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Deacon Juan Vargas

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Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30AM-12:00 PM and
1:00 PM-7:00 PM

Saturday & Sunday: 9:00 AM-1:00 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Evening – English - 5:00 PM
Spanish - 6:30 PM

Sunday – English - 8:00 and 10:00 AM
Spanish - 12:00 Noon
Vietnamese - 3:30 PM
English - 6:00 PM

Daily Mass:

Monday - Saturday - 8:00 AM English
Tuesday & Thursday- 6:30 PM Spanish

Holy Days of Obligation:

Vietnamese (Vigil)-7:30 PM
English – 8:00 AM
English – 9:00 AM
English – 12:15 PM
English – 6:00 PM
Spanish – 7:30 PM

Sacrament of Penance (Confession):

Saturdays – 3:00 to 4:00 PM

Baptisms: (From birth through six years old.) A pre-baptismal class is required for parents. Please call the Parish Center for an appointment. Baptisms are held Sundays at 1:30 PM. Baptisms in Spanish are on the first Sunday. Baptisms in English are on the fourth Sunday.

Marriage: Contact the Parish Center six months prior to the wedding date.

RCIA Inquiry:

RCIA is the process by which adults (seven years and older) may become Catholic or complete their Sacraments of Initiation. Adults who would like to know more about their faith are welcome to come to our inquiry sessions. For more information, please call 491-3468.

School Office:.....524-4170
Email: admissions@olfcatholicsschool.com
Website:.....www.olfcatholicsschool.com
Religious Education:.....491-3462
RCIA:.....491-3468
Music Ministry:.....491-3466
Youth Ministry:.....491-3465

How to Contact the Clergy: Call the receptionist at the Parish Center Monday-Friday at 524-7421. The receptionist can help you make an appointment with a priest. If your need is extremely urgent, please make that clear, so that the priest on call can be contacted. Also, tell the receptionist if you need a Spanish or Vietnamese speaking priest. The priest on call should only be contacted for the dying or those in deep grief. Contact is made through the answering service at the parish phone, 524-7421.

CHURCH ETIQUETTE

1. Please turn off or silence all cell phones and pagers.
2. Please keep respectful quiet in the presence of Jesus in the Eucharist before and after Mass.
3. Please remember appropriate clothing especially during the summer. Gentlemen, please remove hats and caps upon entering the church building.
4. Please no cups of coffee or other drinks.
5. Please remember, except in the case of true need, bottles of water are not needed.
6. Please, chewing gum by anyone (any age) is not acceptable ever, anytime in church.
7. Please refrain from reading the bulletin, emails, or TXT messages before and during Mass.
8. Please do not arrive late, leave after communion or before the Mass has ended.
9. Please participate in the Mass: body, mind, and spirit through singing, responding, praying, and attending with heart and mind.

**SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME**

July 30, 2017

All things work for good
for those who love God.
— *Romans 8:28a*



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Solomon prays for an understanding heart (1 Kings 3:5, 7-12).

Psalms — Lord, I love your commands (Psalm 119).

Second Reading — All things work for good for those who love God (Romans 8:28-30).

Gospel — The one who knows of the kingdom of heaven brings new and old from the storeroom (Matthew 13:44-52 [44-46]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23;
Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-13;
Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5-7, 9; Jn 11:19-27
or Lk 10:38-42

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a,
11; Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37;
Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt
14:1-12

Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;
2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend—July 29 & 30 for our St. Vincent de Paul society

CAN YOU SPEND ONE HOUR WITH ME?

Jesus asked His Apostles, "Could you not keep watch with me for one hour?" This is a beautiful way to spend quiet time in the presence of our Lord. Hours for exposition are: **12 noon to 5:00 pm, Thursdays.**



Please remember in your prayers

all who have no one else to pray for them.

PRAY

Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life.



