



*And this is the verdict,
that the light came into the world,
but people preferred darkness to light,
because their works were evil.*

JOHN 3:19

The Saving Game

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

A long time ago, I came across a piece that I still remember because it's pretty much a commentary on how life is for most of us. It goes something like this: At the age of ten, we think we can live forever. When we're twenty, we think we can save the world. When the big thirty rolls around, we think we can save the company. When the fortieth birthday arrives, we think we can save our children. Then, when we're fifty, we think we can at least save our marriage. And by the time we're sixty, we think we should just save aluminum cans.

A bit flippant perhaps, but it reminds me that even given my own best efforts, I really do not save much of anything. It is always God who does the saving, not me.

It's a conversation replayed in our heads again and

again. We find ourselves unwittingly thinking that if we do all the right things, when we die and go to heaven, then God will have to take us in. If we say the right prayers and follow all the rules, then we will have earned salvation. Yet then we will have saved ourselves and there will have been no need for God's gracious goodness. Then we will have lifted ourselves up by our own bootstraps and not by the Lord Jesus.

Then we will proclaim ourselves as the light to overcome darkness, and it will not be the death and resurrection of the Lord which does so. ●

Reflect

***How have you been saved and
how do you need saving now?***

PARISH DIRECTORY

Rev. Nicodemus Shaghel, VC, Pastor

Deacon Carl Vessels

St. Rose of Lima Parish

311 S Central Ave, Safford AZ 85546
928.428.4920

RE Office: 928.348.4785

After Hour Phone: 520.507.1145



- ♦ Email: st.roselima@gmail.com
- ♦ Website: www.SaintRoseLima-Safford.com
- ♦ Sunday Masses: 8:00, 11:00AM & 5:00 PM
- ♦ Saturday Vigil Mass: 6 PM
- ♦ Morning Mass Mon-Sat: 8:00 AM
- ♦ Confessions: Saturday 4:30 PM & Tuesday after 8:00 AM Mass
- ♦ Parish Office & Gift Shop: 9:00 AM-4:00 PM (Mon-Fri)

Board of Directors

Rev. Nicodemus Shaghel
Bishop Edward Weisenburger
Msgr. Jeremiah McCarthy
Carolina Gaethje - Treasurer
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Pastoral/Parish Council

Membership consists of Representatives from all the Ministries. Contact the Parish Office for more information.

Finance Council

Deacon Carl Vessels
Fred Sainz
Gloria Johnson
Jim Warren
John Mayer

Office Staff

Office Manager: Sara Garcia-Hott
Maintenance: Marvin Rios

MINISTRY LEADERS:

Adult Bible Study

English: Bob Mooney

Catholic Daughters of America #2398

Regent: Helen Romero

Choir

English: Marvin Rios
Spanish: Lupe Munoz
Youth: Jane Villalba

Confirmation

Dr. Susan Jones-Hamm

Compliance Officer: James Gersitz

Cursillo: Parish Office

Extraordinary Minister / Homebound Ministry

Adam & Veta Estrada

Funeral Luncheon Group:

Millie Torres & Linda Peru

Knights of Columbus #4260

Grand Knight: Paul Dube

Lectors

Daily Masses:

Weekend Masses: Veta Estrada

PreCana: George & Pam Gonzales

Prison Ministry

Prison: Ernie Torrio

Federal Prison: John Mayer

R.C.I.A.: Dr. Susan Jones-Hamm

Religious Education Director: Madona Kvale

Summer Vacation Bible School: Susan Ortega

Sacristans: Brian Hott

Youth Ministry Groups

High School: Amanda Torrio

Altar Servers: Roy Ortega

Vocation Ministry:

Brian & Sara Hott, Sol & Bonnie Sipes

St. Martin de Porres Mission

50 S Main, Pima AZ 85543

Extraordinary Minister

Ophelia Rodriguez

Religious Education

Grace Gasca

Socorro Varela

St. Vincent de Paul

221 E Main St, Safford, AZ 85546
928.428.0460

Pantry Hours: 10AM- Noon - Tuesday-Thursday

Thrift Store Hours: 9AM-4PM Tuesday-Saturday

President: Linda Lopez

1st Vice President: Dr. Susan Jones Hamm

2nd Vice President: Carmen Burnham

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Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish

2257 S 1st Ave, Solomon AZ 85551

928.428.0149

Hall: 928.322.8878



- ♦ Email: olg.solomon@gmail.com
- ♦ Sunday Mass: 9:30 AM
- ♦ Parish Office & Gift Shop: 8:00AM-1:00 PM (Mon-Fri)
- ♦ Baptisms: 10AM 2nd & 4th Saturday
- ♦ San Jose Mission: Baptisms and Marriages available upon request

Board of Directors

Frances Lopez, Secretary

Sandra Jurado, Treasurer

Parish Council

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Finance Council

Antonio Jurado

Becky Maldonado

Administrative Assistant

Beatrice Ybarra

Extraordinary Minister

Religious Education

Sandra Jurado

Antonio Jurado

Newman Center

Serving Eastern Arizona College

3592 W 4th St, Thatcher AZ 85552

Mass: Tuesday 11 AM (when the college is in session)

Sustaining Board

President: Mike DeLaO

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Student Coordinators:

margarita & Frank Wulfrange

ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH
&
OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SHRINE
THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 10, 2024



Welcome:



St. Rose of Lima and Our Lady of Guadalupe Communities and Pastoral Staff extends a warm and loving welcome to all who come here to pray and worship in our churches. We are a community that welcomes all people as brothers and sisters in Jesus Christ. Together we are the body of Christ, living and active today.

All Volunteers must be in compliance to volunteer in any area of the Parish.

All Volunteers:

Must fill a volunteer application online.

<https://www.diocesetucson.org/employment-opportunities>

REPORT ABUSE AND THE CALL TO PROTECT

**Call 911
Or the Victim Assistance
Program of the Diocese of
Tucson at
800-234-0344**

PROMISE TO
PROTECT



PLEDGE TO
HEAL

What's Happening

March 19th @ 5:30 PM—Lenten Penance Service

Stations of the Cross every Friday @ 5 PM until Easter.

Holy Week

March 25th - Chrism Mass @ 2 PM

March 28th - Holy Thursday

**4:00 PM - Our Lady of Guadalupe:
Last Supper Mass with washing of the feet.**

**6:00 PM—St. Rose of Lima:
Last Supper Mass with washing of the feet &
Holy Adoration until Midnight.**

March 29th - Good Friday

**Our Lady Guadalupe:
9:00 AM - Stations of the Cross
4:00 PM - Liturgies & Veneration of the Cross**

**St. Rose of Lima:
12:00 PM - Stations of the Cross
6:00 PM - Liturgies & Veneration of the Cross**

March 30th - Holy Saturday

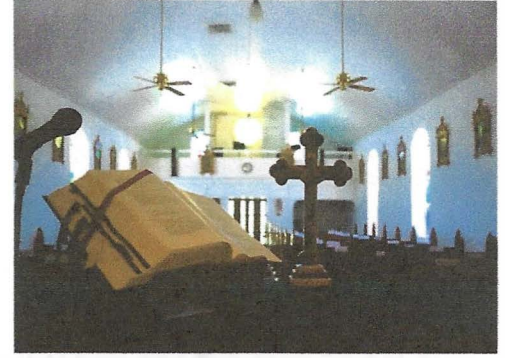
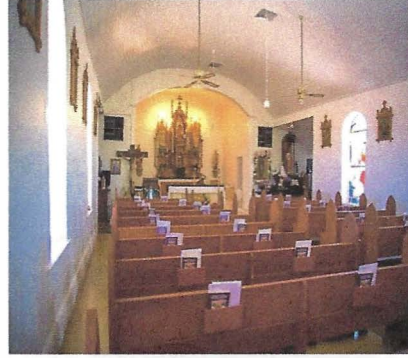
**Our lady of Guadalupe:
9:00 AM - Morning Prayer
4:00 PM - Easter Vigil Mass**

**St. Rose of Lima:
8:00 AM - Morning Prayer
7:00 PM - Easter Vigil Mass**

March 31st - Easter Sunday

**8:00 AM - St. Rose of Lima
9:30 AM - Our Lady of Guadalupe
11:00 AM - St. Rose of Lima
5:00 PM - St. Rose of Lima**

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SHRINE



**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
SAN JOSE MISSION
WEEKEND COLLECTION**
March 3, 2024
Thank you for your generosity!

