St. Anthony of Padua

Catholic Church

September 30, 2012

St. Anthony of Padua

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www.stanthonyfresno.org

Parish Office Hours
Monday - Friday: 8:00 - 4:30pm
(Open during lunch)

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 8:00am, 5:15pm (Vigil), 7:00pm (Spanish)

Sunday: 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 1:00pm (Spanish), 3:30pm (Latin), 6:00pm

Daily Mass Schedule
(September - May)

Monday - Thursday: 6:45am, 8:00am
Friday: 6:45am, 8:45am

First Friday: 5:30pm (Chapel)
Primer Viernes: 7:00pm
(7:30pm Hora Santa Capilla)

Perpetual Adoration
24 hours a day, 7 days a week
Located in the Parish Office

Sacrament of Reconciliation (confesiones)
Saturday: 11:00am - 12:00pm
AND 2:30pm - 4:30pm

St. Agnes Mission Church

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(559) 439-2100
www.stagnesfresno.org

Office Hours
Monday - Friday: 9:00an - 3:00pm
(closed Wednesdays)
Saturday: 12:00 - 2:00pm

Mass Schedule
Sunday: 9:00am, 10:30am (Spanish)
No daily Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Confessions will be heard at St. Anthony's

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Tuesday: 7:00 - 8:00pm

St. Anthony's School

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Fresno, Ca 93704
(559) 435-0700 Fax (559) 435-6749
www.sasfresno.com

Principal: Mrs. Kim Cochran

Don't Forget! You can access our bulletin *ANYTIME* on our website: www.stanthonyfresno.org.

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Parochial Vicar, St. Agnes Mission	Rev. Ricardo D. Magdaleno
In Residence	Rev. Msgr. Myron J. Cotta, V.G.
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Parish Deacon	Rev. Mr. Ricardo DeLeon

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Parish Sister	Sr. Flor Azevedo, FHIC
Parish Sister	Sr. Rosa Maria Branco, FHIC
Parish Sister	Hna. Teresa de Jesús, MCSTNJ

Mission Statement

The Catholic Christian Community of St. Anthony of Padua welcomes all to our celebrations of God's love. Through prayer, education, sacraments, caring and stewardship, we strive to serve the needs of God's people and to gain a richer understanding of the gospel message of love.

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Welcome to St. Anthony's

We at St. Anthony of Padua Church extend our heart in a warm welcome to you. Whether a long term resident or newly arrived in the Parish, we are so grateful you are with us. If you have not registered, or would like to update registration information, please fill out this form; you may place it in the collection basket or mail/drop off at the Parish Office.

Name_____

Address_____

City_____ State_____ Zip_____ Phone_____

☐ Request Registration Information ☐ Change of Address ☐ New Phone Number ☐ Monthly Envelopes

30th Anniversary of Ordination celebration for Msgr. Rob will be next Sunday, Oct. 7th after the 9:30am Mass. Join us for a simple reception in the Social Hall as we gather in gratitude for his dedication to the Church and to our parish.

Proposition 34
END THE DEATH PENALTY

ELECTION 2012 Faithful Citizenship

The Bishops of California endorse Proposition 34

Summary: Proposition 34 would:

- Replace the death penalty as the maximum punishment for persons found guilty of murder with life imprisonment without possibility of parole
- Apply retroactively to persons already sentenced to death
- Create a $100 million fund to be distributed to law enforcement agencies

Reflections on Church Teaching:

The nature and extent of the punishment ought not to go to the extreme of executing the offender, except in cases of absolute necessity…Today, however, as a result of steady improvements in…the penal system, such cases are very rare if not practically nonexistent. **—Pope John Paul II, *Evangelium Vitae* #56 (1995)**

If…non-lethal means are sufficient to defend and protect people's safety from the aggressor, authority will limit itself to such means, as these are more in keeping with the concrete conditions of the common good and more in conformity with the dignity of the human person. **—Catechism of the Catholic Church #2267**

Ending the death penalty would be one important step away from a culture of death and toward building a culture of life. — **U.S. Bishops, *A Culture of Life and the Penalty of Death* (2005)**

CALIFORNIA CATHOLIC CONFERENCE

In light of Catholic teaching, the BISHOPS ask that you carefully and prayerfully consider your vote on PROPOSITION 34, which will appear on California's NOVEMBER 6, 2012 BALLOT.

