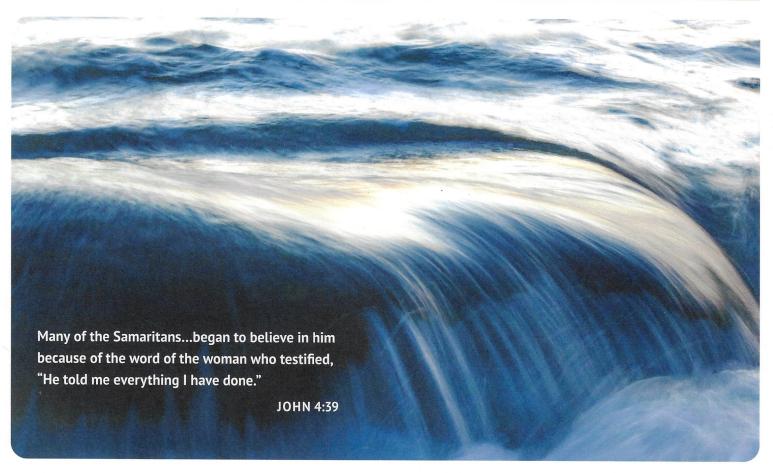
# Our Parish community

March 12, 2023 **Third Sunday of Lent (A)**Exodus 17:3-7 / Romans 5:1-2, 5-8

John 4:5-42 or John 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42





# A Fountain of Life

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

he lovelorn column in the local newspaper shared a letter from someone who felt adrift. She had everything she needed or wanted —a marriage, a job, a home. Yet she felt there had to be

more to life, but she didn't know what it was or where to go. She wondered, *Could anyone help me*?

Like the woman from Samaria who happened upon Jesus when she came looking for water at the local well, she and the letter writer were both eager

for "living water." The woman at the well would then no longer need to come each day for her household needs, and the letter writer would have her deeper thirsts quenched. Both wanted something more out of life, not unlike most people at one time or another.

Long before Jesus encountered the woman at the well, the people who were led by Moses through the desert grumbled to him about their thirst, which triggered Moses to grumble to God about the people. The result

was finding water in the desert, the most unlikely of places. As a result, they realized that God was taking care of them, that God was ultimately their source of life.

We may decide what will bring new life—a new relationship, a new job,

a new home. Yet just as often the answer comes from totally unexpected sources: the deserts of our lives. Also just as often, we somehow miss the answer. When we do recognize it, however, we say, "Thanks be to God."

## Reflect-

When and where have you found grace in an "unexpected place"?

#### St. Rose of Lima Parish

311 S Central Ave, Safford AZ 85546 928.428.4920 RE Office: 928.348.4785

> FAX: 928.428.4922 After Hour Phone: 520.507.1145



• Email: st.roselima@gmail.com

 Website: www.SaintRoseLima-Safford.com

 Sunday Masses: 8:00, 11:00 AM & 5:00 PM

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)

#### **Board of Directors**

Rev. Nicodemus Shaghel Bishop Edward Weisenburger Msgr. Jeremiah McCarthy Naomi Lowery, Treasurer Margaret Vidales, Secretary

#### 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

#### <u>Choir</u>

English: Marvin Rios Spanish: Mr. 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 Groups

Millie Torres Group #1
Camilla Gomez Group #2

#### Knights of Columbus #4260

Grand Knight: Paul Dube

#### Lectors

Daily Masses:

Weekend Masses: Veta Estrada

#### **PreCana**; George & Pam Gonzales

#### **Prison Ministry**

<u>Prison</u>: Ernie Torrio <u>Federal Prison</u>: John Mayer

#### Religious Education Director

Madona Kvale

#### Summer Vacation Bible School

Susan Ortega

R.C.I.A: Veta Estrada

Sacristans: Brian Hott

#### Youth Ministry Groups

High School: Amanda Torrio

## <u>St. Martin de Porres Mission</u>

50 S Main, Pima AZ 85543

#### Extraordinary Minister

Ophelia Rodriguez

#### Religious Education

Grace Gasca Soccoro 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

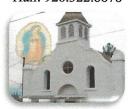
President: Linda Lopez

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<u>Treasurer</u>: Cindy DeMarcus <u>Secretary</u>: Carolyn Vessels

## Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish

2257 S 1st Ave, Solomon AZ 85551 928.428.0149 Hall: 928.322.8878



• Email: olgsolomon@gmail.com

Sunday Mass: 9:30 AM

 Parish Office & Gift Shop: 8:00AM-1:00 PM (Mon-Fri)

Baptisms: 10AM 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday

 San Jose Mission: Baptisms and Marriages available upon request

#### **Board of Directors**

Frances Lopez, Secretary Sandra Jurado, Treasurer

#### Parish Council

Angie Ornelas Irene Montoya Petra Merino

#### Finance Council

Antonio Jurado Becky Maldonado Carol Hernandez

## Administrative Assistant

Beatrice Ybarra Maintenance: Joe Hernandez

#### Extraordinary Minister

## **Religious Education**

Angie Ornelas Sandra Jurado

## Newman Center

Serving Eastern Arizona College 3592 W 4<sup>th</sup> St, Thatcher AZ 85552

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

#### Sustaining Board

President: Mike DeLaO
Secretary: Lucy Kin
Treasurer: Shelley Vaughn
Member at Large: Teri Thiessen
Student Coordinators:
Margarita & Frank Wulftange

Updated: December 07, 2022

## ST. ROSE OF LIMA & OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE NOTICES



# St. Rose of Lima Pastoral Council Meeting March 15th, 2023 @ 6 pm in Volunteer Hall.



## **Penance Service**

Monday, March 20, 2023 @5:30 pm in the church.



## **Church Ministries**

During this Season of Lent, a time for self-reflection and discernment, please consider a calling as a Lector or Eucharistic Minister for Homebound. There is a need in both ministries and training is provided. Any questions, Veta Estrada 965-7411 or the church office 428-4920.

Safe Environment Program Compliance Process

#### **New Volunteers:**

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

## Attention all Employees and Volunteers;

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

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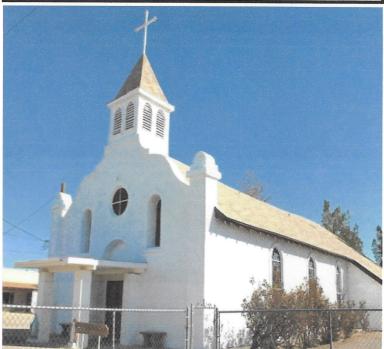
IMPORTANT - Register for a New Account: <a href="https://tucson.cmgconnect.org/">https://tucson.cmgconnect.org/</a>

## REPORT ABUSE AND THE CALL TO PROTECT



https://www.diocesetucson.org/reportabuse





## **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.



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.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

## **GOSPEL REFLECTION:**

Today in John's Gospel, we heard Jesus and the Samaritan woman talk a lot about water. When we were baptized with water, we were like the woman at the well. At Baptism, we came to know Jesus as our Savior. Let us share the good news of Jesus with others.



- All are Welcome Join us for RE classes on Monday afternoon for 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 to the family.
- Daily Prayers Please pray daily, before each meal, and at night. Remember to thank God for all your blessings and for 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 and follow up on your Lenten promises.
- Spring Break NO RE classes tomorrow, Monday, March 13 due to Spring Break. RE classes will resume on Monday, March 20. Please complete the activities on your Lent Calendar for the Third Week. Have a safe and blessed week.





## OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SAN JOSE MISSION WEEKEND COLLECTION

March 5th, 2023

Offertory	\$ 942.50
Roof Fund	\$ 223.00
Church Candle offering	\$ 64.00
<b>Black &amp; Indian Mission</b>	\$ 15.00

THANK YOUR FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!



## Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine

San Jose Mission

Third Sunday of Lent
Mass Intentions March 12th, 2023

March 12th, 2023

+James Michael Holguin

+Esperanza Holguin

+Gloria Tellez

+Efren Tellez Jr.