**Mass Intentions
for the Week**

July 29—August 6, 2017

Saturday	8:00 AM	Lois P Heinsius†
	5:00 PM	Mary Perry†
	6:30 PM	Virginia Zambrana† & German Zambrana (Sp Int)
Sunday:	8:00 AM	Parishioners
	10:00 AM	Joseph & Maria Fusco†
	12:00 PM	Mary Jo Martyns†
	3:30 PM	Maria Haut†
	6:00 PM	Raymond U Alessi†
Monday:	8:00 AM	Kaliko Sanchez†
Tuesday:	8:00 AM	Maria Gai†
	6:30 PM	Jeff Hardy (Sp Int)
Wednesday:	8:00 AM	Raymond & Felicia Libuse†
Thursday	8:00 AM	Isave & Giacobe†
	6:30 PM	Ruperto Marabal†
Friday	8:00 AM	Anthony J Cusenza†
Saturday	8:00 AM	Phero Hoa†
	5:00 PM	Mary Carmo†
	6:30 PM	Bryan Spitulski (Sp Int)
Sunday:	8:00 AM	Parishioners
	10:00 AM	Katy & Bela Koos†
	12:00 PM	Hermelinda Vargas & Dimas Gonzalez†
	3:30 PM	Domenico Vuong†
	6:00 PM	Mary Ellen Flynn†

"For me, prayer is a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy."

St. Therese of Lisieux

COMMUNION MINISTERS NEEDED

Our parish has a great need for more communion ministers to serve at our Sunday Masses. If you feel called to this ministry, or would just like to check it out, please attend our two-part training session to be held on:

Monday, September 11, 2017 AND Monday, September 18, 2017

Both sessions will be held from 7-9 PM in Room 6 of OLF School. Note that you must attend BOTH sessions. The only requirements are that you are a practicing Catholic and have received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Questions? Leave a message for Deacon Jim at the Parish Office (524-7421.)

ATTN.: ALL COMMUNION MINISTERS

There is always AN URGENT need for more Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to take Communion to the homebound, to those in hospitals & convalescent & rehab facilities.

If you feel called to serve in this Ministry please call Kathy Sbragia at 545-1896.



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OPEN FORUM
With Bishop Blaire

Our Lady of Fatima, Modesto
Saturday, August 26, 2017
2:00—3:00 pm

In 20 locations, beginning August 5, 2017,

Bishop Blaire will conduct forums for discussion to answer questions and receive comments in parishes and schools where abuse is alleged to have occurred or where identified abusers served. Bishop Blaire welcomes these meetings which are part of the non-monetary settlement in the exit from bankruptcy.

All known survivors of abuse in this parish or school or geographical area are invited to attend.

The full schedule of all meetings is available on the Diocesan website:

<https://stocktondiocese.org/schedule-of-parish-forums>

MASS & BREAKFAST

JUNE 27 - AUGUST 3

All Junior High and High School teens are invited to attend 8 am Daily Mass followed by breakfast, games, and fellowship until noon! This weekly event will occur EVERY Tuesday for Junior High Teens and EVERY Thursday for High School teens. Bring a friend!

If you have questions, or would like to donate breakfast items or beverages, please call Ozzy Ramirez in the Parish Office at 524-7421.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFETIME!

Are you looking for a GREAT OPPORTUNITY to deepen your faith and put a smile on your face every week? Maybe a friend or family member has shared with you their desire to grow in faith as they give their time and concern to others. We invite adults of all ages to GET INVOLVED in our parish religious education ministry. Come MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE WORLD! Be a catechist or classroom aide. Opportunities also available to split a position as co-catechists. Come meet with Melinda or Joyce in the parish office to see what good things the Holy Spirit has in store for you! Call 524-7421.

Top Reasons to Become a Catechist:

1. You will grow in your own faith, learn the teachings of the Church, and deepen your relationship with Jesus.
2. Your Baptism calls you to share in Jesus' ministry.
3. Children, teens, and adults in today's world, more than ever, need to hear the Good News of Jesus.
4. Children, teens, and adults in today's world, more than ever, need to encounter good role models of faith.
5. You have much to share with those you'll teach, and you'll have opportunities to share faith with other catechists.
6. Today's catechetical textbooks/resources offer outstanding support.
7. You'll be challenged, you'll have fun, and you'll make new friends.
8. You'll be helping people deepen their relationship with Jesus. (You'll be evangelizing!)
9. You'll be handing on a 2000-year-old Tradition that changes lives.
10. It's our job: Jesus sent us to "go and teach all nations."





