



CATHEDRAL OF THE ANNUNCIATION

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER ∞ MAY 18, 2025



The Most Reverend Myron J. Cotta, D.D.
Bishop of Stockton / Obispo de Stockton

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The Reverend Cesar Martinez, Parochial Administrator
The Reverend Joseph Nguyen, Parochial Vicar
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Deacon Mike Wofford
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Harvin Cruz, Maintenance
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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.
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 School / Escuela Parroquial

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Adriana Gonzales, Parish School Principal

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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.

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS ~ OREMOS POR LAS VOCACIONES

Dear parishioners,
With hearts full of joy and thanksgiving, let us glorify God for the great gift our diocese received this past Saturday morning at our Cathedral: the ordination of a new priest, **Father Saul Perez**. This is a moment of immense grace for us all—for it has been six long years

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Queridos feligreses,
Con el corazón lleno de alegría y agradecimiento, glorifiquemos a Dios por el gran don que nuestra diócesis recibió el pasado sábado por la mañana en nuestra Catedral: la ordenación de un nuevo sacerdote, el **Padre Saúl Pérez**. Este es un momento de inmensa

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since a priest was last ordained in our diocese.

In this sacred event, we are reminded that the priesthood is not a relic of the past, but a living sign of Christ's enduring love for His Church. The priest is the one who, by the grace of God, brings us the Eucharist, forgives our sins in the confessional, anoints our sick and dying, and shepherds us toward eternal life. Without the priesthood, there is no Eucharist; without the Eucharist, there is no Church.

As we look to the future, we know that several of our beloved priests will soon retire after decades of faithful service. The question that now lies before us is urgent and real: *who will take up the torch? Who will bring Christ to the altar, to our families, to our dying loved ones?*

The answer must come from among us. The promotion of vocations is not the work of a few; it is the sacred responsibility of every member of the Body of Christ. Parents, speak to your children of holy things. Grandparents, plant seeds of faith. Encourage, support, and pray for those who may be called to give their lives wholly to Christ.

Let us ask the Lord of the harvest to raise up generous souls from within our own parish and diocese— young men who will say "yes" to the priesthood, and young women who will say "yes" to religious life. May they find courage in His call and joy in His service.

With a grateful heart and prayers for all of you,

Fr. César Martínez

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gracia para todos nosotros, pues han pasado seis largos años desde la última ordenación sacerdotal en nuestra diócesis.

En este sagrado evento, recordamos que el sacerdocio no es una reliquia del pasado, sino un signo vivo del amor eterno de Cristo por su Iglesia. El sacerdote es quien, por la gracia de Dios, nos trae la Eucaristía, perdona nuestros pecados en el confesionario, unge a nuestros enfermos y moribundos, y nos guía hacia la vida eterna. Sin el sacerdocio, no hay Eucaristía; sin Eucaristía, no hay Iglesia. Al mirar hacia el futuro, sabemos que varios de nuestros queridos sacerdotes pronto se jubilarán tras décadas de fiel servicio. La pregunta que ahora nos asalta es urgente y real: *¿quién tomará la antorcha? ¿Quién traerá a Cristo al altar, a nuestras familias, a nuestros seres queridos moribundos?*

La respuesta debe venir de entre nosotros. Promover las vocaciones no es tarea de unos pocos; es la sagrada responsabilidad de cada miembro del Cuerpo de Cristo. Padres, hablen con sus hijos de cosas santas. Abuelos, siembren semillas de fe. Animen, apoyen y oren por quienes pueden ser llamados a entregar su vida por completo a Cristo.

Pidamos al Señor que coseche almas generosas en nuestra parroquia y diócesis: jovencitos que digan "sí" al sacerdocio y mujeres jóvenes que digan "sí" a la vida religiosa. Que encuentren valentía en su llamado y alegría en su servicio.

Con un corazón agradecido y oraciones por todos ustedes,

Padre César Martínez

Bishop's Ministry Appeal 2025

Thank you to all parishioners for your support to our Bishop's Ministry Appeal!

We are happy to see more parish families contributing! To date, **210 families** have made pledges and gifts of over **\$67,443**, bringing us closer to our parish goal of **\$90,993!**

Contributions can be made online by scanning the QR code below and selecting, "BMA" as the fund.

Thank you all for your continued support!

Total Offertory Collection: May 11	Current Week	YTD
Offertory Collection	\$17,536	\$711,594
Budget Goal	\$15,661	\$675,106
Variance from Budget	\$1,875	\$36,488

Solicitud Ministerial del Obispo 2025

¡Gracias a todos los feligreses por su apoyo a nuestra Solicitud Ministerial del Obispo!

¡Nos alegra ver a más familias de la parroquia contribuyendo! Hasta la fecha, **210 familias** han hecho promesas y donaciones por más de **\$67,443**, acercándonos a nuestra meta parroquial de **\$90,993**.



Las contribuciones se pueden realizar en línea escaneando el código QR a continuación y seleccionando "BMA" como fondo.

¡Gracias a todos por su apoyo!



