

The Nativity of the Lord-Christmas • La Natividad del Señor-Navidad
December 25, 2016 • 25 de diciembre de 2016

WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK/ INTENCIONES SEMANALES

Sat:	4:00 PM	Living & Deceased Members of St. Anne
	11:00 PM	Living & Deceased Members of St. Anne
Sun:	9:30 AM	Living & Deceased Members of St. Anne
Mon:	9:00 AM	Kevin Arokiaraj 18th Birthday Intercession
Tue:	9:00 AM	Parishioners of St. Anne
Wed:	9:00 AM	Alfons Schmit
Thurs:	9:00 AM	Rev. Albano G. Oliveira
Sat:	5:00 PM	Members of St. Anne
Sun:	8:30 AM	Mary Kendall
	10:30 AM	Elders of St. Anne
	12:30 PM	Isabel Ramirez Ochoa

SCRIPTURE READINGS/ LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA 12/26/16-1/01/17

Mon:	St. Stephen, The First Martyr/San Esteban, Primer Mártir Acts 6:8-59 Ps 31:3cd-17 Mt 10:17-22 Hch 6:8-59 Sal 30:3cd-17 Mt 10:17-22
Tue:	St. John, Apostle, Evangelist/San Juan, Apóstol, Evangelista 1 Jn 1:1-4 Ps 97:1-12 Jn 20:1a-8 1 Jn 1:1-4 Sal 96:1-12 Jn 20:1a-8
Wed:	The Holy Innocents, Martyrs/Los Santos Inocentes, Mártires 1 Jn 1:5-2:2 Ps 124:2-8 Mt 2:13-18 1 Jn 1:5-2:2 Sal 123:2-8 Mt 2:13-18
Thurs:	The 5th Day w/in the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord: St. Thomas Becker, Bishop, Martyr/Quinto Día Dentro de la Octava de Navidad; Santo Tomas Becket, Obispo, Mártir 1 Jn 2:3-11 Ps 96:1-6 Lk 2:22-35 1 Jn 2:3-11 Sal 95:1-6 Lc 2:22-35
Fri:	The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph/La Sagrada Familia de Jesús, María y Jose Sir 3:2-14 Ps 128:1-5 Mt 2:13-23 Eclo 3:2-14 Sal 127:1-5 Mt 2:13-23
Sat:	The 7th Day w/in the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord: St. Sylvester I, Pope/Séptimo Día Dentro de la Octava de Navidad; San Silvestre I, Papa 1 Jn 2:18-21 Ps 96:1-13 Jn 1:1-18 1 Jn 2:18-21 Sal 95:1-13 Jn 1:1-18
Sun:	Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God/ Solemnidad de Santa Maria, Madre de Dios Nm 6:22-27 Ps 67:2-8 Gal 4:4-7 Lk 2:16-21 Nm 6:22-27 Sal 66:2-8 Gal 4:4-7 Lc 2:16-21

PLEASE PRAY FOR/POR FAVOR REZAN POR:

Gerry Bartling, Juanita Estrellas, Lucy Limesand, Andrea L., Jo Hyland, The Powers Family, Jeremy Lintermans, Stan Hodge, Frankie, Anna Ratto, Mike Schmit, Dennis Murray, Judy Hadsel, Tim Nichols, Gus & Paul Roemers, Nicole McLeod, Anna, Pat Ward, Alex Sherman, Jim Doran, Catherine Clark, Jack Thomas, James Ewing, Anna Bella Mok, Juta Michaelis, Elizabeth Ehlert, Pauline Brochu, Michael Clow, Will, Kayla, Tani, Don Cromwell, Ruthann Takakuwa, John Marciano, Bob Sharp, Nina Brochu, Mike Baker, Linda Nunn, Marlene Layden, Pedro, Jonathan Price, Patty Price, Logan Price, Sylvia Lynn, Eleno Delgado, Kathryn Copley, Elsj

Occasionally names are taken off the prayer list. If we have taken off the name of a person still in need of prayer, please call the office and we will gladly put them back on the list.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