*A summary of the text and the arguments of the proponents and opponents of **PROPOSITION 34** as well as links to more information on Catholic teaching can be found at www.cacatholic.org.*

CALIFORNIA BISHOPS SUPPORT PROPOSITION 35
THE HUMAN TRAFFICKING INITIATIVE

The following statement was issued by the Most Reverend Gerald Wilkerson, auxiliary bishop for the San Fernando Pastoral Region of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles and President of the California Catholic Conference of Bishops:

"Human trafficking, which involves the enslaving of individuals in order to use them for financial gain, is an intolerable affront to human dignity.

"As Catholics, we are called to listen to the wisdom of Pope Paul VI in the Vatican II document, *Gaudium et Spes*:

> '…[W]hatever is opposed to life itself…whatever violates the integrity of the human person…whatever insults humanity—such as subhuman living conditions, arbitrary imprisonment, deportation, slavery, prostitution…all these things…poison human society…Moreover, they are a supreme dishonor to the Creator.'

"As President of the California Catholic Conference of Bishops, I speak for my brother bishops when I call upon all people of good will to support those who are working to eradicate this violent and oppressive practice—especially our Catholic women religious, who besides their advocacy for the elimination of trafficking, have provided healthcare and social services for those rescued from their enslavers.

"In particular, this November, we are supporting a ballot measure—Proposition 35, *Californians Against Sexual Exploitation Act*—which will both increase criminal penalties for human trafficking and direct fines to enhanced victim services and law enforcement.

"We ask that you also prayerfully consider supporting Proposition 35."

Readings and Mass Intentions (September 30 ~ October 7, 2012)	
Sunday 9/30	**Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54; Jas 3:16 — 4:3;Mk 9:30-37**
8:00 am	† Frank & Julia DiLiddo by Nick & Angela DiLiddo
9:30 am	† Joaquin "Kino" Maciel by Ida Maciel Rivas
11:00 am	† Jeff Douglas by Nikki & Giuliano DiCicco Family
1:00 pm (Spanish)	† Jose Maria Guillen-Arrelo por La Familia Guillen-Fonseca
3:30 pm (Latin)	Pro Populo
6:00 pm	† Rosario Manimtim by Cynthia Susan Manimtim
Monday 10/1	**Jb 1:6-22; Lk 9:46-50**
6:45 am	† Jane Bentencourt by her sister, Ruth Aguirre
8:00 am	† Rick Stewart by Margaret Berg
Tuesday 10/2	**Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Mt 18:1-5, 10**
6:45 am	Communion Service
8:00 am	Communion Service
Wednesday 10/3	**Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Lk 9:57-62**
6:45 am	Communion Service
8:00 am	Communion Service
Thursday 10/4	**Jb 19:21-27; Lk 10:1-12**
6:45 am	Communion Service
8:00 am	Communion Service
Friday 10/5	**Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Lk 10:13-16**
6:45 am	† Manuel Bettencourt by Crishia Beltran
8:45 am	(B-day)Intentions of Joseph Cantelmi by Grandma & Grandpa Pecora
5:30 pm	Richard Danks by Tom & MaryKay Hackett
7:00 pm(spanish	† Fidel Cardenas-Rivera
Saturday 10/6	**Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Lk 10:17-24**
8:00 am	† Juanita Manzula by Manuel Manzula
5:15 pm	Intentions of Irene Danks by Judy Simuns
7:00 pm (Spanish)	Pro Populo
Sunday 10/7	**Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 [2-12]**
8:00 am	† M.J. Simuns by Judy Simuns
9:30 am	† Umbert Cantelmi by The Fanucchi Family
11:00 am	† Clementina Contreras by Nikki & Giuliano DiCicco Family
1:00 pm (Spanish)	† Steve Camacho, Jr por Salina Bautista
3:30 pm (Latin)	† Robert Herrera by Carol Herrera
6:00 pm	† Gala Pucson by Cynthia Manimtim

MARRIAGE MATTERS

To make progress on the journey to love you must make changes, don't wait for your spouse to change, and don't force change on your spouse. If you wonder where to start, begin where you know there is pain in the relationship. Change must begin with you. Are there painful situations in your relationship?

