St Anthony of Padua

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Parish Office Hours:
Monday - Thursday: 8:00am - 4:30pm
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Pastor Emeritus: Rev. Msgr. Laserian Byrne
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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 8:00am, 5:15pm (Vigil Mass)
Sunday: 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 6:00pm, 1:00 (Spanish), 3:30pm (Latin)

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 (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

Our 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.

The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 11 2010

St. Anthony's School

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Principal: Mr. Tim McConnico

St Agnes Mission Church

111 W. Birch St. 439-2100

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

Mass Schedule

Sunday: 9:00am, 10:30am (Spanish)
Monday - Saturday: 7:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Bilingual)

Saturday 8:30 - 9:30am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday - Wednesday: 7:00pm

St. Anthony's Staff

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The Lord says: I am the bread of life. A man who comes to me will not go away hungry, and no one who believes in me will thirst.
(Jn 6:35)

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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 thank God that you are with us. If you have not registered, or would like to update registration information, please fill out this form. Please place in the collection basket or mail/drop off at the Parish Office.

Name_____
Address_____
City_____ State_____ Zip_____Phone_____

• Request Registration Information• New Address • New Phone• Request Monthly Envelope

Interested in learning more about:

•Confirmation •Marriage •Annulment Proces •Scripture Study •Baptism •Children's Programs
•Becoming Catholic •Returning to the Catholic Church Other Interest •Becoming an Usher

Here's what's happening this summer!

Every Sunday

Sunday Pre School Summer on break until September
Children's Liturgy (English) on summer Break

8:00am	Doughnuts & Hospitality	Conference Room
1:00pm	Children's Liturgy - Spanish	Choir Loft
2:00pm	Spanish Mass Hospitality	Conference Room
2:30pm	Infant Baptisms	Call Parish Office
3:30pm	GIFT Religious Ed. Classes	Rooms #1-20
3:30pm	Spanish Jr. High	Hall
3:30pm	Spanish 1st yr Confirmation	Room #21
3:30pm	Spanish 2nd yr Confirmation	Room #22
3:30pm	Spanish HS Pre Confirmation	Room #23
3:30pm	Spanish Parent Classes	Room #24
4:30pm	Latin Mass Hospitality	Conference Room
7:00pm	LIFE Teen	Hall/Event Center

First Sunday

1:30pm	Latin Mass Committee Mtg.	Board Room

Second Sunday

St Anthony Charity Collection

Every Monday

12:00pm	AA Meeting	Choir Loft
5:00pm	Legion of Mary	Board Room
6:00pm	Spanish Children's Choir	Choir Loft
6:00pm	Baptism Class	Call Parish Office
6:30pm	Twin Hearts Rosary	Room#23
6:30pm	Spanish Choir-G Donan Leader	Room#22
7:30pm	Spanish Adult Choir	Choir Loft

First Monday

7:00pm	Month-Hispanic Min Core Gp	Room#21

Second Monday

12:00pm	St Ann Bridge Club	Conference Room
6:30pm	Filipino Catholic League	

Fourth Monday

7:30pm	Taizé Prayer	Main Sanctuary
7:00pm	Union Mutualistas	Conference Room

Every Tuesday

Deacon Valdez Bible Study - Summer Break until September 7

6:30am	Christian in Commerce	Parish Library
9:30am	Seniors Creative Crafts	Conference Room
6:30pm	GIFT Classes	Rooms #1-20
6:30pm	Jr. High Edge Program	Hall
6:30am	Men's Christians in Commerce	Parish Library
6:30pm	RCIA	Conference Room
6:30pm	Intercessory Prayer Group	OLG Chapel
6:30pm	Celebrate Recovery	Room #23
6:30pm	Jr. High Edge Program	Hall
6:30pm	Boy Scouts	Room#24
7:00pm	Bible Study-Call for topic	Board Room
7:30pm	AA Meeting	Choir Loft

Third Tuesday

7:00am	Finance Meeting	Board Room

Every Wednesday

6:30am	Men's Christian's in Commerce	Conference Room
8:45am	Sunday Reflection	Board Room
9:30am	Seniors Knitting/Crochet	Conference Room
10:00am	Marian Rosary for Priests	Board Room
6:30pm	Centering Prayer Group	Board Room
6:30pm	Cenacles	Parish Library
6:30pm	Spanish Adult Sacrament Class	Room #21
7:00pm	St Anthony Adult Choir	Room #22
7:00pm	Spanish Charismatic Prayer	Room #24

