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To: Pastor
Secretary

From: Fr. Mauricio Hurtado *Fr. MH*
Director of Vocations

Date: April 2, 2026

Subject: Annual Sacramento Classic: Basketball Game - Diocesan Priests + Seminarians (Revision)

Our *Annual Sacramento Classic: Basketball Game – Diocesan Priests + Seminarians* is scheduled on **Tuesday, June 16, 2026 at Christian Brothers High School-Gym in Sacramento**. Posters and flyers will be mailed soon! In the meantime, please let us know, if you would like to have some tickets available at your parish for sale.

If you would like to have tickets available for sale at your parish, we recommend the following:

- 1) Sell tickets at your parish and submit the funds and the ticket stubs to the Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations, **along with any unsold tickets by Friday, June 12, 2026 (Please note correct submission date)**. This will allow us to sell the remaining tickets on the day of the event on a first come first serve basis until sold out (we request you please provide a contact person at your parish regarding the tickets).
- 2) Your parish can purchase the desired number of tickets from us and sell them at your own pace.

Either way, it will be much appreciated! Tickets are available now and will be available online for sale starting on April 15, 2026. You may contact our office to request your tickets.

If you or your vicar priest are interested in joining the team, please let us know. You can send me an email at mhurtado@scd.org or to msmith@scd.org.

We would appreciate the promotion of the event at your parish, by pulpit announcement and/or bulletin ad. The following is the suggested bulletin ad:

Annual Sacramento Classic: Basketball Game – Diocesan + Seminarians. Please join the Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations, for the *Annual Sacramento Classic: Basketball: Priests + Seminarians on Tuesday, June 16, 2026 at Christian Brothers High School in Sacramento-Gym*. **Cost of tickets:** Adults \$15, Students \$5 (K-College), and Group of 6 adult tickets \$60. Children age 4 and under, Religious Sisters, Deacons and Priests are FREE. Tickets can be purchased online at www.scd.org/basketball or for further questions, please contact the Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations at (916) 733-0258.

Funds from this event will be used for special needs for the seminarians. Thank you for your support.

cc: Knights of Columbus, Parish Vocation Committees, Religious Education Programs & Youth Ministry