John Bosio – Happy Together: the Catholic Blueprint for a Loving Marriage, © 2008

PRAYER OF RENEWAL

Lord Jesus,
give us the humility wherever pride reigns,
pardon wherever offense abides,
grace wherever sin abounds;
we pray to You;
Jesus Christ, Risen Lord, have mercy on us!
Amen.

www.maryprayers.com/PrayerstoOurLord

Recently Requested Masses And Intentions

Maria Tran, Thi Thin by Jacquelyn Nguyen Ly
Tish LeMoss by her prayer group
Lorraine Forestiere by her family

Intentions

The Peracchi & The West Families by
Judy & Don Peracchi

Banns of Marriage

The following couples will marry in the coming weeks:

Rogelio Alvarez and Edith Andaluz
Joshua Jaccard and Michelle Melikian

If you know of any canonical reason for them not to be married, please contact the Parish Office.

Pray for the Sick:

*We pray for **James Clements, Garrett Saenz** and all those who are sick. May they feel the healing power of our prayers.*

Condolences:

*We pray for **Juan Bustinza, Elliot Chielpegian, James Ochinero, Angelina Galindo, Marion Cubre, Eloise Coppo** and all the faithful departed. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.*

Baptisms

We welcome the infants who were recently initiated into the family of Christ. May they always feel the love of God working through their lives as they are guided by their parents and godparents.

Sebastian Ceja,
Arian John Kashefi,
Hayden Elyse Laygo,
Natalie Belen Nolasco,
Caroline Diane Salinas,
Matthew Collins Spencer

For the weekend of September 23, 2012

This week's plate income: **$22,482.00**
Last year's plate income: **$21,680.00**
Difference: + $ 802.00

Year to Date Plate Collection:

7/1/2011 - 8/31/2011: **$ 217,552.42**
7/1/2011 - 8/31/2012: **$ 220,336.85**
Difference +$ 2,784.43

Thank you for your generosity!

Do you know an adult interested in learning about our faith? Our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.) sessions are held every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Parish Center. New inquirers are always welcome. Please join us. (Accompanying friends are always welcome too). Contact Martha if you have any questions. 439-0124, ext. 114

CONFIRMATION FOR ADULTS:

Bishop Ochoa has set the date of January 2013 to celebrate our Deanery wide celebration of Confirmation of adults. In preparation for that event, sessions for adults wishing to receive Confirmation are held on ***Tuesdays @ 6:30pm*** *in the Conference Room. No preregistration is required. You may show up on Tuesdays & join us. If you have any questions, please contact Martha @ mdanksferg@stanthonyfresno.org or by calling 439-0124, ext. 114.*

CONFIRMATION I . . . .

. . . .is open to all teens who are sophomores, juniors and seniors. Registration packets are available in the Parish office or you can download it from our website under sacraments.

Children's Liturgy of the Word at Sunday 11:00am Mass is in need of several more leaders. The commitment is for one Sunday per month. A minimum of two leaders is necessary for each dismissal team. Materials are provided. If you'd like to volunteer or have more questions, please contact Martha Danks-Ferguson @ mdanksferg@stanthonyfresno.org or by calling 439-0124, ext. 114. Thank you for considering this ministry with our children.

CONFIRMATION 2 . . . .

. . . is open to juniors and seniors who have completed their first year sessions. Registration packets have been sent in the mail. If you did not receive one you can download one from our website: www.stanthonyfresno.org.

