



St. Vincent de Paul Sacramento Diocesan Council

Serving in Hope and Mercy



Monday Morning Memo



According to Wikipedia "April Fools' Day is an annual celebration commemorated on April 1 by playing practical jokes and spreading hoaxes. The jokes and their victims are called April fools. Some newspapers, magazines and other published media report fake stories . . ." I can assure you there are no fake stories here!

Last week I mentioned the trip to Los Angeles to meet with a National Thrift Store representative, Mark Schwarz, to get advice and recommendations to assist our Sacramento store.

One issue that was of concern were the procedures for our Mattress Program. While in LA it seemed very clear as to how this program could be easily improved to make it simpler and less costly for the store to administer. Well, you know the old saying, "the best laid plans . . ." I never realized how very difficult it would be to make any changes to it. I equate it to trying to make revisions to a major Federal Government program like Medicare or the ACA. I believe with God nothing is impossible, but this is definitely a challenge. I can only ask for your patience as we delve into the ways to make this a win/win for both the store and the conferences. Prayers will help too.

*Have a blessed week and thanks for all you do,
~ Judy*

St. Rose Hosts a Fundraiser!



Conference President Leslie Jose and her husband Jimenez Thomas Lopez manned the table serving food for this fundraiser at St. Rose Parish on Sunday March 24th.

On the menu was sausage and eggs for breakfast and hot dogs and chips for lunch. The whole parish was invited to enjoy the sunshine and tasty food offerings and to contribute to St. Rose Conference.

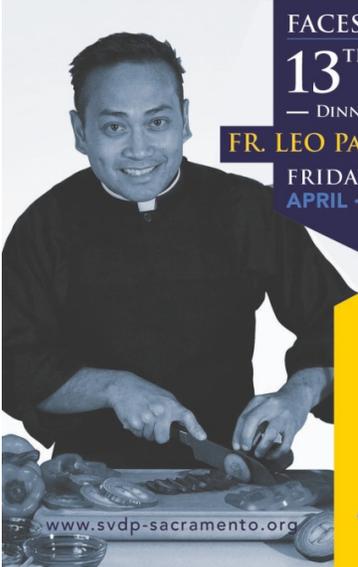


Annual Dinner for the Poor is Almost Here!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



FACES OF LOVE
13TH ANNUAL BENEFIT FOR THE POOR
— DINNER WITH —
FR. LEO PATALINGHUG
FRIDAY
APRIL · 26 · 2019



STARTING AT
5:30 PM
Located at
DOUBLE TREE AT ARDEN

FOR MORE information contact:
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Request for Wine Donations

April 26th will be here before you know it. Raffle tickets are due on April 10th. From what I hear, sales are strong. Thank you conferences for pitching in to make this year's fundraiser a great success.

We are asking for wine donations to help offset the many rising costs this year. We need 16 cases and have 2 cases so far. If you can donate one case or have a contact at a winery who you can ask for donations, please help. If you do secure any wine, please contact our Dinner Chair **Marion Bishop**.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

SPRING SHRED DAY FUNDRAISER

Benefitting Holy Spirit St. Vincent de Paul Conference

Saturday, May 4th
8:30am to 12:30pm



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~ St. John of the Cross

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