SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sun., April 21st - Fourth Sunday of East-

Mon., April 22nd - Communion Service at 9:00am, St. Andrew's.

Tues., April 23rd - Mass at 8:00am, St. Andrew's. Spanish Bible Study at 6:30pm, Parish Hall.

Thurs., April 25th - Communion Service at 9:00am, St. Andrew's. Pastoral Stewardship Council at 5:30pm.

<u>Fri., April 26th</u> - Eucharistic Adoration follows 8:00am Mass from 8:30am -4:30pm.

Sun., April 28th - Fifth Sunday of Easter. Religious Ed follows 9am Mass. KOC Omelet Breakfast follows 9am Mass in the Hall.

Mon., April 29th - Communion Service at 9:00am, St. Andrew's.

Tues., April 30th - Mass at 8:00am, St. Andrew's

Thurs., May 2nd - Communion Service at 9:00am, St. Andrew's. Knights of Columbus Meeting at 7:00pm.

Fri., May 3rd - Eucharistic Adoration follows 8:00am Mass from 8:30am - 4:30pm.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: 4th Sunday of Easter; World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Monday: Earth Day

Tuesday: St. George, Martyr; St. Adalbert,

Bishop and Martyr

Wednesday: St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr; Administrative Professionals' Day

Thursday: St. Mark, Evangelist

Friday: Arbor Day

Next Sunday: 5th Sunday of Easter

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 (22)/Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

Monday: Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/ Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5,

6 and 8/Jn 12:44-50 Thursday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/

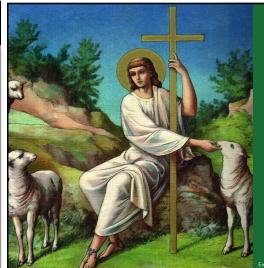
Mk 16:15-20 Friday: Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/

Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-

4/Jn 14:7-14

Next Sunday: Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 (26a)/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8



4TH SUNDAY **OF EASTER**

"I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep." - Jn 10:14-15

THE GOOD SHEPHERD

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Who are our shepherds today? What voices do we hear? Who do we follow or listen to? In such a materialized part of society, which seeks personal power forgetting about those around it and enveloped in such advanced technology, it is almost impossible to distinguish the good Shepherd. Absorbed in herself and in his selfish whims, she easily distances herself from the truth and justice so necessary for approaching the shepherding of Jesus through his Word. However, if we pay attention to the environment of daily life, we will realize that there are shepherds who risk their lives for their sheep. As a living example, we have the Bishop of the Diocese of Matagalpa, Nicaragua, Monsignor Rolando Alvarez, sentenced to 26 years in prison for telling the truth and seeking justice for his community. Pope Francis as our greatest Pastor invites us to go towards ourselves and reflect on the following: "Dear brothers and sisters: in this time, many thoughts and concerns lead us to return and delve into ourselves. Let's pay attention to the voices that reach our hearts. Let's ask ourselves where they come from. Let us ask for the grace to recognize and follow the voice of the good Shepherd, who takes us out of the fold of selfishness and quides us towards the pastures of true freedom (03-05-2020). This Sunday let us say our words to Jesus and follow his example of guiding those we love on the right path. "The good Shepherd lays down his life for the sheep." (John 10:11). ©LPI



Congratulations to our students who received the sacrament of Confirmation this weekend with other students from St. Patrick's, Angels Camp, and St. Patrick's, Sonoto: Julissa, Jerry, Giovanny, Hugo, Joshua, Emely, Heidi, and Alexis...and to Jose, and Maribel who were confirmed at St. Andrew's 7am Mass.

May the Holy Spirit Shine Upon them!



Help us meet our goal of \$20,548. For more information or to donate online visit:

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Please make checks payable to: The Bishop's Ministry Appeal. 2024 Parish Goal: \$20,548

Total collected as of 4/10/24: \$16,819



Friday, April 26th 8:30am - 4:30pm St. Andrew's



Next Week's 2nd Collection:

Next week we will take up the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Today, nearly 40% of dioceses in the US and its territories are unable to fund the essential pastoral work their communities need. Your sup-

port of this appeal helps them meet these faith formation and sacramental needs.

For more info, visit www.usccb.org/home-missions.

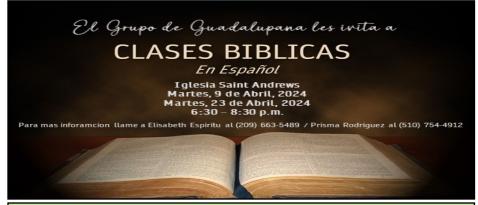


The Knights of Columbus will be hosting an Omelet Breakfast Fundraiser next

<u>Sunday</u>, <u>April 28th</u>
Following 9am Mass in the Hall.



