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*Fourth 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.



**Christmas Eve Mass: December 24 at 4:00 pm**

**Midnight Mass at 12:00 am**

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



**Misa de Nochebuena: 24 de Diciembre, 8:00 pm**

**Misa de Gallo a las 12:00 am**

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

Total Offertory Collection	Current Week	Year to Date
Offertory Collection for December 16, 2018	\$16,925	\$352,925
This Year's Budget Goal	\$17,335	\$390,279
Variance from Budget	(\$410)	(\$37,354)

# Fourth Sunday of Advent ~ Cuarto Domingo de Adviento

<b>Sunday, December 23, 2018</b>	<b>Thursday, December 27, 2018</b>
<b>Fourth Sunday of Advent</b> 2:30 pm: Bautizos: Iglesia	<b>Office Closed</b>
<b>Monday, December 24, 2018</b>	<b>Friday, December 28, 2018</b>
4:00 pm: Christmas Eve Mass: Church 8:00 pm: Misa de Nochebuena: Iglesia 11:00 pm: Lessons & Carols Concert: Church	
<b>Tuesday, December 25, 2018</b>	<b>Saturday, December 29, 2018</b>
<b>Office Closed</b> 10:00 am: Christmas Day Mass: Church 1:00 pm: Misa Navideña: Iglesia	
<b>Wednesday, December 26, 2018</b>	<b>Sunday, December 30, 2018</b>
<b>Office and Church Closed</b>	

## **Navidad en la Anunciación** **Lunes, 24 de Diciembre, 2018**

Misa de Nochebuena: 8:00 pm  
Concierto Navideño: 11:00 pm  
Misa de Gallo: 12:00 am



## **La Natividad del Señor** **Martes 25 de Diciembre, 2018**

Misa de Navidad: 1:00 pm

## **Christmas at Annunciation** **Monday, December 24, 2018**

Christmas Eve Mass: 4:00 pm  
Lessons & Carols Concert: 11:00 pm  
Midnight Mass: 12:00 am



## **The Nativity of the Lord** **Tuesday, December 25, 2018**

Christmas Day Mass: 10:00 am

The Parish House will be closed from Tuesday, December 25 to Thursday, December 27, 2018.  
Will reopen regular office hours Friday, December 28, 2018 at 8:30 am.

La Casa Parroquial estará cerrada desde el Martes, 25 de Diciembre al Jueves, 27 de Diciembre de 2018.  
Volveremos a abrir al horario regular el Viernes, 28 de Diciembre del 2018 en 8:30 am.

There will be no daily Mass and no confessions on Wednesday, December 26, 2018.  
No habrá Misa y ni confesiones el Miércoles, 26 de Diciembre del 2018.

## **December 31, 2018/ 31 de Diciembre 2018**

**New Year's Eve** 7:00 pm followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:00 pm  
Misa de Año Nuevo 7:00 pm seguido por la Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento hasta las 10:00 pm

# ALABAR



# 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

- Congratulations to the families of *Kayden Lee Logan SO*, who was baptized last week.
- 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, Maria and Ken Gates, Estela Benavides, Rosemarie McGuire, Emile Monk, Marie Nagy, Milena, and Lidia Zerna.
- Please pray for those who have passed through death into a new life with Christ, John Michael Madueña and Frances Kraft. May God grant them eternal rest.

## Baptisms / Bautizos

English: 1st and 3rd Sundays at 2:30 pm  
 Español: 2o y 4o 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:

12/24/18: Christmas Eve Masses  
**4:00 pm and 8:00 pm Español**  
 12/25/18: Christmas Day  
**10:00 am and 1:00 pm Español**  
 12/26/18: 6:30 am: No Mass  
 12/27/18: 6:30 am: Rachel Gioseffi  
 12/28/18: 6:30 am: Irma Diaz Islas  
 12/29/18: 5:30 pm: William Halvorson

## **Mass Readings for Sunday, December 30, 2018** **Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph**

**Reading 1:** SIR 3:2-6, 12-14

**Reading 2:** COL 3:12-21

**Gospel:** LK 2:41-52



## Life Matters

*Giving honor to His word by our lives.*



*"Faith means believing in things when common sense tells you not to." - from the movie, Miracle on 34th Street*