+Rachelle Armijo

## March 13th, 2023

Heavenly Birthday Blessings +Sabino Roybal

## March 15th 2023

+Betty Juarez

**Second Collection** 03-12-2023 Easter Flowers

Pastorial Counsel Meeting March 14, 2023@ 5 pm

## **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.

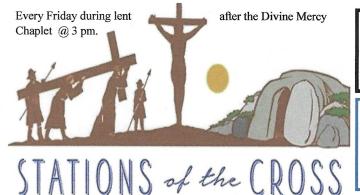
## 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

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

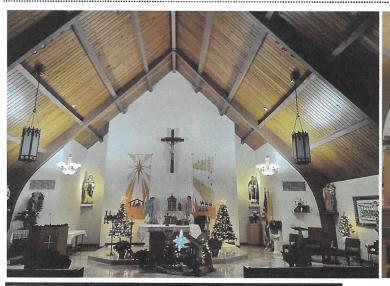


Spanish choir Coro Guadalupano is available again to do funerals PLEASE call the office for further information.

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

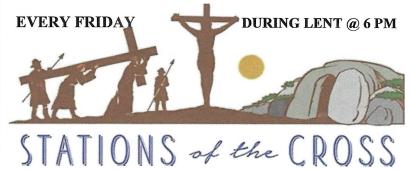
MASK & SOCIAL DISTANCING IS REQUIRED AT THE SUNDAY MASS 5 PM (Please bring your own mask)

CONFESSION: SATURDAY'S @ 4:30 PM

## JUST A REMINDER!!!



PLEASE WEAR YOUR 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.





## St. Rose of Lima Weekend Collection March 5th, 2023

Offertory	\$ 7, 023.03
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 27.00
Church Candle Offering	\$ 44.38
Ash Wednesday	\$ 65.00
<b>Easter Flowers</b>	\$ 5.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!



Shelby Peru, Chris Castro, Terri Cuarenta, Angelina Rene Rutherford, Rita Lucero, Charlie Kay, Mayia Montes & Contreras Family, Eric Regan, Richard Burke, Barbara Chavez, Jaycob Espinoza, Liberty Salazar and Family, Rosemary Martinez, Anthony Aguilar, Albert Romero, Jason Kouts, Erika & Alex Morales, 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 Gojkovich, Sarah Qunitana, Ysidro Rodriquez, Lydia Hernadez, 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, 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 Villalva, Teri & Louie Barbosa, Clara Carrasco, Armina (Weda) Brisco, Nancy Abalos, Brianna Fulton, Alex Lukats, Linda Bustamante, Leonard R. Tellez, 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 Third Sunday of Lent March 12th, 2023

**Second Collection** 

3/12/2023 Easter Flowers 3/19/2023 St. Vincent De Paul 3/26/2023 Catholic Relief Services

Daily Divine Mercy Chaplet 3 pm in Chapel

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

Rosary: prayed daily @ 7:30 am

<u>Compliance Representative</u> Please call James Gersitz at 928-200-0289 for an appointment.

Private Prayer: Church will be open

Monday - Friday

9:00 AM - 1:00PM (unless Parish office is closed.)

GIFT SHOP WILL BE OPEN FROM 12 noon - 4:15 PM Until further notice



## Mass Intentions March 11th,-March 18th, 2023

Sat	8 AM	Happy Heavenly Birthday + Gene Bryce	Mon	8 AM	+Rose Hundt
Sat	6 PM	+Manuel R & Nellie Garcia & +Patsy Abalos	Tues	8 AM	Health & well-being of Robert & Melanie Sandoval
Sun	8 AM	+Alfredo & +Lydia Maldonado +Adam Abeyta + Carmen Sierra	Wed	8 AM	Health & well-being of Donald & Juanita Torrio. + Rosalia P. Chavez
Sun	TIAW	1st Wedding Anniversary Blessing for Anthony & Danielle Parker	Fri	8 AM	50th wedding Anniversary Blessings for
Sun	5 PM	St. Rose of Lima Parishioners +Connie Bailon & +Patsy Abalos			Sabino & Jody Roybal.



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 Conformation/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 remining \$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 remining \$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.



## Scholarship Available

One \$500.00 Book Scholarship for the Fall 2023 Semester

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court #2398, St. Rose of Lima, is accepting applications for its annual Catholic Daughters Scholarship.

