



## DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO

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To: **PASTOR / PASTORAL STAFF / BULLETIN EDITOR**  
From: Chris Owens, Director  
Re: Please add these announcements to your bulletins (**English and Spanish Translation**)  
Date: October 21, 2019

Included are new and current announcements from the Office of Family and Faith Formation. We would greatly appreciate if you could add these announcements to your bulletins and cycle them until the event date. If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Family and Faith Formation at 916-733-0177. New and updated announcements are **highlighted in yellow!**

### Lay Ministry Formation and Parish Support

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| <b>Event Title</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | <b>Advent Retreat: "The Art of Waiting"</b>               |
| <b>Date &amp; Time</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <b>Saturday, December 14, 2019, 8:00am - 3:00pm</b>       |
| <b>Location</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>St. Philomene Parish, 2428 Bell Street, Sacramento</b> |
| Copy English Bulletin Text Below                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                           |
| Advent Retreat for Catechists and Lay Ministers. The fourth phase of Christian Growth: As a Christian, I too share in the mission of helping people to welcome Christ into their hearts with Fr. Andres Emmanuelli, Cecilia Flores and Fr. Frank Velazquez. Register online for \$30: <a href="http://www.scd.org/waiting">www.scd.org/waiting</a> . Questions contact Teresa Donan: 916-733-0132 • <a href="mailto:tdonan@scd.org">tdonan@scd.org</a>                                                                                                               |                                                           |
| Copy Spanish Bulletin Text Below                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                           |
| El Arte de Esperar <i>Retiro de Adviento para catequistas y ministros laico</i> . Las cuarta fases del crecimiento cristiano: Como cristiano, yo también comparto la misión de ayudar a las personas a acoger a Cristo en sus corazones. Con el Rev. Andres Emmanuelli, Cecilia Flores y Rev. Francisco Velazquez. Regístrese en línea por \$30: <a href="http://www.scd.org/esperar">www.scd.org/esperar</a> Para obtener más información, llame al (916) 733-0132 o envíe un correo electrónico a Teresa Donan: <a href="mailto:tdonan@scd.org">tdonan@scd.org</a> |                                                           |

### Family & Respect Life Ministries

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| <b>Title</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>Prayer of St. John Paul II for Life <b>New</b></b> |
| Copy English Bulletin Text Below                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                       |
| Our beloved Saint John Paul II, wrote a beautiful prayer for life pleading for our Blessed Mother's intercession to protect the unborn, the elderly, and for all who have suffered violence. In this prayer, we pray for courage to proclaim the Gospel of life with honesty and love during this critical time we live in. Each prayer card is priced at .04 cents if ordered in bulk. If you are interested in purchasing these prayer cards for your parish, please send an e-mail to <a href="mailto:respectlife@scd.org">respectlife@scd.org</a> .                                                                            |                                                       |
| Copy Spanish Bulletin Text Below                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                       |
| Nuestro amado San Juan Pablo II, escribió una hermosa oración por la vida suplicando por la intercesión de nuestra Santísima Madre para proteger a los no nacidos, los ancianos, y por todos los que han sufrido violencia. En esta oración, oramos por valor para proclamar el Evangelio de la vida con honestidad y amor durante este momento crítico en el que vivimos. Cada tarjeta de oración tiene un precio de .04 centavos si se ordena por mayoría. Si está interesado en comprar estas tarjetas de oración en su parroquia, envíe un correo electrónico a <a href="mailto:respectlife@scd.org">respectlife@scd.org</a> . |                                                       |

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| <b>Event Title</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>Mother/Daughter Program</b>                          |
| <b>Date &amp; Time</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>Saturday, November 9, 2019</b>                       |
| <b>Location</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>St. Clare Parish, 1950 Junction Blvd., Roseville</b> |
| Copy English Bulletin Text Below                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                         |
| The Mother-Daughter Program explores God's special gift of human sexuality and fertility as well as the beauty and wonder of his plan for growing up and becoming a woman. It is designed for mothers and their 10-12 or 13-16 year old daughter. All content is pure, light-hearted and affirming. Cost is \$20 per family and includes snacks. To register online, contact a site coordinator, to review the program content and other available dates, visit: <a href="http://www.scd.org/motherdaughter">www.scd.org/motherdaughter</a> . For questions, please contact Martha Haig at (916) 733-0131 or <a href="mailto:mhaig@scd.org">mhaig@scd.org</a> . |                                                         |