: Alfredo Gonzalez
1/11/18: 9:00 am:
1/12/18: 6:30 am:
1/13/18: 5:30 pm: Norma Rocco

Reconciliation / Reconciliación

Wednesdays / Miércoles: 7:00 - 8:00 pm
Saturdays / Sábados: 8:30 - 9:30 am

Mass Readings for Sunday, January 14, 2018
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 1: Sm 3:3b-10, 19
Reading 2: Cor 6:13c-15a 17-20
Gospel: Jn 1:35-42

Ministerio de Jóvenes

Vamos a tener un retiro para estudiantes de secundaria (High School) del 23 al 25 de Febrero en el campamento de San Francisco en California Aptos. Para más información póngase en contacto con Sandra a la casa parroquial 209 463-1305.

Youth Ministry

We are having a retreat for high school students, February 23rd-25th at Camp St Francis in Aptos California. For more information contact Sandra at the parish house at 209 463-1305. We will be passing out the applications for the retreat after Mass this weekend.

Give Us This Day, Our Daily bread:

Our regular monthly food drive will take place next Saturday and Sunday, January 13 and 14 at all the Masses. On our wish list for this month's food drive: Canned fruit, canned soups, canned tuna, tomatoes, tomato sauce, noodle cup soups and Mac & cheese. Please continue to be generous in sharing with our community's hungry families. Please bring non-perishable food items to Mass next weekend. Thank you!
**Annunciation School: “Saint Strong”**

**Cena Anual de Jaiva**
Reúne a tu familia, amigos y acompañemos a la Cena Anual de la Anunciación, el Sábado, 20 de Enero del 2018. La noche incluirá cócteles para comprar, Ostras del Pacífico (ostión al vapor), delicioso cangrejo marinado, pasta, ensalada, pan y postre. También habrá rifas, música y baile. Los boletos están disponibles en la página web de la escuela y en la oficina. ¡Reserva hoy, antes de que se agoten los boletos! Todo los fondos recaudados son dirigidos directamente para el beneficio de la escuela de la Anunciación.

**Annual Crab Feed**
Gather your family and friends and join us for our annual Annunciation School Crab Feed Saturday, January 20, 2018. The evening will include "No Host" cocktails, "Happy Hour" Steamed Pacific Oysters, delicious marinated crab, pasta, salad, bread, and dessert. You will also be treated to an exciting raffle, lively music and dancing. Tickets are available on the school website and in the school office. Make your reservations now, before it’s sold out! All proceeds will directly benefit Annunciation School.

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**Walk for Life, San Francisco**
On January 27 San Francisco will, in coordination with cities from around the world, host the 14th annual Walk for Life event. We Annunciation parishioners have been graciously invited to ride along with our brothers and sisters from Presentation Church on their chartered bus as long as there are seats still available. The cost is only $15 per person or $25 for up to a family of four. Contact Kathy or Bobby at 477-2470. Riders will meet at Presentation Parish, 1515 W. Benjamin Holt Drive at 7 a.m. and leave at 7:15 a.m. Also, check out www.walkforlifewc.com for further information on the events of the day.

May their efforts lead more and more to a universal recognition of enlightenment as we focus on God’s word that His message will profoundly be echoed in the silence of our prayers.

**Caminata por la Vida, San Francisco**
El Sábado 27 de Enero en coordinación con otras ciudades alrededor del mundo, la ciudad de San Francisco tendrá su catorceava caminata anual por la Vida. Los feligreses de Anunciación han sido invitados por los hermanos y hermanas de la iglesia de Presentación para viajar en el autobús siempre y cuando haya asientos disponibles. El costo es solamente de $15 por persona ó $25 por una familia de cuatro personas.
Comuníquese con Kathy ó Bobby al 477-2470. Las personas que quieran viajar en el autobús, deben estar presentes en la Iglesia de Presentación, 1515 W. Benjamin Holt Drive a las 7:00 a.m. el autobús partirá a las 7:15 a.m. Además, puede usted visitar la pagina www.walkforlifewc.com para más información para los eventos de ese día.

Que nuestros esfuerzos nos lleve mas y mas a reconocer universalmente; al mismo tiempo que nos enfocamos en la palabra de Dios, y su mensaje se repetirá profundamente en el silencio de nuestras oraciones.
ANNUNCIATION CYO 2017-2018 GIRLS VOLLEYBALL SEASON

WANTED: Girls Volleyball Coach for Annunciation CYO
A coach is needed for 3rd grade. If you are interested please contact Joe Robledo at jrob788496@aol.com or (209) 923-0989.
SIGN UPS for Girls Volleyball at Annunciation CYO. Deadline is February 9, 2018.
Girls in grades 3-8 are welcome to sign up! Registration forms can be picked up at the Annunciation Parish House or on the Annunciation School Website.
For any questions please contact Alvin Mudaliar alvin_mudaliar@yahoo.com

Piano Recital Part 2, Jason Jeffrey
Saturday, February 10, 2018 @ 7:00 pm
Join us to part 2 of our very own Director of Music Ministries’ piano recital. Jason will be performing some well known classics, such as Chopin’s legendary “Heroic” Polonaise, Beethoven’s ground-breaking “Waldstein” sonata, Mendelssohn’s thrilling Trio in D minor, for piano, cello, and violin (1st movement), and more.
This will be an exciting concert that he is happy to offer free to the Stockton community, with a reception following the concert. All free will donations will help support the music ministry at the Cathedral of the Annunciation. A live stream link will be available on the day of the performance!

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