First Wednesday

11:00am	Staff Meeting	Board Room
6:30pm	Life Teen Core	Conference Room
7:00pm	Women's Book Club	Parish Library
7:30pm	Knights of Columbus	Hall

Second Wednesday

6:30pm	Italian Catholic Federation	Hall

First Thursday

6:30pm	Queen of the Holy Family Guild	Private Residence

Call the Parish Office for information

Every Thursday

9:00am	Cenacles for Priests	Board Room
9:30am	Seniors Crafts	Conference Room
10:00am	Woman's Bible Study	Room #21
10:00am	Childcare for Bible Study	Room #24
6:30pm	Camino de Fe Bible Study	Room#21
7:30pm	Spanish Youth Practice	Room#22

Every Friday

6:00pm	Spanish Jr. High	Room #22
6:30pm	Spanish RCIA	Room #21
7:00pm	Spanish Youth Group	Hall
7:30pm	English Charismatic Prayer	Room #23

First Friday

5:30pm	English Friday Mass	OLG Chapel
6:00pm	Padre Pio Devotions	OLG Chapel
7:00pm	Spanish Friday Devotions	OLG Chapel
7:30pm	Spanish Friday Mass	OLG Chapel

Saturdays

9:00am	Infant Baptisms	Call Parish Office
11:00an-Noon	Confessions	OLG Chapel
2:30pm-4:30pm	Confessions	OLG Chapel
7:30pm	AA Meeting	Choir Loft

BAPTISM CLASSES-CALL PARISH OFFICE

Peter's Pence Collection ~ July 17 - 18

Envelopes are available in the pews **this weekend (July 10 - 11)** for the Diocesan Collection to benefit the Peter's Pence.

This fund supports the work of the Holy Father with your help, Christ's love will be cast upon the world.

For more information, please visit the website:
www.usccb.org/nationalcollections.

You may place your envelope in the regular collection.

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POLICY FOR BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Deadline: 11 days prior to the Sunday you'd like your article to be considered for publication.

Format: Typewritten, e-mail is preferable

Send articles to Jan by e-mail @ jspraggins@stanthonyfresno.org

Note: Articles must be approved prior to appearing in the bulletin. We reserve the right to edit articles.

Readings and Mass Intentions for The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (July 11 ~ July 18, 2010)

Sunday **July 11 ~ Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69 *or* Ps 19; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37 ~ Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 † George Barros by Alice Fabbri
9:30 † Carl Orlando by Barbara Orlando
11:00 † Msgr. Patrick Flood by Margie Angell
1:00 † Bert O"Neill by Helen Pratt
3:30 Pro Populo
6:00 † Juanita Manzula by Manuel Manzula

Monday **July 12 ~ Is 1:10-17; Mt 10:34 - 11:1**
6:45 † Abbot Ladislas Parker by Blake Konczal
8:00 † Frank Mastro by Pat & Linda Mastro

Tuesday **July 13 ~ Is 7:1-9; Mt 11:20-24**
6:45 † Glenn R. by his father
8:00 † Deceased Members of the Tony & AnnaMarie Ochinero Family by their children

Wednesday **July 14 ~ Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Mt 11:25-27**
6:45 † Louise Souza
8:00 † Len Vilutis by The Fleming Family

Thursday **July 15 ~ Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Mt 11:28-30**
6:45 † Chris Prototatas by Nikki, Giuliano, Evangelea & Evenia
8:00 Intentions: Enrique Alvarado & Family by Maria Alvarado

Friday **July 16 ~ Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Mt 12:1-8**
6:45 † Josephine Ochinero by Jim Ochinero & family
8:00 † Jean Kersten by Patricia Johnson

Saturday **July 17 ~ Mi 2:1-5; Mt 12:14-21**
8:00 † Greg Romagnoli by The Ventura Family
5:15 † Rufino Alvarado by Maria Alvarado

Sunday **July 18 ~ Gen 18:1-10a; Ps 15; Col 1:24-28; Mt 10:38-42 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 † George Barros by Lola Barros
9:30 † Joe Silviera by Jeff Freitas
11:00 † Orlan DeLeon by The Esteban Family
1:00 † Guadalupe, Frade & Hilda Turner by Betty Turner
3:30 † Michael Apruzzese by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Salven
6:00 Pro Populo

'†' (deceased)

ADULT BAPTISM, FIRST EUCHARIST & CONFIRMATION:
Contact the RICA/Adult Religious Education Coordinator. Classes are held Tuesday evening. No pre-registration necessary.