Online Giving

Scan the QR code to make your donation.

Donaciones en línea

Escanee el código QR para realizar su donación.

MONDAY, MAY 19	THURSDAY, MAY 22
8:00 a.m.: Daily Mass (English): Church 7:00 p.m.: Grupo de Oración: Salón del Coro	6:00 p.m.: Rosario con Madres de Fe y Esperanza: Iglesia 7:00 p.m.: Holy Hour / Hora Santa: Church / Iglesia
TUESDAY, MAY 20	FRIDAY, MAY 23
8:00 a.m.: Daily Mass (English): Church	8:00 a.m.: Daily Mass (English): Church 6:00 p.m.: Youth Group: School Auditorium
WEDNESDAY, MAY 21	SATURDAY, MAY 24
8:00 a.m.: Daily Mass (English): Church 6:00 p.m.: Saint Mary's Baccalaureate Mass 7:00 p.m.: Grupo de Parejas: Escuela No Confesiones / No Confesiones	8:30 –9:30 a.m.: Confessions / Confesiones 5:30 p.m.: Mass: Church 7:00 p.m.: Misa: Iglesia

Mass Intentions / Intenciones de Misa:

5/19/25: 8:00 a.m. : Susan Rainwater (Special Intention)
5/20/25: 8:00 a.m. : Molly Dunn ✠
5/21/25: 8:00 a.m. : Laurie Culligan (Special Intention)
5/22/25: 8:00 a.m. : Abraham Velazquez (Special Intention)
5/23/25: 8:00 a.m. : Marcos Bautista ✠
5/24/25: 5:30 p.m. : Soledad Maria Clarita-Cruz ✠
5/24/25: 7:00 p.m. : Maria Luisa Narvaez (Special Intention)

~ May 25 ~
Sixth Sunday of Easter
Sexto Domingo de Pascua

1st: Acts 15:1–2, 22–29
2nd: Revelation 21:1–5a
Gospel: John 14:23–29

1ra: Hechos 15, 1–2, 22–29
2da: Apocalipsis 21, 10–14, 22–23
Evangelio: Juan 14, 23–29



*Call the Parish House to schedule Mass intentions. ~ Llame a la Casa Parroquial para agendar intenciones de misa.
(209) 463-1305.*

A Beautiful Gift to Our Church: Our Lady of Fatima

We are overjoyed to share that a new image of Our Lady of Fatima has found a home in our church—a sacred gift that will surely inspire deeper devotion and prayer in our community.

Early this May, Bishop Cotta blessed and crowned Our Lady.

This beautiful statue was generously donated by an anonymous donor, whose selfless act of faith will bless not only our parish but the entire diocese. Bishop Cotta shared:

“The anonymous donor has given to the Cathedral/Diocese a priceless gift! I am anticipating many experiences of grace and mercy through Our Lady’s intercession for the parish and the diocesan church!”

We invite everyone to spend a moment in prayer before Our Lady of Fatima, entrusting her with your intentions and asking for her intercession. May this image be a beacon of hope, peace, and love for all who visit.

During the month of May, the Our Lady of Fatima will remain in the Sanctuary. Her permanent place will be in front across from Our Lady of Guadalupe at the entrance of the church.



Un Hermoso Regalo para Nuestra Iglesia: Nuestra Señora de Fátima

Nos llena de alegría compartir que una nueva imagen de Nuestra Señora de Fátima ha encontrado un hogar en nuestra iglesia; un regalo sagrado que sin duda inspirará una mayor devoción y oración en nuestra comunidad.

A principios de mayo, el Obispo Cotta bendijo y coronó a Nuestra Señora.

Esta hermosa estatua fue donada generosamente por un donante anónimo, cuyo generoso acto de fe bendecirá no solo a nuestra parroquia, sino a toda la diócesis. El Obispo Cotta compartió:

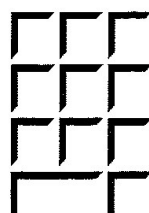
“¡El donante anónimo ha dado a la Catedral/Diócesis un regalo invaluable! ¡Espero muchas experiencias de gracia y misericordia por la intercesión de Nuestra Señora para la parroquia y la iglesia diocesana!”

Invitamos a todos a dedicar un momento de oración ante Nuestra Señora de Fátima, confiándole sus intenciones y pidiendo su intercesión. Que esta imagen sea un faro de esperanza, paz y amor para todos los que nos visiten. Durante el mes de mayo, la Virgen de Fátima permanecerá en el Santuario. Su lugar permanente será frente a la Virgen de Guadalupe, a la entrada de la iglesia.



O Jesus, our great High Priest, hear our humble prayers on behalf of your priest,
Father Saul.

Give him a deep faith, a bright and firm hope, and a burning love which will ever increase in the course of his priestly life. In his loneliness, comfort him; in his sorrow, strengthen him; in his frustration, point out to him that it is through suffering that the soul is purified. Show him that he is needed by the Church, he is needed by souls, he is needed for the work of redemption.

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