

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Sunday, March 26, 2023



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CATHEDRAL OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Stewards of God's Gifts

MASS SCHEDULE

* Livestream available on Sundays & Holy Days of Obligation

Sunday | Domingo

English 8:00 am
English 10:00 am*
Español 12:00 pm*
Chinese 2:00 pm*
English 4:00 pm
Español 6:00 pm

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9am-5pm

Closed for Lunch 12pm-1pm

Cathedral Hours: Monday - Friday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Monday - Friday

Lunes - Viernes
12:10 pm

Saturday | Sábado
NO VIGIL MASS

ADORATION

Wednesday & Thursday
1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday | Lunes - Viernes

11:30 am to 12:00 pm

Saturday | Sábado

4:00 pm to 5:00 pm

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Reflections and Readings

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Stewardship Reflection

At this point in our Lenten journey, it is tempting to grow weary of the spiritual disciplines we have taken on. Today's readings inspire us to remain faithful, in grateful response to a God who loves us so much.

In our first reading, the prophet Ezekiel speaks God's own words to us. "I will put my spirit in you that you may live... I have promised and I will do it, says the Lord." Our God wants to be so closely united to us that we are one with Him. And He has promised He will do it. But only if we make room for Him by making Him THE priority of our lives. Putting God first is a grateful response that is very pleasing to Him.

How can we do this? Our second reading, from Romans, tells us. "Those who are in the flesh cannot please God. But you are not in the flesh... you are in the spirit if only the Spirit of God dwells in you."

The disciplines of Lent and a stewardship way of life are wonderful gifts that free us from too great an attachment to "the flesh." The sacrifices we make as Christian stewards are not meant to restrict our freedom and joy. Quite the contrary. They are tools to help us find the real freedom and joy that only come when we make room in our lives for God.

As we journey closer to the Passion of our Lord, let us intensify our Lenten resolutions and our stewardship way of life, inviting the Holy Spirit to take over more and more of our lives. By Easter, we will be freer to rejoice in Him and truly pleasing to God.

Readings and Observances

Sunday 3/26
5th Sunday of Lent

Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7)/Rom 8:8-11/
Jn 11:1-45

Monday 3/27
Monday of the
5th week of Lent

Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62
Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/
Jn 8:1-11

Tuesday 3/28
Tuesday of the
5th week of Lent

Nm 21:4-9/
Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21/
Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday 3/29
Wednesday of the
5th week of Lent

Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/
Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/
Jn 8:31-42

Thursday 3/30
Thursday of the
5th week of Lent

Gn 17:3-9/
Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/
Jn 8:51-59

Friday 3/31
Friday of the
5th week of Lent

Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a,
3bc-4, 5-6, 7/
Jn 10:31-42

Saturday 4/1
Saturday of the
5th week of Lent

Ez 37:21-28/
Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13/
Jn 11:45-56

Sunday 4/2
Palm Sunday

Is 42:1-7/
Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/
Jn 12:1-11

Mass Intentions

Sunday 3/26

Sister Jenny Aldeghi S.I.;
Baby Ramirez-Slaughter +;
People of the Parish S.I.;
Delores Correa +

Monday 3/27

Jim Finch S.I.

Tuesday 3/28

The Martinez Family S.I.

Wednesday 3/29

Jackie Whittle S.I.

Thursday 3/30

Rudy and Gloria Martinez +;
Michael and Donna Gutierrez
and Family S.I.

Friday 3/31

Lola Lee Hall Krist +;
Haley Addington S.I.

Chrism Mass

Bishop Jaime Soto will preside at the annual Chrism Mass on **Thursday, March 30, 2023 6pm**. Bishop Soto and the priests of the diocese will pray for God's continued blessings on the local church of Sacramento. The priests will renew their priestly promises. The Chrism Mass is one of our most important Diocesan celebrations where Bishop Soto will bless the Holy Oils that are used in sacramental celebrations in all the parishes of the Diocese throughout the coming year.

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Register for this service at:
www.is.gd/text2give



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Gracias!



