

“Discovering the Treasures of Our Faith and Heritage”  
ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION 87<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL NATIONAL CONVENTION  
Sacramento, California  
August 31 - September 4, 2017

**MASTER AGENDA**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 2017**

3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Italian Marketplace Peek-a-Boo Sale Presented by: The Blessed Sacrament and Stockton Districts	Maxi's Room
3:00 p.m.	Baseball Game Carpools Chairperson: Roselyne Jarrett, Convention Director	Hotel Lobby
4:00 p.m.	Carpools Depart	
5:00 p.m.	Baseball Wine Tasting Event Presented by: The Sacramento River Cats	Raley Field
7:05 p.m.	Italian Heritage Night River Cats Game	Raley Field

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2017**

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Convention Registration Chairpersons: Lauren Kilcullen, Grand Secretary; Deborah Rodondi, Grand Treasurer	Garden/Terrace Room
9:00 a.m.	Mass Convention Masses Coordinated by: Jim Jones, Past Grand President and Life Member Emeritus	California Ballroom 3/4
Following Mass	Pray the Rosary	California Ballroom 3/4
9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Chapel	Feather River Room
10:00 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.	Old Sacramento Tour Presented by: The Blessed Sacrament and Stockton Districts	Main Entrance
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Blood Drive Presented by: The Live to Give Committee	Capital Ballroom D
10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Italian Marketplace	Maxi's Room
10:15 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Sacramento City Treasures Tour Presented by: The Blessed Sacrament and Stockton Districts	Main Entrance
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Convention Registration	Garden/Terrace Room
10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Bocce Tournament Chairperson: Denise Antonowicz, Grand Trustee	Capital Ballroom A/B

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Reconciliation	Feather River Room
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Pedro Lessons Instructed by: Deborah Rodondi, Grand Treasurer	Bear River Room
2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.	Chapel	Feather River Room
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Bingo Chairperson: Franklyn Lopes, Jr., Grand Sentinel	Capital Ballroom C
3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Pedro Tournament Chairperson: Deborah Rodondi, Grand Treasurer	Bear River Room
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Convention Registration	Garden/Terrace Room
5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	No-host Dinner	Twigs, RJs or Local Area
6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.	Orientation for New Delegates Led by: Andrew Pappani, Grand 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President; Vincent Piro, Grand 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	California Ballroom 3/4
7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Italian Sing-a-long Accordionist: Leonard Rossi, O.L.J., Past Grand President and Life Member of the Central Council; and Former First Lady Karen Rossi	Grand Ballroom
8:00 p.m.	Official Opening	Grand Ballroom
	Call to Order Roselynn Jarrett, Convention Director, Life Member of the Central Council	
	Mistress of Ceremonies Lauren Kilcullen, Grand Secretary	
	Opening Prayer Reverend Monsignor Daniel Cardelli, I.C.F. Spiritual Director	
	Presentation of Colors Del Campo Air Force JROTC	
	National Anthem Nina Malone, Grand Trustee and Life Member of the Central Council, Local Districts' Chairperson	
	Presentation of Central Council Grand President, Leonard Zasoski, Jr.	
	Welcome from the Host District Presidents Robert Pachinger (Stockton) and Paula Scarpelli (Blessed Sacrament)	
	Greeting from the Grand President	
	Roll Call of Districts	
	Key Note Speaker Reverend Monsignor Craig Harrison, Past Recipient of the St. Teresa of Calcutta Award	

Closing Prayer

Federation Anthem "Noi Vogliam Dio"

Nina Malone, Grand Trustee and Life Member of the Central Council, Local Districts' Chairperson

9:00 p.m. Meet the Central Council Candidates Grand Ballroom

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2017**

6:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. No-host Breakfast Twigs, Espresso Bar, Overflow Seating in RJs

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Final Registration Terrace Room

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Chapel Feather River Room

8:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. Workshop Option 1  
Open Forum/Strategic Plan  
"Focused on Our Future"  
Presented by: The Task Force Committee  
Capital Salon A

Workshop Option 2  
National Charity  
"Thalassemia 101"  
Presented by Dr. Thomas Coates and Laurice Levine, Outreach Coordinator  
Capital Salon B

Workshop Option 3  
Public Relations  
"Opportunities for PR"  
Presented by: The PR Committee  
Capital Salon C

Workshop Option 4  
Spiritual  
"Treasuring the Gift of Faith"  
Presented by: Reverend Mister Mario Rizzo, Transitional Deacon, Oakland Diocese  
Capital Salon D

9:25 a.m. - 10:10 a.m. Workshop Option 1  
Membership  
"Resources for Retention"  
Presented by: The Membership Committee  
Capital Salon A

Workshop Option 2  
National Charity (repeated)  
"Thalassemia 101"  
Presented by Dr. Thomas Coates and Laurice Levine, Outreach Coordinator  
Capital Salon B

