


# DEC DEPARTMENT of EVANGELIZATION & CATECHESIS

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To: **PASTOR / PASTORAL STAFF / BULLETIN EDITOR**  
 From: Kevin Staszko, Director  
 Re: Please add these announcements to your bulletins! **(English and Spanish Translation)**  
 Date: **Tuesday, April 18, 2017**

Included are new and current announcements from DEC. 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 DEC at 916-733-0123. New and updated announcements are **highlighted in yellow!**

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## Department of Evangelization & Catechesis

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| <b>Event Title</b>   | <b>*NEW*</b> From Followers to Disciples: Effective Parish Communications |
| <b>Date &amp; Time</b>   | May 11, 2017, 1:30pm – 3:30pm OR 7pm – 9pm                                |
| <b>Location</b>  | Pastoral Center, Sacramento   |
| <b>Not for Bulletins</b>   |   |
| <p><b>Bulletins... Websites... Social Media... Emails...</b> Parishes today have so many communication channels available that it can be overwhelming to pick the right one (or two or three)! Elevate your parish communications and learn effective strategies from former Diocese of Oakland Communications Director and Vatican-designated Missionary of Mercy, Fr. Mark Wiesner. This workshop is for anyone on the front lines of their parish communications, including bulletin editors, webmasters and social media managers. Join us for FREE on May 11, 2017 at 1:30pm – 3:30pm OR 7pm – 9pm. Register online at <a href="http://parishcomms.eventbrite.com">parishcomms.eventbrite.com</a></p> |   |

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| <b>Event Title</b>  | <b>Graduate Program in Pastoral Ministries Information Sessions</b>                  |
| <b>Date &amp; Time</b>  | (1) April 22, 10am – 11:30am; (2) April 24, 7pm – 8:30pm; (3) April 26, 7pm – 8:30pm |
| <b>Location</b>   | (1) Chico Newman Center; (2) Davis Newman Center; (3) Sacramento Newman Center       |
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| <p><b>Masters' Degree Program in Pastoral Ministry - Scholarships Available</b></p> <p>The Diocese of Sacramento is currently taking applications for the 2nd cohort of our Masters Degree Program in Pastoral Ministry with Santa Clara University. Applicants must have two years' experience in ministry and have a Bachelors' degree. If interested, please attend one of our information sessions: Saturday, April 22nd, 10am - 11:30am @ Newman Catholic Center, Chico; Monday, April 24th, 7pm - 8:30pm @ Newman Catholic Center, Davis; or Wednesday, April 26th, 7pm - 8:30pm @ Newman Catholic Center, Sacramento. If you are unable to attend in person, please join us virtually using ZOOM at <a href="https://zoom.us/j/847150788">https://zoom.us/j/847150788</a>. For further details, please contact Christine Vincent at <a href="mailto:cvincent@scd.org">cvincent@scd.org</a> or check out our website at <a href="http://scddec.org/gppm">http://scddec.org/gppm</a></p> |  |

## Family & Respect Life Ministries

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| <b>Event Title</b>  | <b>Eucharistic Prayer to End Abortion</b>             |
| <b>Date &amp; Time</b>  | <b>April 30, 2017, 5:00pm</b>                         |
| <b>Location</b>   | <b>Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, Sacramento</b> |
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| <p><b>Eucharistic Procession to End Abortion:</b> On April 30, 2017 Bishop Jaime Soto will celebrate the 5:00 pm Mass at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, and afterwards lead a Eucharistic Procession around the State Capitol in a journey of prayer and public witness to end abortion. Also carried in this Procession will be an actual (4' X 6') authentic replica of the original Miraculous Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe. See <a href="http://www.scddec.org/respect-life">www.scddec.org/respect-life</a> for more information.</p> |   |

## North State

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| <b>Event Title</b>  | <b>ARISE Together in Christ Training Sessions</b>  |
| <b>Date &amp; Time</b>  | <b>April 28 – 30, 2017 (see flyer for details)</b> |
| <b>Location</b>   | <b>Various parishes (see flyer for details)</b>    |
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| <p><b>ARISE Together in Christ Coming Soon to the North State</b><br/>As part of the North State Revival, the parishes of the Northern Deaneries (Ridge, Siskiyou, Shasta, and Sutter-Buttes) will be engaging in a comprehensive process of evangelization and spiritual renewal. <i>ARISE Together in Christ</i> will be offered in collaboration with RENEW International, a Catholic ministry organization. ARISE focuses on the "New Evangelization," reawakening and strengthening faith among current and former Catholics by encouraging them to reawaken their faith and live it out on a daily basis.</p> <p>Pastors, staff, and selected leadership are invited to attend a team training that will be offered in all 4 Northern Deaneries April 28th-30th, 2017:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ridge Deanery:</b> Friday 28th – Our Lady of Snows in Lake Almanor at 6:00pm-8:30pm</li> <li>• <b>Shasta Deanery:</b> Saturday April 29th – Sacred Heart in Red Bluff at 9:00am-11:30am</li> <li>• <b>Siskiyou Deanery:</b> Saturday April 29th – St Joseph in Yreka at 6:00pm-8:30pm</li> <li>• <b>Sutter Butte Deanery:</b> Sunday April 30th – St Monica in Willows at 5:30pm-8:00pm</li> </ul> <p>For more information, please contact Richard Chervený at by email at <a href="mailto:rchervený@scd.org">rchervený@scd.org</a>.</p> |  |