Offertory	\$	934.00
Building Fund	\$	262.00
Black & Indian Mission	\$	15.00
Church Candle Offering	\$	39.00

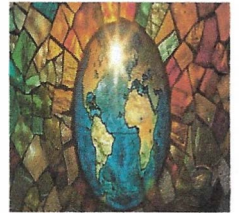


Adeline Escobedo, Juanita & Donald Torrio, Marvin & Carmen Escobedo, Kate & Carlos Ornelas, Estella Garcia, Rosa Martinez, Mary Crawford, Hermillia Carbajal, Sally Gonzales, Angie Ornelas, Daniel Jacinto, Janet Gomez, Fernando Aranda, Mary Maxon, Irene Holguin, Irene Apodaca, Rebecca Montoya, Christina Ybarra, Virgie Romero, Jimmy Holguin, Angela Andazola, David Montez, George Holguin Sr.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: *The Fourth Sunday of Lent, year B.*

GOSPEL REFLECTION:

The fourth Sunday of Lent is sometimes called Laetare Sunday. Laetare is a Latin word that means "rejoice." Today in John's Gospel, Jesus tells Nicodemus that the Son of Man will be raised up so that those who believe in him will have eternal life. Jesus is the Light of the World. Let us rejoice!



- ◇ It's never too late! – Register your child or grand child for Religious Education. RE classes are available for all students in Grades K-8 at no cost to the family. Registration forms are available in the parish office and at class.
- ◇ RE Classes – RE classes TODAY after Mass until noon.
- ◇ Choir (Adult/Children) – No audition necessary. Please call the office at (928) 428-0149 and leave your name and a contact number. Come join us!
- ◇ **Weekly Assignment** – Jesus is the light. He shows us the way to live forever with God in heaven. This week when you say your daily prayers, thank Jesus for showing us how to live in the light. When you pray the Lord's Prayer, ask Jesus to help those who do not believe so that they may live in the light.



2024

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Our Lady of Guadalupe
As of February 29, 2024



Goal	# Donors	Pledged	% to Goal	Fulfilled to Date	Remaining \$ to Goal
\$5,000		\$0	0%	\$0	\$5,000



**Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine
San Jose Mission
The Fourth Sunday of Lent, Year B.
March 10th, 2024
Mass Intentions**



March 10th 2024
+Inocente Holguin
Health and well-being for Pete Bejarano

March 13th 2024
+Betty Juarez
Thanksgiving Blessings for Dean Lowery

Second Collection

3/10/2024— Easter Flowers
3/17/2024-Roof Fund
3/24/2024-Catholic Relief Services

Volunteers

**needed for Money Counters,
Sacristans,
or other positions of
interest. Please contact OLG of-
fice at
928-428-0149.**



Address for mail in contributions, Our Lady of Guadalupe, PO Box 147, Solomon, AZ 85551

Mass Schedule— Sundays 9:30 AM / Weekday Mass Wednesday 9:00 AM

Confession - Wednesdays after Mass. OLG office hours - week days 8:00 am – 1:00 pm OLG Gift Shop is open on weekdays - 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM. Items sold include OLG T-Shirts, Bibles, Saint Statues, Rosaries, Prayer Books, Children's Book, and more.

If anyone is interested in teaching or helping with the Religious Education Program for next year, 2023-2024 Please call the office at 428-0149. Volunteers are needed to help clean the church, please call OLG office at 428-0149.

