



What's in Your Heart?

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

In the past fifty years, there seems to have been a quiet but noticeable shift in the lived faith of Catholics in the pews. None of it has been officially or formally decreed, though it might very well be the natural unfolding of what the Second Vatican Council was about. It seems to have simply happened, perhaps by the workings of the Holy Spirit. I would highlight four common shifts.

People's faith seems to have moved from a primary concern with doctrine or what we believe, to spirituality or how we live out what we believe as people of faith and where God is in our lives.

What's in our hearts has been a focus. It suggests that while actions are important, where the actions originate and what they say about who we are is also important in trying to understand why we do what we do.

People pray differently. While the rosary and devotional prayer is nurturing to the faith of many, there has also been a discovery of other forms of meditation, quiet reflection, and praying with sacred scripture.

Confession no longer seems to be about only reporting kinds and numbers of sins but also about what is in one's heart and how people find themselves relating to others. People confess both attitudes and actions that are destructive rather than moral lists.

It would seem that all of this echoes this week's Gospel, which focuses on divisive anger, lustful lifestyles, and faking the truth, that is, what is in our hearts. ●

Reflect

***How is your faith different today
than it was ten or twenty years ago?***

"I tell you, unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter into the kingdom of heaven."

MATTHEW 5:20



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- ♦ Saturday Vigil Mass: 6 PM
- ♦ Weekday Mass: 8:00 AM
- ♦ Confessions: Saturday 4:30 PM & by appointment
- ♦ Parish Office & Gift Shop: 9:00 AM-4:15 PM (Mon-Fri)

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- ♦ Email: olgsolomon@gmail.com
- ♦ Sunday Mass: 9:30 AM
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- ♦ Baptisms: 10AM 2nd & 4th Saturday
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ST. ROSE OF LIMA & OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE NOTICES



**Welcome Father Martin Barnum
To St. Rose of Lima and
Our Lady Guadalupe.**



Thank You for celebrating Mass with us!

**Communion Service schedule while Father
Is on Vacation
Weekend Mass is held at usual time.**

Monday	8:00 am	St. Rose of Lima
Tuesday	8:00 am	St. Rose of Lima
Tuesday	11:00 am	Newman Center
Wednesday	9:00 am	Our Lady of Guadalupe
Thursday	No Services	No Service
Friday	8:00 am	St. Rose of Lima with Adoration to follow
Saturday	No Morning Service	No Morning Service

**Safe Environment
Program
Compliance Process**

New Volunteers:

The volunteer application must be filled out on line: go to
<https://www.diocesetucson.org/employment-opportunities>

Attention all Employees and Volunteers:

all existing, cleared, and active employees and volunteers are required to complete the Safe Environment

registration process including Account, Personal, and Affiliation details.

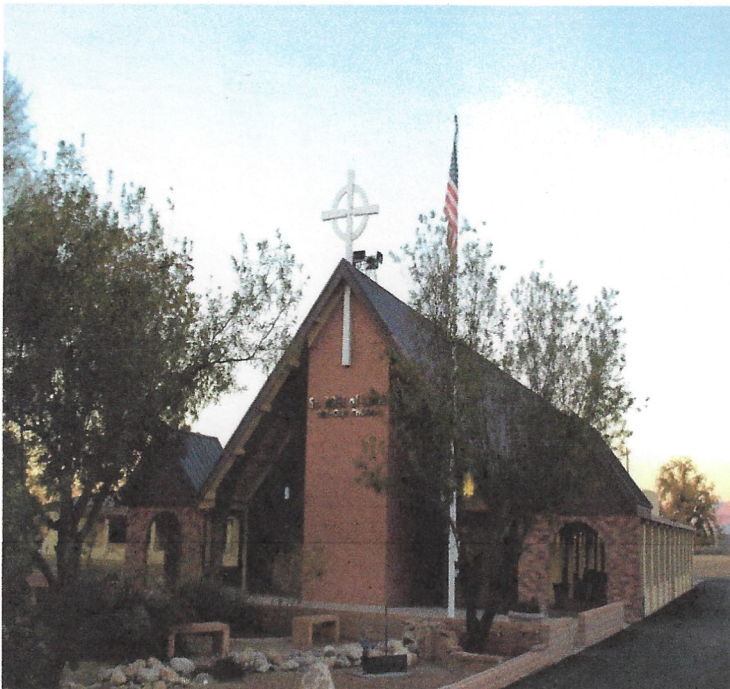
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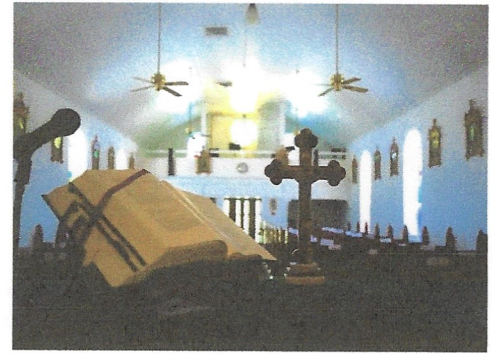
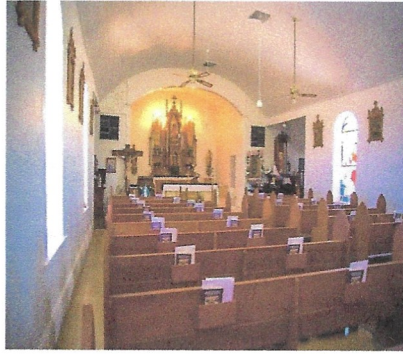
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AND THE CALL TO
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OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SHRINE



