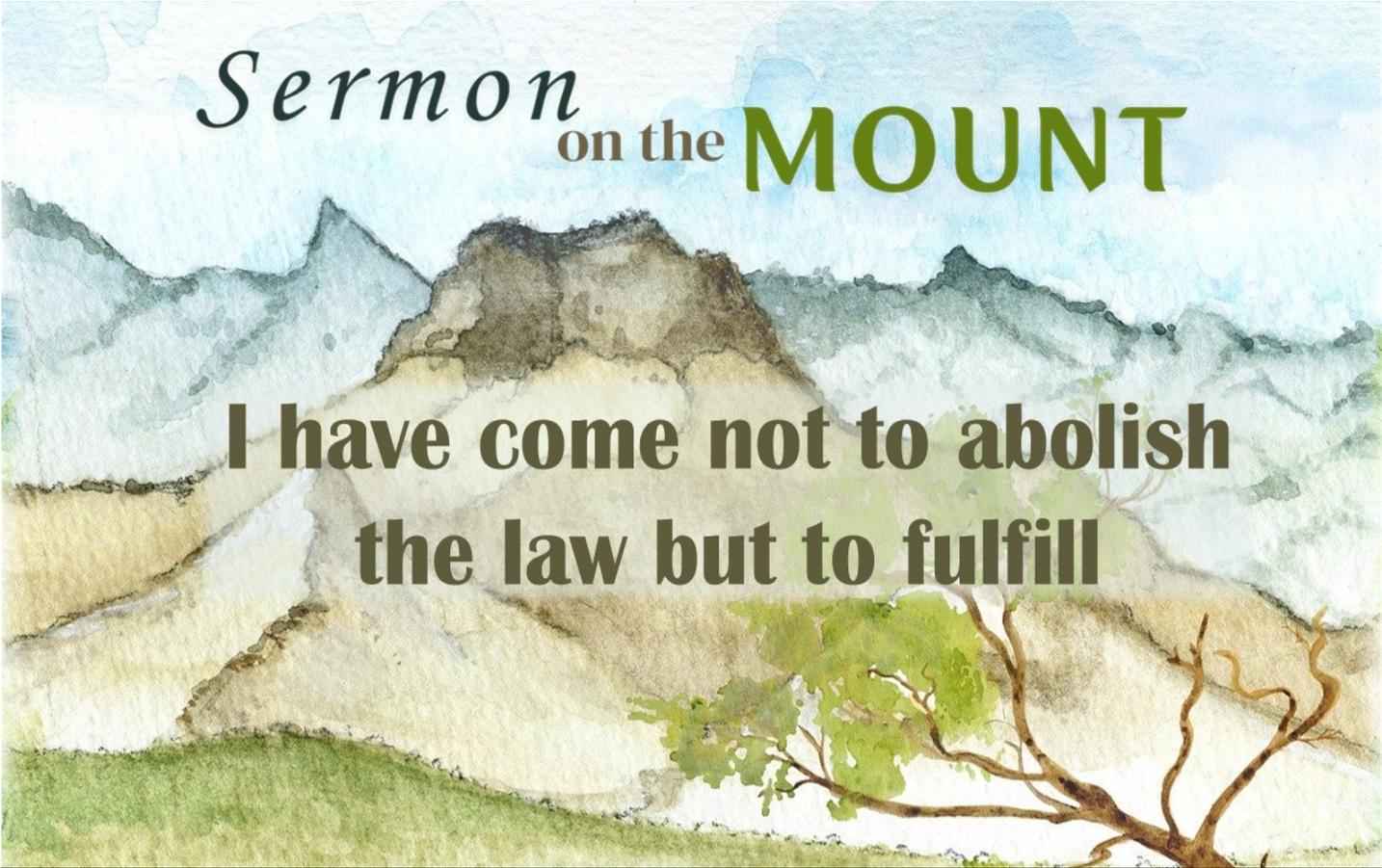


February 15, 2026
Sixth Sunday in
Ordinary Time

SS. Peter & Paul Church

4450 Granite Drive - Rocklin, CA 95677
916-624-5827 - www.rocklincatholic.org



Sermon
on the **MOUNT**

**I have come not to abolish
the law but to fulfill**

Mission Statement

The people of SS. Peter & Paul Parish are called to create and sustain a community of faith in Jesus Christ. We celebrate the life of faith through the Eucharist. As we break bread together, we are inspired to care for others and are challenged to grow in faith through prayer, study, and social interaction

Vision Statement

All parishioners recognize the challenge of the Gospel and the Eucharist as evidenced by participating in various ministries, inviting and welcoming others, caring for and serving those in need, and promoting peace and justice.