REMINDER - Only candles bought from OLG will be allowed in Church.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Our Lady of Guadalupe website: olgsolomon.com

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine Office will be closed
on March 15th 2024**



STATIONS of the CROSS

**Every Friday at 3p.m. at our
Lady of Guadalupe shrine**

PSALM 136:6

**O LET MY TONGUE CLEAVE TO MY
MOUTH IF I REMEMBER YOU NOT!**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM
4TH SUNDAY IN LENT, YEAR B

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Parish



St. Rose of Lima Weekend Collection February 25, 2024

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

Offertory	\$ 6,087.74
Building Fund	\$ 1,490.20
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 90.00
Ash Wednesday	\$ 40.00
Black & Indian Collection	\$ 35.52
Church Candle Offering	\$ 37.68
Initial Offering	\$ 20.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 20.00

ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH Mass Hours

Morning Mass - Monday - Saturday 8:00 AM

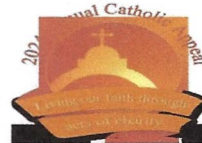


Saturday 6:00 PM

Sunday 8:00 AM
11:00 AM
5:00 PM



CONFESSION: SATURDAY'S @ 4:30 PM & TUESDAY'S AFTER MORNING MASS.



2024

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St. Rose of Lima

As of February 23, 2024



Goal	# Donors	Pledged	% to Goal	Fulfilled to Date	Remaining \$ to Goal
\$42,340	22	\$7,430	18%	\$5,455	\$36.885.



Alex Garcia, Ernie Aguallo, Devon Lowry, Elizabeth Hernandez, Rick Aparicio Jr., Espie Bodolla, Jenna Estrada, Tony Dominguez, Wyatt, Elliott, Caro Ullery, Joanna Walks, Joseph Anzaldúa, Belen Rodriguez & Rodriguez Family, Greg Andersen, Alicia Jaramillo, Joe & Ann Valtierra, Fred Sainz, Jeanette Haden, A.R. Valenzuela, Inez Alva, Kerri Lawson, Crystal Madragon, Marcos Cortez, Andrew Gonzales, Amelia Saenz, Ernesto Lopez, Nancy Stowe, Edward Gonzalez, Shelby Peru, Terri Cuarenta, Angelina Rene Rutherford, Rita Lucero, Charlie Kay, Mayia Montes & Contreras Family, Eric Regan, Richard Burke, Barbara Chavez, Jaycob Espinoza, Rosemary Martinez, Albert Romero, Jason Kouts, Erika & Alex Morales, Don Romero, Cecilia Perez, D.J. Espinoza, Bobbie Merino, Mitzi Trujillo, Marcus Bejarano, Belen Rodriguez, Christina Chavez, Frances Martinez, Annette Graves, Ricky Bejarano, Mark Romero, Braylyn Gokovich, Sarah Qunitana, Ysidro Rodriguez, Lydia Hernandez, Mrs. Lupe Rivera, Dora Gomez, Nadiko Gonzales, Lanaya Aranda, Terri Aguilar, Mical Marie Espinoza, Elizabeth Hernandez, Esperanza Stanowitz, Abe Lucero, Armando Rodriguez, Morales Family, Veronica Montes, Venegas Family, Martin Lucero, Jordan Waller, Gloria & Joe Merino, Millie Torres, Lisa Mullen, Marie Espinoza, Jr. Verdugo, James Romero, Margarita Wulftange, Noe Varela, Ronnie, Rodriguez, Jessica & Sandra Dominguez, Ernesto Trujillo, Gabriel Valtierra & Cyrianna Valtierra, Chono & Anita Aranda, Blessie Estrada, Julio Garcia, Chris Ramirez, Desmond Ruiz, Sylvia Estavillo, Shelby & Marcus Madrid, Andrew Espinoza, Jesse & Patsy Aguilar, Rene Saenz, George Quintero Jr., Anna Berta Rodriguez, Jimmy Villalva, Teri & Louie Barbosa, Clara Carrasco, Armina (Weda) Brisco, Nancy Abalos, Brianna Fulton, Alex Lukats, Linda Bustamante, Damian Dupont, Shirley Rodriguez, Susie Meraz, Lacie Luna, Sally Lukats, Abe Villalba, Mark & Becky Schweickert, Charlene Thermers, Rose Rios, Ralph Martinez, Jr., Linda Lesser, Jose Villalba, Allen Thompson, Barbara Lines, Rasco Arrellin, Serapio Gonzales, Frank Terrazas Sr., Linda Sainz, Louie Aranda Sr.

**ST. ROSE OF LIMA
THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT, YEAR B.
MARCH 10, 2024**

Second Collection

03/10—Parish Flowers
03/17—St. Vincent de Paul
03/24—Catholic Relief Services
03/29—Holy Land - Good Friday
03/31—Easter Offering 1st Collection

Compliance Representative Please call James Gersitz at 928-200-0289 for an appointment.

