

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday, July 30

Yoga -8:00 a.m.

Senior Fitness -9:45 a.m.

Tuesday, July 31

Wednesday, August 1

Senior Fitness -9:45 a.m.

Yoga - 7:45 p.m. (Note: New Time)

Thursday, August 2

Men's Basketball - 6:30 p.m.

Festival Meeting -7:00 p.m.

Saint Vincent De Paul -7:30 p.m.

Friday, August 3

Yoga -8:00 a.m.

Senior Fitness -9:45 a.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - 3:30 to 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 4

Confessions -4:00 p.m.

Ice Cream Social -after 5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, August 5

RCIA Open House -after 11:15 a.m. Mass

Men's Basketball -1:30 p.m.



REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the repose of the souls of parishioner Manuel Archuleta, and Jan Kleine (mother of parishioner Susie Hirai), and Renato Francisco (brother of parishioner Carlos Francisco), who died recently.

Mass Intentions and Readings

Table with 2 columns: Day and Intention/Reading. Includes entries for Monday (30) through Sunday (5).

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT - FRIDAY, AUGUST 3 TIME CHANGE

Every first Friday the Lord Jesus is waiting for your visit during Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in our church. Drop by for five or ten minutes on your way home from work. Please note for August 3, due to another event, Exposition will be from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. Thank you for your understanding.

GUATEMALA MISSION TRIP - A SUCCESS!

We -Abygail Bauzon, Jayson Ventura, Ethan Mendoza, Alexia Mendoza, Vicky DeGuzman Smith and Father Mitch- have returned from our 12-Day mission to Guatemala! We are ever grateful to our Saint Anthony Parishioners for the financial support & prayers that helped us prepare and accomplish this trip, THANK YOU from our hearts! (We also express our gratitude to Father Mitch as not only our trip coordinator but also as our spiritual guide and fellow worker!) THANK YOU all, for allowing us to be sent as Jesus sent his disciples, and to return home with a deeper appreciation of the gifts we have. We look forward to sharing our life-changing experiences with all of you in the coming days!

ADULT CONFIRMATION

The Diocese of Sacramento is having an Adult Confirmation rite on November 3, 2018 in Vacaville, California. Please contact the parish office, 916-428-5678, for more information or to register, as confirmation preparation classes will begin very soon.

SUMMER BBQ THANKS

A big THANK YOU to everyone who helped make the summer BBQ a success! Thanks to Bryan Benner, Danny Camarena, Jeff Long and Dan Stratman who grilled all the chicken to perfection. Special thanks to the ladies who helped in the kitchen and with the ticket taking: Leonor Alvarez, Carol Bailey, Jen Lightstone, Dahlia Long, Carmen Quiroz, and Anna Skewes. — Becky Stratman (Editorial comment—The parish community also appreciates you, Becky Stratman, for wonderfully organizing this event!)

GENTLY USED BBQ GRILLS NEEDED!

Are you planning to upgrade or replace your BBQ grill this summer? We might be able to use your old one. The parish has a number of BBQ grills that have been donated over the years and they are in great disrepair. We could use 2 or 3 replacements that are fully functional and still have all their parts in working order. If you have one that you would like to donate, please contact Dan Stratman at 916-428-4284 or dbstratman@sbcglobal.net.

HOT DOGS & ROOT BEER FLOATS AUGUST 4

The Welcoming & Inclusion Committee Members will be hosting a Hot Dog and Root Beer Float event after the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday, August 4. Please stop by to enjoy a nice summer evening treat with our parish family. All parishioners are welcome! We hope to see you there!

A CLOSER WALK WITH CHRIST THROUGH CURSILLO

Cursillo (short course in Christianity) is a movement within the church that supports our walk of faith through a simple method (Piety, Study and Action). The format includes a three-day weekend filled with learning, growth, fellowship, and worship. It is a practical and remarkable experience! It is different from other retreats in that the weekend does not end on Sunday but continues throughout the life of the "Cursillista" as described by the term "4th day" or the rest of your life. There are group/friendship reunions held weekly or monthly where everyone supports your faith journey. The 4th day is focused on PRAYER, STUDY and ACTION. Cursillo has touched the life of millions of Catholics worldwide and has also been established by other faiths and organizations such as Catholic High Schools (Kairos), Marriage Encounter and many others. It is more than a movement; it is a lifestyle and greater commitment to our faith. There is a growing and vibrant community within the Sacramento Diocese for both men and women.

The Cursillo Movement consists of proclaiming the best news of the best reality: that God, in Christ, loves us. Communicated by the best means, which is friendship... Make a friend, be a friend, bring a friend to Christ!