G.I.F.T. Growing in Faith Together

GRADES: K - 6TH

LATE REGISTRATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED

No registrations accepted on the first day of class

Classes begin on October 2nd and 7th

Tuesday, October 2: 6:30 - 7:45pm ***or***

Sunday, October 7: 3:30 - 4:45pm

Registration forms are available in the Parish Office and our website at www.stanthonyfresno.org

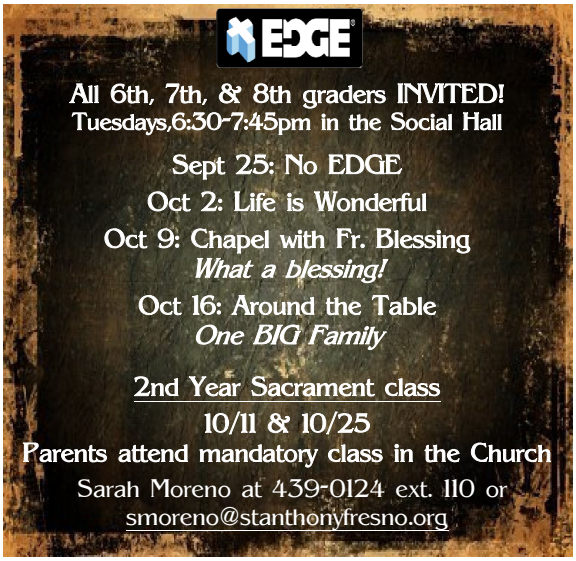
If, after reading the forms, you have additional questions, please contact:

Mary Briseño at 439-0124 ext. 119

www.mbriseno@stanthonyfresno.org

VOLUNTEERS ALWAYS NEEDED

Children's Religious Education



RADIANT JOY

All teens in High School are *welcome* to attend our 6:00pm Mass. Come sit up front in the Main Section of the Church. Our Life Nights immediately follow until 9:00pm.

September 30th - "You Said What?"

October 21st - "The Call"

October 28th - "Super Hero"

Parish Ministries

SENIORS ~ SILVER ANGELS MINISTRY

Seniors: We look forward to seeing you again at our next Silver Angels luncheon! Put on your boots and cowboy hats as we welcome our entertainers: **The "Travelin' Pioneers" Square Dancers**
Date: Tuesday, October 2nd, 11:30am, at PARDINI'S (Shaw & Van Ness) **Entrée:** Grilled Lemon Garlic Chicken - **Price:** $12.00 We look forward to seeing you!

First Friday Mass, October 5th @ 5:30pm
Everyone is welcome to join the St. Padre Pio Devotees as they gather for prayers for the intercession of St. Padre Pio followed by Mass in Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction.
"If we only knew how God regards this Sacrifice, we would risk our lives to be present at a single Mass." *~ St. Padre Pio*

MINISTRY FAIR NEXT WEEKEND! OCTOBER 6th & 7th!

We have many ministries and organizations here at St. Anthony of Padua Church. Next weekend **October 6th & 7th** at all the Masses some of the laity will be speaking about a few of these ministries. If you are interested, please be sure to stop by the table located outside the Conference Room and someone will be there to assist you or answer questions you may have.
Pope Benedict XVI proclaimed beginning this month, "The Year of Faith"...to spread the Good News!

QUEEN OF THE HOLY FAMILY GUILD The next monthly meeting is **Thursday, October 4th** at **7pm in the Conference Room.** All ladies of the parish are invited to attend and enjoy the fellowship of this group of dedicated women of St. Anthony's. The proceeds of all fund raising events purchase altar bread and wine.

OUR LADY FATIMA MASS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2012 @ ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

All are welcome to join us on Saturday, October 6th @ the 8:00am Mass in Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel followed by a talk on Our Lady of Fatima by Msgr. Cotta, V.G., @ 8:45am . Then we will precede to go over to Room #24 to pray the Rosary. *"My God, I believe, I adore, I trust and I love Thee! I beg pardon for all those that do not believe, do not adore, do not trust and do not love Thee." If you have any questions, please call the Office of Ministries at: 439-0124, ext. 112.*

ATTENTION EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS of HOLY COMMUION TO THE HOMEBOUND!

The Homebound meeting is **Monday, October 1st @ 10am** in the Conference Room **or 7pm** in the Parish Office Boardroom. Also, if you are interested in becoming an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion to the Homebound or a Visitor to the Homebound, you are welcome to attend one of the meeting times listed or contact Sr. Rosa for training at: 439-0124, ext. 112. Thank you!

Grief Journey Program
Walking Together with Widows, Widowers and others who grieve...