Private Prayer:

The Church will be open
Monday - Friday
9:00 AM - 1:00PM (unless Parish office is closed.)



Daily Divine Mercy Chaplet 3 pm in Chapel

Lady of Fatima First Saturday. Rosary 7:30 am in the church

**GIFT SHOP WILL BE OPEN
FROM 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM**

Rosary prayed daily @ 7:30 am

Mass Intentions March 9, 2024 - March 15, 2024

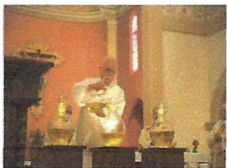
DAY	DATE	Time	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY:
SAT	03/09/2024	6 PM	Health and well-being of the Espinoza family, +Anthony Aguilar & Blessings for Justin Gaethje	P Aguilar
SUN	03/10/2024	8 AM	+Marvin Laney Retirement blessing for Brian Hott & family St. Rose of Lima Parishioners	The Ruiz Family E. & P. Torrio SROL
SUN	03/10/2024	11 AM	Heavenly birthday blessings for Jordan Terry	The Wulftang Family
SUN	03/10/2024	5 PM	Health and well-being for Jim & Judy Warren	E. & P. Torrio
MON	03/11/2024	8 AM	Health and well-being for Daniel & April Turner	E. & P. Torrio
TUE	03/12/2024	8 AM	+Jennifer Torrio Anniversary blessings for Danielle & Anthony Parker	E. & P. Torrio S. Vaughn
THUR	03/14/2024	8 AM	+John Anthony Herrera & Birthday blessings for Robert Herrera	Y. Herrera
Fri	03/15/2024	8 AM	+Elisa Castellano, birthday blessings for Erick McGuire, & for physical, mental & spiritual blessings for G. Castellano & Family . + Rosalia Chavez & a happy heavenly birthday for Conrad Chavez	M. Gaethje V. Villegas



**If you request a Mass Intention for a day that Father Nicodemus is not celebrating Mass.
Please rest assure Father is celebrating a personal Mass with your intention.**



**Chrism Mass
March 25, 2024 @ 2:00 PM**



The Bishop celebrates the Chrism Mass each year alongside most of the priests in the Diocese of Tucson. At this special Mass, the three Chrism Oils are blessed then distributed to the parishes.

All are welcome to join with Bishop Weisenburger and the priests of the Diocese of the Blessing of the Oil of the Sick and the Oil of Catechumens, and the Consecration of the Sacred Chrism used in Baptism, Confirmation, the Ordination of priests and the Dedication of Churches.

If anyone is interested in going to this special Mass please call the Parish office. Both St. Rose of Lima and Our Lady of Guadalupe are able to reserve pews so we can all sit together.



St. Rose of Lima

Cinco de Mayo Festival of Roses And Parade May 4th, 2024

**Parade information and
rules are available in
the Parish office**

**More exciting
information
to come**

REQUIREMENTS:

Baptisms: The parents of the child to be baptized must submit a copy of the baby's birth certificate. Parents and godparents need to attend the parish baptismal class. Classes are given on the second Saturday of the month from 10:00 a.m. until noon. Parents and Godparents must make an appointment to speak with Father prior to setting baptism date. Please call the office to sign up for the next scheduled class. All requirements for the Diocese of Tucson and Saint Rose of Lima will be given to the parents at this time. Our office staff is limited, therefore, sponsors and godparents proof of sacraments, documents must be submitted at least one month before the baptism.

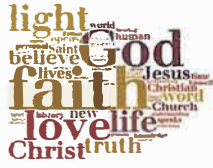
Quinceañera: The candidate and parents must contact the office at least one (1) year or more before the date requested. Quinceañera's are not performed during Holy Days. Requirements: Must have Baptism, First Holy Communion and be coming to confession, active within the parish, participate in Confirmation/Youth Group, Weekend Mass attendance. Candidate and parents will have 6 meetings with Father Nicodemus. Candidate will know how to pray the Rosary, and will read and be able to recite all the books of the bible. Candidate will need to have proof they carried out twenty (20) hours of four (4) different community services. For a quinceañera it will be \$400.00, which includes a non-refundable deposit of \$100.00 to hold the date. The remaining \$300.00 balance must be received in the office one week before the ceremony.

