

THE TIDE

The Newsletter of the DOM



Welcome

But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people."

— *Luke 2:10*

The Diocese of Monterey warmly welcomes you to *The Tide*, your local official newsletter that brings good news to all. In our first edition, we reflect on our summer and early fall months, highlighting special moments from your Diocesan family.

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St. Junipero Serra Feast Day

School of Ministry

Our Most Reverend Danny Garcia



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Missionary Work



This Summer, the Diocese teamed up with Blue Theology Mission Station and the Christian Church of Pacific Grove to provide day-long programs for at-risk youth from the area. The teens strengthened their faith through learning about the beauty of marine life at the Monterey Bay Aquarium and Asilomar State Beach. Each student was sent home with a Blue Theology bag and a metal straw to promote environmental sustainability. Thank you to all who participated!

Feast Day of Saint Junipero



On July 1st, Father Peter Crivello led the annual pilgrimage from San Carlos Cathedral to Carmel Mission Basilica to honor our Missions' founder, Saint Junipero Serra. Crowds gathered to walk together, celebrating this blessed Feast Day.

School Of Ministry has kicked off!

On Saturday, September 7th with full capacity in three counties of the Diocese – Santa Cruz, Monterey, and San Luis Obispo – with maximum capacity enrollment. Bishop Danny Garcia spoke to all three groups through video conference which was originated at St. Joseph, in Spreckels. Bishop welcomed all participants, thanking and congratulating them all in signing up for this course of Lay Formation for ministry. Bishop also challenged them to put their studies, sharing, prayer and engagement in this School to good use in their service of the People of God of our Diocese. Deacon David Ford, Director of the School said “The response has exceeded all our expectations. We are already actively looking at expansion next year!”



"We get to connect nature with our faith, it's a good experience."

-Maria, 16



Newest Additions

Sacred Heart School, Salinas



Welcome to Rachel Meyers as the school's new principal. Mrs. Meyers was previously the school's vice principal and first grade teacher. Mrs. Meyers holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from California State University, Monterey Bay and a Master of Arts in Education from the University of California, Santa Cruz. She also holds a Multiple Subject Teaching Credential and will complete her Administrative Services Credential program next year. She has previously taught at Mission Park School, San Carlos School, and Monterey Peninsula College.

Junipero Serra School, Carmel

Welcome to Steve Henderson as the school's new principal. Mr. Henderson was previously the Associate Head of School at Chartwell School in Seaside. Mr. Henderson holds a bachelor's degree in history from California State University, Sacramento and a master's degree in School Leadership from Harvard Graduate School of Education. Mr. Henderson currently lives in Carmel and brings with him a passion for enhancing student learning in a spiritual and faith-filled environment.



Priests and Deacons



Welcome to our newly ordained priests and deacons! Deacons Jose Alcala, Steven Brau, Joseph DePage, Todd Fredrickson, and David Vargas and Reverends Miguel Aguayo, Karl Talentino, Gerson Espinosa, and Raphael Reniva were officially welcomed into the Diocese of Monterey by Bishop Danny. Many blessings to the new priests and deacons and their families.

Theology on Tap

Thoughtful Conversation is served alongside refreshments at the London Bridge Pub every Wednesday from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. All are welcome! Please check our website for dates and topics.

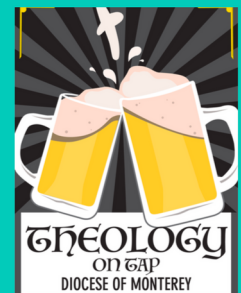
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"Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain."

1 CORINTHIANS 15:58

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