12/31 - 01/01

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

Greeters: Larry & Kathy Green
Lector 1: Dennis Desmond
Lector 2: Carol Luke
Euch. Min: Cup – Anne & Greg Smith
Altar Servers: Team 8

SUNDAY 8:30 AM -

Greeters: Lourdes Baird, Darlene Ghorso & Barbara Stoiber
Lector 1: Tom Mancuso
Lector 2: Pat Weber
Euch. Min: Bread – Fran LaPerle, Jim Sniadecki & Linda Thomas
Cup – Jay McLaughlin, Matt Nobriga, Lynn Tiemeyer & Ernie Zuccato

Altar Servers: Sophia Skroch, Justin & Riley Lee

Hospitality: Linda Humbert & DeSimone Family

A/V: Perry Fondacabe

SUNDAY 10:30 AM

Greeters: Catrina Mygrant, Edith Nelson & Jane Perry
Lector 1: Barbara Mora
Lector 2: Lisa Promani
Euch. Min: Bread – Raj Arokiaraj, Dick Macdonald & Claudia Ramirez
Cup – Kristen Brassart, Bob Carone, Marian Landoline, Rick Pierce, Will & Toni Schulte

Altar Servers: Team 13

Children's Liturgy of the Word:

Hospitality: Alba Espitia & Catherine Kutsuris

A/V: Dan Kenney

SUNDAY 12:30 PM

Bienvenidas: Joel & Jessica Vega

Lector 1: Ignacio Chávez

Lector 2: Elva Chávez

Ministros de Eucaristía:

Pan – Marisol Romero

Taza – Eduardo y Leonor Romero y Fabiola y Gustavo Rodriguez

Ofrendas: Sergio y Marian Aguilar

Colecta: Elizabeth Zenteno, German y Jorge Romero

Acólitos:

A/V: Jose Becerra

PLEASE NOTE: Ministry Schedules for Jan-Mar are on the website. It is your responsibility to find your replacement if you cannot serve when scheduled.

FAVOR DE NOTAR: Es su responsabilidad buscar su reemplazo si usted no puede servir cuando está programado.

PLEASE KEEP OUR MILITARY FAMILY AND FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYERS

PRAY FOR THE REPOSED SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED: Mary Kendall & Maryann Proctor (Dolores Clark's Sister)

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**THIS WEEK AT ST ANNE/
ESTA SEMANA A ST. ANA 12/24/16—1/01/16**

- Sat: Vigil - Christmas**
3:30 PM Family Mass/Hall
10:30 PM Mass of the Shepherds/Hall
- Sun: Christmas**
8:00 AM 8:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B
9:30 AM Mass/Hall
- Mon: OFFICE CLOSED**
9:00 AM Hospital Communion/Offsite
4:00 PM Food Pantry Prep/Kitchen
- Tues: OFFICE CLOSED**
9:00 AM Food Pantry Distribution/Methodist Church
- Wed: OFFICE CLOSED**
- Thurs: OFFICE CLOSED**
6:00 PM Boys Ranch
7:00 PM AA/Room 1B
- Fri: OFFICE CLOSED**
7:00 PM el grupo de oración la sagrada familia/Capilla
- Sat: Vigil - Solemnity/Mary, Holy Mother of God**
2nd Collection - Parish Insurance
- Sun: Solemnity/Mary, Holy Mother of God**
2nd Collection - Parish Insurance
8:00 AM 8:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B
9:30 AM 10:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B

Adult Confirmation

Our Adult Confirmation class will begin on Wednesday January 11, 2017. The class will meet twice a month ending in April with Confirmation. If you are over 18 and have not received the sacrament of Confirmation and are interested in receiving this sacrament please join us on January 11th at 7:00 PM in room 1B. To sign up for the class or for more information please contact Lisa at 634-6625 ex.225 or lisap@stannechurchbyron.com



Children's Liturgy of the Word

Our Children's Liturgy of the Word is in need of volunteers to lead and assist with dismissals at our 10:30 am Mass. Children's Liturgy of the Word is a faith building worship experience for our St. Anne children. It is an opportunity for our children to hear and respond to the Word of God in a way that speaks to them. If you have a passion for your faith and children please prayerfully consider volunteering to help with Children's Liturgy of the Word. For more information please contact Lisa at lisap@stannechurchbyron.com or 925-634-6625.