This 8-week program begins Wednesdays, October 3, 10, 17, & 24, thru November 7, 14, & 21, & December 5, 2012 from 6:30pm-8:00pm in the Parish Office Library Upstairs. This is a program for Widows & Widowers and those who grieve the loss of a loved one and experience different Issues than separated and divorced individuals. The program's goal is to use didactic material, poetry or inspirational writings, and art in combination with the stories of the participants to help people move from a place of pain and isolation to a place of peace and healing.
Therapist: Suzanne Swanson LCSW MFCC, has served families, individuals and children in the Central Valley for 30 years. She is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker and a Licensed Marriage Family Therapist. For questions please, contact Sr. Rosa Maria at: 439-0124, ext. 112 .

TUESDAY NIGHT FAITH BIBLE STUDY

The Tuesday Night Bible Study class with Deacon Ed Valdez **resumes Tuesday, October 2nd**
Facilitator: Rev. Mr. Ed Valdez
When: Every Tuesday Night
Time: 7pm - 8:30pm / **Where:** Room #21
This class begins with prayer, song, meditation and the Rosary. Teachings on the Sunday Readings, Church History and much more... Occasionally there are guest speakers. All, are welcome at any time. Bring your bibles and a friend. Questions? Call the Office of Ministries at: 439-0124, ext. 105.

I. C. F. ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION

Please join us for our **October Fest** meeting on **Wednesday, October 10th @ 6pm in the Social Hall** followed by dinner. We will be serving delicious polish dogs, sides and desserts. *You do not have to be Italian, but you must be Catholic to join.* For more information please call Antoinette @ 431-9536.

For the Ride Home

September 30, 2012

SCRIPTURE

- the spirit came to rest on them (Numbers 11:27)
- Would that all the people of the LORD were prophets! (Numbers 11:29)
- giving wisdom to the simple. (Psalm 19:8)
- he offers you no resistance. (James 5:6)
- you belong to Christ, (Mark 9:41)

REFLECTION

- What does God want for you?
- What do you want for God?

If you call on God let it not be to ask for anything. For when you call upon God for aid the call you make is for him to come into yourself. What place is there into which the Lord and God can come, what place fit for the God who made heaven and earth? Is it a small thing that God himself should fill you? If he comes without silver and gold, do you not want him? Which of the things he has made can satisfy you, if God himself does not? (St. Augustine)

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Did you ever notice how often the angels are referred to during Mass? We commonly meet them in the Confiteor ("I ask blessed Mary, every virgin, all the angels and saints"), prefaces ("with angels and archangels and the whole company of heaven"), the Roman Canon ("we pray that your angel may take this sacrifice"), and Eucharistic Prayer IV ("countless hosts of angels stand before you to do your will"). Last week and this week angels abound as we celebrated Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael yesterday and will honor the Guardian Angels on October 2.

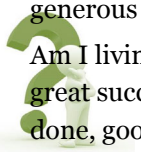
September 29 was originally the feast day for Michael alone. Gabriel and Raphael joined him in the 1969 reform of the Church calendar. The celebration of the Guardian Angels has been observed since the sixteenth century in Spain. Pope Clement X assigned the feast to the first free day after St. Michael's in 1670, and there it has remained. Take some time this week to reflect on these, God's messengers and our protectors, and maybe even celebrate with a little angel food cake! —James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

QUESTIONS TO ASK GOD

- Am I doing all I can to live in harmony with my family, co-workers, fellow parishioners, and people in my community?
- Do my public behavior and private behavior consistently reflect my belief in you and gratitude for all your blessings?

- Am I doing all I can to follow you, or only the least I can get away with?
- What ministries, services, or programs are you asking me to support in my parish?
- Am I praying to you for favors and answers, when I could be praying for opportunities to see solutions and act upon them?
- How do you wish me to serve the community in which I live?
- Since you invited the rich young man (Matthew 19:16–30) to give away all that he had and follow you, are you calling me to do the same and be a priest or religious?

- Am I hanging on to money and possessions because I am fearful of not having enough?
- Instead of asking, "Why should I give this away?" do you want me to ask, "Why shouldn't I give this away?"
- How can I communicate better with my spouse and children so we can all become generous disciples?