Weddings: The couple must contact office at least 6 months prior to the desired wedding date. An appointment will be made for the couple. At that time it will be determined if the date desired is available, and all requirements for the Diocese of Tucson and Saint Rose of Lima will be given to the couple. For a wedding it will be \$300.00, which includes a non-refundable deposit of \$100.00 to hold the date. The remaining \$200.00 balance must be received in the office one week before the ceremony.

Funeral Arrangements: St. Rose and Our Lady have always asked for a donation to the Parish for its service. We also help those who can not afford funeral arrangements. We work with both mortuaries in town to make these arrangements as easy as possible. The Priest may waive the donation if the family is in need. Donation to the Priest and Parish is \$300.00.

Use of the Hall: Rental for the hall is \$50.00 along with a \$50.00 refundable deposit. Deposit will be refunded as long as the kitchen is cleaned, trash is thrown, all tables and chairs wiped off, floors cleared of large debris and bathrooms tidied.

St Rose of Lima Religious Education



Please bring your children to Mass with you weekly and remind them to collect bulletins with their full name and grade, plus Father's signature if they are preparing for a sacrament.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION

Registration will take place by appointment in the RE office. Call 928-965-5223 after 9 AM to set a time to register.

Sacrament of Penance (confession) requirements:

- child must be Baptized & turn in a copy of their Baptismal certificate
- Know the Sign of the Cross, Our Father, Glory Be, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Format for Confession, Ten Commandments, and Seven Sacraments
- Attend Mass weekly and turn in signed bulletins with child's full name and grade.
- Parents must attend one Parent Penance Session

Sacrament of Holy Eucharist (Communion) requirements:

- ◇ child must be Baptized & turn in copy of certificate
- ◇ child must have made their first confession (Penance)
- ◇ child must have attended at least one year of RE/religious education classes prior to this year
- ◇ Know the Sign of the Cross, Our Father, Glory Be, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Format for Confession, Ten Commandments, Seven Sacraments, and know how to receive communion
- ◇ Attend Mass weekly and turn in signed bulletins with child's full name and grade
- ◇ Parent must attend a Parent Communion Session

March 11-15: RE classes are in session. SUSP is not in session so there is no RE bus. Please bring your children.

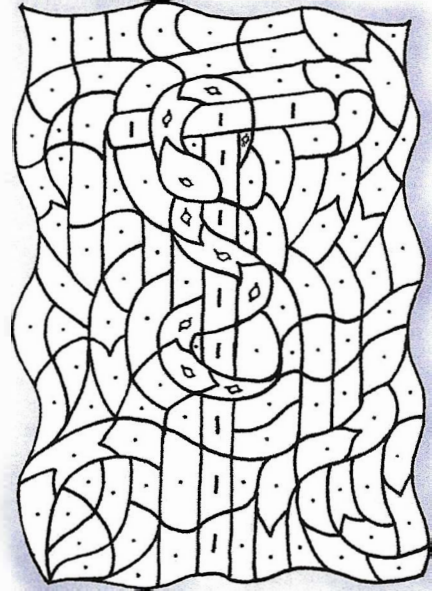
March 12: RE Committee Meeting at 5 pm in room St Matthew for RE teachers, aides, and Father.

March 18-22: Spring Break. No RE classes this week.

March 28: No RE due to SUSP Parent Teacher Conferences.

The Kids' Bulletin

Fourth Sunday of Lent
March 10th, 2024



Jesus died on the cross so that our sins could be forgiven and we could go to Heaven.

When God's people in the desert were bitten by snakes, Moses held up something he made from bronze that the people could look at and live. What was it? Use the colour code to find out!