Covenant Corner

The Covenant Corner is an opportunity for us to recognize those who use their gifts in service for others. We want to give regular thanks to those who do so much for all of us. So we invite you when you see someone doing something worth noting to let us know, by mail or email office@stannechurchbyron.com. Please keep the note 4-5 short sentences (maximum). Then we can get it in the bulletin.

Upcoming Events at St. Anne

Week of December 26th- 30th

OFFICE IS CLOSED

Friday, January 27, 2017

Women's Fellowship Crab Feed

Wednesday, February 1st

St. Anne Blood Drive

Saturday, February 11th

Morning of Enrichment @ St. Ignatius

Weekend February 25-26, 2017

Olive Wood Crafts from Holy Land at Masses

March 1st

Ash Wednesday

March 3rd - April 7th

Knight's of Columbus Fish Fry

April 5th

Reconciliation Service 7:00PM

April 13th -16th

Triduum

April 16th

Easter Sunday

If your Ministry has an event coming up that is not listed, please contact the office.

**CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
MONDAY, DECEMBER 26TH THRU
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30TH.**

**OFICINA DE LA IGLESIA ESTARA
CERRADA 26 DE DICIEMBRE A
TRAVÉS DE 30 DE DICIEMBRE**

46th Annual Ladies Crab Feed

The Women's Fellowship All Ladies Crab feed for Friday, January 27, 2017, is sold out. We are still looking for waitresses, raffle basket donations, and food donations. For more details please stop by the crab feed table after mass, or contact Lucy Peterson, at lucyp44@gmail.com.

CONNECT



Women's Fellowship

Upcoming Events:

Women's Fellowship meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month.

NEXT MEETING:

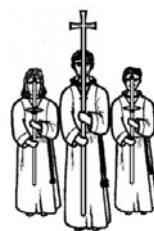
January 10, 2017 in the Chapel
6:30 PM - Social; 7:00PM - Meeting starts

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**For membership information contact**  
**Anne Doran at [adoran712@comcast.net](mailto:adoran712@comcast.net) or**  
**Patty Bristow at [pattybristow@sbcglobal.net](mailto:pattybristow@sbcglobal.net)**

*Women's Fellowship of St. Anne Catholic Church welcomes and strives to serve the needs of all women, offering opportunities to share gifts and talents and encourage and strengthen faith and friendships within our community.*

#### **Women's Fellowship Boutique**

Christmas, Baptism, wedding and confirmation items are available after the 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM masses beginning December 4, 2016. All items includes the tax.



### Altar Server Training

Altar Server training will continue Monday, **January 9th** at 5:15 – 6:15pm. Training is open to all who have received their 1st Communion (ages 8 to adult). Family teams are welcome! To sign up for the training or for more information please contact Debbie Strauss at (925) 216-5552 or email [debbies906@mac.com](mailto:debbies906@mac.com) If you are a current Altar Server this training is for you too! You can use it as a refresher course and as a way to help new altar servers become comfortable with their duties.

### Entrenamiento de monaguillos o servidores del altar



El entrenamiento para monaguillos continua el **Lunes 9 de diciembre** de 5:15pm a 6:15pm. El entrenamiento es para todos aquellos que ya hicieron su Primera Comunión (de 8 años de edad a adultos). Son bienvenidos los equipos familiares! Para registrarse o para mas información favor de comunicarse con Debbie Strauss al (925) 216- 5552 o [debbies906@mac.com](mailto:debbies906@mac.com). Si tu ya eres monaguillo también tenemos entrenamiento para ti. Puedes usarlo como un recordatorio o para ayudar a nuevos candidatos a sentirse mejor en sus tareas de servidores del altar.