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Hearts of stone

Let out the darkness and let in the light,
take away the stone
Let out the burdens and let in the cross,
take away the stone
Let out the stench and let in the air,
take away the stone
Let out the demons and let in the grace,
take away the stone
Let out the fear and let in the trust,
take away the stone
Let out the anger and let in the peace,
take away the stone
Let out the pride and let in the wisdom,
take away the stone
Let out the doubt and let in the faith,
take away the stone
Let out the lies and let in the truth,
take away the stone
Let out the racism and let in the communion,
take away the stone
Let out the hoarding and let in the freedom,
take away the stone
Let out the media and let in the word,
take away the stone
Let out the death and let in the life,
take away the stone
Let out yourself and let in Christ,
take away the stone
Be untied and let go!

Corazones de piedra

Deja salir la oscuridad y deja entrar la luz,
quita la piedra
Deja salir las cargas y deja entrar la cruz,
quita la piedra
Deja salir el hedor y deja entrar el aire,
quita la piedra
Deja salir a los demonios y deja entrar la gracia,
quita la piedra
Deja salir el miedo y deja entrar la confianza,
quita la piedra
Deja salir la ira y deja entrar la paz,
quita la piedra
Deja salir el orgullo y deja entrar la sabiduría,
quita la piedra
Deja salir la duda y deja entrar la fe,
quita la piedra
Deja salir las mentiras y deja entrar la verdad,
quita la piedra
Deja salir el racismo y deja entrar la comunión,
quita la piedra
Deja salir el acaparamiento y deja entrar la libertad,
quita la piedra
Deja salir a los medios y deja entrar la palabra,
quita la piedra
Deja salir la muerte y deja entrar la vida,
quita la piedra
Déjate salir y deja entrar a Cristo,
quítate la piedra
¡Desate y déjalo ir!

Palm Sunday April 2

8:00 am (English)
10:00 am (English)
12:00 pm (Spanish)
2:00 pm (Chinese)
4:00 pm (English)
6:00 pm (Spanish)

Monday to Saturday

8:00 am—Morning Prayer

Holy Thursday April 6

12:10 pm—Communal
Penance Service
7:00 pm—Mass of the
Lord's Supper
Bilingual

Holy Week Schedule



Good Friday April 7

12:10 pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion
followed by Stations of the Cross *English*
2:00 pm—3:00 pm Confessions
7:00 pm—Via Crucis *en Espanol*
7:30 pm—Celebración de la Pasión del Señor

Holy Saturday (April 8)

Confessions 3:00—5:00 pm
Easter Vigil 9:00 pm *Bilingual*

Easter Sunday, April 9:

8:00 am (English)
10:00 am (English)
12:00 pm (Spanish)
2:00 pm (Chinese)
4:00 pm (English)



Liturgy and Music Corner

THE CHRISM MASS

On Thursday, March 30, 2023 at 6 pm the Chrism Mass will be held at the Cathedral. This Mass is celebrated every year, and so you may already be familiar with it. Hopefully, we'll provide something new for both those familiar and unfamiliar to the rite.

Normally, the Chrism Mass is celebrated on the morning of Holy Thursday. It is moved to the prior Thursday for practical reasons. The first is that at the beginning of the Chrism Mass, all the priests in our diocese renew their promises to the bishop. These are the same promises they made at the time of their ordination. Since many of the priests travel many miles to attend, it would be impractical to hold this on the morning of Holy Thursday. They would not have enough time to travel to their home parishes to preside over the Mass of the Lord's Supper. The second reason is that the Chrism Mass is supposed to be concelebrated with the priests of the diocese

During the Chrism Mass three oils are blessed by the bishop; the Oil of the Sick used in Anointing of the Sick, the Oil of the Catechumens used in many rites on those seeking baptism, and Sacred Chrism used in the celebrations of baptism, confirmation, and holy orders. "[S]acred Chrism shows that through Baptism, Christians have been incorporated into the Paschal Mystery of Christ. Having died, been buried and risen with him, they are sharers in his kingly and prophetic Priesthood. Through Confirmation they are given the spiritual anointing of the Holy Spirit." The Order of Blessing the Oil of Catechumens and of the Sick and of Consecrating the Chrism, no. 2

The oils are distributed to the priests for them to take back to their home parishes.

Children's Choir



The Cathedral Children's Choir meets on Fridays in Mercy Hall from 5:30-7:00 pm until the end of May. Please contact Rex Rallanka, Director of Liturgy & Music, rrallanka@cathedralsacramento.org.

Cathedral Offices have Moved

The newly located Cathedral Offices are at the lower level off Jazz Alley (alleyway), through the double-glass doors at the bottom of the stairs.

Telephone: 916-444-3071 Office hours: Monday – Friday from 9am – 5pm.