Cursillo started in Spain in the 1940's and today is a worldwide movement. The movement is recognized by the Pope as member of the International Catholic Organizations of the Pontifical Council for the Laity in Rome.

The Cursillo is supported by the Roman Catholic Church. It is joined to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops and the Sacramento Diocese.

To learn more, join us for an evening of food, praise, and presentations about Cursillo! Saturday, August 11, 6:15 to 8:15 p.m. in the St. Anthony Memorial Center.

For more information, please contact parishioner Frank Allen at (916) 392-8180.

MEMORIAL CENTER EXERCISE CLASSES

SENIOR FITNESS with Paula, meets M-W-F at 9:45 a.m. Cost is \$3 per class. This class incorporates dyna bands, small hand weights, balls and rubber bands, plus cardio. Chair and standing exercises for flexibility, strength and balance accompanied by music of "the good ol' days." Equipment supplied if needed.

YOGA classes are Mondays and Fridays at 8:00 a.m., Wednesdays at 7:45 p.m. (Note: New Time). Cost is \$5 per class.



YOUNG @ HEART

We are on vacation for July and August but please join us in September when we resume with lunch and a fabulous fashion show. For more information or membership to Young@Heart, please contact the parish office at 916-428-5678.

PASTORAL CARE

Community Facilities/ Homebased Kathy Reynolds, Coordinator kathy@stasac.org / cell: 212-9949

PRAYER LIST

To add your name to the prayer list, please contact Kathy Reynolds at 212-9949 or kathy@stasac.org. To keep the list current, names will remain on the list for six weeks.

This week please pray for:

Table listing names of people to pray for, arranged in three columns.

GOD FILLS US

We hear in God's Word today how God supplies our needs. In the 1st reading and Gospel, ample food was miraculously provided to feed all the people, and there were leftovers! Do you sometimes feel like God isn't listening or answering as you would like? Recall the beautiful responsorial Psalm from today - The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs...The Lord is near to all who call upon him, to all who call upon him in truth. (Psalm 145). God wants us to come to Him AND to leave the outcomes to Him. We need not fear His will because He accomplishes what is best for us.

WELCOME NEWCOMERS!

New members of the parish are invited to use this form to register, and established members may use it to advise us of updated information, or to request offertory envelopes. Either drop the form below in the collection basket, or mail to our parish office. Also available is our online registration. Please visit our website at

www.stasac.org

Registration form with fields for Last Name, Your First Name, Catholic?, Work Phone, Spouse's First Name, Catholic?, Work Phone, Address, City, Zip Code, Email Address, Home Phone, Todays Date, New to St Anthony Parish?, and Former Parish.

CATHOLIC FAITH FORMATION

Pre-Kindergarten through High School
Linda DiNinni, Director of Religious Education
linda@stasac.org / 392-6362

The CFF/Youth Ministry office will be closed July 20-31.

Registration is around the corner....

...and so is Father Mitch....

He will deliver your registration packet when you least expect it ANY TIME NOW! (He has returned from the Guatemala Service Trip with lots of energy and enthusiasm!)

Registration for New Families

Welcome!

If we did not have your address on our roster, you will find registration packets available in the parish office, the CFF office, and they are available to download from our website: www.stasac.org under the CFF tab.

Website Updated

Faith Formation Information for the new year is now updated.

CFF Kick-off Sunday

CFF begins on Sunday, September 9.
11:15 a.m. Mass
Open House to follow Mass

September...

We welcome you back!

Sept. 5

Confirmation Year 2 Session
5:30-7:00 p.m.

Sept. 7

Catechist Gathering
6:00 p.m.

Sept. 9

Kick-off Sunday
RCIA Year 2 Family Session 12:45-1:30 p.m.

Sept. 10

Weekday classes begin

Sept. 15

Annual Parish Festival Fun!

Sept. 19

First day of Children's Choir Rehearsal 4:00 p.m.

Sept. 23

First day of Sunday PreK-Kinder class

SAINT ANTHONY YOUTH MINISTRY

Junior High-High School
Christine Soriano, Youth Ministry Coordinator
christine@stasac.org / 392-6362

How's your summer going?

**Mark your calendar: SAYM Youth Nights begin
Wednesday, September 12**

**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH
MINISTRY REGISTRATION**

Registration packets for the 2018-2019 school year are being delivered by a special messenger – Fr. Mitch – in the upcoming weeks! Please note: Junior High registration is included in CFF registration. Our parish community is truly blessed to have a wonderful and vibrant youth community – one that grows and changes with each year! Sign-up and check it out! Bring a friend! We are excited to see you!

SODA BOOTH SIGN-UPS

PARISH FESTIVAL '18

What better way to kick-off the youth ministry year than to serve and have fun with your brothers and sisters in Christ!