INFANT BAPTISMS:
Contact the Baptism Secretary at the Parish Office at least 2-3 months before you wish to schedule the baptism. The parents and godparents **must** attend a scheduled class.

ANOINTING of the SICK:
Please inform the Parish Office of anyone who may be in need of an anointing.

COMMUNION & VISITATION of the HOME-BOUND:
Please inform the Ministry Office of sick or elderly who are at home, in hospitals or in convalescent homes.

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST EUCHARIST:
Contact the GIFT/Children's Religious Education Coordinator. Two years of Religious Education preparation is required prior to receiving First Eucharist (Communion). First Reconciliation (Confession) is usually received several months before First Communion.

MARRIAGE:
Contact the marriage coordinator a minimum of 6 months before the preferred wedding date. Marriage preparation classes are available.

YOUTH CONFIRMATION:
Candidates for Confirmation must be at least 16 years of age, preparation begins in Sophomore year of High School. A two-year preparation is required by the Diocese. Contact the Confirmation Secretary or Youth Minister.

Recently Requested:

Nikki Vairo by Antoinette & Angelo Pecora
Jean DeFendis by Antoinette & Angelo Pecora
Juanita Wilson by Mark & Janet Cameron
Mary Beatrice Morrison by Antoinette & Angelo Pecora
Mary Morrison by Marcus, Chris & Beron Shiveley
Daniel Cotta by Mario Lóera & family

Intentions:

Mrs. Clifford A. Welch by Jim & Jan Hugenroth

Pray for the Sick:

We pray for all those who are sick.
May they feel the healing power of our prayers.

Condolences:

We pray Antonio Garza and all the faithful departed. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

Banns of Marriage

The following couple will marry in the coming weeks:

Miroslav Telesmanic and Michelle Carrick
Jack Ajamian and Merry Manock
Sean Kaiser and Katharine Van Gundy
Nicholas Andrade and Crystalynne Hughes

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

SUMMER NIGHTS
Grades 6, 7, & 8
Sports, Ice Cream & Bible Study
In the Community Center
6:30 - 8:00pm

JULY 13: Holy Mass & enrollment of the brown scapular
Be at the Community Center by 6:15pm.
We will walk to the church at 6:25pm and return to the gym for an ice-cream treat!

For more information, please call Sarah Moreno at 439-0124 ext. 110.

SONSHINE SUMMER BIBLE CAMP 2010

We want to thank our generous sponsors who donated to our t-shirt fund:

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We pray that the Lord abundantly bless each one of you! Thank you for sharing your treasure with these wonderful youth and children at our parish You are appreciated and a true blessing to us!

Steubenville, San Diego.
Meeting with parent and teen on **July 11th** after the 6pm mass.
It will be in the Event Center.

LIFE TEEN

Join us for our LifeNights on Sunday nights following the 6:00pm Liturgy. Sessions end at 9:00pm. We meet by the glass doors of the Social Hall.

ALL HIGH SCHOOL TEENS WELCOME!!!

Welcome all incoming Freshman!!!
Sports, Music and The Word!!

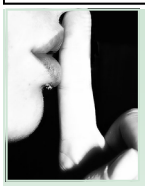
July 11 ~ Life Night
July 23 - 25 ~ Steubenville San Diego
August 1 ~ Life Night

For more information please contact, Sharon Christison at 439-0124 ext 111 or schristison@stanthonyfresno.org

The Gospel of Luke - our study of the Gospel of this liturgical year continues on Tuesdays in the Board Room of the Parish Center from 7—8:30 p.m. We are concluding this book and preparing to continue our journey with Luke into the **Acts of the Apostles.** New students are always welcome to join us. Material is available from the instructor, Prof. Craig Bernthal, at each meeting. Our discussion & study are based on the **Little Rock Scripture Series.** Join us in this lively & thoughtful in-depth look at the works & words of Jesus in our lives today.

Reflection…..

- **The virtuous path is not the path of least resistance; shortcuts are not found on the path of righteousness.**
- **Doing the right thing is always the right thing.**
- **Every decision in life is a road diverging "into the wood." The road less traveled is often the way of the cross.**
- **Sometimes God's ways are mysterious, but most of the time they are quite obvious.**



SILENCE

"Be quiet, you're in church now!" Many of us grew up being reminded regularly that the appropriate behavior for us during Mass was to be silent. Church and the library had that in common. Then, with the reforms of the Second Vatican Council, active participation became the norm. Usually active participation is understood as joining in the singing and saying the responses along with everyone else. Rarely do we expand the definition of participation to include communal silence.

