CATHEDRAL OF THE ANNUNCIATION

Growing and Serving Together

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Third Sunday of Advent



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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.



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sharing the gifts we have been given

Total Offertory Collection	Current Week	Year to Date
Offertory Collection for December 9, 2018	\$18,2 70	\$336,000
This Year's Budget Goal	\$18,335	\$372,944
Variance from Budget	(\$65)	(\$36,943)

Save the dates: Christmas Eve Mass: December 24 at 4:00 pm

Nativity of the Lord: December 25 at 10:00 am



Aparte las fechas: **Misa de Nochebuena: 24 de Diciembre, 8:00 pm**

Misa de Navidad: 25 de Diciembre, 1:00 pm

Third Sunday of Advent ~ Tercer Domingo de Adviento

Sunday, December 16, 2018	Thursday, December 20, 2018	
Third Sunday of Advent 10:30 am: Sesiones de Formación de Fe: Gimnasio 2:30 pm: Baptisms: Church	Friday, December 21, 2018	
Monday, December 17, 2018	7:00 pm: Platicas para parejas: Escuela Parroquial 7:00 pm: Crecimientos: Escuela Parroquial	
7:00 pm: Scriptures Study: Parish House 7:00 pm: Grupo de Oración: Salón del Coro 7:00 pm: Communal Penance: Church		
	Saturday, December 22, 2018	
Tuesday, December 18, 2018	11:00 am: Practica de Coro de Niños: Salón del Coro	
6:30 pm: Legion de Maria: Escuela Parroquial 7:00 pm: RCIA Catechumenate: Parish House		
	Sunday, December 23, 2018	
Wednesday, December 19, 2018	Fourth Sunday of Advent 2:30 pm: Bautizos: Iglesia 2:30 pm: Posada: Gimnasio	
6:45 pm: Cathedral Choir Practice: Choir Room 7:00 pm: Baptism Class: Parish School		

Communal Penance: Monday, December 17 at 7:00 pm

Come prepare your heart for the birth of our Savior Jesus Christ.



The Sacrament of Penance allows us to receive forgiveness of sins and be reconciled with God, self, the Church family, and the human family—restoring our broken communion. Through Penance, we return to right relationships (Sacramentum Caritatis, no. 20).

Sin damages our relationships with others and all of creation. Thus, sin is never a purely individual affair and has social dimensions (Pope Benedict XVI, Sacramentum Caritatis [Sacrament of Charity], no. 20; Pope John Paul II, Reconciliatio et Paenitentia [Reconciliation and Penance], no. 15).

Take a moment to reflect on how sin has damaged your relationship with others.

Servicios Penitenciales: el Lunes, 17 de Diciembre a las 7:00 pm



Vienen a preparar su corazón para el nacimiento de nuestro Salvador Jesucristo.

El Sacramento de la penitencia nos permite recibir el perdón de los pecados y reconciliarse con Dios, uno mismo, la familia de la iglesia y la familia humana — restaurando la comunión rota. A través de la penitencia, volvemos a las verdaderas relaciones (Sacramentum Caritatis, no. 20).

El pecado daña nuestras relaciones con los demás y toda la creación. El pecado nunca es un asunto individual y tiene dimensiones sociales (Papa Benedicto XVI, Sacramentum Caritatis [Sacramento de la caridad], no. 20; Papa Juan Pablo II, Reconciliatio et Paenitentia [reconciliación y penitencia, № 15]. Tome un momento para reflexionar sobre cómo el pecado ha dañado su relación con los demás.

The Parish House will be closing at 4:00 pm on Friday, December 21, 2018.

La Casa Parroquial cerrara a las 4:00 pm el Viernes, 21 de Diciembre de 2018.



PRAISE

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

- Please pray for those in our community who are ill, hurt, or going through a difficult time, especially, Rose Rios, Marie Shane, Johnie Jones, Mary Hiersh, Michael Madueña, Maria and Ken Gates, Estela Benavides, Rosemarie McGuire, Emile Monk, Marie Nagy, and Lidia Zerna.
- Please pray for those who have passed through death into a new life with Christ, especially Ian Santos and Mary Louise Lucero. May God grant them eternal rest.



Life Matters *Giving honor to His word by our lives.*

"The most pathetic person in the world is someone who has sight but has no vision." -Helen Keller

<u>Baptisms / Bautizos</u>

English: 1st and 3rd Sundays at 2:30 pm Español: 20 y 40 Domingo a las 2:30 pm

Reconciliation / Reconciliación:

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

Mass Intentions/Misas de Intención:

12/17/18: 6:30 am: Virginia Budesa

12/18/18: 6:30 am: Vidal Tostado

12/19/18: 6:30 am: Pde. Cesar Martinez (Special Intention)

12/20/18: 6:30 am: Tomasita Vance (Special Intention)

12/21/18: 6:30 am: Lili Bobadilla (Special Intention)

12/22/18: 5:30 pm: Margie & Johnny Areola (Special Intention)

Mass Readings for Sunday, December 23, 2018 Fourth Sunday of Advent

Reading 1: MI 5:1-4A Reading 2: HEB 10:5-10 Gospel: LK 1:39-45



World Youth Day 2019- Stateside Pilgrimage here in town- January 26-27, 2019

World Youth Day (**WYD**) is an event for young Catholic people. It was initiated by Pope John Paul II in 1985. It is celebrated internationally every two to three years at different locations. Did you know that World Youth Day 2019 is taking place in Panama?! **Many of us are not able to make the pilgrimage to Panama so we are hosting a stateside pilgrimage!** The Family Faith Formation and Youth Ministries at Cathedral of the Annunciation are coming together to bring the experience of WYD to our local youth. Pick up your registration form at the Parish House or print it out online.