Application forms and qualification information are available at the St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church Office, EAC Financial Aid Department, the Newman Center and all Gila Valley high school guidance counselor offices.

Application Deadline: May 5, 2023

More info contact:

Micki N. Garcia

928-792-6542

**Emily Ann Valtierra** 

928-651-0765



#### THANK YOU EVERYONE FOR YOUR PRAYERS

LIBERTY SALAZAR HAS BEEN FOUND. GOD IS GOOD ALL OF THE TIME, ALL OF THE TIME GOD IS GOOD.

# You!



Want to Join Our Team?

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Parish

We are hiring! St. Rose of Lima Catholic Parish is looking to fill a position on our staff team

More than a Job-it is an Opportunity to Serve

Consider an opportunity to work for an organization where what you do is more than a job. It is a faith filled opportunity to serve your community.

The parish is seeking a full-time - 35 hour a week - Administrative Assistant / Gift Shop

Major Responsibilities include Under the direction of the pastor, business manager, or other assigned manager is responsible for providing secretarial and administrative support and for performing other varied functions as necessary in a parish. The Employee shall be a minister of the Gospel and Catholic Teaching both behaviorally while at work and in his/her personal life, "...Live in a manner worthy of the call you have received." (Eph. 4:1)

Duties include assist with and help coordinate the communication and record keeping of funerals, baptisms, and weddings. Maintain parish registry and other records as required, assist with ministry record keeping and communication to parish and families. Help maintain schedules and notifications for liturgical events. Perform other duties as assigned.

Must be a self-starter, well organized, perform multiple tasks simultaneously and work with a sense of urgency

Proficiency in computer technology to include word-processing, spreadsheets, power point, web-based data entry, and internet research, minimum typing skill of 40-50 wpm

Join the Parish Team

Interested applicants are invited to submit their application and resume at https://www.diocesetucson.org/employment-opportunities Questions? Call 928-428-4920. We Look forward to hearing from you.

Not the right fit for you? Know a friend or a family member who might be interested—please share and invite them to consider the opportunity to serve the faith community of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Parish

Please join us for the first

St. Andrew's Concert Series presentation

"A Walk Through Holy Week"



Featuring Wes Moulton,

Organist, Our Mother of Sorrows Parish, Tucson

Playing the St. Andrew's Historic 1949 Moeller Pipe Organ

Friday, March 24, 2023, 7:00PM

There is no charge to attend this concert.

A freewill offering will be accepted.

# St Rose of Lima Religious Education

**Prayers:** Be sure to say prayers nightly/daily, so your child learns to talk to God in formal and informal prayer. Practice the prayers for confession, so children know them by heart. If you want your child to receive a sacrament, please teach them their prayers and meet the requirements.

## Sacrament of Penance (confession) requirements:

- $\Rightarrow$  Child must be Baptized 8 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.
- ⇒ Parents attend one Parent Penance Session.
- ⇒ Attend Religious Education classes with fewer than 6 absences.
- ⇒ Attend Mass weekly and turn in bulletins signed by Father with child's full name and grade clearly written on the front.

# 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.
- \* Parents attend one Parent Communion Session Attend Mass weekly and turn in bulletins signed by Father with child's full name and grade clearly written on the front. If the child's name and grade are not on the bulletin they turn in, there is no way to give them credit.

February 22 to March 8: Lent. Days of fast (small meals & Samp; no snacks for those age 18 to not yet 60) and abstinence (no meat if age 14 or older) are to be observed on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays in Lent. Students will be bringing a Lenten (CRS Rice Bowl) offering box home. Encourage them to give, then return the box to class to be sent in for those in need.

March 9: Confessions will take place in class for those who have already made their first confession.

March 13-17: Spring Break. No RE classes.

March 23, Thurs.: No RE classes due to Parent Teacher conferences



No youth group Monday March 13th. Have a safe spring break! We will resume on Monday. March 20th.



## Water...



alive.

In today's first reading, the Israelites in the desert are thirsty and ask Moses for water. So God tells him to strike a big rock with his staff and water comes out. In the Gospel reading, Jesus tells the

Samaritan woman that He can give her living water so that she will never be thirsty.