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Our Lady of Guadalupe Church will no longer provide masks at funerals.

Masks are required.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Church will continue to follow protocol of mask wearing and social distancing at Mass.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

GOSPEL REFLECTION:

In this Sunday's Gospel, St. Matthew continues with the Sermon on the Mount. Jesus talks about the Law that God has given us and how he has come to complete this Law. The best way to understand God's Law of love, is to listen to Jesus and to live like him. Let us be like Jesus and obey God's Law of love by showing love to others.



- **Welcome** – Make this year one of renewed faith and peace. Register your child or grandchild for Religious Education. RE classes are available for all students in Grades K-8 at no cost. Please join us on Mondays.
- **Daily Prayers** – Please pray daily, before each meal, and at night. Remember to thank God for all your blessings and prayers answered. Practice your required prayers: The Sign of the Cross, the Our Father, the Hail Mary, the Glory Be, the Saint Michael the Archangel Prayer, and the Act of Contrition. Review and put into practice the Ten Commandments.
- **RE Classes** – RE classes, Monday, February 13. See you at 4:15. **Please remember to wear your mask.**
- **Mark your Calendar** – No RE classes on Monday, February 20, for Presidents' Day. Classes will resume on February 27.



LaTora Turner & Family, Adeline Escobedo, Juanita & Donald Torrio, Marvin & Carmen Escobedo, Kate & Carlos Ornelas, Estella Garcia, Pete Burrell, Rosa Martinez, Mary Crawford, Hermillia Carbajal, Sally Gonzales, Angie Ornelas, Roger De Leon, Daniel Jacinto, Janet Gomez, Maria Blanca Porras, Catherine Maxon, Fernando Aranda, Lillian DeLa Cruz, Mary Maxon, Irene Holguin, Inocente Holguin, Irene Apodaca, Rebecca Montoya, Christina Ybarra, Virgie Romero, Jimmy Holguin, Angela Andazola, David Montez.

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SAN JOSE MISSION WEEKEND COLLECTION February 5, 2023



Offertory	\$	1,149.00
Building Fund	\$	45.00
Initial offering	\$	20.00
Church Candles	\$	98.80

THANK YOUR FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!



**Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine
San Jose Mission
February 12th, 2023
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



February 12th, 2023

+LaLa Montoya
+Manuela De Alva
+Alicia Martinez
+Carol Hernandez

February 19, 2023

+Martha Roybal
+Joseph Mendez
+Michael Mendez

Second Collection

02/12/2023—Building Fund

Volunteers

**needed for Money Counters, Sacristans,
or other positions of
interest. Please contact OLG office 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.