Www.annunciationstockton.org/ministries/world-youth-day-2019

Jornada Juvenil 2019 - Peregrinage aquí en la ciudad-26 de Enero al 27, 2019

El Programa de Formación de Fe y el Ministerios de Jóvenes de la Catedral de la Anunciación se unieron para traer la experiencia de la Jprnada Mundial de Juvenil a los jóvenes locales. Registrate en la casa parroquial o imprimela inscripción en línea.

I am the servant of the Lord. May it be done to me according to your word,







Annunciation School: Treasuring God's Word

- ⇒ Thanks to our Parent Teacher Organization, students experienced the joy of giving at the Annunciation Christmas Store, a time honored tradition of our school. Parents transformed the auditorium into a festive shopping experience where students were able to select and purchase special gifts for their family members, have the gifts wrapped and ready to put under the tree for Christmas morning.
- ⇒ Annunciation School will be presenting a special Advent Program December 19, at 1:00 pm in the Cathedral. All are invited to see a presentation of the Nativity and hear the joyful music of the season.
- ⇒ Give the gift of an evening out! Treat your family and friends to a delicious crab dinner at the Annunciation School Crab Feed coming up Saturday, January 26, 2019, 5:30 pm 11:00 pm. Enjoy this fun community event as you feast on steamed pacific oysters, delicious marinated crab, pasta, salad, Genova bread and dessert. Tickets are now on sale on our website at www.annunciation-school.org under the Events tab or contact the school office at 209-444-4000. We hope to see you all there!

75th Anniversary Christmas Concert Lessons and Carols Monday, December 24, 2018 at 11:00 pm



Featuring a members from our very own Music Ministry accopanied by a professional chamber orchestra.

Thank you to all to who have donated to the Christmas Eve Concert! With these donations we are now able to hire a

chamber orchestra and make this a wonderful event for our church. We are still accepting donations for this concert, which will go toward purchasing a beautiful Roland C-80 Digital Harpsichord, which sounds very much like a traditional harpischord used during the times of Mozart and Bach! It also has beautiful organ sounds that we can use for all kinds of services, as well as for Sunday Masses with the choir. This instrument" cost 5,000 dollars and thanks to your generous donations we have purchased it. This instrument for the Cathedral will be used for generations to come! Maintenance will be minimal because it is a digital instrument! Checks can be made to "Cathedral of the Annunciation" or donations can be made online at our website <u>www.annunciationstockton.org</u> and click on "Giving." From the bottom of our hearts we are grateful for your support and generosity.

Annunciation Advent Giving Tree



Traditionally, each year during the Christmas season, the Annunciation reaches out to help families experiencing difficult times in our community, to other parish communities.

Many thanks to those who participated and gave to our Advent Giving Tree. **Thank you for your generosity.** Please bring gifts to the parish house no later than December 17, 2018.

The Advent Tree works by referral. If you would like to refer a family from our parish, please call Alma or Mari at the Parish House at (209) 463-1305 by Monday, December 17.

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Invitation to SIMBANG GABI

Save the dates: December 16 to December 24, 2018

The Filipino-American Community of Annunciation Cathedral invites all parishioners to join the celebration of *SIMBANG GABI*, a series of nine (9) days of Novena Masses prior to Christmas. This starts on the evening of December 16 at 7:00 p.m. and ends at 6:30 in the morning of December 24, in preparation for the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ. Fellowship after each mass will be held in the Cafeteria, ex-

cept on December 21 at St. Luke's. Welcome ALL!



December 16, 2018 December 17, 2018 December 18, 2018 Dec. 19, 20, 2018 Dec. 21, 2018 Deanery December 22, 2018 December 23 2018 December 24, 2018 7:00 p.m. (Sunday) Mass in Filipino
6:30 a.m. (Monday)
7:00 p.m. (Tuesday)
7:00 p.m. (Wednesday & Thursday)
7:00 p.m. (Friday) at St. Luke's Church
5:30 p.m. (Saturday)
7:00 p.m. (Sunday)
6:30 a.m. (Monday)

Las Posadas también comienzan el 16 de Diciembre Por favor vea el calendario dentro de este boletín.

Monthly Vocations Discernment Gathering



Do you know of an adult male 16 years and over who might be called to the priesthood? If so, please invite him to our December discernment meeting held at the Cathedral's Parish House (425 W. Magnolia, Stockton) **Sunday, December 16, 2018 at 5:00 pm.** A light meal will be offered. RSVP to Fr. Cesar at: <u>vocations@stocktondiocese.org</u> or 209-463-1305.

Reunión mensual de Discernimiento de Vocaciones

¿Conoce a un muchaco de 16 años o mayor que tenga el llamado al sacerdocio? Si es así, invitalo a nuestra reunion de Diciembre en la Casa Parroquial de la Catedral (425 W. Magnolia, Stockton) **Domingo, 16 de Diciembre de 2018 a las 5:00 pm.** Se ofrecerá una comida ligera. RSVP con el Padre Cesar al: <u>vocations@stocktondiocese.org</u> o 209-463-1305.



Walk for Life

Our value as Christians is forever grounded in a reverence for life. Soon millions of international participants will prayerfully express their combined hopes from city to city around the globe on a mission to create a more pro-life world. Correspondingly, the 15th annual West Coast Walk for Life will take place on **January 26 in San Francisco**.

A NEW TRADITION. A NEW VOICE. SAN FRANCISCO Your participation in San Francisco will help to emphatically exhibit a profound message to

all. And beginning at this very moment all of us can lovingly pray for a conversion of heart by those who presently accept the violence of abortion as a means to get what they want.

A full docket of the day's events can be found on online at <u>www.walkforlifewc.com</u>. Further, you can get Information on a bus trip, sponsored by our diocesan friends at Presentation Church's Respect Life Committee, by calling 472-2150.