St. Anne's Capital Campaign, 'Worship, Connect, Grow & Serve -Building the Next 100 Years' Campaign was kicked off in January 2015 with three goals:

- o Pay down our church debt
- o Support the Diocese capital campaign
- o Assist with the continuation of church ministries

Our stretch goal was \$1.5M and our minimum goal was \$1M. The total amount pledged to date is \$846,000. As of December, 2016, \$488,772 has been fulfilled (58% of the total). The remaining 42% (\$357,228) is still to be collected in the remaining 12 months of the campaign which ends at the end of 2017. We are roughly 66% through the campaign schedule and have collected 58% of the pledged funds. Pretty much on schedule. Thank you. This update is simply to remind parishioners to assess where you are in your donation schedule and to plan now to stay on schedule or to re-schedule to finish on time, if you can.

If you were unable to make a pledge or support the campaign back in 2014, and can support the cause now, this is a fine time to complete a pledge card. If you would like a personal and confidential campaign member to come to your home and discuss the campaign with you, please call Danette Jolly at 925-550-2748.

Your support is key to the success of ongoing ministries.

La Campaña de Santa Ana de, 'Venerar, Conectarse, Crecer y Servir - Construyendo los próximos 100 años se inició en Enero de 2015 con tres objetivos:

- o pagar la deuda de nuestra iglesia
  - o Apoyar la campaña capital de la Diócesis
  - o Asistir a la continuación de los ministerios de la Iglesia
- Nuestra meta era \$1.5 M con un objetivo mínimo de \$1M. El monto total comprometido hasta la fecha es de \$846.000. A partir de octubre de 2016, \$488,772 han sido cumplido (un 58% del total). El 42% restante (\$375.228) todavía debe ser recolectado en los restantes 12 meses de la campaña que termina a finales de 2017. Estamos aproximadamente a 66% del término de la campaña y hemos recolectado el 58% de los fondos prometidos. Más o menos a tiempo. Gracias. Esta actualización es simplemente para recordar a los feligreses a evaluar dónde están en su programa de donación y a planificar ahora para permanecer en en el camino adecuado o re-programarnos para **terminar a tiempo, si se puede.** Si no pudo hacer un compromiso o apoyar la campaña en 2014 y puede apoyar la causa ahora, este es un momento excelente para completar una tarjeta de compromiso. Si quiere que un miembro personal y de confianza lo visiter en su casa y discuta la campaña con usted, por favor llame a Danette Jolly al 925-550-2748. Su apoyo es esencial para el éxito de los ministerios actuales .

## SERVE

### STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

For unto us is born this day a Savior! In response to so great a love, only the gift of my whole self will do. You have given us Yourself, dear Lord; in love and thanksgiving, I commit myself a fresh to you.

### PENSAMIENTO ADMINISTRATIVO

¡Porque nos ha nacido hoy un Salvador! En respuesta a tan grande amor, sólo el regalo de todo mi será suficiente. Nos has dado a ti mismo, querido Señor; en amor y acción de gracias, me comprometo nuevamente a ti

#### Counseling Ministry

Jeff McIntosh, MFT, is a licensed Marriage and Family Therapist who is offering professional therapy for individuals, couples and families at St. Anne on Thursdays. He can be reached at 925-813-0528 or through the church office at 925-634-6625 ext. 228 for more information.

#### Finance Committee Secretary

We are looking for someone to record the minutes for the Finance Committee. This will typically be the on the last Wednesday of the month from 7:00 pm to around 8PM. Please Contact Paul Nielsen ( Business Manager) at 925-634-6625 ext. 223 with questions or to volunteer.

#### Volunteer Counters

We are looking for volunteer counters. This involves counting and making ready for deposit the various collections for St. Anne. This is done on Monday mornings and has a rotating schedule. Volunteers should have good number skills and attention to detail. Please contact Paul Nielsen (Business Manager ) 925-634-6625 ext 223 with any questions and to volunteer.

### *Nurses Notes*

THE HEALTH  
MINISTRY TEAM  
WISHES EVERY-  
ONE A  
BLESSED  
MERRY  
CHRISTMAS

*Faith Community Nursing*  
*Serving the community is our passion.*

#### IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY

**PLEASE** use the phone at the AV booth or in the office to call 911. Do not use your cell phone it will reach Sacramento CHP and precious time will be lost.