There is a Black Oak Bus Trip scheduled for Wednesday, August 23. The cost is \$17. This covers your trip, coffee and donuts and the tip for the bus driver. Black Oak reimburses \$15 in gaming money and gives a 10% dining discount. Payment is due when signing up. Sign-ups are with Martina in the parish office. All are welcome.

THE PASSION OF SAINT PERPETUA

A 55-minute **documentary** that tells the true account of this courageous martyr and her companions.

Join Mike Aquilina, Vice-President of the Saint Paul Biblical Theology Center and well-known author of more than a dozen books on Catholic history, doctrine, and devotion as well as co-host of EWTN's "Swear to God" – as he recounts the history and message of this timeless true story and its relevance for us today.

Containing footage taken at the actual sites where the story took place in Carthage, Tunisia, this documentary will inform as well as inspire.

If you haven't already registered, go to **FORMED.org**, register with our parish code **F7GZ8R** and gain access to this and other Catholic content via your computer, tablet, or your smartphone.

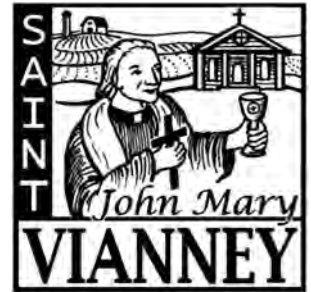
BISHOP'S AWARDS DINNER, Saturday, October 21, 2017 at Church of the Presentation in Stockton.

Reserve your tickets today! Call (209) 546-7646 or visit us at:

<https://stocktondiocese.org/diocesan-departments/development-2/bishops-awards/reserve-your-tickets/>

DEACON FORMATION: NEW CLASS BEGINNING

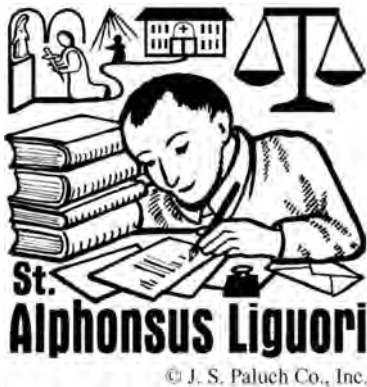
A new class will be forming and beginning in September through the School of Ministry. For more information contact Deacon Greg Yeager at 209-595-5891 or Sister Wanda Biliation at 209- 466-0636.



RACHEL'S VINEYARD

Healing the pain of abortion, one weekend at a time.
A Rachel's Vineyard weekend is a beautiful opportunity for any person who has struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain of abortion. It is an opportunity to heal repressed feelings of anger, shame, guilt, and grief in a safe and confidential environment. Past retreatants have shared: "I leave this retreat feeling lighter, more free and more connected to God." "I have found the forgiveness I was seeking at last!"

There are two more opportunities to experience the retreat in 2017:
Sept. 22--24, 2017 (English) and Oct. 6-8, 2017 (Spanish).
For more information or to register con-tact Kim: 209/465-5433 (English) or Gloria: 510/485-2574 (Spanish).



**Our Lady of Fatima
Priest Visitation Request**

Name:

Phone #:

Address:

Cell #:

Email address:

Please indicate any special needs connected with your visitation request i.e.: Anointing of the Sick, House blessing, etc.

Best day of the week _____ Best time of day _____

**Please, no hospitality is necessary.
Drop in collection basket or at the Parish Office*



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DECIMOSÉPTIMO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

30 de julio de 2017

Todo contribuye para bien
de los que aman a Dios.