• blue | brown ◊ green

CONFIRMATION 1 & 2

Retreat Fri and Sat Mar 8-9

Sun Mar 17 NO CLASS

Mar 24. Class/Youth Group

Mar 31 NO CLASS EASTER

April 7 Class

Confirmation Class



RCIA ADULT CLASSES FOR CONFIRMATION



Mar 10. scrutiny 11 am mass

Mar 10. Class

Mar 17 Scrutiny 5 pm mass (NO CLASS)

Mar 24 Practice and Class

Mar 30 EASTER VIGIL SACRAMENTS

Mar 31 NO CLASS. EASTER

Apr 7 Class

Gila Valley Medical Projects (non-profit)

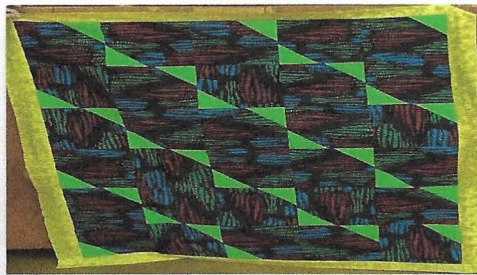
This is a non-profit that raises monies to help purchase medications for a medical mission serving under privileged countries.

Dinner Fundraiser
Tuesday, April 2, 2024
@ 6pm
St. Rose of Lima Volunteer Hall
311 S. Central Ave.
Safford, AZ

\$15 Individual, plate: chicken or roast, rice, beans, drink
\$45 Family

Tickets:
Call 928-965-5704
Email: shelleyavaughn@gmail.com

* A quilt raffle & other items to be auctioned during the dinner *



It is important our community knows that we only use this money to buy medications.
All volunteers pay for his/her travel expenses.

We ♥ love
having you as part of our flock



Keep in touch
with us via
email & text

Keep in touch with us on
Flocknote:
To sign up, text 85546 to 84576



**GIVE
ONLINE**
with **WESHARE**

For online giving -
Text **GIVE** to
928-842-8008



Knights of Columbus will be selling
the annual AZ State Council raffle
tickets after each mass.

Catholic Daughters Scholarship Opportunity for Fall 2024 Semester



The Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court #2398 at St. Rose of Lima,
announces two \$1000.00 Book Scholarships for Fall 2024.

How to Apply:

Application forms and qualification details are now available at the following
locations:

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church Office

EAC Financial Aid Department

The Newman Center

All Gila Valley High School Guidance Counselor Offices

Application Deadline: April 1, 2024

For more information or inquiries, please contact:
Corina Pino-Reyes
Phone: 520.508.1400

Don't miss this opportunity to support your education journey!

<p>Safford Builders Supply</p> <p>ACE The helpful place.</p> <p>707 S. 6th Ave Safford, AZ 928-428-1033</p>	<p>Kachina Mineral Springs Spa 1155 W Cactus Rd Safford, AZ 928.235.4590</p> <p></p> <p>Kachinamineralsprings.com</p>	<p> City of Safford A great place to live, work, and visit</p> <p>Michael R Andazola Sr. Council Member 717 W Main St, Safford, AZ 928.651.0271 mandazola@saffordaz.gov</p>	<p> VALLEY FURNITURE & APPLIANCE</p> <p>350 E. Armory Road Safford, AZ 928-348-9340</p>
<p> THE BRANDING IRON STEAKHOUSE & LOUNGE <i>"The Grill on the Hill"</i></p> <p>2324 Branding Iron Lane Safford, AZ 85546 928-428-7427 Tues - Thurs 5 pm - 9 pm Fri - Sat 5 pm - 10 pm</p>	<p> VINING FUNERAL HOME WE'LL TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING</p> <p>428-4000</p>	<p>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS</p> <p>Paul Dube Grand Knight 602.527.0700 Meets 1st Wednesdays at 6:30 P.M.</p> <p></p>	<p>Walneck's Safford Sewing Center Jeff & Virginia Walneck Parishioners Hwy 70 & 3rd Ave 928-428-0494</p>
<p>La Casita Cafe "Finest In Mexican Food" 3338 Main St. Thatcher Gracias La Familia Villalobos</p> <p>Thatcher 928-428-1882 Globe 928-428-8162 East Globe 928-428-9280 Show Low 928-537-5179</p>	<p>CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS Court St. Rose of Lima #2398 Helen Romero, Regent 928-965-6604 Meets 3rd Tuesday's at 6 p.m. In St. Matthew's room</p> <p></p>	<p>Sacred Heart of Jesus Immaculate Heart of Mary</p> <p></p> <p>Intercede for Us</p>	<p> EASTERN ARIZONA Hispanic Heritage CORPORATION</p> <p>Michael R. Andazola Chairman Bob Rívera Vice Chairman Guadalupe Lupe Munoz PE Secretary/Treasurer</p>
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<p>ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL</p> <p>ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL, DEPEND US IN BATTLE. BE OUR PROTECTION AGAINST THE WICKEDNESS AND SNARES OF THE DEVIL. MAY GOD RESCUE HIM, WE HUMBLY PRAY, AND DO THOU, O PRINCE OF THE HEAVENLY HOSTS, BY THE POWER OF GOD, THRUST INTO HELL SATAN, AND ALL THE EVIL SPIRITS, WHO PROWL ABOUT THE WORLD SEEKING THE RUIN OF SOULS. AMEN.</p>	<p></p> <p>Our Lady of Guadalupe Gift Shop Solomon, AZ Open Monday—Friday 8:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.</p>	<p>AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION</p> <p>My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.</p> <p></p>	<p>St. Rose of Lima Gift Shop In the Parish Office Open Monday—Friday 9:00 a.m.—4:15 p.m.</p> <p> ST. ROSE OF LIMA</p>