Workshop Option 3  
Public Relations (repeated)  
"Opportunities for PR"  
Presented by: The PR Committee  
Capital Salon C

Workshop Option 4  
Expansion  
"Growing the ICF"  
Capital Salon D

Presented by: The Expansion Committee

10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Italian Marketplace	Maxi's Room
10:20 a.m. - 11:05 a.m.	Workshop Option 1 Deputies "Meet the Mentor Program" Presented by: The Deputy Program Committee	Capital Salon A
	Workshop Option 2 Spiritual (repeated) "Treasuring the Gift of Faith" Presented by: Reverend Mister Mario Rizzo, Transitional Deacon, Oakland Diocese	Capital Salon B
	Workshop Option 3 Offices and Committees "Leading Together" Presented by: Past Grand Presidents and Life Members Bob Basuino and Leonard Rossi, O.L.J.	Capital Salon C
	Workshop Option 4 Expansion (repeated) "Growing the ICF" Presented by: The Expansion Committee	Capital Salon D
11:30 a.m.	Memorial Mass Most Reverend Myron J. Cotta, Auxiliary Bishop of Sacramento, Presiding	California Ballroom
12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	No-host Lunch	Twigs, Grab-and-go at the Espresso Bar Overflow Seating in RJs, Local Area
12:45 p.m.	Chaplains' Luncheon and Meeting	Garden Room
2:00 p.m.	Convention General Session	Capital Ballroom
	Opening Prayer	
	Introduction of Central Council, Clergy, Staff and Local Committee	
	Young Adult Leadership Award Presentation to Antonio Costa	
	Family of the Year Award Presentation to The Pachinger Family	
	Adoption of Rules and Regulations	
	Credentials Committee Report	
	Welcome First Time Delegates	
	Approval of Grand Treasurer's Report	
	Presentation of Proposals/Motions	
	Nomination of Hospitalization Committee	

Speeches of Central Council Candidates

Attendance Drawing

Adjournment

7:00 p.m. Seating - Pope Saint John XXIII Award Banquet Grand Ballroom

7:30 p.m. Dinner Program

Welcome

District Presidents Robert Pachinger (Stockton) and Paula Scarpelli (Blessed Sacrament)

Mistress of Ceremonies

Patricia Mages, Life Member Emeritus

Invocation

Reverend Mister Marinko Kraljevich, Blessed Sacrament Diocesan Chaplain

Remarks

Local Dignitaries

Presentation of the Pope Saint John XXIII Award

Leonard Zasoski, Jr., Grand President

Response

Sally Morgan-Welch, Founder, Friends of the Formerly Friendless

Closing Prayer

Reverend Mister Karl Welsbacher, Stockton Diocesan Chaplain

“God Bless America”

Nina Malone, Grand Trustee and Life Member of the Central Council, Local Districts’ Chairperson

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2017**

6:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. No-host Breakfast Twigs, Espresso Bar, Overflow Seating in RJs

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Chapel Feather River Room

9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. General Session Capital Ballroom

Opening Prayer

St. Teresa of Calcutta Award Presentation to Reverend Christopher Bennett

Grand President’s Award Presentation to Christine Prudenciado

Election of Central Council Members

Election of Hospitalization Committee

Future Convention Site Selection

National Charity Presentation

Response  
Dr. Thomas Coates

Resolutions and Communications

Presentations:  
Apostolate/Charity  
Membership  
Scholarship  
Heritage

Announcement of 2017 - 2018 National Charity

Charitable Donations to Gifts of Love, Cooley's Anemia, Providenza Fund and Scholarship

Convention Site Report

Good of the Order

Attendance Drawing

Closing Prayer

10:00 a. m. - 6:00 p.m.	Italian Marketplace	Maxi's Room
12:30 p.m.	Central Council Meeting	Garden/Terrace Room
12:30 p.m.	No-host lunch	Twigs, Grab-and-Go at The Espresso Bar Overflow Seating in RJs, Local Area
1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Clergy Vesting Room	Executive Boardroom
3:30 p.m.	Concelebrated Mass Most Reverend Jaime Soto, Bishop of the Diocese of Sacramento, Presiding	Grand Ballroom
6:00 p.m.	Strike it Rich! No-Host Cocktails	Capital Patio
7:00 p.m.	Dinner Seating	Capital B/C/D
7:30 p.m.	Backyard B.B.Q. Dinner Dance	Capital B/C/D
9:30 p.m.	Convention Raffle and Drawing	Capital B/C/D

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2017**

6:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	No-host Breakfast	Twigs, Espresso Bar, Overflow Seating in RJs
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Closing Session	Grand Ballroom

Prayer Service

Installation of Central Council Officers

Installing Officer, Leonard Zasoski, Jr., Past Grand President of the Central Council

Remarks by the 2017 - 2018 Grand President

Attendance Drawing

“Noi Vogliam Dio”

Nina Malone – Grand Trustee and Life Member of the Central Council, Host Districts’  
Chairperson

Adjournment