Sunday, April 28th 4:00pm Parish Hall





Dear Lord, You are my Shepherd, a Good Shepherd, who leads in ways beyond my understanding. Guide me in paths You would have me go. Amen.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE www.standrewcatholicparish.com

Online Giving is available. You can make a one-time donation, or a recurring donation.

<u>Sunday Masses</u> are recorded and can be viewed on the website.

PRAYER REQUESTS



Barbara Adams, Kathryn Allen, Basquez Family, Resi Bihlmeir, Mike and Katie Blankenship, Danny Brand, Evelyn Burns, Chris Castelluccio, Yolanda Colin, James Cowger, Boyer Crayton, Emma Cummings, Bonnie Danielson, Danita Davis, Andrew DeLappe, Fred Eschen, Antonia Equihva, Deacon Jaime Garcia, Victoria & Martin Grimm, Joseph Harder, Harris Family, Adela Hawkins, Marian Hewitt, Bernadette Janbier, Judy Kent, Agnes Koos, Gini Kuntz, Leyva Family, Sue Lipscomb, Cynthia Lloyd, Pat Lombardi, Lucia Machado, Gloria Macias, Scott Mariani, Bob Mariani, Christine Martin, Barbara McKenna, Medina Family, Jeanne Mieneke, Carol Minihane, Dalton Mitchel, Eddie Montanucci, Ella Musil, Fr. Nadeau, Pat Nelson, Emily Nerat, Ron Nunes, Douglas Obujen, Bruce Olson, Kim O'Connell, Veronica Pargett, Linda Patterson, Shirlee Peters, Barbara Pettigrove, Gray Poblano, Anthony Potter, Joanne Quintana, Toni Rambo, Ken Ray, Rosemary Rast, Katharine Reiff, Rafael Rodriguez, Ted Rookstool, Dee Shelton, Henry Siefert, Nick Smith, Sharon Smith, Anthony Standard, Jill Thompson, Michael Vasquez, Jean-Jacques Vitrac, Janet Vallerga, Valerie Young, Charli Zumbach

MASS INTENTIONS

April 20th - April 26th

Our Lady of Fatima, West Point

Sat. 4 PM - Josue Montoya & Chuy Cazarez

St. Andrew, San Andreas

Sat. 6PM - Gini Kuntz & Connie Torissi Sun. 7 AM - †Augustin Martinez Sun. 9 AM - Jean Jacques & John Moore III Mon. 9 AM- *Communion Service* Tues. 8 AM - Gini Kuntz & Connie Torissi Thurs. 9 AM - *Communion Service* Fri. 8 AM - Gini Kuntz & Connie Torissi

St. Thomas Aquinas, Mokelumne Hill Sun. 11 AM - Jerry Mathers

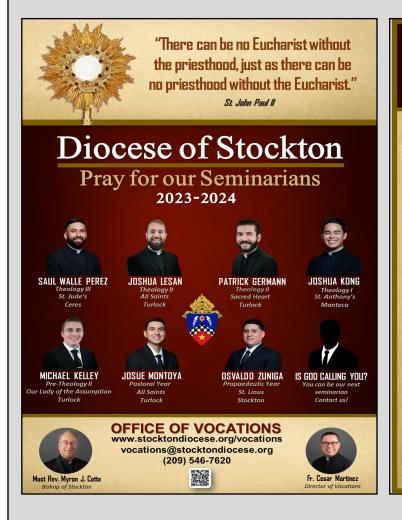


Easter Sunday Offertory: \$3,383 Sunday Offertory last year: \$2,928

Thank you for your much needed generosity to the parish!

Sunday, April 21, 2024





Vocations

Abba, Father,

you loved the world so much that you sent your own Son, Jesus the Christ, to be our Savior. He established your kingdom of justice, love and peace.

Through Baptism into your Church you have called us to be faithful disciples of your Son and servants of the Kingdom.

Grant a generous heart to those you are calling to be ordained Priests and Deacons, Consecrated Religious, and Lay Ministers. Raise up priests from our Diocese and in our parishes to shepherd your people.

By the power of your Holy Spirit may we as your Church never lose confidence that you will send forth laborers into the harvest.

This is our prayer through Christ our Lord.

AMEN