Public silence is frequently very awkward. We assume someone forgot their cue or made an embarrassing mistake. Yet we also know the heart-gripping impact when a grandstand full of people observes a moment of silence. The liturgy invites us to pray without words several times during Sunday Mass. Before the opening prayer, after the readings and the homily, perhaps during the intercessions and again after communion, we are given the opportunity to call to mind God's presence in our midst, to offer our personal petitions and express our thanks for God's continuing blessings. Such silence is not a passive "shutting down" but rather an attentive awareness of our intimate connection with the Lord and with one another. Such awareness requires ample time to develop - ample time not only at a particular liturgy, but Sunday after Sunday after Sunday. Only then will the inevitable coughing, kneeler banging and fussing babies mark the beginning of our silence and not the end of it!

In another, more profound sense, we are always silent at liturgy - even when we speak. We sing psalms and speak prayers that are not our own but rather the words of our ancestors in faith and the words of the church. Our individualistic American culture finds such behavior suspicious or even threatening: "I am my own person!" But it is precisely in that surrender to the power of ritual and the life of the larger community that we discover our true voice. Copyright © 1997 Archdiocese of Chicago: Liturgy Training Publications, 1800 North Hermitage Avenue, Chicago IL 60622-1101; 1-800-933-1800. Text by Kathy Luty. Art by Luba Lukova.

***'Monthly Memorial Mass' Saturday, July 17th @ the 5:15pm Mass**, names will be read out loud and a candle will be lit in memory of those who have passed away a year ago in **July of 2009, here at St. Anthony's Church.** We invite members of the families to come up after Mass to take the candle home as a memorial to your loved one.*

If you have any questions please call the Office of Ministry at: 439-0124, ext. 112 or 105.

ST. ANN'S BRIDGE CLUB

*Join us on **Monday July 12, at 12:00noon** in the **Conference Room.***

For reservations call: Carol at: 439-9114 or Rose Marie at: 439-2601. New comers are welcome!

LEGION OF MARY GROUP

This group meets every Monday @ 5pm in the Parish office boardroom. Newcomers are welcome to join at anytime. If you have any questions please contact the office of ministries @ 439-0124, ext. 112.

Join us for Our Lady of Fatima Celebration, Tuesday, July 13th, Rosary at 6:30pm and Mass & blessing and imposition of The Scapular of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel will follow...Mary's Promise to those who wear the Scapular...

On July 16,1251, Our Lady gave St. Simon a scapular for the Carmelites with the following promise, saying: "Receive My beloved son, this habit of thy order: this shall be to thee and to all Carmelites a privilege, that whosoever dies clothed in this shall never suffer eternal fire....It shall be a sign of salvation, a protection in danger, and a pledge of peace."

THERE WILL BE
'NO' TAIZE PRAYER SERVICE
in JULY & AUGUST!
HAVE A BLESSED SUMMER!

Attention Seniors!
The Silver Angels will be on summer respite during August. Our next activity will be the annual trip to Chukchansi Casino on September 7, 2010. More details later.
Have a wonderful summer!

There will be **no** Fatima's Faithful meeting in July. Our next meeting will be Aug. 26th. More details in upcoming bulletins.

♥ ♥ *Twin Hearts Rosary Group meets every Monday at 6:30pm in Room #23 to pray the rosary and to prepare for the Sunday Readings. Newcomers are always welcome to join at anytime. For more information please contact: Ermelinda at: 801-8759.*

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

This group meets every Tuesday from 6:30pm to 8:00pm in Room #23 at the School. Anyone is welcome to join in at anytime.

24 Hour Perpetual Adoration Chapel is in dire need of Hour Captains & Adorers!

If you would like to come and spend just one hour with our Lord Jesus...PLEASE, call: 439-0124, **ext. 106** or the Office of Ministries at ext.105.

