



Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

4123 Robertson Avenue | Sacramento | CA 95821-0208

Pastor—Fr. Stanley Poltorak

**Deacons—Lawrence Klimecki
& David Leatherby**

Our Mission Statement

To bring souls to the salvation which Jesus Christ has won for us, by our proclamation of and witnessing to the splendor, beauty and fullness of the Catholic Faith.

**Parish Office | 8:30am-4:30pm
Closed from 12:00pm-1:00pm**

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Visit our website to find more information!

www.presentationparish.org

June 9th, 2019 *Pentecost Sunday*



Mass Times:

Saturday

8:30am | Vigil—5:30pm

Sunday

8:00am , Family —10:30am,
Youth —4:30pm

Weekdays

6:30am | 8:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Thursdays Saturdays
6pm 4pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday-Friday
24 Hours A Day



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Deacon Lawrence Klimecki



The Holy Spirit is revealed to us in many forms. At Pentecost the Spirit is wind and fire but it can also come to us by stirring our hearts with a quiet inner voice. In whatever form we encounter, the Spirit always leads us to a deeper understanding of Christ. The Spirit is the fire and storm that burns our hearts and impels us to speak, to spread the Truth as we have received it, and in turn ignite the hearts of those who hear us. Through us the Holy Spirit works to bring all of humanity back to God. What was dispersed at the Tower of Babel is brought back together at Pentecost. The story of the miraculous image of “Our Lady of Guadalupe” is fairly well known. But less well known are the circumstances in Mexico leading up to the image.

Before Columbus arrived in America, Mexico was a naturally beautiful but morally darkened world. The ruling Aztecs made great leaps in engineering, but their civilization rested on a pagan religion that demanded continual, and violent, human sacrifices.

In 1521 Mexico was conquered by the Spanish, bringing an end to the pagan worship practices and gratuitous slaughter. This was a remarkable time when two entirely different cultures lived and worked side by side. But it was not a peaceful time. The devil does not give up so easily and a conquered people as proud as the Aztecs did not easily submit to European rule. The Spanish had a difficult time bringing the Christian faith to the natives, due to a few prominent European colonists who gave a bad personal example and ruthlessly exploited the conquered population. The Bishop of Mexico City wrote that unless God directly intervened, there would be no way to convert the Mexican people.

Historians believe that by 1531 a revolt among the former Aztecs was a very real possibility. Had this happened it would have set off a chain of violence ending in mass genocide for both Spanish and Aztecs.

Just then the Virgin Mary appeared to a little indian named Juan Diego, and her message and her image touched both the Europeans and the natives so tenderly that a mass conversion followed.

The image itself combines a number of symbols from both Aztec and Spanish culture that drew the two peoples together.

The Holy Spirit continues to work to bring us together. God may from time to time give us subtle miracles such as the miraculous image of “Our Lady of Guadalupe,” or He may send us more spectacular events such as the wind and fire of Pentecost. But mostly The Holy Spirit works quietly through each individual so that all who listen hear the message in a language they know by heart. Each of us have the ability to convey God's message to someone else in a way that no one else can. It may be that our purpose here on Earth is to save one soul, bringing that one person to eternal life.

Pax Vobiscum



In trust of God's infinite goodness, we pray to lift up our sick parishioners, family & friends, and those in need of healing of the body and soul. Almighty Father, hear out prayers for:



Sharon Anderson-Kunz, Anthony Andreozzi Shaun Banagan, Jim Beresford, Pat Botelho, Wally Dondero, Judy DuPont, Leilani Fitzgerald, Gume Flores, Vienna Golsong, Doug Hagans, Lynn Hauf, Fred & Pat Ingram, Ed Jackson, Robert Johnson, Kimberly Kaufman, Debbie Robrecht, Georgia Latimer, Shirley Lauwers, Whitney Lynd, Nilda Medina, Michael Mejia, Lucille Moessinger, David Qualls, Randy Qualls, Alex Quiroz, Maryanne Redmond, Amy Fleege Schaffner, Vic Senacal, Mark Skvarla, Gracie Rose Smith, Greg Spitz, Wanda Southern, Leslie Tipton, Nic Windeshausen, Brenda Winn, Elizabeth & Grecielia Zuranich.