- Am I living so that others say of me, "What a great success," or to have you say, "Well done, good and faithful servant"?
- Am I really in danger of giving too much too soon? Or is the real danger giving too little too late?
- When I die, what will I wish I had given while I still had the chance?
- Can you help me close the gap between what I'll wish then that I'd given and what I'm actually giving now—of my time, my skills, and the money I have?

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Farmer's Market is Back

at

St. Anthony's School

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH

Opens after 8:00am Mass

Come and join the **Knights of Columbus** every **first Saturday of the month** directly after the 8:00am Mass, reflecting on the Rosary for Life. This Rosary is the Scriptural Rosary selecting one of the mysteries each month. Each mystery draws on exact bible passages corresponding to each mystery. Come pray and offer this rosary in union with our blessed mother to battle abortion.

St. Anthony's School Golf Classic

October 26, 2012

Fig Garden Golf Club

SCHEDULE

$150 Greens Fees
Sponsorships Available
10:00am Registration begins with a box lunch
11:30am Shotgun Start
5:00pm Buffet dinner will be followed by awards ceremony and raffle

Refreshments will be served on course.

For information or to volunteer call:
Paul McDougal 779-3129 or Steve Rolando 269-0445

St. Agnes Mission Church Carnival

Saturday, October 27th

1:00 - 8:00pm

Food Entertainment Games

Country Store will be open! We are accepting donations for our store, items MUST be in good, selling condition! Please NO clothes or shoes.

St. Anthony's School

presents

Rock and Roll Carnival

September 30, 2012

10:30 - 6:30pm

Have a rockin' good time at St. Anthony's Rock and Roll Carnival Celebration!

Test your skills and win prizes at our many game booths and attractions. Grab some lunch at one of our delicious food booths. Guests 21 and over can relax in our beer garden (be prepared to show id). Try your luck at winning a homemade cake at our cake walk. You can even shop at our country store and bookroom and the many vendors who take part in the carnival each year.

St. Anthony of Padua Parish

Dinner Dance

Saturday, October 20, 2012

St. Anthony's Community Center

Sponsored by

Knights of Columbus, Council 6092

Program

Special Guest Performance with Music and Dancing
50 - 25/25 Raffle

6:00pm No Host Cocktails
7:00pm New York Steak Dinner
Dinner prepared by Jeff Freitas of Ribs & Tips Catering

Tickets

$35.00 per person

Tickets available at the Parish Office or from any Knights of Committee Ticket Committee

Deadline: Monday, October 15, 2012

Contact: Jeff Freitas at 225-7427 / 289-7427
Danny Leon at 277-5575 / 916-5575

Sister Disciples of the Divine Master

ROOTS OF CHRISTIAN MYSTICISM

When: Saturday, October 6
Time: 9:30am - 3:30pm
Where: Sisters Disciples Convent (3700 N. Cornelia)
Cost: Donation (please bring a sack lunch)
Subject: Dorothy Day
Presenter: Fr. Steve Coffey
Information: 275-1656

A HARMONIOUS EXPERIENCE: There is nothing quite like the sensation of singing together in harmony. The words, the melodies, the blending of voices, the sense of accomplishment from holding your part: these are just a few things that make choral singing a true delight. The St. Anthony's Adult Choir invites you to share this experience with them.

They sing every Sunday at the 11am Mass; and they rehearse every Wednesday from 7 - 8:30pm in Room 22.

Call David Sarkisian for more information: 439-0124, ext 222.

Our Lady of Fatima Rosary/Mass

Saturday, October 13 - Celebration in Laton

Celebrant: Msgr. Myron Cotta, V.G.

5:00pm: Mass followed by a procession & refreshments

MARRIED COUPLES: Does "Back-to-School" bring back memories of rediscovering old friends, a fresh start, a chance to grow in knowledge and understanding?

A **Marriage Encounter Weekend** can do the same for your marriage. Our next weekend is October 26 - 28.

For more details contact:
phone: 831-704-6322
e-mail: registrar@wwme-centralca.org
website: www.me-centralca.org.

Shrine of St. Therese

11th Annual Rose Garden Festivities

Saturday, October 6, 2011

St. Therese Rose Garden & St. Therese Hall

(Floradora between Wishon and Maroa)

Bountiful Buffet of Hors d'oeuvres (provided by Pardini's)

Refreshments - Dancing 6:00 - 9:00pm

Donation: $45

For reservations, call Sara at 485-8095.