"When you have received Him, stir up your heart to do Him homage; speak to Him about your spiritual life, gazing upon Him in your soul where He is present for your happiness; welcome Him as warmly as possible, and behave outwardly in such a way that your actions may give proof to all of His Presence." - St. Francis de Sales

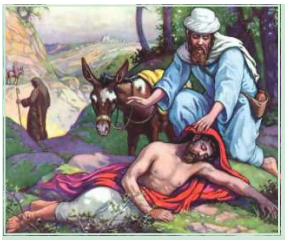
WOMEN'S THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Time: 10:00am –11am
In Room #21
Study: The Book of Romans
Childcare is available in Room #24.

If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Ministries at: 439-0124, ext. 105.

PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE

At Fatima in Portugal in 1917 Mary appeared to three children several times. She urged them to pray the Rosary in sorrow for sin, and for the conversion of sinners to a better way of life. In the reign of Pope Pius XII, the custom developed of having a statue of Our Lady of Fatima carried from place to place to encourage people to respond to Mary's request, we have such a statue. If you'd like to have her in your home for a week, contact the Office of Ministries at: 439-0124 ext.105 or112.



FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 30:10–14
RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 69:14, 17, 30–31, 33–34, 36, 37 or Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11
SECOND READING: Colossians 1:15–20
GOSPEL: Luke 10:25–37

Within Reach

We natives are reminded of the uniqueness of our place when a stranger points out some characteristic of personality or land or speech that we have taken for granted. They marvel, and we look again. We had just never thought of our place or ourselves in quite that way. Or once we may have been aware of some quality of our life and place, but we just forgot what was within reach.

Comment

What is within reach is daily and taken for granted. But much that is far off and out of reach is exotic—as long as it stays far off, that is. The lawyer who stood up to question Jesus received a response that was too close for comfort. First, Jesus answered the lawyer's question with a question of his own. It was an easy question, and the lawyer, of course, knew the answer. It was right out of the Jewish Scriptures. The first part, about loving God, was from Deuteronomy, the "second law." The second part came straight from Leviticus, the book that details the myriad sacrificial and ritual laws prescribed for the priestly tribe of Levi. Clearly, the lawyer was at home in this discussion. He might even have thought that he could teach Jesus a thing or two. Confidently, the lawyer presses on, and Jesus answers the question "Who is my neighbor?" with a story we all know.

The problem with the story for the listeners that day was that the Samaritan as neighbor was just too much to swallow. The problem of the Samaritans in general hit too close to home. They were the hated ones, the infidels who occupied a large chunk of land that inconveniently cut off easy access between the north and south of Israel. This was a pain, because the roundabout route to Jerusalem from the south was long and arduous. And the Samaritan inhospitality was galling. So the resentment and daily irritation continued in a kind of mutual "in your face" coexistence that showed no sign of abating.

It is precisely a hated Samaritan who is the hero of Jesus' story. He ministers to the helpless "enemy," a Jew lying half dead on the roadside. And furthermore, the Samaritan's "betters" pass on by and do not deign to aid their suffering fellow countryman.

After telling the story, it is Jesus' turn to ask, "Which … was neighbor?" The lawyer could not manage to get the word "Samaritan" out of his mouth, however. So "The one who treated him with mercy" would have to do as an answer. This answer is correct. The new law is to go out and "do likewise," to be merciful, compassionate, toward the neighbor, who is anyone in need—even one's worst enemy.

The first reading from Deuteronomy makes clear that the law of Moses is not just within reach, but within the heart. The entire book of Deuteronomy is set as a farewell speech given by the great lawgiver and law receiver, Moses. One does not have to go anywhere for the laws; one need only attend to the command that is indelibly written in the human heart. To seek to erase or suppress or repress the demands of this law of God is to betray one's very self.

The second reading insists on the centrality, or better, the all-pervasiveness of Christ, who is in and above all. Paul is contending here with some hare-brained teaching, which confuses the place and power of angels, astral occurrences, and whatnot. Paul's ecstatic hymn elegantly insists that Christ is the center and source of all life. So we are right back at the heart, right near home. We are being addressed exactly and precisely where we live.

Reflection

To act compassionately toward one's neighbor—whether he or she is the sworn enemy or not—is the fullest and best reading of the law. It encompasses everything and everyone. In the story today, the sworn enemies, Jew and Samaritan, are united because the heart of the Samaritan is moved to compassionate action. In any moment in history we can name the neighbors who rub daily against each other and whose enmity seems never to abate. The mutual hardness of heart seems impermeable. Often, their sustained hatred is, sadly enough, based on religion. However, with equally painful results, the division can be ethnic or racial or economic. No matter; hate is murderous, and the anguish predictable. Copyright © 2003, World Library Publications. All rights reserved.