† Mass Intentions †

9 Sunday
8:00am

† Deacon Dave & Jennifer Leatherby (L)
Shirley Unger

† Rose Lindsey (L) Marotti Family

10:30am | Family

† Jessie Leatherby (L)

4:30pm

† People of the Parish (L)

10 Monday
6:30am

† Lucille Gruenwald (D) Nash

8:00am

† Dan Vallejo (L) Frech Family

11 Tuesday
6:30am

† Sam Tatge (L)

8:00am

† Briana Frech, Happy Birthday! (L) Family

12 Wednesday
6:30am

† Sam Tatge (L)

8:00am

† Laticia Enciso (D) Frech Family

13 Thursday
6:30am

† Josh Leatherby (L)

8:00am

† Gaby Schubert, Happy Birthday(L) Frech Family

14 Friday
6:30am

† Sam Tatge (L)

8:00am

† John Baptist Trung-Nguyen (D)

15 Saturday
8:30am

† Jeanette Todd (D) Belton's

5:30pm

† People of the Parish (L)

16 Sunday
8:00am

† Justice Edge (D) DSMME Sacto. Mission

10:30am | Family

† Carol Wright (D) Byram's

4:30pm

† Gabriel Thomas Ramirez (L)



Religious Education News

Contact Sidney Curry | DRE | 482.8883

How does our parish attract inquirers each year who consider becoming Catholic?

The short answer is you! When any parish has many inquirers year after year, it is the fruit of the Holy Spirit as parish members open their hearts to welcome others. Members of a welcoming and evangelizing community take seriously their call to share the Divine message of salvation. It happens in parish families, in the workplace, in gatherings with friends and neighbors, and in daily contacts. Give thanks to God as he continuously strengthens each of us who seek to do his will in offering a gentle, humble, and clear welcome to the Catholic faith.

"Go out into the whole world and proclaim the Gospel to every creature."

(Mark 16:15)

What is RCIA?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process established for the universal Church for individuals to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation — Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist. This initiation process also involves a parish community experiencing a renewal in faith as it prepares and welcomes new members into the Church. The Rite speaks of conversion as a "spiritual journey." Centered on fostering a deep relationship with Jesus and the Church he founded, this journey takes place through distinct stages over a period of time suitable to bring about a through catechesis, significant experience of the parish community, and commitment to the liturgical and moral life of the Catholic faithful. The RCIA process is a restoration of the ancient catechumenate, arising within the first three centuries following the era of the apostles. It was the early Church's way of Christianizing the pagan Roman Empire. The Second Vatican Council called for the restoration and use of this venerable and powerful method of initiation for the worldwide Church.

Youth Ministry

LifeTeen & Edge

**Out for the
SUMMER!**

Questions?

becky@presentationparish.org

PBVM Parish Ministries



St. Vincent de Paul

916.485.3482 · T/Th/F: 9-11am

President : Joe DeMarco



Scrip | PBVM School

916.482.0351



Divine Mercy Prayer Line

Mari Farnsworth

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Music Ministry | Becky Poncini

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becky@presentationparish.org



Legion Of Mary

Patricia Jackson

916.973.8537



Altar Society

Diana Jimenez

916.402.1028



Knights of Columbus

Greg Gillen—Grand Knight

916-487-1964

kofc15693.org



Weekend Collection Amounts

06/02/19: \$9,562.00

Thank you for you generous donations!

Respect Life Sacramento

Praying year round at Butano on
Wed & Fri 8am-11am

We meet every 3rd Monday in the
Immaculata at 6:30pm

Next meeting: 09/16

Respect Life Committee Meetings:

Recessed for the summer!

Will continue in September!

Questions? Contact Steve Patton at

spatton@scd.org Or

916-796-3311



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FORMED FOR SUMMER

"Protecting our Children Healing our Hearts"

The Diocese of Sacramento provides a pastoral care coordinator to assist persons who have suffered sexual abuse by members of the Catholic clergy and other Catholic Church workers.

The Pastoral Care Coordinator may be reached through a toll-free number at 866-777-9133

Staff is available to take reports in English and Spanish. If you are seeking assistance in coping with this tragic situation, please call the toll-free number.

If you are not as close
to God as you once
were, who moved?



Sacramento Classic Priests vs. Seminarians

5th Annual Basketball Game
Tuesday, July 9, 2019

Game starts 7pm | Doors Open at 6:30pm
Christian Brothers HS Gym

\$15 adults | \$60 group of 5 adults |
\$5 student (K-College)

Buy tickets at
www.scd.org/basketball
For more info, contact
916-733-0258 or msmith@scd.org

Vacation Bible School Registration is closed!

Volunteer Training Date:
Changed to Wednesday,
July 10th at 6pm in the
School Café

For any questions:
Sid Curry 916-482-8883



Koinonia Cup (K-Cup)

Calling all Young Adult groups! Koinonia Cup is a one-day, annual fellowship event for young adult groups. Throughout the day, groups will participate in a series of competitive games and fun!