3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

If anyone is interested in teaching or helping with the Religious Education Program for next year, 2022-2023 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

Mass @ 9:30 AM

**ASH
WEDNESDAY**

**May your Ash Wednesday be a time
of reflection and promise.**

**Our Lady of Guadalupe
Communion Service schedule while Father Is on
Vacation
Weekend Mass is held at same time.**

**2022 offertory statements have been mailed
out and if you did not receive yours. you can
call or see Bea in the office.**

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Parish



ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH **Mass Hours**



Saturday 6:00 PM

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

**MASK & SOCIAL DISTANCING IS
REQUIRED AT THE SUNDAY MASS 5 PM
(Please bring your own mask)**

CONFESSION: SATURDAY'S @ 4:30 PM

ASH
WEDNESDAY



*Remember that
you are dust, and to
dust you shall return.
Ecclesiastes 3:20*

ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES
02/22/2023

St. Rose of Lima
**8 AM
12:00 noon
5PM**



St. Rose of Lima Weekend Collection
February 5, 2023

Offertory	\$	5,644.67
Building Fund	\$	1,362.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	20.00
Quinceanera	\$	61.50
Church Candle Offering	\$	98.69

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

JUST A REMINDER!!!

**PLEASE WEAR YOUR
MASK**



**Sunday's 5:00 PM Mass is still
requiring Face Mask and social
distancing. Please do not move
the red closure signs and bring
your own mask.**



Jaycob Espinoza, Liberty Salazar and Family, Rosemary Martinez, Anthony Aguilar, Albert Romero, Jason Kouts, LaTora Turner and family, Erika & Alex Morales, Robert Herrera, Art Estavillo, Don Romero, Cecilia Perez, Alicia & Ruben Jaramillo, 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, Izabelah Garcia, Joe Valtierra, Orlando Lujan,

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, Rosemary Martinez, Noe Varela, Ronnie, Rodriguez, Jessica & Sandra Dominguez, Ernesto Trujillo, Gabriel Valtierra & Cyrianna Valtierra, Chono & Anita Aranda, Blessie Estrada, Julio Garcia, Moe Villalba, Chris Ramirez, Desmond Ruiz, Sylvia Estavillo, Shelby & Marcus Madrid, Andrew Espinoza, Jesse & Patsy Aguilar, Rene Saenz, George Quintero Jr., Anna Berta Rodriguez, Stevie Medina, Jimmy Villalba, Teri & Louie Barbosa, Clara Carrasco, Armina (Weda) Brisco, Nancy Abalos, Brianna Fulton, Alex Lukats, Linda Bustamante, Leonard R. Tellez, Angelina Rene Rutherford, Damian Dupont, Shirley Rodriguez, Susie Meraz, Maria Blanca Porras, 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
February 12, 2023
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Second Collection

02/12/23 Building Fund
 02/19/23 St. Vincent de Paul
 02/22/23 Ash Wednesday
 02/25/23 Black & Indian Mission (DOT)

Daily Divine Mercy Chaplet 3 pm in Chapel

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

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

Rosary: prayed daily @ 7:30 am

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

GIFT SHOP WILL BE OPEN

FROM 9:00-4:15 PM

Closed for lunch.



Mass Intentions Feb. 11th,-17th, 2023

Sat	6 PM	+Andrew Espinoza + Mrs. Lupe Terrazas +Daniel Nabor +Virginia Lopez, +Tom Chaidez, +Joe, +Delores & + David Mora, +Manuel & +Nellie Garcia & +Patsy Abalos	Sun	5 PM	St. Rose of Lima Parishioners + Anthony & + Catherine Giorno.
Sun	8 AM	+John Anthony Herrera & +Lalo Mendoza For the health & well-being & safe return of Liberty Salazar	Mon	8 AM	+Margarita R. Estrada
Sun	11 AM	+Oscar Cisneros +Maria Perez Rios & + Juanita Ramirez Robinson Birthday wishes for Maria Rose Ramirez	Tues	8 AM	For the health & well-being of Gary & Amanda Torrio
			Wed	8 AM	For the health & well-being of Daniel & April Turner
			Thur	8 AM	+Walter Lasinsky



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.

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. Baptisms are performed the first and third Saturdays at 10:00 a.m. 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 arrangement's as easy as possible. The Priest may wave 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.

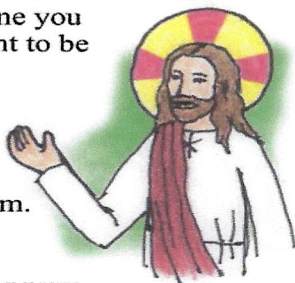
What does Jesus say about the Commandments?



In today's Gospel reading Jesus was talking about the laws of God. Some people thought that He would take away the old law that God had given the Jews. But Jesus said that He didn't come to take away the law. He came to fulfill the law.