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptism Class: Contact Darcy Wharton for information at ext. 211

Baptisms: 2nd & 4th Sunday of each month except during the season of Lent.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00—4:45 PM
In the Church or by appointment

**Sacrament of the
Anointing of the Sick**

For anyone experiencing chronic illness or preparing for medical treatment, surgery, or long-term care, please call Ext. 201 to arrange an appointment with a priest.

Sacrament of Matrimony

We welcome inquiries from engaged couples!
Please call Ext. 201 for information

Christian Initiation

For adult individuals interested in becoming Catholic or for those over six years old who have not received Baptism, please call Ext. 214.

✠ MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK ✠

Sat, Feb. 14	5:00 PM	✠	Milton Goes	✠	Maria & Peter Bui
Sun, Feb. 15	9:00 AM	✠	Vicky Sunseri	✠	Barbara Ohlsen
	11:00 AM	✠	Elena Alinas	✠	Allan Andersen
	5:00 PM	✠	Celia Juarez	S	Community of SSPP
Mon, Feb. 16	8:30 AM	✠		✠	
Tue, Feb. 17	8:30 AM	✠		✠	
Wed, Feb. 18	8:30 AM	✠		✠	
	6:30 PM	✠		✠	
Fri, Feb. 20	8:30 AM	✠		✠	
Sat, Feb. 21	5:00 PM	✠	Peter Yi	✠	Jose Panlilio-Quiambao
Sun, Feb. 22	9:00 AM	S	Community of SSPP	✠	Josefina Bilgera
	11:00 AM	✠	Jose Panlilio-Quiambao	✠	Rosemary Jorgensen
	5:00 PM	✠	Ann Lambros	✠	Hogelia Baylen

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Saturday Vigil Mass—5:00 PM
Sunday Masses—9:00 AM (Live-Stream),
11:00 AM & 5:00 PM
Daily Mass (M, T, W, F)—8:30 AM

Church & Adoration Chapel Hours
Monday—Friday 9:00 AM—2:00 PM
Saturday & Sunday 9:00 AM—6:00 PM

Parish Office Hours
Monday—Thursday 9:00 AM—3:30 PM
Closed 12:00—1:00 PM for lunch



Online Donations
Use the QR Code Below



February 15, 2026 — Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ Liturgy 101 ✠



Metanoia

(by Talib Huff, Christ the King Retreat Center)

Many of us have heard that the word “repent” in the New Testament is a translation of the Greek word metanoia. Now, if you look up the meaning of repent it focuses on sorrow for something we have done. And this is good. I know in my own life I experience sorrow for having sinned that leads me to turn away from that sin and return to God. But what Jesus preached when He taught us to repent for the forgiveness of sin went much deeper. The disciples hearing metanoia would have understood that Jesus was calling not just for feeling bad about what they had done when they had sinned, but for a change of heart. They would have heard metanoia to mean turn your thinking around, examine your thoughts and actions from another side, consider your life with new eyes. This is the ongoing practice of being a follower of Christ.

Ladies Guild Monthly Meeting

This is an invitation to all ladies of the parish to join the **Ladies Guild** monthly meeting on **Monday, February 23** for a Valentine’s brunch potluck. We meet at **9:30 AM** in the **Multipurpose Room**. Members are reminded to bring their favorite dish to share. Also, we will start collecting raffle and silent auction donations for our Fashion Show. You can purchase your luncheon tickets too. Join us in sisterhood!



Improve your life AND your finances!

Join **Dave Ramsey’s 9-week, Financial Peace**

University class in Room 2: Take control of your money. Learn how to plan for your future and get on the same page as your spouse (if you have one!)

Starts **Monday, March 2, 2026, at 6:30 PM.** Cost is \$99.99 or \$129.99 (best value).



Register at www.financialpeace.com/app/classes/1E7968. Questions? Contact Trudy Rebollo, 916-276-2409.

ALL PARISH OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH IN OBSERVANCE OF PRESIDENTS’ DAY!

STAFF CHANGES & JOB OPENINGS

Kris Dahla and Jen Gordon will be leaving their Faith Formation roles at the end of May to focus on their families. We are deeply grateful for their service to our parish. Currently, we are seeking two people to fill those positions.