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## SERVE

### Delta Christian Community Food Pantry

(St. Anne-Methodist-Presbyterian Churches)

#### Food Packing:

Mondays at 4:00 PM at St. Anne

#### Distribution of Food Bags:

Tuesdays 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

At Byron United Methodist Church on Byron Highway.

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

At the Knightsen Garden Center

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Bethel Island

Serving 120-150 Families Weekly

Providing: Food - Clothing - Household goods - Self Help Resources

Volunteers are welcome. Donations of Food and Money are appreciated.

#### **Donation request for JANUARY :** CANNED TUNA AND CANNED FRUIT

### Despensa de la Comunidad Cristiana Delta

(Iglesias Sta. Ana-Methodista-Presbiteriana)

#### Empacan comida:

Lunes a las 4:00 PM en Sta. Ana

#### Distribución de bolsas de Comida:

Martes 9:00 a 10:00 AM

En la Iglesia Metodista de Byron

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

En la Knightsen centro de jardinería

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Bethel Island

Sirviendo 120-150 familias semanalmente

Proveyendo: Comida – Ropa – Cosas para la casa -Ayuda personal (lugares)

Los voluntarios son bienvenidos. Apreciamos donaciones de dinero y comida.

#### **Solicitamos para el mes de ENERO:** LAS CONSERVAS DE ATÚN Y CONSERVAS DE FRUTAS

#### familia de refugiados de Afganistán

La comunidad de Santa Ana ha ofrecido (como uno de nuestros actos de misericordia) ayudar a una familia de refugiados de 6 desde Afganistán (madre, padre y 4 niños) con vivienda, alimentos, artículos necesarios para vida diaria, etc.. Este acto corporal de misericordia necesita la ayuda de toda la comunidad de St Anne. Estamos pidiendo donaciones monetarias para ayudar a compensar el alquiler entre otras cosas. Si quieres ser parte de esta maravillosa oportunidad, hay sobres disponibles en el vestíbulo para sus donaciones. Ninguna cantidad es demasiado pequeña. ¡Gracias! Y que el amor y la misericordia de nuestro Señor esté con ustedes siempre.

#### Refugee Family from Afghanistan

The community of St. Anne has volunteered (as one of our acts of mercy) to help a refugee family of 6 from Afghanistan (mother, father, 4 children) with housing, food, items needed for daily living, etc. This corporal act of mercy needs the help of the whole St. Anne community. We are asking for monetary donations to help offset rent among other things. If you would like to be a part of this wonderful opportunity envelopes are available in the foyer for your donations. There is no amount that is too small. Thank you! And may the love and mercy of our Lord be with you always.

**New to the Parish? Welcome!** We extend our hearts and hands in Christian fellowship, as you join with us in worship. If you are new to the parish, registration forms are available in the foyer, online through our website or fill out this form and drop it in the collection plate or mail it to the office and we will mail a registration packet to you.

**Long -time parishioner who would like to update their address, phone or email?** In the box to the left, please put a check next to what you are updating, fill out this form and drop in the collection plate.



New Parishioner

New Address

New Phone

New Email

Send Envelopes only

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

## OPPORTUNITIES

### St. Bernard's Catholic School

*Learning with God's Guidance*

**165 W. Eaton Ave.**

**Tracy, CA 95376**

**(209) 835-8018**

[www.st-bernardschool.org](http://www.st-bernardschool.org)

Our parish school will begin accepting applications for the **2017-2018 school year on January 9<sup>th</sup>** with interviews beginning in February. Applicants for Kindergarten need to have reached the minimum age of five years by September 1<sup>st</sup> of the year for which they are enrolling. Applications will be available online at [www.st-bernardschool.org](http://www.st-bernardschool.org) and at the school. Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM.

### Open House

**Sunday, January 29, 2017**

**11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

Visit our Preschool and K through 8<sup>th</sup> classrooms. Teachers and students will be available to answer any questions you may have about our school.

