



# Bishop's Ministry Appeal As One, Giving Glory To God

"Don't be afraid of showing the joy of having answered the Lord's call and of giving witness to his Gospel in service to the church."  
- Pope Francis



## DIOCESE OF STOCKTON

Since 1962, the Diocese of Stockton has been serving the people and parishes of San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Calaveras, Tuolumne, Alpine, and Mono counties. Through Diocesan ministries, we are building faith, inspiring hope and igniting change across:

**300,000**  
**CATHOLICS**  
IN THE DIOCESE OF  
STOCKTON



**10,023**  
**SQUARE MILES**  
FROM CITIES TO  
**FARMLAND**



**2 SEMINARIANS**  
PREPARING TO SERVE  
**AS PRIESTS IN THE**  
DIOCESE OF STOCKTON

**223**  
**MASSES**  
**CELEBRATED**



ACROSS OUR  
DIOCESE EVERY WEEKEND IN OVER 6  
LANGUAGES SUCH AS ENGLISH, SPANISH,  
PORTUGUESE, VIETNAMESE, LAOTIAN & LATIN



**81**  
**PRIESTS**



**20,840**  
**CHILDREN**  
**AND YOUTH**

ENROLLED IN PARISH FAITH  
FORMATION PROGRAMS ARE  
**TAUGHT EACH WEEK BY**  
**ALMOST 2,000 CATECHISTS**

**35**  
**PARISHES**   
AND  
**14 MISSIONS**



**46 ACTIVE**  
**DEACONS**  
SERVING THE DIOCESE  
OF STOCKTON

Here's how you can  
help support your  
Diocese and Parish



**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:**  
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