Questions for further Reflection

The traveler in today's Gospel parable yearned for compassion. Two men walked right past his broken body without so much as acknowledging his sorry plight. A Samaritan came be and, thanks to his compassion, the traveler's needs were met and his life was saved. Jesus yearned for greater sensitivity on the part of his followers and chose the parable to stress the dire need for it. It is crucial to our faith as well as to our world that we respond to that yearning by being more sensitive to the feelings and hurts and want so of others.

1. What do you believe is the reason sensitivity seems to be so lacking in these days and times?
2. What areas of life and faith serve as prime examples of insensitivity?
3. Describe occurrences and situations that received the benefit of a Good Samaritan,. What has worked against the practice of sensitivity and compassion?

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STAND FIRM IN THE FAITH

Join thousands of Catholics at the **39th Annual SCRC Catholic Renewal Convention "Stand Firm in the Faith"** to take place over Labor Day Weekend, **September 3-5, 2010** at the Anaheim Convention Center!
Come and be blessed at this spiritually uplifting event for the entire family!

Over 45 Catholic speakers, including: Bishop Alex Salazar, Bishop Dominic Luong, Mother Regina Marie Gorman, OCD, Fr. Michael Manning, SVD, Sr. Linda Koontz, SMJM, Fr. Mike Barry, SSCC, Claire Yzaguirre, MFT, Fr. Paul Griesgraber, Fr. Pat Crowley, SSCC, Fr. Jim Nisbet and many more!

- *FREE* John Michael Talbot Concert on Saturday, September 4, 3:30pm in the Arena!
- Fr. Stan Fortuna, CFR will be performing and speaking throughout the weekend!
- Young Adult Conference with Saturday Social!
- Teen Conference & Saturday Nite Concert with Jacob & Matthew, Fr. Stan Fortuna & Ike Ndolo Band
- Children's Program!
- Vietnamese Conference!
- Dynamic Daily Liturgies with a special Saturday Night Mass & Healing Service!
- Online Registration Available Now: www.scrc.org
- For more info/brochure, please contact SCRC (818) 771-1361 spirit@scrc.org www.scrc.org

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Healing Mass ~ Thursday, July 15, 2010
Fr. Alex C. Ignacio
6:30pm (Praise) - 7:00pm (Mass)
Sacred Heart Church
For more information, please call Sacred Heart Prayer Group @ 229-9907 or our Parish Office @ 237-4121.

Fresno Catholic Singles potluck meeting will be held at St. Paul Newman Center on **Monday, July 12, 2010** at **6:30pm.** Brain Child of Habitat for Humanity - ReStore will be presented by Tony Miranda. Average age is 40 years plus. For more information on this and other events: 294-2246 or 224-3276

For the weekend of July 4, 2010
This week's plate income: **$18,795.23**
Last year's plate income: **$18,686.50**
Difference: + $ 108.73

Year to Date Plate Collection:
7/1/2008 - 5/31/2009: **$1,121,291.32**
7/1/2009 - 4/30/2010: **$1,105,208.35**
Difference: - $ 16,082.97

The **Holy Child** thanks you and appreciates your patronage. Our store's mission goal is to keep the Good News of our Catholic Faith alive and thriving in the Fresno area. We have a large selection of Bibles, books, religious and unique gifts for all occasions including birthdays, graduations, weddings, etc.. Beginning **July 12** you won't want to miss **Christmas in July** a huge store wide sale - Christmas items included at bargain prices!!!

Holy Child Gift and Book Store - NW Corner of Palm/Bullard
Hours: Monday - Saturday 10:30 - 5:30pm
Thursday: 10:30 - 9:00pm
Phone: 439-7828

Holy Rosary Orphan Society of Fresno
are celebrating 50 years as an organization.
Celebration will be **October 16, 2010**
Shrine of St. Therese
For more information, please contact Ursula at:
228-8291 or 905-2442

St. Anthony Club of Fresno
75th
"Festa De Santo Antonio of Fresno"
Rosary
Friday, July 16, 2010 @ 7:00pm
St. Judes Church (210 W. Jefferson, Easton)
Parade, Sunday, July 18, 2010 @ 10:45am
(172 W. Jefferson - C.P.D.E.S. Hall)
Mass at St. Judes Church - 11:30am
following Mass will be lunch/auction
Dinner - 7:00pm
Dance - 8:00pm
For more information, please call: 903-2432

LATIN MASS: STEP BY STEP. What every Catholic needs to know about the Latin Mass. Join us for this sit-down dinner presentation on **Sunday, July 18, 2010** at the Ramada Inn, Shaw Avenue @ Freeway 41. Matthew Arnold of St. Joseph Communications will help Catholics understand the signs and symbols of the Latin Mass. Check-in begins at 5:00pm. Registration is $20 in advance, $30 at the door. For more information and to register, visit www.fresnolatinmass.org or call (559) 593-5012.