In Memoriam

We especially remember Deacon Raul Leon in our prayers who died on Tuesday, March 7 and who served the Cathedral Parish from 2001 until his retirement in 2014. Deacon Raúl Leon, who was ordained to the permanent diaconate for the Diocese of Sacramento in 1988. He served the Diocese of Sacramento for more than 25 years.

Bishop Jaime Soto will preside at a funeral Mass for Deacon Leon on Monday, March 27, at 10 a.m. in the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, 1017 11th St. in Sacramento. The rite of committal service will be held that same day at 2 p.m. at St. Mary Cemetery and Funeral Center, 6509 Fruitridge Road in Sacramento.

A vigil service will be held at 8 p.m. on Sunday, March 26, in the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament.



CATHEDRAL TOURS

For those of you who may be interested in the history, art, and restoration of the Cathedral, please join one of our docents for a tour beginning at the baptismal font following the closing hymn after the 8:00am and 10:00 am English Masses and after the 12 Noon Spanish Mass. Our Docents will share with you how the Cathedral is such an important part of early California history. Learn about our beautiful and important art works and how symbolism in these art works is so integral to our Catholic Faith. Learn more at: <https://is.gd/cathedraltourresources>.

22 de Febrero-2 de Abril
40 DÍAS POR LA VIDA.

Protege a madres y bebés uniéndote a la movilización pro-vida más grande de la historia. 40 Días por la Vida ha logrado tener más de 1,000,000+ voluntarios en 63 países.



February 22 to April 2
40 DAYS FOR LIFE.

You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization to pray and fast for an end to abortion! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and the community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000+ volunteers in 63 countries!

Contribuye a expandir este impacto y forma parte de la campaña:

- Ubicación de la vigilia: Planned Parenthood Centro do Abortos, 201 29th Street, Sacramento
- Horas de la vigilia: Lunes a Sabado, 8:00am a 5:00pm.
- Contacto local: Paty Davila: 916-502-4854 o Email: Paty_d@att.net

Aprende más y únete a nosotros:

Here's how to take part in in our community's efforts:

- **Vigil location:** Public sidewalk in front of Planned Parenthood Abortion Business, 201 29th Street, Sacramento
- **Vigil hours:** Monday through Saturday from 8:00am to 5:00pm
- **Local contact:** Wynette: 916-955-1577

Learn more and join us:

www.40daysforlife.com/Sacramento



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday of Lent after 12 :10 Mass *English*
Viernes 7:00 pm *Spanish*

The 14 Stations of the Cross are a mini-pilgrimage, taking believers through the journey of Jesus on Good Friday, from his condemnation to his burial. The stations are a prayerful way of uniting yourself to Jesus.

Come Pray the Holy Rosary with Us!
Friday Mornings 7:45 am
Sunday Mornings 11:15 am
Bilingual



EVENING ROSARY GROUP – Starting in March, Prayer and fellowship, in Cathedral lower level.
1st Wednesday of the month 7:10 pm
(Adults: 18 years +)
3rd Wednesday of the month 7:10 pm
(Children under 18 years)
Contact Marlene Mejia 916-628-6775 or Christina Callazo-Kelly, praytherosarywithus@yahoo.com

God is calling you to GROW in Your Catholic Faith this Lent!

COMPLETE SACRAMENTS

It's not too late

STUDY the BIBLE



Have you thought about becoming Catholic?

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Coming to the Cathedral and thinking about becoming Catholic? Are you Baptized Catholic and want to complete your Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

RCIA Classes on Mondays, 7PM in Mercy Hall

Request Information and/or Register:

www.cathedralsacramento.org/rcia

KEEP THE FLAME ALIVE

Join us with Fr. O'Reilly, talks on the Gospel of Matthew.

Wednesday Zoom gatherings

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

To receive the Zoom link/info, please send an email to Donna at Flamealive22@Gmail.com



This Cathedral podcast seeks to create a greater sense of community among parishioners. Each episode features Cathedral staff member or parishioner in casual discussion with host Christian Jensen. If you would like to participate as a guest, please contact us at:

916-545-5376 or <https://is.gd/talkparish>



Join us anytime!

Kids' Corner *5th Sunday of Lent* **Esquina de niños**

God Raises People from the Dead!