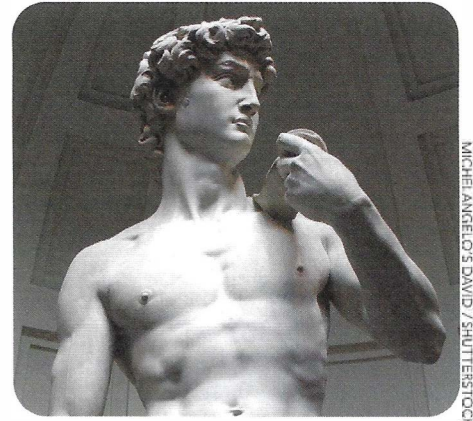
Dear Padre,

In the Church's eyes, what constitutes pornography? Art museums have statues of nude men and women, some of which are quite explicit. Is the only difference the respectability of the venue?

The "respectability" of the location or publisher doesn't matter. A product is pornographic if it was created to sexually arouse users of the product regardless of the venue. Michelangelo's intention in carving his famous statue of David was not to arouse the people who look at it, so the Church does not call it pornography.

Pornography has existed for centuries, but it didn't arrive in our homes uninvited until recently. People with internet access are regularly confronted by pornographic images and literature, and many find it a very powerful temptation. In response, the US bishops issued a helpful document, which is available online at usccb.org: *Create in Me a Clean Heart: A Pastoral Response to Pornography*.

From this document: "Using and/or producing pornography is a sin against chastity and against human dignity....The sin of pornography needs the Lord's forgiveness and should be confessed in the sacrament of penance. Pornography objectifies people and brings hurt and pain. It is an illusory substitute for real relationships and intimacy, which in the end bring true joy. Many good people struggle with the sin of pornography and [strive] to cultivate chastity. You are not alone. Jesus is with you, the Church offers you love and support. Trust in the Lord's mercy and his power to free and heal you." ●



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If God is the God of life...

then it is wrong for us to kill our brothers and sisters in his Name.

If God is the God of peace...

then it is wrong for us to wage war in his Name.

If God is the God of love...

then it is wrong for us to hate our brothers and sisters.

PRAYER FOR THE VICTIMS OF WAR, IRAQ, MARCH 7, 2021



MONDAY

March 11
Lenten Weekday
Is 65:17-21
Jn 4:43-54

TUESDAY

March 12
Lenten Weekday
Ez 47:1-9, 12
Jn 5:1-16

WEDNESDAY

March 13
Lenten Weekday
Is 49:8-15
Jn 5:17-30

THURSDAY

March 14
Lenten Weekday
Ex 32:7-14
Jn 5:31-47

FRIDAY

March 15
Lenten Weekday
Wis 2:1a, 12-22
Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

SATURDAY

March 16
Lenten Weekday
Jer 11:18-20
Jn 7:40-53

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Jer 31:31-34
Heb 5:7-9
Jn 12:20-33

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