SS. Peter & Paul Parish is looking for a full time Faith Formation Coordinator for Grades 1st–6th & First Communion. This person would be responsible for organizing and developing the faith formation programming for children in 1st through 6th grade and their families, as well as First Communion preparation. Please contact Melissa Terry at melissa.terry@rocklincatholic.org for more information.



JOB OPENING:
Faith Formation Coordinator
Grades 7-12 and
Confirmation

SS. Peter & Paul Parish is looking for a full time Faith Formation Coordinator for Grades 7th– 12th & Confirmation. This person would be responsible for the planning, coordination, and implementation of a comprehensive faith program that supports 7th through 12th grade students in their sacramental preparation and ongoing discipleship. Please contact Melissa Terry at melissa.terry@rocklincatholic.org for more information.

World Marriage Day Mass and Reception

Join us in celebrating World Marriage Day on Saturday, February 28, at St. Robert’s Catholic Church, 2243 Irvin Way, Sacramento.



Bishop Rey Bersabal will celebrate Mass at 11:00 AM where sacramentally married couples will receive a special blessing and may renew their marital commitment.

A light reception will follow with certificates for milestone anniversaries (10, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, and 50+ years). Please register at www.scd.org, under the events section.



Enjoying donuts on Sunday morning is not just a glaze, it’s a lifestyle!

Come for fellowship, coffee, and donuts after Sunday morning masses. Volunteers are needed—especially at the 11:00 AM Mass. Contact Kris Cowen at kriscowen@hotmail.com for more information.



GENERATIONS OF FAITH



YOUTH & FAMILY FAITH FORMATION (Kindergarten—8th Grade & Sacrament Preparation)

Upcoming Youth & Family Faith Schedule:

Week of February 15th & 16th: No classes scheduled (Presidents' Week Break)

Week of February 22nd & 23rd: Classes meet as scheduled

Week of March 1st & 2nd: Classes meet as scheduled

Week of March 8th & 9th: Classes meet as scheduled



First Reconciliation Congratulations!

Congratulations to our SS. Peter & Paul Faith Formation students who celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time this past week. Through this beautiful

sacrament, they encountered God's love and mercy. Please keep them in your prayers as they continue their preparation to receive Jesus in the Sacrament of the Eucharist at their First Holy Communion this spring.

Deus Vocat Retreat (God is Calling):



The Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations invites girls ages 13 to 17 to the Deus Vocat Retreat. Join us & consider where God might be calling you: Religious Life, Married Life, or Consecrated Life. Come for a day of prayer, fellowship, games and more!

Date: Saturday, April 11, from 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM.

Location: Marelo Youth Retreat Center,
6430 Wells Avenue, Loomis

Cost: \$65

Registration deadline is March 27 (space is limited).

For more information or to register, please visit

www.scd.org/deusvocat

If you have any questions, please contact our office at (916) 733-0258 or by email to msmith@scd.org.



High School Youth Ministry Small Groups

The next Youth Ministry Small Group will meet on Sunday, February 22nd from 6:15 PM -7:45 PM in the Multipurpose Room. Hope to see you there!

High School Youth Ministry Meal Sign-Up

For each date/sign up (link below) we ask that you bring food to feed approximately 25-30 teens & volunteers (a "main course," potentially a side dish depending on the main course, and a dessert of some sort if you wish).

We will provide paper products (plates, bowls, napkins, utensils, etc.) and drinks. Please deliver your meal to the Multipurpose Room at 6:00 PM. We will have someone to meet you and help you set-up. Families are welcome to stay and serve the food, or not. Either way is fine!

Thank you for your support of our High School Youth Ministry Program.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094CA4A72BAB9-61860302-high#/>

SSPP Young Adult Ministry Film & Fellowship Night: *Becoming Who Jesus Sees Us To Be*



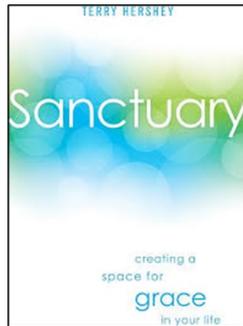
SS. Peter & Paul, Room 11.
2/21/26 6-9pm

Let us know you're coming!
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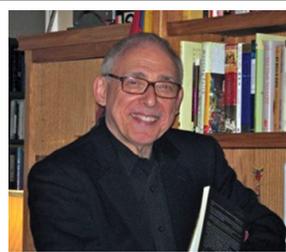


Book Club Selection

Our parish book club has selected *Sanctuary: Creating a Space for Grace in Your Life* by Terry Hershey as its next book. The challenges of daily life take a toll in energy, time, and effort. And the space and rest we need to recuperate is usually pushed to the back burner. This book not only defines what sanctuary is but why we need it, where we can find it, and how we can create it as space and habit.