In today's Old Testament reading God promised His people that He would raise them from their graves. In the Gospel story Jesus raised His friend Lazarus from the dead. At the end of time God will raise everyone from the dead.

God does not like _____ . We all have to die because we are sinful, but God wants to raise us from the dead, like Lazarus.

Did you know that there is something worse than dying? Sinning is worse than dying, because when you commit a mortal sin you kill God's life in your soul. When you die you know that your body will rise again, but if you are not sorry for any serious sins then your soul will go to Hell because it doesn't have God's life in it. In Lent we should try to get rid of all the sin in our souls by going to Confession so that our souls will have God's life in them and be ready to celebrate Jesus' resurrection at Easter!



Family Bible Moment

In last Sunday's preparation for this weekend's readings, our focus was a tomb and the raising of Lazarus (the Gospel for today). Looking ahead to next week—Palm Sunday—we will listen to two Gospels: the pre-Mass Gospel of Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem, and the Passion of Jesus. We will hear the people shout in one moment "Hosanna to the King!", and in the next, "Crucify Him!"

Read next Sunday's Gospel, Matthew 26:14—27:66

The Passion narratives present a character study of human nature. In Matthew's account, Jesus experiences the worst of humanity:

- betrayal by Judas, one of the twelve disciples.
- Denial by Peter who just a little while earlier said he was ready to die with Jesus.
- Abandonment in the garden of Gethsemane (will no one watch one hour with me?), and at the Cross.
- Scorn and brutality of the Chief Priests, Scribes and Soldiers, and as the first reading says, "I gave my back to those who beat me, my cheeks to those who plucked my beard..." What can Jesus teach us about our call as Disciples who must follow Him in the face of our own struggles?



Third Scrutiny of the Elect

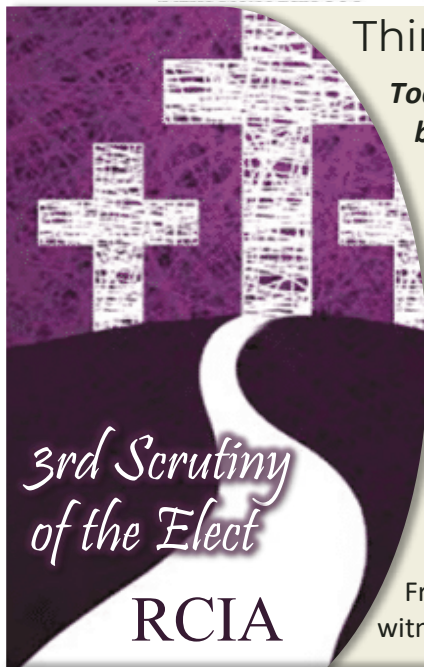
Today, we will celebrate the Third of the Scrutinies for our Elect, those who will be baptized at the Easter Vigil. You may recall that the word "scrutiny" means to search. These Lenten Scrutinies are, then, rites of searching for the Elect, who hope to discover, then heal, all that is weak, defective, or sinful in their hearts, and to strengthen all that is upright, strong, and good in them through a prayer called an "exorcism," which will follow the intercessions at the 8AM Mass today.

The Elect are encouraged this week to be attentive to the hope of our own resurrection that comes from belief in Jesus as God.

Exorcism Prayer over the Elect

Father of life and God not of the dead but of the living, you sent your Son to proclaim life, to snatch us from the realm of death, and to lead us to the resurrection.

Free these elect from the death-dealing power of the spirit of evil, so that they may bear witness to their new life in the risen Christ, for he lives and reigns for ever and ever.



3rd Scrutiny
of the Elect

RCIA

A Family of Faith

Jesus, Mary and Joseph
Most Holy Family, Pray for Us!



5th Sunday of Lent
Families in Mission
Jesus Cried



Upcoming Faith Formation Dates

Próxima formación en la fe

SAT MAR 25	Catechists on Retreat No Faith Formation
SUN MAR 26	8:00 Mass—RCIA Scrutiny #3 of the Elect and Breaking Open the Word Formacion en la Fe Familiar—10AM RCIA Families Year 2, 11:30am, St Toribio Faith Formation—Chinese 12:30 Confirmation 1—Chinese 3:30
MON MAR 27	Solemnity of St. Joseph—Prayer Below 6:30 PM—Vespers, Mercy Hall 7:00 PM—RCIA Adults
TUE MAR 28	6:00 PM—Family Faith Formation
THUR MAR 30	No Adult Confirmation Class—attend Chrism Mass at 6:00 PM. 7PM—Adult Bible Study—the Psalms
SAT APR 1	10:00 AM—Family Faith Formation
SUN APR 2	8:00 Mass—RCIA BOW Formacion en la Fe Familiar—10AM RCIA Families Year 1, 11:30am, St Toribio Faith Formation—Chinese 12:30 Confirmation 1—Chinese 3:30