## **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](http://www.annunciationstockton.org/ministries/world-youth-day-2019)

## **Jornada Juvenil 2019 - Peregrinaje 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 Jornada Mundial de Juvenil a los jóvenes locales. Regístrate 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,*

LK:8





[Annunciation School: Treasuring God's Word](#)

- ⇒ Students and staff were in the Christmas spirit last week donning their Christmas hats, decorating classroom doors, bringing gifts for the Cathedral's Advent Tree and wearing their red and green Christmas attire. But the true meaning of Christmas was felt by all as the students presented the story of the Nativity and serenaded their audience with joyful music at the School Advent Program. Thank you to Miss Haley and Mrs. Spangler for directing this special program for all of our Annunciation families to enjoy.
- ⇒ **School will be closed for the Christmas holiday until Monday, January 7, 2019.** We would like take this time to say how grateful we are to you for sharing with our school community your kind presence, generous support, and loving prayers. We wish you and your loved ones the love, peace and happiness that the true meaning of Christmas brings.



**75th Anniversary Christmas Concert**

**Lessons and Carols**

**Monday, December 24, 2018 at 11:00 pm**



Featuring a members from our very own Music Ministry accoppanied 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 harpsichord 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 [www.annunciationstockton.org](http://www.annunciationstockton.org) and click on "Giving." From the bottom of our hearts we are grateful for your support and generosity.



**Annunciation Bereavement Corner**

*To remember a departed loved one at Christmas, is to remember love and to know that love never ends.*





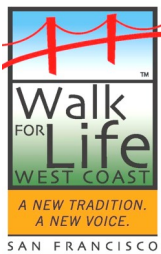
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### AN ADVENT PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH IN CRISIS

**-From the Blog of Bishop Stephen E. Blaire**

Come, Lord Jesus. Give your Church the grace to remove all vestiges of clerical sexual abuse. Give us the wisdom, courage and strength: to listen and respond lovingly to the survivors of these grave indignities; to keep in place, implement and expand upon all the protocols that are needed to protect our children and youth; to remove all causes or occasions in the Church that have contributed to this devastating crisis; to take great care in assessing that our clergy are spiritually, emotionally and intellectually mature for ordination; to co-operate with all public authorities in a honest and straightforward manner; to explore understanding the nature of sexual abuse of children as a crime, sin and illness so that all children in society can be protected; and above all to ask God's mercy upon us as we prepare to celebrate your coming, Lord Jesus. You save us from our sins and call us to a total conversion of heart. Come, Lord Jesus, born of the Virgin Mary and raised as a child in Nazareth. Come, Lord Jesus.

### 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 15<sup>th</sup> annual West Coast Walk for Life will take place on **January 26 in San Francisco**.

We have, in each of us, the ability to contribute to this cause in various ways. Certainly, 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 [www.walkforlifewc.com](http://www.walkforlifewc.com). 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.

### SACRED HEART CHURCH- TURLOCK—WE'RE HIRING

#### Director of Youth Ministry

We are seeking a highly motivated individual to fulfill the part-time position (with full-time potential) for Director of Youth Ministries. To act as a liaison between the Pastor, the Director of Faith Formation and Youth Ministries in the Parish. The Director of youth ministry provides vision and coordination for young people from 8<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. This includes weekly high school sessions (Wednesdays), weekly youth Mass attendance (Sundays), monthly activities, and annual weekend retreat. For job description please go to: [www.shparish.net](http://www.shparish.net) And forward resume and cover letter to: Feliciano Tapia, Director of Faith Formation at: [felicianotapia7@gmail.com](mailto:felicianotapia7@gmail.com) (209) 634-3444. You will need to complete our parish application form and provide two letters of recommendation. Applications are being accepted until Friday January 18, 2019.



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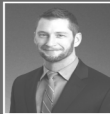
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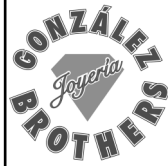
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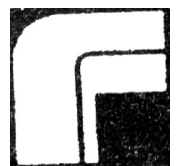
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