REVELATION

In the Old Testament, the New Testament lies concealed; in the New Testament, the Old Testament lies revealed.

St. Augustine

The Diocese of Stockton Welcomes the Heart of St. John Vianney
July 11-15, 2010

The incorrupt relic of the heart of St. John Vianney is being brought to the U.S. for the first time since 2006 and will be venerated in Modesto at St. Joseph's and St. Stanislaus parishes and in Stockton at the Cathedral of the Annunciation from July 11-15, 2010.
Those who wish to attend the daily events during the visit must have tickets.

To obtain free tickets please visit www.vianneyheart.com.

Register soon ~ spaces are filling up fast!!!

July 11-15, 2010
*indicates events for which you will need an event ticket to enter (you may request free tickets using the Register page)

July 11, 2010 Sunday St. Joseph Church, Modesto
*Welcoming of "the Heart" and Evening Prayer with Bishop Stephen Blaire, 7:00pm

July 12, 2010 Monday St. Joseph Church, Modesto
Masses at 8:00am and *5:45pm, Confessions at 5:00pm ~ Veneration throughout the day
*Talk on the Life of St. John Vianney, Fr. Vincent Siret from Ars, 7:00pm ~ Veneration throughout the night

July 13, 2010 Tuesday St. Joseph Church, Modesto
Masses at 8:00am and *5:45pm, Confessions at 5:00pm ~ Veneration throughout the day
*Talk on the relic of the Heart of St. John Vianney, Fr. Vincent Siret from Ars, 7:00pm
Veneration throughout the night ~ Transfer to St. Stanislaus Church

July 14, 2010 Wednesday St. Stanislaus Church, Modesto
~ Mass (time TBD) ~ Veneration throughout the day ~ *Talk on the Priesthood, Fr. Vincent Siret from Ars, 7:00pm ~ Veneration until 10:00pm
Transfer to Sisters of the Cross Convent for veneration
Transfer to the Cathedral of the Annunciation

July 15, 2010 Thursday Cathedral of the Annunciation in Stockton
Veneration starting at (time TBD)
*Mass with Bishop Blaire, homilist: Fr. Vincent Siret from Ars, 7:00pm

Dave Drevecky
Former Giants pitcher and cancer survivor will sign autographs

Christian Fellowship Day

Featuring Post-Game Fireworks!

The Grizzlies will match each ticket purchased with an additional FREE game in August! You will receive a voucher good for August 18 so your group can enjoy another Grizzlies game!

Friday, July 16 @ 7:05pm

For ticket information contact Adam Gleich @ 320-2525

Naming our Addictions: A spirituality of The 12 Steps
Facilitator: John McAndrew, MA, MDiv

A weekend retreat for people in recovery, those who love them, healthcare professionals and anyone interested in learning more about "a design for living that really works". Information, conversation, reflection and an opportunity to name the spiritual malady of addiction AND explore a new vision of serenity and recovery.

August 6 - 8, 2010
St. Anthony Retreat Center
Three Rivers, CA

$185/person (singles $230); $100 deposit due by July 1
Includes all sessions, meals (Sat/Sun) and accommodations.

For further information contact Sr. Danielle at 561-4595.

Secular Franciscans

The Secular Franciscan Order

(also known as Third Order of St. Francis) is 800 years old and a religious order for both lay men and women. We will have a meeting on **Saturday, July 17** at the St. Paul Newman Center for a **Communion Service at 8:00am** followed by a complimentary **breakfast and meeting at 9:00am**. Everyone is invited.

For further information, please contact:
Glenna at 424-1934 or Frank at 448-8671.

Knights of Columbus
council #9525 - St. John's Cathedral

Sunday Tri-tip
Whole Cooked Trip-tip $15 each
Pick up on Sunday, July 18 (6:30am - 12:00pm)
Location: Right outside St. John's Cathedral

For advance sales call:
Martin Harguindeguy 498-3369 or
Homer Mendoza 930-4523

XV DOMINGO DE TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Busquen al Señor, y vivirán sus corazones.