The old laws tell us the things that we shouldn't do, like worship false gods or kill people or steal. Jesus is telling us that just obeying the commandments isn't enough. He wants us to do everything out of love. If you really love a person then of course you won't kill them! But He says you shouldn't get angry at them either. You wouldn't steal from someone you love- but wouldn't you want to be generous to them too?

Jesus says that the Ten Commandments are very important, but we have to do more than just obey them. We need to love!



Answer to Word-Find: "You will be blessed."

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The Kids' Bulletin

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 12th, 2023



Do not think that I came to abolish the law or the prophets...
Whoever obeys and teaches the commandments in the law will be called greatest in the Kingdom of Heaven.

Some people in Jesus' time thought that He was going to get rid of the old law. What does He have to say about the commandments in today's Gospel reading?

Look at this picture in the mirror to find out!

Women Be Blessed Conference 2023 February 25, 2023

Join us for a Motivational, Inspirational & Uplifting event.

Presenters: Julie Madrid & The Women Be Blessed Team



Ladies let us explore:
Grace
Lord of Hosts
Heaven's War
Angels Amongst Us



Sponsors:

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament
Arizona State Knights of Columbus, Council 1158 & 1882

Location: **Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Hall**
844 Sullivan St., Miami, AZ 85539
928-473-3568 (for more information)

7:00 to 9:00 am Registration & Continental Breakfast

9:00 am - 3:30 pm Conference (lunch - noonish)

6:00 pm Mass at Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Church

Registration Form

\$20.00 registration fee per person, check, money order, & cash accepted.

Please make check payable to: Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament,
844 Sullivan St., Miami 85539.

This event is for Christian women 18 and over, no children please.

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2nd ANNUAL CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE INTO THE BREACH

HOSTED BY OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH



SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER:
FR. GREG ADOLF

SATURDAY, MARCH 4TH
8AM - 2:45PM

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TICKETS \$20: BREAKFAST, LUNCH, & REFRESHMENTS INCLUDED

REGISTER BY MARCH 1ST

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"AND I SOUGHT FOR A MAN AMONG THEM WHO SHOULD BUILD UP THE WALL AND STAND IN THE BREACH BEFORE ME FOR THE LAND."
EZEKIEL 22:30

In the past two decades, more than 14 million Catholics have left the faith. In the face of these losses, Catholic men are called to put aside any hesitation to live a life of mission. Men must enter *into the Breach* of the spiritual battle raging around us. To step into the breach requires every man to have faith, bolster his courage, and act for our Church, our family, and ourselves.

As "Iron sharpens iron, one man sharpens another" (Proverbs 27:17). This conference will challenge men to seek greatness and to be heroically virtuous, to have character marked by goodness and truth, strength, and courage. Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament invites you to attend this event featuring...



SPEAKER: FR. GREG ADOLF

Fr. Greg is pastor of the St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church in Sierra Vista, Arizona. He is active in retreat ministry, leading participants into a deeper experience of prayer and missionary service. A native of Colorado, Fr. Greg grew up in Phoenix, Arizona. He served as a Lutheran Pastor for 17 years before becoming a Roman Catholic priest. We are eager to hear Fr. Greg's energetic take on building authentic male spirituality! This year's conference themes include: Masculinity, Brotherhood, Leadership, Suffering, and the Sacraments.

St Rose of Lima Religious Education

Students cannot miss over 6 classes (including the classes they miss if they register late), and they must meet the requirements on the purple agreement sheet. Children new to the parish will have the expectations explained to their parents.

Be sure to say prayers nightly, so your child learns to talk to God in formal and informal prayer. Practice the prayers for confession so children know them by heart.

Sacrament of Penance (confession) requirements:

- ⇒ Student must be Baptized & turn in copy of 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 Religious Education classes with fewer than 6 absences.
- ⇒ Attend Mass weekly and turn in signed bulletins with students full name and grade. (Bulletins must be signed by Father)

Sacrament of Holy Eucharist (Communion) requirements:

- * Student must be Baptized & turn in copy of certificate.
- * Student must have made their first confession (Penance)
- * Student 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 students full name and grade. (Bulletins must be signed by Father)

If the child's name and grade are not on the bulletin they turn in, there is no way to give them credit. I have 21 bulletins without a child's name! Please do not put 2 children's names on the same bulletin unless you absolutely have to because its harder to sort.