Join us on Tuesday, March 10th at 4:00 PM in the Dillon Center for our discussion!



Fr. Tom Bonacci Online Series

We are happy to welcome the wisdom of Fr. Tom Bonacci, C.P. as he explores the gospel of Matthew in an online (Zoom) series. As you may know, we are in Cycle A Readings for our

Sunday Masses and our gospel reading primarily come from the gospel of Matthew. Using his typical wisdom and wit, Fr. Tom will awaken us to the riches in this gospel and how we can apply it to our world today.

Dates: March 4, 11, 25, and April 8
Time: 1:00-2:30 PM via Zoom
Suggested Donation: \$25 per person

Register at www.rocklincatholic.org/bonacci. These sessions will be recorded and available to all registrants.

Dance and Pray

Join us **Monday, February 16th at 6:30 PM** in **Classroom #1** (close to the Faith Formation Office).



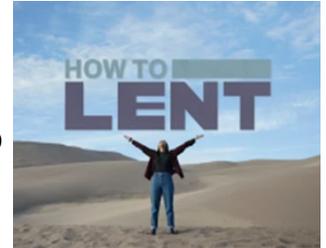
Remember to wear comfortable clothes, shoes/sneakers, and bring water. We'll move, dance, and pray for about an hour. We found out that putting one of those low-cut no-show socks on the bottom of our shoes/sneakers makes it easier to dance on carpet. Remember to bring a pair.

Feel free to invite a friend to Dance & Pray with us!
Email Lucia at luciadanceandpray@gmail.com for more information.

New on Formed

How to Lent

Sometimes, it feels like Lent is just about giving up chocolate. But deep down, we all desire to do something more for Lent—we just don't know how to do it.



How to Lent is a new series from the Augustine Institute that aims to equip Catholics with the tools to understand and practice the pillars of Lent: prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Guided by Solenne Santiago and with the help of priests and religious, this series will challenge our preconceived notions about Lent, laying out a roadmap for entering the season with a purpose. Don't let Lent sneak up on you like it did last year. Instead, heed the call of St. John the Baptist by preparing for the Lord, using How to Lent to transform your spiritual life this Lenten season.

Start your journey here:

<https://app.formed.org/app/collections/1096760>



This Week on Formed

Week of February 15, 2026



Lent | What Catholics Believe

Join Fr. Scott Bailey, a priest in the Archdiocese of Denver, as he answers some of the Internet's most asked questions about Lent. What is Lent? Why is it 40 days long? Or even, what should I give up for Lent? Find out in this episode of What Catholics Believe.



Whole 40

Sit down with Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Elizabeth Klein to discuss the purpose of the season of Lent, how to prepare for it, and why it is such a fruitful season in our life of faith.



Heart of Prayer

Heart of Prayer invites participants into an intimate and peaceful retreat with Bishop Andrew Cozzens. Set in the beautiful Chateau on the Augustine Institute Campus, Heart of Prayer reveals the beauty and transcendence of a prayer life, as Bishop Cozzens draws from Scripture and the saints to offer guidance that is practical and down-to-earth.

Our parish has a Formed subscription.
Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.



Lent

What is Lent?

Lent is a period of forty days (Sundays are omitted) that begins on Ash Wednesday and ends at sundown on Holy Thursday. The season of

Lent commemorates the time Jesus spent in the desert prior to beginning his public ministry. 40 days is an important biblical time of preparation dating back to Moses and Elijah who both fasted in the wilderness as they prepared for their work on behalf of God.

Our Lenten disciplines of fasting, almsgiving, and prayer are ultimately to transform our entire person: body, soul, and spirit, and help us become more like Christ. Eastern Christians call this process theosis, which St. Athanasius describes as "becoming by grace what God is by nature."

Fasting and Abstinence:

Everyone from ages 18 to 59 is obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Fasting is understood to mean that one full meal may be eaten. Two other small meals may be eaten, but together they should not equal a full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted.

All persons 14 years and older are obliged to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays of Lent, and Good Friday. Other forms of abstinence, for example abstinence from alcoholic beverages, television, video games, the internet, and social media, are also beneficial.

When health or ability to work would be seriously affected, neither the law of fasting nor the law of abstinence obliges. Airport workers, travelers, and others while on board ships or airplanes are dispensed from the laws of fast and abstinence for the duration of their journey (except on Good Friday). It is desirable to perform some other pious act instead.