Easter Basket Raffle Tickets

THE ANNUAL EASTER RAFFLE tickets are on sale now through Palm Sunday, when winners will be drawn. Raffle proceeds will benefit the Cathedral Family Faith Formation Programs. There are eleven baskets, two bicycles, and a hoverboard. Each item is a separate raffle. Buy tickets for each one, or put all your tickets toward one prize! **Tickets are \$1.00 each and available in the vestibule after Mass every Sunday until Palm Sunday on April 2.**

Thank you for supporting Family Faith Formation!

Jesus Loved. Jesus loved Lazarus and his sisters very deeply. He didn't want to see them suffer. He cried and was very sad when he heard that his friend Lazarus was sick and died. His compassion and mercy moved him to perform a miracle. He raised Lazarus back from the dead. Martha was disappointed and hurt. If Jesus had come earlier,



Place something in your sacred space to remind you to pray for the dead of your families, parish, community.

things would have been different. However, in the end her faith helped her through her initial sadness. As missionaries of mercy, we too are called to have faith in God's mercy and plan and be a comfort to those who suffer.

3.-Sharing the Good News:

Read today's Gospel:

Jn 11:3-7, 17,
20-27, 33b-45



Let us Pray: Loving God: You invite us to be compassionate like your son Jesus. We are called to not only feel others' pain, but to be with those who are suffering. Give us the courage to put your mercy into action. Send your Spirit to give us the courage to be a source of hope to those who are suffering. Amen

Reflect Together: #WORKSOFMERCY

Discuss some or all of these questions as a family:

- When is the last time you cried because someone you loved was very sick or had died?
- When was the last time when you felt bad or had compassion for someone who was sad?
- What helps you feel better when you are sad?

Take Action as a Family: Works of Mercy

- We are invited to do Works of Mercy during Lent. This week, let us focus on comforting the sorrowful and praying for the living and the dead.
- **Comfort the Sorrowful.** Who do you know who seems sad right now? A classmate, someone at work or in the neighborhood, or someone in the family. Plan a visit or call to them.
- **Pray for the Living and the Dead.** Who do you know who has lost a family member or loved one? Let them know they are in your prayers.

Sacramento Chinese Catholic Community

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Chinese Portal



Glimpse of Spirituality 靈修一瞥66 (John 若 2:1-11)

Fr. Abraham Chiu 趙必成神父

To run short of wine at a wedding feast was certainly a serious problem as well as life in crisis. If the running short of wine symbolizes life in crisis, what does the conversation between Jesus and his mother mean to us?

Mary pointed out the shortage of wine to Jesus that it symbolizes the biggest crisis of life, i.e. the absence of salvation. Jesus' reply seems, on the surface, to be a bit sharp: "O woman, what have you to do with me? My hour has not yet come."

The Greek title "woman" (gunai) is related to the woman who will work with the Son of God for the salvation of humankind in accordance with Gen 3:15. In addition, "the woman" also intertwines with another title, which is "the mother" respectively in John 2 and 19. Jesus asked, "What is to me and you?" and also protested that his "hour has not yet come." The "hour" of Jesus includes his passion, death, resurrection, and exaltation taken as one great event in the gospel of John. That is to say, Jesus' hour is closely related to the motherhood of Mary in salvation history because Mary was bravely standing under the cross when Jesus entrusted the faith community to her (John 19:26-27).

The choice wine that Jesus provided by making the first miracle indicates the abundance of Messianic wine in the banquet of God since the fruit of the vine is used in the Old Testament as an symbol of the joy associated with the Messianic age and a blessing of God (Deut 7:13; Prov 3:10, Ps 105). The water in the jars represents the old order of Jewish law and custom (Jer 31:12; Hos 14:7; Amos 9:13), which Jesus was to replace with something better – his eternal life. Since it is God who provides, we will lack nothing.