Dates to Remember

February 8 and 9: Attend one of the two Penance Parent Sessions from 6–8:30 PM in the church. All parents of children preparing to make their Penance (confession) are required to attend one of these two sessions. Sign in when you arrive. If you have not already done so, PLEASE bring a copy of your child's Baptismal certificate to give to me, or bring the certificate so we can copy it and return it to you that night.

February 15 and 16: Attend one of the two Communion Parent Sessions from 6–8:00 PM in the church. All parents of children preparing to make their first Holy Eucharist (Communion) are required to attend one of these two sessions. Sign in when you arrive. If you have not already done so, PLEASE bring a copy of your child's Baptismal certificate to give to me, or bring the certificate so we can copy it and return it to you that night.

Feb. 20, Monday: No RE due to Presidents Day.

Feb. 22: Ash Wednesday and the start of Lent. Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. In addition, all Catholics 14 years old and older must abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and all the Fridays of Lent. Fasting as explained by the U.S. bishops means partaking of only one full meal.

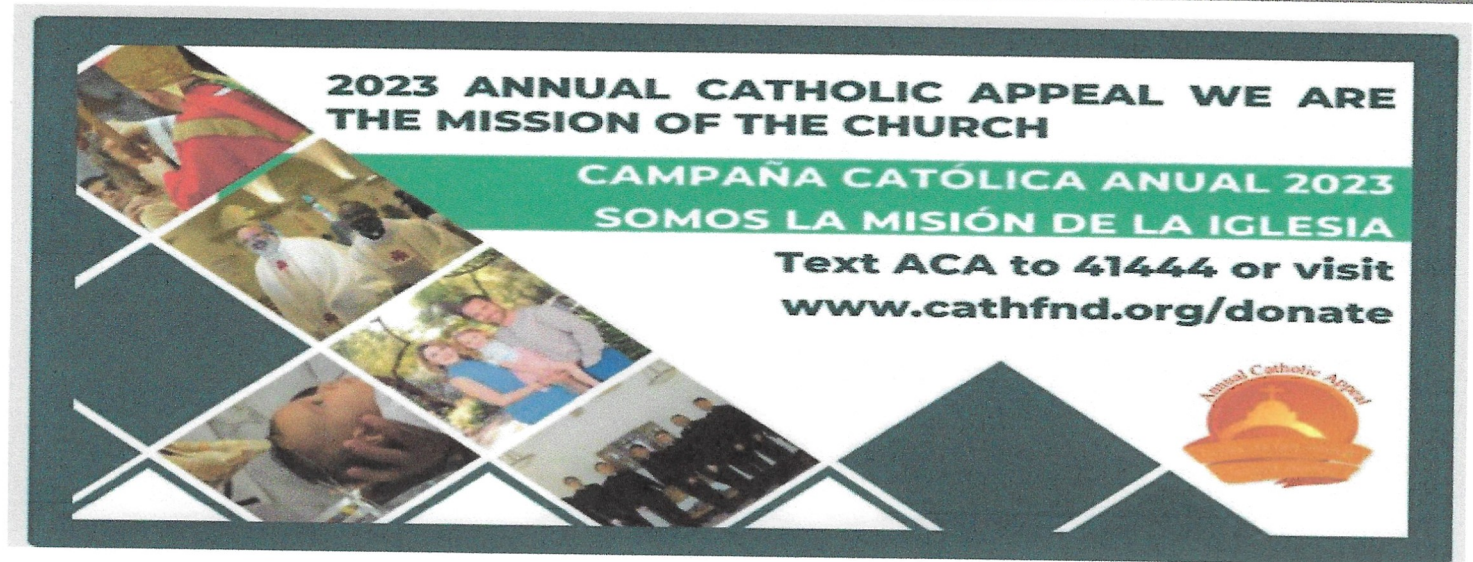
Students will be bringing a Lenten offering box home. Encourage them to give, then return.

RCIA

No RCIA class Feb 12th or 19th. No Confirmation class Feb 19th. Remember your Recommendation Letters and Community Service hours.




