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∞ FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT ∞ FEBRUARY 21, 2026 ∞



**The Most Reverend Myron J. Cotta, D.D.**

*Bishop of Stockton / Obispo de Stockton*

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Hilary Sanguinetti, Parish School Principal

### PARISH HOUSE OFFICE HOURS / HORARIO DE OFICINA:

Monday – Friday / Lunes – Viernes

8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

2nd Wednesday of the month, closed at 12:00 p.m.

[info@annunciationstockton.org](mailto:info@annunciationstockton.org)

### MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS:

**Monday – Friday: 8:00 a.m.**

**SATURDAY / SÁBADO**

5:30 p.m. – English

7:00 p.m. – Español

**SUNDAY / DOMINGO**

7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. – English

1:00 p.m. – Español

### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE / CONFESIONES:

Wednesday / Miércoles: 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Saturday / Sábado: 8:30 – 9:30 a.m.

### PARISH PRESCHOOL / ESCUELA PREESCOLAR:

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Shannon Rodriguez, Parish Preschool Director

## PARISH 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.

## MISIÓN PARROQUIAL

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.

## SHEPHERD CHILDREN OF FATIMA ~ PASTORCITOS DE FATIMA

### *History of Our Lady of Fatima*

Our Lady of Fatima refers to the apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary that took place in 1917 in the small village of Fatima, Portugal. The Virgin Mary appeared to three shepherd children: **Lucia dos Santos** and her cousins **Francisco and Jacinta Marto**.

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### *Historia de Nuestra Señora de Fátima*

Nuestra Señora de Fátima se refiere a las apariciones de la Santísima Virgen María que tuvieron lugar en 1917 en el pequeño pueblo de Fátima, Portugal. La Virgen María se apareció a tres pastorcitos: **Lucía dos Santos** y sus primos **Francisco y Jacinta Marto**.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23	THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26
8:00 a.m.: Daily Mass (English): Church 6:00 p.m.: Grupo de Oración: Salón del Coro	8:00 a.m.: Daily Mass (English): Church 6:00 p.m.: Lenten Mission / Mision Cuaresmal: Parish Center 6:00 p.m.: SHE sessions: School Auditorium 7:30 p.m.: Holy Hour / Hora Santa: Church
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24	FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27
8:00 a.m.: Daily Mass (English): Church 6:00 p.m.: Legión de María: Salón del Coro <b>7:00 p.m.: Funeral Sacristan Training: Church</b>	8:00 a.m.: Daily Mass (English) 12:00 p.m.: Stations of the Cross: Church 5:30 p.m.: Stations of the Cross: Church 6:00 p.m.: Soup Suppers / Cenas de Cuaresma: School/ Escuela 7:00 p.m.: Vía Crucis: Iglesia
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25	SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28
8:00 a.m.: Daily Mass (English): Church 6:00 p.m.: Adult Choir Practice: Choir Room 7:00 p.m.: Grupo de Parejas: Escuela Parroquial 7:00 –8:00 p.m.: Confesiones / Confesiones	6:30 a.m.: That Man Is YOU!: Choir Room 8:30 a.m.: Confesiones / Confesiones 5:30 p.m.: Vigil Mass: Church 7:00 p.m.: Misa Dominical: Iglesia

**Mass Intentions / Intenciones de Misa:**

- 02/23/26: 8:00 a.m. : Andres Diaz Santillan †
- 02/24/26: 8:00 a.m. : Elizabeth Good †
- 02/25/26: 8:00 a.m. : Claire Guillermo Cruz †
- 02/26/26: 8:00 a.m. : In Thanksgiving to St. Jude
- 02/27/26: 8:00 a.m. : In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony of Padua
- 02/28/26: 5:30 p.m. : Msgr. Larry McGovern †
- 02/28/26: 7:00 p.m. : Rosendo Pantoja †

~ March 1 ~

**Second Sunday of Lent ~ Segundo Domingo de Cuaresma**

**1st:** Genesis 12:1-4a  
**2nd:** 2 Timothy 1:8b-10  
**Gospel:** Matthew 17:1-9

**1ra:** Génesis 12, 1-4a  
**2da:** 2 Timoteo 1, 8b-10  
**Evangelio:** Mateo 17, 1-9



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Between May 13 and October 13, 1917, Our Lady appeared to the children six times, calling the world to prayer, repentance, and conversion. She urged devotion to the Rosary and asked for sacrifices for the conversion of sinners and for peace in the world, which at the time was suffering through World War I.

During the final apparition on October 13, thousands witnessed the “*Miracle of the Sun*,” a remarkable event that strengthened belief in the children’s testimony.

Francisco and Jacinta later died at a young age and were canonized as saints in 2017. Lucia became a Carmelite nun and lived a long life dedicated to prayer. The message of Fatima remains a powerful reminder of Mary’s call to trust in God, pray the Rosary, and seek peace through conversion of heart.



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Entre el 13 de mayo y el 13 de octubre de 1917, Nuestra Señora se apareció a los niños en seis ocasiones, llamando al mundo a la oración, la penitencia y la conversión. Les pidió rezar el Santo Rosario y ofrecer sacrificios por la conversión de los pecadores y por la paz en el mundo, que en ese tiempo sufría los estragos de la Primera Guerra Mundial.

Durante la última aparición, el 13 de octubre, miles de personas presenciaron el llamado “*Milagro del Sol*”, un acontecimiento extraordinario que fortaleció la fe en el testimonio de los niños.