Spiritual reflection: we offer God water and let God change it into choice wine. The wine that Jesus offers includes his words and works. This first sign is the manifestation of the grace and truth that has come through Jesus (John 1:17). It also sheds light on the Messianic banquet, which Jesus will provide at the end of the age when he comes again in glory. The best response we can make to the Messianic banquet is to do whatever Jesus tells us in order that we will be transformed by Jesus' choice wine, if we let him enter into our lives.

婚宴缺酒，無疑是嚴重問題，也是人生危機。如果缺酒象徵生活危機，那麼耶穌和他母親之間的對話為我們意味什麼？

瑪利亞向耶穌指出婚宴缺酒，這象徵人生最大危機，即沒有救恩。從表面上看，耶穌的回答似乎有點尖銳：“女人，這於我和你有什麼關係？我的時刻尚未來到。”

“女人” (gunai) 與創3:15 所描述那位將與天主子為拯救人類而合作的女人有關。此外，“女人”還與“母親”交織一起，分別是若2與19。耶穌反問聖母“這與我和你有什麼關係”之外，同時說明“我的時刻尚未來到”。

耶穌的“時刻”包括他的受難、死亡、復活和被舉揚；也就是說，耶穌的時刻與救恩史上馬利亞的“母親”密切相關，因為當耶穌將教會託付給她時，瑪利亞勇敢地站在十字架下接納一切（若19:26-27）。

耶穌通過《若》記載的第一個神蹟“變水為酒”，啟示天主光榮已在人間，美酒表明在天國默西亞宴席的神妙美酒，即永生；因為葡萄樹的果實在舊約中被用作默西亞時代的喜樂，以及天主的祝福（申7:13；箴3:10，詠105）。石缸的水代表猶太法律舊的秩序（耶31:12；歐14:7；亞9:13），耶穌要用更好的永生來代替它。既然是天主恩賜，基督徒什麼都不缺。

神修反思：我們將水奉獻給耶穌，讓他變為美酒。耶穌供應的美酒是他的聖言與救恩；這第一個神蹟通過“變水為酒”來啟示天主的恩寵與真理（若1:17）；並且肯定天國裡面默西亞的宴席，耶穌將在末日光榮來臨時實現。如何對默西亞宴席做出最佳回應？就是按照耶穌告訴我們的一切去做，如果讓耶穌進入我們生活，就會被耶穌的“美酒”轉化缺乏救恩的生命。

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Make an appointment by calling the parish office.

BAPTISM for INFANTS PREPARATION

Classes located in the Cathedral. *English*: 1st Thursday of the month at 7pm. *Spanish*: 2nd Thursday of the month at 7pm.

BAPTISM

Contact Deacon Omar Bardales at the Parish Office baptism@cbssac.org or 916-444-3071 Ext.22

Baptisms are scheduled in English at 9 AM on the first and third Saturday of each month; and in Spanish at 9 AM on the second and fourth Saturday of each month.

CONFESSION/RECONCILIATION

Monday—Friday: 11:30 am to 12:00 pm

Saturday: 4:00 to 5:00 pm

CONFIRMATION

The Cathedral offers programs of formation for the Sacrament of Confirmation to youth (7th grade and older) and Adults. Go to:

www.cathedralsacramento.org/faithformation

HOLY EUCHARIST

Following at least two years of faith formation, and signs of readiness, Children and Teens prepare for the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist through a series of workshops for immediate preparation for the Sacrament. Adults prepare for the Sacrament through the RCIA. Contact Sister Lisa Marie for details at cathedrafaithformationsac@gmail.com

HOLY ORDERS

Priests and deacons are ordained to perform ministerial roles in the community. To learn more about the priesthood and /or deaconate, contact Fr. Mémo Hernandez at 916-733-0258.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

The Diocese requires all engaged couples to prepare for their union with a marriage preparation program no less than two months before the date of their wedding. Contact Deacon Omar & Janet Bardales at matrimonyprep@att.net or 916-427-9160.

MATRIMONY

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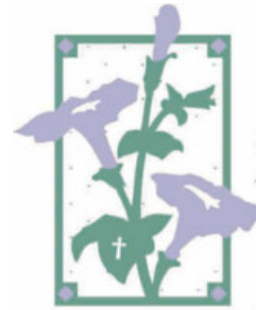


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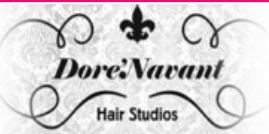
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