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To: BULLETIN EDITOR / PASTOR / PASTORAL STAFF
From: Kevin Staszkw, Director
Re: Just in case you have some space...
Date: December 13, 2011

SAVE THESE DATES:

Saturday, April 19, 2012, 9am – 2pm – Altar Server Olympics @ Holy Family, Citrus Heights
Saturday, May 21, 2012, 10am – 1pm – Mary's Hour @ Holy Rosary, Woodland
Sunday, June 17, 2012, 11am – Fathers Day w/ Bishop Soto & the Sacramento River Cats

ATTENTION PARENTS OF TEENS! DON'T MISS BRIAN BUTLER - JANUARY 24, 2012 @ 7pm

Join parents from all over the diocese for an excellent talk on Theology of the Body for parents of teens. Brian Butler will speak on "Love and Relationships: Building a Culture of Chastity in Your Home" at St. Clare Catholic Church in Roseville on Tuesday, January 24th at 7pm. Admission is free. A free will donation will be taken to defray the costs of the event. Contact Kevin Staszkw for more information at 916-733-0152.

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT POSADA - THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2011, 6-10PM

Join us for the first ever Diocese of Sacramento Posada Juvenil (Posada for Youth) at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish in Sacramento on Thursday, December 22 from 6-10pm. Try something new. Bring your entire group for Mass w/ Bishop Soto, Food, Music, Pinatas and lots of Fun. Bring a dessert or Pan Dulce to share. Contact Karla Marquez for more information at 916-733-0151

CONVERSION 1.0 YOUNG ADULT E-CONFERENCE, JANUARY 25-28, 2012

Young adults (20s and 30s) – join us for the first annual state-wide Catholic e-conference for young adults by going to <http://yacatholicyouth.com> on January 25,26, & 27 @ 9:30pm and joining us for one of two live events at St. Rose in Sacramento, CA and at a parish in Orange, CA that start at 6pm. Speakers will be announced soon at <http://youngadultconversion.com>

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY FOR TEENS TRAINING W/ BRIAN BUTLER – JANUARY 24 & 25, 2012, 9am – 3pm

The Diocese of Sacramento is sponsoring trainer and speaker Brian Butler for two training days on Theology of the Body for Teens. On Tuesday, January 24, 2012 from 9am – 3pm at St. Clare in Roseville he will train participants on Theology of the Body for Middle School Students and on Wednesday, January 25, 2012 from 9am to 3pm at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel in Fairfield he will train participants on Theology of the Body for High School students. Trainings cost \$45 each and include lunch, a Leader's Guide for Ascension Press' program, plus many helpful handouts and other materials. Register online at <http://icatholicyouth.com>. For more information, please email Kevin at kstaszkw@diocese-sacramento.org

FIRE UP! CONFIRMATION CONFERENCE – SAT OR SUN, MARCH 3 OR 4, 2012, 9AM – 3PM

There's still room at FIRE UP 2012. Join David Bisono, Paul J Kim, and Bishop Jaime Soto at St. Francis High School for an excellent conference for youth scheduled to receive Confirmation in 2012. <http://confirmationconference.com>

UNPLUGGED 2 – HIGH SCHOOL LENTEN RETREAT – SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 2-10PM

Are you up for the challenge? Fast from your phone and spend some time with God and teens from all over the Diocese. This is a great way to get into Lent. Fasting, Prayer, Almsgiving, and mass with Bishop Jaime Soto. Join us 2pm – 10pm on Saturday, March 17 at St. Joseph Parish in Elk Grove. Cost is only \$5 and includes dinner. Youth groups and ministries can get more information and register at <http://icatholicyouth.com>