Francisco y Jacinta murieron siendo aún muy jóvenes y fueron canonizados en 2017. Lucía llegó a ser religiosa carmelita y vivió una larga vida dedicada a la oración. El mensaje de Fátima sigue siendo un poderoso recordatorio del llamado de María a confiar en Dios, rezar el Rosario y buscar la paz por medio de la conversión del corazón.



**Annunciation School “Have a Heart, Tuition Assistance Fund”**

February is the month we celebrate love. Please take a moment to take an envelope from the board in front of St. Joseph. We are grateful for any and all donations and thank you for your support of our students.



## Bishop's Ministry Appeal 2026: *Fulfilling the Mission with a Generous Heart*

The BMA is an annual campaign to raise funds that support the programs and ministries serving the people of the Diocese of Stockton. Your gift to the BMA will provide needed funds to support ministries of the Diocese of Stockton and our parish. Please take an envelope home and discern what your family can contribute for this year's campaign. Thank you!

### **Campaña Ministerial del Obispo 2026: *Cumpliendo la Misión con un Corazón Generoso***

La Campaña Ministerial del Obispo (BMA) es una campaña anual para recaudar fondos que apoyan los programas y ministerios que sirven a la comunidad de la Diócesis de Stockton. Su donación al BMA proporcionará los fondos necesarios para apoyar los ministerios de la Diócesis de Stockton y nuestra parroquia. Por favor, lleve un sobre a casa y determine qué puede contribuir su familia a la campaña de este año. ¡Gracias!

#### **Lent at Annunciation Thursday Parish Lenten Mission**

##### **“Eternal Rest, the Art of Dying Well”**

*Join us on a Lenten journey.*

*We invite you to bring a light dish to share for the fellowship before the presentation.*

6:00 –6:15 p.m.: Fellowship in the Parish Center

6:15-7:30 p.m.: Reflection and discussion  
(*English in Parish Center*)

7:30-8:30 p.m.: Holy Hour in the Church

#### **Cuaresma en la Anunciación Misión Parroquial de Cuaresma los Jueves**

##### **“Descanso Eterno, El Arte de Morir Bien”**

*Acompáñenos en un camino cuaresmal.*

*Los invitamos a traer un platillo para compartir con la comunidad antes de la presentación.*

6:00 –6:15 p.m.: Convivencia en el Centro Parroquial

6:15-7:30 p.m.: Reflexión y discusión  
(*Español en la Iglesia*)

7:30-8:30 p.m.: Hora Santa en la Iglesia

#### **Fridays during Lent**

12:00 p.m.: Stations of the Cross in the Church

5:30 p.m.: Stations of the Cross in the Church

6:00 p.m.: Soup Suppers: School Cafeteria

7:00 p.m.: Vía Crucis (Spanish)

Join us Fridays for **Lenten Soup Suppers** at the School Cafeteria (1110 N Lincoln St.)

Our parish ministries joyfully host these nights of fellowship and all are welcome!

#### **Viernes de Cuaresma**

12:00 p.m.: Vía Crucis (Ingles)

5:30 p.m.: Vía Crucis (Ingles)

6:00 p.m.: Cenas de Cuaresma: Cafeteria de la Escuela

7:00 p.m.: Vía Crucis en la Iglesia (Español)

Únase a nosotros los viernes para las **cenas de sopa** de Cuaresma en la cafetería de la escuela (1110 N Lincoln St.).

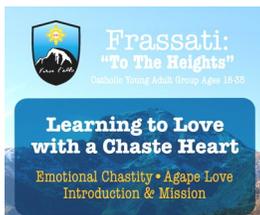
¡Nuestros ministerios parroquiales organizan con alegría estas noches de compañerismo y todos son bienvenidos!

### **SHE Shall Be Called Woman, Women's Ministry**



*SHE* is a transformative journey designed to strengthen your identity in Christ while fostering authentic relationships with the women of our community.

Join us for food, fellowship, and faith next **Thursday, February 26, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.** in the school Auditorium. All women are welcome! If you are already registered, please continue to join us and bring a friend. If you are not registered, please contact either: Terry Chukwueke at 209-470-5923 or Lucy Soldati at 209-365-3891.



### **The Frassati Fellowship Young Adult Group is back!**

All young adults ages 18-35 are invited to an inspiring evening titled, **“To the Heights: Learning to Love with a Chaste Heart.”** Join us for a night of fellowship, faith, and meaningful conversation as we introduce the mission of the Frassati Fellowship. We will explore the beauty of emotional chastity and agape love—a Christ-centered love that leads to authentic freedom, deeper relationships, and holiness.

Come connect with others, grow in your faith, and be encouraged to rise together to the heights!

**Friday, Feb. 27th ~ 7:00-9:00 p.m. ~ Annunciation School Auditorium (1110 N Lincoln St)**

### **That Man Is You! (TMIY): Worthy of the Call – Spring Semester**

Attention men of the Cathedral of the Annunciation! If you are looking to deepen your relationship with God, become a better husband and a more loving father, build strong friendships with other like-minded men, and grow into the man God is calling you to be, consider joining That Man Is You (TMIY).

TMIY meets on Saturday mornings in the Choir Room on **February 28, from 6:30 to 8:15 a.m.**

For more information, contact Lawrence Chukwueke, TMIY Core Team Leader, at lchukwueke@sbcglobal.net or (209) 329-5624.





Register on FORMED

1. Go to FORMED.org/signup
2. Enter our parish zip code (95203), select "Annunciation School"
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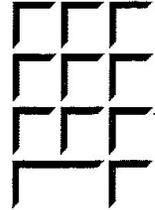
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