GRUPOS Y ACTIVIDADES

FORMACION DE FE CONFIRMACIÓN y SACRAMENTOS PARA ADULTOS

Ya están disponibles las formas de registro para el programa de Formación de Fe (9no grado), Confirmación y Sacramentos para Adultos. El paquete de inscripción esta disponible en la oficina de la parroquia y HOY después de misa.

FORUM EDUCACIONAL DE INMIGRACIÓN

Violencia Domestica – protección y visas, Fraude – como prevenirlo, Servicios de Consulado – Matriculas, etc. Habra tiempo para preguntas y respuestas. Patrocinado por St. Anthony of Padua, Fe en Comunidad/PICO, El Consulado Mexicano y el abogado de Inmigración Lazaro Salazar. **Jueves 22 de Julio**, 2010 **6:00pm** Salón Social de St. Anthony of Padua.

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN

Hora: 7:00pm - Miércoles - Salón #24

CORO DE JOVENES

Joven ¿Sabes tocar algún instrumento musical o te gusta cantar? Entonces acompáñanos! Se esta formando el Coro de Jóvenes.
Te esperamos. **Hora:** 6:30pm - Jueves
Lugar: Salón #22

GRUPO DE JOVENES de JR. HIGH

EDADES: 11 a 14 años de edad
Lugar: Salón #22 - 6:30pm - Viernes

GRUPO DE JOVENES *JUECSA 'TEENS'*

EDADES: 15 a 17 años de edad
Lugar: Social Hall - 6:30pm - Viernes

GRUPO DE BIBLIA

Hora: 6:30pm - 8:30PM - Jueves
Lugar: Salón #21
Acompáñanos con tu Biblia!

Decimoquinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Cristo . . . es también la cabeza del cuerpo, que es la Iglesia.
Colosenses 1:15, 18

SÉ COMO EL SAMARITANO

La parábola en el Evangelio de hoy es una de las más conocidas de todas las enseñanzas de Jesús. Se ha utilizado el término "Buen samaritano" como nombre de diversas organizaciones benéficas. Con el predominio de la terminología utilizada para describir diversas actividades de nuestro día, tal vez nos olvidemos del mensaje de este pasaje del Evangelio. Este hombre, este samaritano, fue el único que ofreció ayuda al hombre golpeado. Recuerda que a los samaritanos se los consideraba como lo más bajo de todo en el tiempo de Cristo. Una buena persona judía ni siquiera hubiera ido cerca de un samaritano por temor a volverse impuro. El Samaritano fue motivado exclusivamente porque sentía que el pobre hombre necesitaba ayuda. No se preocupaba por la condición religiosa o social. Y el mensaje de Jesús es que nosotros debemos hacer lo mismo.

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Esparciendo el AMOR de CRISTO por el Mundo

Colecta Peter's Pence

Hoy brindamos nuestro apoyo a las obras de caridad del Santo Padre. La Colecta Peter's Pence nos une en solidaridad para ayudar a los más desfavorecidos: a las víctimas de la guerra, de la opresión y de los desastres naturales y a los que necesitan ayuda inmediata. El Papa Benedicto XVI ha dicho:*"El amor de Dios . . . nos da valor para trabajar y seguir en busca del bien de todos"* (*Caritas in Veritate*, no. 78). Estamos esparciendo el amor de Cristo por el mundo — por favor, contribuya generosamente a la Colecta de hoy. Para informarse mas sobre la Colecta Peter's Pence, visite www.usccb.org/nationalcollections.com MUCHAS GRACIAS!

FORMACIÓN DE FE

Este programa esta **diseñado para los jóvenes en el 9no grado** de High School. Responde a las necesidades que tienen a esta edad y ayuda en sus necesidades catequéticas, espirituales, emocionales y sociales. **Prepara a los estudiantes (si es necesario) a recibir los sacramentos de Reconciliación y/o Primera Comunión y es un repaso de los sacramentos que los prepara para el primer año de confirmación.** Clases comienzan el 19 de septiembre, 2010

SACRAMENTOS PARA ADULTOS

Programa para adultos que aun no han recibido o necesitan alguno de los sacramentos de Iniciación Cristiana: Bautismo, Primera Comunión o Confirmación. Clases comienzan el 15 de septiembre, 2010