The day will also include Mass, vendors, exhibits, praise and worship, Adoration & Benediction, and so on. Early Bird registration is open until 06/30 which includes a discount. Koinoniacup.org/register or contact Camille Manantan 916-694-9124 or by email at cmanantan@scd.org

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Have **Peace of Mind** knowing you'll be able to support PBVM every week!
Whether you're out of town, your donations will always be received!

Ensure **Security** and protection of your information.

Giving Opportunities are abundance with options of offertory, Maintenance fund, school, St. Vincent de Paul, special collections, and more!

Faithdirect.net or call 866-507-8757 | PBVM Church code: CA689



News & Events at Presentation Parish!

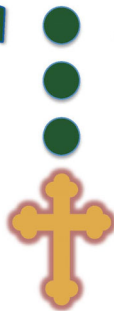
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World Priest Annual Global Rosary Relay - Help encircle the world in prayer

Friday
June
28



5:45 a.m.
Saint Philip's
3866 65th Street
Akathist Hymn
Followed by
Divine Liturgy
& continental breakfast



11:15 a.m.
Presentation of the
Blessed Virgin Mary
4123 Robertson
Glorious Mysteries

Ministry of Consolation Free 2-Day Workshop

This FREE two-day workshop provides training for those who wish to comfort and support others who have experienced a loss.

Dates: Saturday, June 29th and Sunday, June 30th
(both days are required)

Time: 9am-4pm each day

Location: St. Mary Cemetery & Funeral Center OR
at home via internet live-stream

Lunch is provided both days!

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED BY:
TUESDAY, JUNE 25th!

Questions: Contact Nicole at 916-840-2138 or
nzamora@cfcssacramento.org

Register by emailing Nicole or online at
bit.ly/sfcsconsolation



**REMEMBER: A pastor or clergy member will
NEVER ask for gift cards electronically!**

Phishing is on the rise!

Phishing is a type of social engineering attack where an email or text message will attempt to trick the recipient into doing something they wouldn't normally do because the request seems urgent. Typically these scams ask for gift cards, credit card information, etc.

Fr. Stanley or any other pastor will not ask you to do this!!!

Do not respond to these e-mail or text messages.

If you believe you are a victim visit the FBI Internet Crime Complaint Center.

If you have any questions, call or email Chris at 916-481-7441 x200 or chris@presentaitonparish.org

HOLY HOUR OF REPARATION

THURSDAY, JUNE 13TH 6:00PM

GOSPEL READINGS, BENEDICTION, SACRED
MUSIC, MEDITATION, AND MORE

JOIN US AS WE PRAY FOR THE HEALING
AND CLEANSING OF OUR CHURCH

PRESENTATION PARISH EVENTS

JUNE 9 — JULY 6

9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Pentecost	LoM 9:15am	Knitting 10:30am KoC 7pm	Book Club 12pm SvdP 6:30pm	Parish Holy Hour		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Trinity Sunday Father's Day	LoM 9:15am	Knitting 10:30am		Mothers for Mary 7:30pm		
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Corpus Christi	LoM 9:15am				Rosary Relay 11:15am	
30	1	2	3	4	5	6
	LoM 9:15am	Knitting 10:30am		Happy 4th of July Office Closed No 6:30am Mass No Adoration	Office Closed No 6:30am Mass No Adoration	

COMMUNITY EVENTS

June 9—Pentecost

June 13— Parish Holy Hour

June 16—Trinity Sunday

June 23—Corpus Christi

June 28— Rosary Relay

July 4—Independence Day

July 5—Observed Holiday

July 10—VBS Volunteer Training

July 15-19—Vacation Bible School



Support our School!

‘SCRIP’ is basically another word for gift certificates, only better! Every time you purchase scrip from Presentation, our school benefits—a portion of every gift certificate goes back to the school!

On sale after Masses or at the school office!

Eucharistic Adoration

Our Lady, Gate of Heaven Chapel

AVAILABLE HOLY HOURS:

Tuesdays | 12:30am-1:30am

Tuesdays | 2:30am-3:30am

Wednesdays | 12:30am-1:30am

Wednesdays | 2:30am-3:30am

Wednesdays | 10:30am-11:30am

Wednesday | 10:30pm-11:30pm

Wednesday | 11:30pm-12:30am

Nicole Resch Sperber | 916.396.1341

pvmadoration@gmail.com



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To use our parish facility, please contact:

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chris@presentationparish.org

Publishing Deadlines:
Church, School & Community Events

June 16th Bulletin
due by 06/10 at 12pm

Contact Chris at
chris@presentationparish.org

If you are a new parishioner, or need to update your parishioner information, please call the office.