### Director of Music Ministry—St. Perpetua, Lafayette

*Fr. John Kasper 925-283-272 [jkasper@stperpetua.org](mailto:jkasper@stperpetua.org)*

St. Perpetua Catholic Community in Lafayette is seeking a Director of Music Ministry for 30 hours a week. This exempt position is classified as M1 - M3 and includes full benefits. Seeking talented music professional with excellent communication and organization skills. St. Perpetua is an energized parish of 1400 families seeks candidate with strong knowledge of the Roman Catholic liturgy, an informed understanding of Vatican II and utilizing a variety of musical styles. Qualifications include Bachelor's Degree in Music or the equivalent in education and experience. Music Director will develop and direct adult choir utilizing volunteer singers and develop children/youth choir. Candidate will also be responsible for scheduling volunteer cantors. Participation needed for four weekend Masses, holy days, prayer services, funerals/weddings, concert series. Candidate must be able to demonstrate proficiency on both Rodgers three-manual Trillum Organ and Yamaha Grand Piano. Candidate would be a member of a collaborative parish staff. Salary will be commensurate with education and experience. Position is available 1/1/17. For more information or to apply, please contact Fr. John Kasper, see above.

### Secretary - Holy Rosary Parish, Antioch

*Holy Rosary Parish Center 925-757-9515 [hrpcenter@aol.com](mailto:hrpcenter@aol.com)*

Holy Rosary Parish in Antioch is seeking a qualified secretary for the Religious Education Office. The qualified candidate will have experience as a secretary/receptionist; demonstrated proficiency in the use of a desktop computer and Microsoft Office Suite is required. Knowledge of Parish Data Systems would be ideal but not required before hiring. Bilingual (English/Spanish) in speaking, reading, and writing is a must. This is a part-time position, 32-36 hrs/week and includes full benefits. The classification is S-4 or S-5 according to the Diocese of Oakland Salary Guidelines and commensurate with experience and skills. Projected start date is January 3, 2017. Please send resume to the Holy Rosary Parish Center, see above.

### Secretaria - Parroquia del Santo Rosario, Antioch

La parroquia del Santo Rosario busca un secretario/a calificado/a para la Oficina de Educación Religiosa. El candidato/a debe tener experiencia como secretaria/recepcionista. Competencia demostrada en el uso de computadoras y en específico con los programas de Microsoft Office Suite es necesaria. Conocimiento del Sistema Parroquial "Parish Data Systems" sería ideal pero no requerido antes de contratar. Es requisito que el candidato/a sea bilingüe (Español/ Ingles) en el habla, en lectura y por escrito. La clasificación es S-4 o S-5 de acuerdo a la escala de la Diócesis de Oakland y proporcional a la experiencia y habilidades. Esta posición es de 32-36 horas por semana e incluye beneficios. La fecha de comienzo será el 3 de enero del 2017. Por favor envíe curriculum vitae a [hrpcenter@aol.com](mailto:hrpcenter@aol.com) o llame al 925-757-9515 para obtener más información.

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekends

"And the Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us,"  
Merry Christmas! Give your children the best gift of all-the growing love of their parents. Explore more by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend at *San Damiano Retreat Center*, Danville on July 14-16 or September 29- October 1st. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information contact Mike & Jeanne @ 925.672.2016 or Joe & Sue @ 925.680.7767 now or go to [oaklandwwme.org](http://oaklandwwme.org)

## OPPORTUNITIES

### Movimiento Familiar Cristiano Católico:

Por una Familia Más Feliz

Estados hermanos en Cristo y María. Todos los retos y dificultades que enfrentamos los matrimonios hoy en día, no sería posible superarlos sin la ayuda de Cristo y María. El MFCC nos ofrece las herramientas para enfrentar esas dificultades inspirados en la palabra de Dios. Únete a nosotros! Estamos aceptando aplicaciones para el ciclo 2015-16. Para mis información comuníquense con Antonio Rodriguez: (925)565-2015 o Yolanda Rodriguez: (925)783-3442