Diocese of Tucson Notifications



2023 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL WE ARE THE MISSION OF THE CHURCH

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New Outlook

Diocese of Tucson Online News

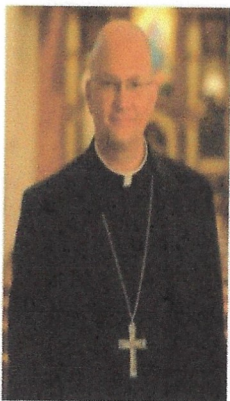
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World Day of the Sick Mass

Most Rev. Edward J. Weisenburger, J.C.L.
Principal Celebrant



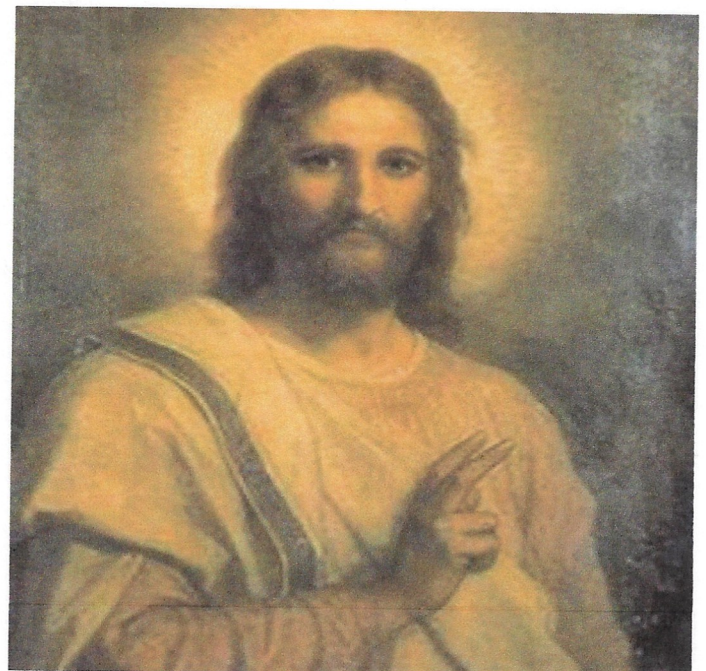
Anointing of the Sick
Blessing of Caregivers
Petitions to Our Lady of Lourdes

Saturday, February 25th
10:30 AM

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BE OUR PROTECTION AGAINST THE WICKEDNESS
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MAY GOD REBUKE 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.

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

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.

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Dear Padre,

My wife and I are in our mid-fifties; we have a comfortable life, go to church regularly, pray, and generally consider ourselves good Christians. So what's wrong? We feel empty, hollow, and strangely unfulfilled. What can we do?

Barring any other unnamed problem, you and your wife seem to be at a spiritual crossroads. You've come to the disturbing but provocative realization that St. Augustine voiced, saying, "Our hearts are restless until they rest in thee, O Lord." Feelings of emptiness are a gift, a message that God is calling you to something more. It's time for careful discernment.

At stake here is: What is life really about? Up to this point, like many people, it sounds like you have enjoyed a comfortable and productive life filled with many of the good things the world has to offer. But when these prove unable to give lasting happiness, you are finding that true meaning must be sought elsewhere: in a more profound relationship with God. It is no longer a matter of knowing about God but of connecting with God in a close, personal, intimate relationship.

Lent begins in less than two weeks. Perhaps you and your wife can decide how to spend this Lent seeking a deeper relationship with God and God's people. You could join a prayer group or work at a soup kitchen. You could learn about meditation practices or help your parish in projects for the poor. You could spend one hour a week before the Blessed Sacrament. Whatever you decide, welcome this new stage in life to which God is calling you. ●

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MONDAY

February 13
Weekday
Gn 4:1–15, 25
Mk 8:11–13

WEDNESDAY

February 15
Weekday
Gn 8:6–13, 20–22
Mk 8:22–26

SATURDAY

February 18
Weekday
Heb 11:1–7
Mk 9:2–13

TUESDAY

February 14
St. Cyril, Monk and
St. Methodius,
Bishop
Gn 6:5–8; 7:1–5, 10
Mk 8:14–21

THURSDAY

February 16
Weekday
Gn 9:1–13
Mk 8:27–33
FRIDAY
February 17
Weekday
Gn 11:1–9
Mk 8:34–9:1

SUNDAY

February 19
Seventh Sunday in
Ordinary Time
Lv 19:1–2, 17–18
1 Cor 3:16–23
Mt 5:38–48



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A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

Time dedicated to being with God revives faith, which helps us in the practicalities of living, and faith, in turn, nurtures prayer, without interruption. In this circularity between faith, life, and prayer, one keeps alight that flame of Christian love that God expects of us.

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