Please make reservations by October 1.

Wounded by abortion?

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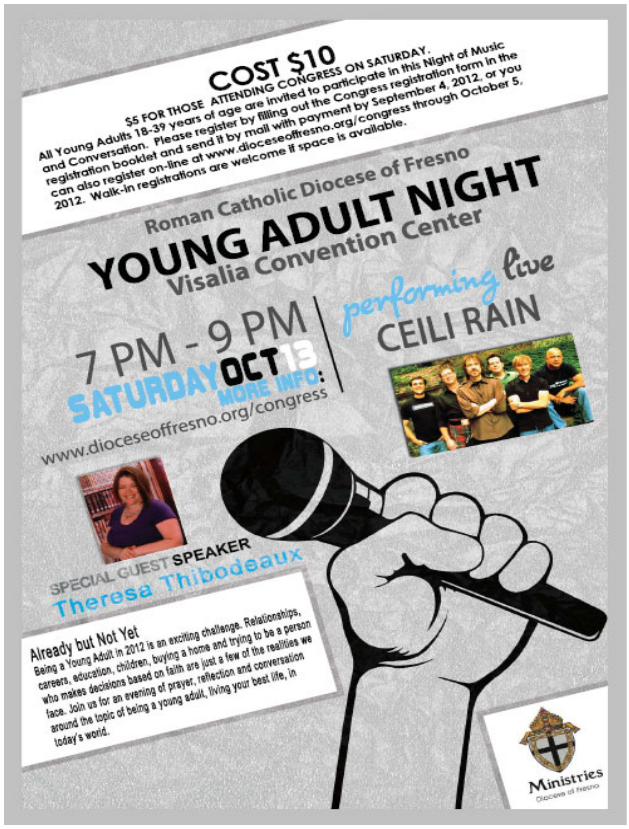

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October 14
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Próxima reunión: domingo **7 de octubre 3:00pm**

CAMINOS DE FE - Domingos 3:30pm
Formación sacramental para adultos: Bautismo, Primera Comunión o Confirmación. Salón #23
Todavía pueden inscribirse a este programa.

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN
miércoles 7:00pm en el salón #24.

ESTUDIO de la BIBLIA - jueves 6:30pm #21.
Reflexión de la Palabra del Señor.
Acompáñanos y trae tu Biblia!

Grupo de Jóvenes de High School - viernes 6:30pm #Salón de Conferencias.
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Programa para los grados del kinder al 8vo y para todos los niños y niñas que ya recibieron su Primera Comunión. Clases comienzan el próximo domingo 7 de octubre a las 3:30pm -

COMITÉ DE MINISTERIOS HISPANOS

Próxima reunión para los coordinadores de grupos de Ministerios Hispanos. Lunes 8 de octubre 6:00am. Salón #21. Traer reportes!

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Viernes 5 de octubre, 7pm
Capilla de Guadalupe

HORA SANTA
El Ministerio de Padres y Madres Orantes te invita todos los Primeros viernes para orar durante la Hora Santa.
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MIS PREGUNTAS PARA DIOS

- ¿Demuestro mi gratitud por todas tus bendiciones?
- ¿Hago todo lo que puedo por seguirte o hago sólo el mínimo esfuerzo?
- ¿Qué ministerios, servicios o programas de mi parroquia me pides que apoye?
- ¿Rezo para pedir favores y respuestas en vez de pedirte oportunidades?
- ¿Me estás pidiendo abandonar mi vida presente para ser sacerdote o religiosa?
- ¿Limito mi dinero y mis posesiones por temor a no tener suficiente?
- ¿Cómo podemos mi familia y yo llegar a ser discípulos más generosos?
- ¿Quiero que la gente diga de mí "¡cuánto éxito!" o mejor que tú me digas "te felicito, siervo bueno y fiel"?
- Cuando muera, ¿qué quisiera haber dado mientras tuve la oportunidad?
- ¿Puedes ayudarme a salvar la distancia que existe entre lo que desearía haber dado y lo que realmente doy actualmente, como mi tiempo, mis habilidades y mi dinero?

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