Almsgiving:

From earliest times giving to the poor, or almsgiving, has been an invaluable spiritual practice, a religious duty, a form of penance, an expression of Christian charity, and an aid to interior conversion.

Prayer:

Catholics are urged to read and pray with Sacred Scripture more intently during Lent. Consider adopting daily prayer practices such as the rosary, prayer before the Blessed Sacrament and Liturgy of the Hours. We invite you to participate in the Stations of the Cross and the Evening of Reconciliation.



Pray and light a candle!

This weekend, you will find in the vestibule a basket of candles. Please take one candle per family to light at home and pray for one of our Elect or Candidates as we journey together to their Baptism and/or Full Communion at the Easter Vigil. Directions are included with each candle. A picture board is also on display in the vestibule so that you can see our Elect and Candidates.

Rite of Election and the Call to Continuing Conversion



RITE OF ELECTION

On Saturday, February 21st at the 5:00 PM Mass, we mark the end of the OCIA Period of the Catechumenate with the liturgical rites of the Rite of Sending for our Catechumens, and the Rite of the Call to Continuing Conversion for our Candidates.

Following the 5:00 PM Vigil Mass, our Catechumens will travel to the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament to celebrate the Rite of Election and the Enrollment of Names with Bishop Soto. Our Catechumens will officially become our Elect and our Candidates will join them in entering the OCIA Period of Purification and Enlightenment.

Please consider attending Mass on Saturday, February 21st at 5:00 PM to support and affirm our Catechumens and Candidates!

Please hold our Elect and Candidates in prayer. They are:

Catechumens who become our Elect

Martin Annest	Christopher Gulbrandson
Alisa Bekric	Tristan Luna
Amira Bekric	Robert Shanor
Lacee Buijten	Andres Solis
Erin Clark	Sabrina Wilson
Lhya Garcia	

Candidates

Sungkyu Choi	Andrew Lima
Melinda Danielsen	Joseph Minnis
Tommy Danielsen	Edwin Baradas

Prayer for the Elect and Candidates

God of love and compassion,
it is your will to establish
all things in Christ and to draw
each of us into God's all-embracing love.

Guide these Chosen ones:
Strengthen them in their vocation,
building them into the kingdom of
Your Son, and seal them with the
Spirit of your promise.

Bring your palms! It is time to prepare for Ash Wednesday on February 18th!



The ashes used on Ash Wednesday are made from the burning of palms blessed in the previous year's Palm Sunday celebration. We invite all parishioners to bring the palms which you received last year to church during the weekends of February 07/08 and February 14/15.



Ash Wednesday – February 18th

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent, a season rooted in spiritual “spring cleaning” that calls for self-examination, repentance, and a turning of the

heart toward God. The ashes, marked in the shape of a cross on our foreheads, symbolize both human brokenness and Christ's claim on us despite our sins. Lent mirrors Christ's forty days in the desert, a time of purification, solitude, and renewed dependence on God. Ash Wednesday is a day of fasting and abstinence, but not a holy day of obligation.

Masses with ash distribution are at 8:30 AM and 6:30 PM. Liturgy of the Word with ash distribution at 12:00 NOON.

LENTEN FOOD DRIVE

In keeping with our Lenten practice of prayer, fasting and almsgiving, you are invited to participate in a food collection to help those in need.



During the weekend Masses of February 22 through March 22 you will be invited to bring to the altar non-perishable food donations.

Needed items are:

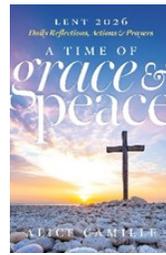
Peanut butter, jam/jelly, canned fruits & vegetables, canned meats (tuna, chicken, SPAM, stews), kidney, pinto and baked beans, Cup of Noodles, canned ravioli, chili, energy bars, individually packed pudding & fruit cups. Grocery gift cards are also welcome.

A few guidelines for canned goods:

- ✓ Pop-top lids are helpful.
- ✓ Ready to eat soup is preferred over condensed soup which must be mixed and heated.
- ✓ Think portable! Avoid large (Costco) size cans. Normal size cans are easier to transport.
- ✓ Individually packed snacks are a treat.

Please check the Best By date. We cannot distribute expired food! Not only homeless but many local families rely on assistance from our food pantry and that of St. Vincent de Paul to make it through the month. Thank you for your generosity!