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| <b>Event Title</b>  | <b>Our Catholic Identity: Living out the "One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church"</b> |
| <b>Date &amp; Time</b>  | <b>May 19 – 21, 2017 (see flyer for details)</b>  |
| <b>Location</b>   | <b>Various parishes (see flyer for details)</b>   |
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| <p><b>Our Catholic Identity: Living out the "One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church":</b> How many times have you said these words? Come and learn how our Catholic faith can be lived out in intergenerational and intercultural ways that can be transformative for the entire community. Be prepared to laugh and be challenged as we take these assumingly simple words and make them real for ourselves and our faith.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Friday, May 19, 6:00pm-8:30pm:</b> Our Lady of the Snows in Lake Almanor;</li> <li>• <b>Saturday, May 20, 9:00am-12:30pm:</b> St. Joseph in Redding</li> <li>• <b>Sunday, May 21, 3:00pm-6:30pm:</b> St. Isidore in Yuba City</li> </ul> <p>To register or for more information contact Richard Chervený at (530) 366-7954 or <a href="mailto:rchervený@scd.org">rchervený@scd.org</a>.</p>   |   |
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| <p><b>Nuestra Identidad Católica: Viviendo la "Iglesia Una, Santa, Católica y Apostólica":</b> ¿Cuántas veces has dicho estas palabras? Vengan a conocer como nuestra fe Católica se puede vivir en maneras intergeneracionales e interculturales que pueden transformar a toda la comunidad. Estén preparados para reír y recibir retos al tomar estas palabras sencillas y actualizarlas en nosotros mismos y en nuestra fe.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Viernes, 19 de Mayo, 6:00p-8:30p:</b> Our Lady of the Snows, Lake Almanor, CA</li> <li>• <b>Sábado, 20 de Mayo, 9:00a-12:30p:</b> St. Joseph, Redding, CA</li> <li>• <b>Domingo, 21 de Mayo, 3:00p-6:30p:</b> St. Isidore, Yuba City, CA</li> </ul> <p>Para inscribirse, comuníquense con Richard Chervený al (530) 366-7954 o <a href="mailto:rchervený@scd.org">rchervený@scd.org</a>.</p> |   |

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| <b>Event Title</b>     | <b>*NEW* Called and Gifted Workshop</b> |
| <b>Date &amp; Time</b> | <b>May 27, 2017, 9am – 4pm</b>          |
| <b>Location</b>        | <b>St. Isidore, Yuba City</b>           |

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### **The Called and Gifted Workshop**

The Office of North State Catholic Revival, in collaboration with St Isidore in Yuba City, is excited to offer the “Called and Gifted” workshop from the Catherine of Siena Institute on Saturday, May 27th, 2017 from 9am-4pm. This workshop is an opportunity to deepen your relationship with Jesus and to discover God’s plan for your life. Through the “Called & Gifted” discernment process, you will learn about the Church’s teaching on the laity and lay apostleship; the nature of spiritual gifts, call, and vocation. The workshop will be given in both English and Spanish. The cost of attendance is \$30. For more information, contact Mrs Burky at the parish office of St Isidore’s at (530) 673-1573 x42. To register, please visit [www.bit.ly/calledandgifted](http://www.bit.ly/calledandgifted) or contact Richard Cherveney at (530) 366-7954.

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### **Taller Llamado y Dotado**

La Oficina de Avivamiento del Norte, en colaboración con la Parroquia de Santa Isidore en Yuba City, presenta el taller “Llamado y Dotado” del Instituto de Sta. Catarina de Siena el sábado, 27th de Mayo de 9am-4pm. Este taller es una oportunidad para profundizar su relación con Jesús y para descubrir el plan que Dios tiene para su vida. Por medio del proceso de discernimiento de “Llamado y Dotado” aprenderán la enseñanza de la Iglesia sobre los laicos y el apostolado laical; la naturaleza de los dones espirituales, llamado y vocación. El taller se dará en Inglés y en Español y el costo es \$30. Para más información, comuníquese con Sra Burky a la parroquia St Isidore’s (530) 673-1573 x42. Para inscribirse, visita la pagina [www.bit.ly/calledandgifted](http://www.bit.ly/calledandgifted) o comuníquese con Richard Cherve (530) 366-7954.

## **Camp Pendola**

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| <b>Event Title</b> | <b>Register for Camp Pendola... Today!</b> |
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### **Register for Camp Pendola... Today!**

Did you know that camp forever change your child... for the better. The American Camp Association research has confirmed that camps build skills necessary to prepare campers to assume roles as successful adults. Campers said that camp helped them make new friends, feel good about themselves, and try things that they were afraid to do at first. Challenge your child to make new friends, gain confidence, and try something new by sending them to Camp Pendola this summer. Register and get more information at [www.pendola.org](http://www.pendola.org)