### From The Catholic Voice

If you're a parishioner in the Oakland Diocese and are not receiving your free copy of The Catholic Voice through the mail, let us know and we'll start your subscription. For 48 years, The Catholic Voice has been the East Bay's trusted source of news, commentary and information about the Church and its people from your neighborhood and throughout the world. It's easy to stay informed. Start your free subscription\* to 21 issues a year with a phone call or an e-mail to Sandi Gearhart, (510) 893-5339 or [sgearhart@oakdiocese.org](mailto:sgearhart@oakdiocese.org)

### Bookkeeper—St. Stephen Parish, Walnut Creek 925-939-3826 [Keavenyct@sbcglobal.net](mailto:Keavenyct@sbcglobal.net)

The bookkeeper is responsible for providing full range of bookkeeping services to the parish; maintains financial bookkeeping system including accounts payables, receivables, payroll and cash receipts; balances accounts, ledgers and reconciles bank statement. Prepares financial statements; and assists with budget. Candidate must have experience with QuickBooks. This is a part-time, non-exempt, flexible 10-12 hr/wk position depending on necessity. The bookkeeper reports to Pastor. Email resume and cover letter to email address above with the subject line "Bookkeeper." This position is classified as S-5.

### Physicians Needed!

#### Medical Missionary Work in Your Own Backyard!

We are in desperate need of Physicians & RN's to join our Professional Medical VOLUNTEER team at the RotaCare Pittsburg Free Medical Clinic at St. Vincent de Paul. 4 years and 4000 Patient Visits later we need your help to meet the needs in the Contra Costa Community. We need volunteers (Physicians & RN's) a few hours every other month at our adult clinic. All malpractice insurance provided; fully licensed clinic.

Schedule a tour for a Wednesday or Saturday by emailing Drea Riquelme at: [pittsburg@rotacarebayarea.org](mailto:pittsburg@rotacarebayarea.org) or call her at (925) 439-2009



**Meals on Wheels and Senior Outreach Services Urgently Needs You!**

Help us deliver hot, nutritious meals to seniors living in Pittsburg, Antioch or Bay Point

**Become a Volunteer Driver**

- \* Choose to drive 1 day each week Monday – Friday, based on your availability
- \* Only 2-3 hours each week for a minimum of six months
- \* An orientation and background screen are required

For more information, please contact  
Carol Louisell, Director of Community Engagement  
[clouisell@mowsos.org](mailto:clouisell@mowsos.org)  
925-954-8736

Or go to [www.mowsos.org/volunteers/volunteer-form](http://www.mowsos.org/volunteers/volunteer-form) to fill out an application now

St. Mary's High School, Stockton is holding a High School Information Night for junior high (7th and 8th grade) students and their parents living in the Discovery Bay area. Everyone is invited to attend and become better acquainted with St. Mary's High School and their admissions process. The event will be held on Tuesday, January 10, 6:30pm at All God's Children School, 1900 Willow Lake Rd in Discovery Bay. **Questions:** St. Mary's High School Admissions (209) 957-3340, Ext. 187 [admissions@saintmaryshighschool.org](mailto:admissions@saintmaryshighschool.org)

### Kelly Moore Offer

Parishioners, families, employees and members of the Catholic Diocese of Oakland looking to purchase paint for the protection and beautification of your home? Did you know that by purchasing paint through the Kelly Moore Paint Company a portion of your purchase will be gifted back to our Catholic Diocese?

The Kelly Moore Paint Company, manufacturing and selling paint in the Bay Area since 1946 is excited to offer a special KM Club Discount for your purchases of quality Kelly Moore Paint at any of our Kelly Moore stores ( go to [www.kellymoore.com](http://www.kellymoore.com) and click on the store locator).

A unique **Kelly Moore Account # 605-DI4711** has been set up to allow you to take advantage of our wholesale pricing on paint and paint related products, saving you time and money. We invite you to visit any of our stores and ask to use the Diocese of Oakland Parishioners KM Club Account 605-DI4711. Paint and supplies must be purchased through this special account to obtain both the discount and the gift back to the Diocese. This year our gift back to the Diocese was \$1000.