— Romanos 8:28a



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

- Lunes: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Sal 106 (105):19-23; Mt 13:31-35
- Martes: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Sal 103 (102):6-13; Mt 13:36-43
- Miércoles: Ex 34:29-35; Sal 99 (98):5-7, 9; Jn 11:19-27 o Lc 10:38-42
- Jueves: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Sal 84 (83):3-6a, 8a, 11; Mt 13:47-53
- Viernes: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Sal 81 (80):3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58
- Sábado: Lv 25:1, 8-17; Sal 67 (66):2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12
- Domingo: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Sal 97 (96):1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pe 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9

SÓLO UNO

Dios nos ama a cada uno como si no existiese nadie más.

—San Agustín

COLECTA SEGUNDA

29 y 30 de julio para la sociedad de San Vicente de Paul.

MINISTERIO DE LINO

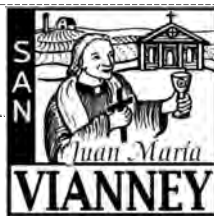
Un ministerio maravilloso en nuestra parroquia es el Ministerio de Lino, que cuida de todos los linos del altar que se necesitan para cada Misa. Siendo que hay más de doce Misas por semana, se necesitan muchas manos. ¿Le gustaría donar su tiempo para ayudar unas cuantas horas al mes en este ministerio? Favor de llamar a Lisa Rego al 872-1995.



LO QUE SÉ

En cuanto a mí, sólo sé que nada sé.

—Sócrates



LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Dame a mí, tu servidor, la capacidad de juzgar bien (1 Reyes 3:5, 7-12).

Salmo — Amo, Señor, tus mandamientos (Salmo 119 [118]).

Segunda lectura — Estamos predestinados a ser conformados a la imagen del Hijo de Dios (Romanos 8:28-30).

Evangelio — Cuando encontramos la perla de gran valor, tenemos que ofrecer por ella todo lo que poseemos (Mateo 13:44-52 [44-46]).

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LA VIÑA DE RAQUEL.

Sanar la pena del aborto, un fin de semana a la vez. Esta es una hermosa oportunidad para cualquier paersona que tiene que luchar con el dolor emocional o espiritual del aborto. Es una oportunidad para sanar sentimientos reprimidos de rabia, vergüenza, culpa, y pena, en un ambiente seguro y confidencial. Quienes lo han experimentado dicen: "Salgo de este retiro sintiendome más ligero, más libre y más conectado con Dios", "Por fin encontré el perdón que estaba buscando!" Hay otras dos oportunidades para vivir el retiro en el 2017: Septiembre 22-24 en Inglés y, Octubre 6-8 en Español.

Para más información o inscripción hable con Kim: 209.465.5433 (Inglés) o Gloria: 510.485.2574 (Español).

RESERVE LA FECHA: Cena de Reconocimientos del Obsipo.

Sábado, Octubre 23, 2017.

Iglesia de la Presentación, Stockton. Únase en esta celebración de reconocimientos y ministerio, para resaltar de la contribución positiva de quienes hoy serán honrados.

<https://stocktondiocese.org/diocesan-departments/development-2/bishops-awards/reserve-your-tickets/>



HÉROES CATÓLICOS: LA HISTORIA DE SANTA PERPETUA

Nacida en una familia de la nobleza romana, Perpetua se convierte al cristianismo tras presenciar el irresistible ejemplo de servicio y amor imparcial de la iglesia de Cartago.

Ajena al decreto del Emperador Septimio Severo, mediante el cual se prohíbe toda conversión al cristianismo, Perpetua asiste a una asamblea clandestina de la iglesia junto con los esclavos Felicitas y Revocato.

Arrestadas y juzgadas, Perpetua y Felicitas junto con sus compañeros se rehúsan valerosa y tajantemente a abjurar de su fe. Su testimonio sigue inspirando a incontables cristianos hasta el día de hoy.

¡Emocionante! ¡Inspiradora! ¡Llena de suspenso!

Visite **FORMED.org**, regístrese usando el código de nuestra parroquia **F7GZ8R** y obtenga acceso a contenido Católico en español e Inglés a través de su computadora, tableta, o su teléfono.