Lenten Meditation Guides



Each family is invited to take one copy of **A Time of Grace & Peace**, a Lenten reflection booklet written by Alice Camille. In her introduction, Alice Camille writes, “All of life is a dialogue with the Divine. Lent is just a special segment of this conversation.” These booklets are available in baskets in the vestibule and at the side doors of the Church.

SOUP & STATIONS OF THE CROSS



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

A tradition that goes back to the Middle Ages. European pilgrims would travel to the Holy Land to walk the same steps as Jesus did in his final hours. The idea of having stations to represent each part of Jesus' journey came into practice for those who could not travel to the Holy Land themselves.



Each Friday night during Lent we offer the devotion of Stations of the Cross at 6:00 PM in the church. Each week features a different approach to the Stations. You are invited to experience them all.

February 20: *Mystery of the Cross - Praying the Stations with Pope Francis*, presented by Fr. Renier

February 27: *Everyone's Way of the Cross*, presented by OCIA Facilitators

March 6: *Walk with Me the Way of the Cross*, presented by L.O.V.E. ministry

March 13: *By His Cross, Stations for Young Catholics and Their Families*, presented by Sunday Faith Formation 5th Grade class

March 20: *Mary, the Mother of Jesus*, presented by Mom's Bible Study

March 27: *Shadow Stations*, presented by Middle School students

This devotion is followed by a simple soup and bread supper hosted by students and families in our parish community. The final Friday (March 27) will be a fish fry. Check the bulletin for payment information and RSVP details. Donations accepted at the soup supper will go to Rocklin & Loomis Kids In Need.



St. Patrick's Day Dinner

**Saturday, March 14
6:00 PM**

Corned Beef Dinner No Host Bar
\$20 per person/\$10 children

Purchase a table of 8 in one transaction
and receive a complimentary
bottle of wine for the table

RSVP by March 8th
www.rocklincatholic.org/shamrock

Join Us for Movie Night

Sponsored by: Care for Creation Ministry

**Tuesday,
February 24**

6:30-8:00 PM

**SS Peter & Paul
Classroom #1**

Join us as we watch and discuss this
documentary together

In "The Plastic Problem: PBS NewsHour Presents," Amna Nawaz and her PBS NewsHour colleagues look at this now ubiquitous material and how it's impacting the world, why it's become so prevalent, what's being done to mitigate its use, and what potential alternatives or solutions are out there. This hour-long program travels from Boston to Seattle, Costa Rica to Easter Island to bring the global scale of the problem to light.

Cruising into Spring

Ladies' Guild Annual Fashion Show

**Friday, April 10th
11:00 AM**

Doors open at 10:30 AM
 Timber Creek Ballroom
 7050 Del Webb Blvd. Roseville
\$40 per person

Entree choices:
 Salmon, Tri-tip, Chicken Piccata
 and Pasta Primavera
Dessert is included

Raffle Baskets Silent Auction
 Hat Lady Door Prizes

RVSP by March 29
rocklincatholic.org/fashionshow

YOUR PLAN, THEIR PEACE

LUNCH ON US!
 JOIN US ON FEBRUARY 17TH FOR OUR
 LUNCH & LEARN. ENJOY A BRIEF CONVERSATION
 ABOUT CATHOLIC FUNERAL & CEMETERY
 PREPLANNING SERVICES & THE BENEFITS.

PLACE: SS. PETER & PAUL CHURCH
RSVPS: FEBRUARY 14TH & 15TH AFTER MASS OUTSIDE.

PEACE OF MIND FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY LOCK IN TODAY'S PRICES LET YOUR WISHES BE KNOWN

FOR MORE INFORMATION
MICHELLE DELGADO
 916-840-2131

FRIDAY, MARCH 27TH AT 6:30

(AFTER STATIONS OF THE CROSS)

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AND ICED TEA

CHILDREN'S MENU:
FISH STICKS, FRIES, AND
ICED TEA

**\$7 ADULTS
\$5 CHILDREN (10 AND UNDER)**

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RSVP BY SUNDAY, MAR. 22
ONLINE OR IN PARISH OFFICE

More Than Ever A Catholic Support Group for parents estranged from adult children

**Saturdays, February—March
8:45–10:00 AM**

It has become increasingly common for caring parents to find themselves estranged from an adult child in spite of heartfelt and sincere attempts at reconciliation. The pain and distress from the loss of relationship can leave people feeling isolated and alone. We are providing a support group at Saint Joseph Morello for parents to find hope and healing through shared experiences, spiritual guidance, and prayer in a safe and encouraging setting.

For more information contact Anne Lyons
annelyonslmft@gmail.com