Come join the fun with SAYM and sign-up for a shift (or more) at the SODA BOOTH! Sign-ups after Mass begin soon, but you can email Christine to get the shift you want. We need you and your SMILING faces to help serve refreshing drinks for the community. This is also a great start for those service hours if needed. We're excited to see everyone together again as the school year begins!

FOOD FOR THOUGHT...

SAYM High School Ministry is attending **LA Youth Day at the Religious Education Congress** in Anaheim for its 10th year.

Will you come with us? Registration is coming soon. Plan now!

LA Youth Day Trip

Wednesday, March 20 to Saturday, March 23

**ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL
HELP NEEDED!**

The Festival date has been set for **September 15** and planning is underway. The next planning meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, August 2 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Memorial Center.

The Book Booth is now accepting books. You may either drop them off in the Narthex or contact **David Kimball** at **393-4986** for pick up of larger quantities. We are also accepting donations for the Country Store, Wine Spin and Children's Games. Donations can either be dropped off in the Narthex on Sundays or in the Memorial Center during the week. Please check with the parish office before dropping off items during the work week.

Do you have a business you would like to promote at the Festival? You can sponsor a booth or entertainment, and have your company recognized. Please contact the **parish office** or **Dan & Becky Stratman** for more information.

This is the 25th year of the Festival and we would like to highlight the people who have helped over the years and share some of the fun stories from past years. We are looking for someone who would be willing to put this together. We have documentation for almost every year to help out. If you are interested in this project, contact **Dan & Becky Stratman** at **916-428-4284** or by email at dbstratman@sbcglobal.net.



**NEW VOTIVE
LIGHT STAND**

This Votive Light Stand is dedicated to the Memory of Manuel Archuleta

who crafted the base of the stand but left us too soon to see its completion.



This project was a collaboration of many hands to create this beautiful votive stand for our parish.

We thank **Manuel Archuleta** who spent hours designing and crafting the wooden stand.

Steve Lightstone was in charge of designing and attaching the candle holders. He drilled the holes, threaded special screws and attached all of the candles to the base.

Don Del Porto soldered the wiring to each candle as well as brainstorming the electrical portion of the project and providing power to the base.

Drew Harper supplied the design and manufacture of the electronics which "turned the lights on."

We are so blessed to have parishioners with the skills and dedication to make our parish an even more welcoming environment. We are grateful to these men and their families who encouraged them to give of themselves to the parish.

SOCIAL JUSTICE CORNER

Opportunities to help others...

SVDP COLLECTION TODAY

TODAY'S 2nd collection is for our St. Vincent de Paul Conference that assist those requesting help within our parish boundaries. It is only through your generous support that keeps assistance available to the needy for next two months until the 5th Sunday Collection in late September. Thank you for your past and current donations.

SSIP BOWL-A-THON

The South Sacramento Interfaith Partnership (SSIP) Food Closet will be holding its annual Bowl-A-Thon at 1:00 to 3:00 p.m., Sunday, August 19 at the AMF Land Park Bowling Lanes. There is no cost to bowlers but participants must each have a minimum of \$30 in pledges. The funds collected from this event support the SSIP Food Closet. To sign-up as a bowler please call **Fred Nichols (428-6459)** for details and pledge sheet.

**DIOCESAN AND
COMMUNITY NEWS**

RESPECT LIFE

Anyone passionate about the pro-life cause is welcome on Saturday, August 25 at St. John the Baptist Parish in Folsom. Bishop Soto will celebrate the Opening Mass at 8:30 a.m. and program will run from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Attendance is free, but pre-registration by August 14 is required. For more information or to register: www.scd.org/respectlifegathering.

Novena for the Legal Protection of Human Life is a nine-week effort that includes prayer and fasting. Novena takes place from August 3 to September 28. For more information or to sign up as part of USCCB's Call to Prayer, visit: www.usccb.org/prayer.

SHARING OUR TREASURE

July 21-22.....	\$9,166
July 14-15.....	\$5,785
July 7-8.....	\$15,600
June 30-July1.....	\$ 9,282
June 2018.....	\$43,361
June 2017.....	\$40,305
May 2018.....	\$41,087
May 2017.....	\$40,671
April 2018*.....	\$60,195
April 2017*.....	\$64,281
March 2018.....	\$42,174
March 2017.....	\$40,839
February 2018.....	\$42,358
February 2017.....	\$40,493
January 2018.....	\$42,600
January 2017*.....	\$66,672
Christmas 2017.....	\$19,057
Christmas 2016.....	\$22,451
December 2017*.....	\$49,774
December 2016*.....	\$38,248

* indicates 5 Sunday month