

# PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Abba, Father, you loved the world so much that you sent your own Son, Jesus the Christ, to be our Savior. He established your kingdom of justice, love and peace.

Through Baptism into your Church you have called us to be faithful disciples of your Son and servants of the Kingdom.



El Lavatorio

by: Lirios Doménech

Grant a generous heart to those you are calling to be ordained Priests and Deacons, Consecrated Religious, and Lay Ministers. Raise up priests from our Diocese and in our parishes to shepherd your people.

By the power of your Holy Spirit may we as your Church never lose confidence that you will send forth laborers into the harvest.

This is our prayer through Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Prayer written by Bishop Stephen E. Blaire,  
the fifth Bishop of the Diocese of Stockton

# PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS



**JOSHUA LESAN**  
ALL SAINTS  
TURLOCK  
PRE-THEOLOGY I

**PATRICK GERMANN**  
SACRED HEART  
TURLOCK  
PRE-THEOLOGY I

**AKBAR S. PEREZ**  
ST. JUDES  
CERES  
THEOLOGY I

**STUDYING AT ST. PATRICK'S SEMINARY**  
MENLO PARK, CA

**IS GOD CALLING YOU  
TO BE A PRIEST?**



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