Water is a symbol of life. In the first story the people in the desert would have died if they didn't get water. Now Jesus gives us His life, which is grace. We receive it especially in Holy Communion. This is the living water that He is talking about. Our souls need His grace to stay

When you have a drink of water, think about how your body needs water to stay alive, and how your

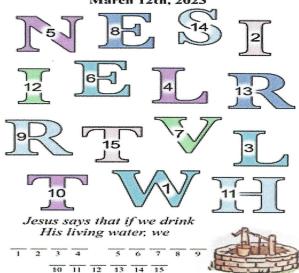
soul needs God's grace. Saying a prayer is kind of like giving your soul a little drink!

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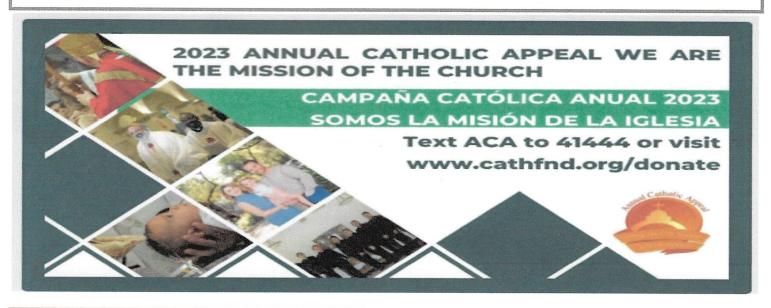
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## The Kids' Bulletin

Third Sunday of Lent March 12th, 2023



# Diocese of Tucson Notifications



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Find out how you can help save Catholic education through Arizona's Catholic Tuition Support Organization (CTSO). Please pick up a brochure in the vestibule that will explain how you can get a dollar-for-dollar tax credit or visit the CTSO website at www.ctso-tucson.org. Make your contribution by April 15, 2023, for the 2022 tax year

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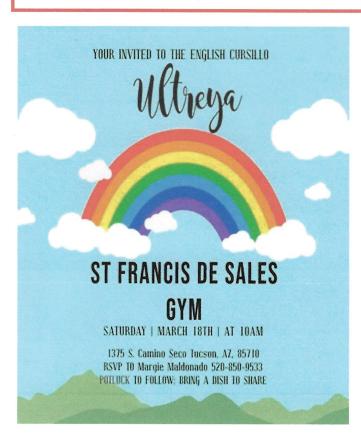


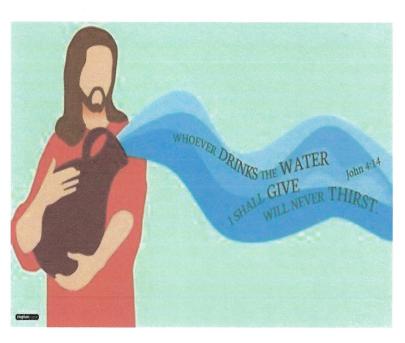
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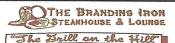
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2324 Branding Iron Lane Safford, AZ 85546 928-428-7427 Tues - Thurs 5 pm - 9 pm Fri - Sat 5 pm - 10 pm



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Paul Dube Grand Knight 602.527.0700

Meets 1st Wednesdays at 6 p.m.

Sacred Heart of Jesus

Ommaculate Heart of Mary

## Walneck's

Safford Sewing Center Jeff & Virginia Walneck Parishioners Hwy 70 & 3rd Ave 928.428.0494

## La Casita Cafe

"Finest In Mexican Food" 3338 Main St. Thatcher Gracias La Familia Villalobos

> Thatcher 928.428.1882 Globe 928.428.8162 East Globe 928.428.9280 Show Low 928.537.5179

## 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.
At St. Rose of Lima
In St. Matthew's room



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## Our Lady of Guadalupe Gift Shop

Solomon, AZ

Open Monday—Friday 8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

## CURSILLO LEADERSHIP

For more information, contact St. Rose of Lima Parish Office 928.428.4920

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## ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

St. Michael the Archangel, Defend us in Battle.

BE OUR PROTECTION AGAINST THE WICKEDNESS AND SNARES OF THE DEVIL.

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.

Newer permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



Open Monday—Friday 9:00 a.m.—4:15 p.m.

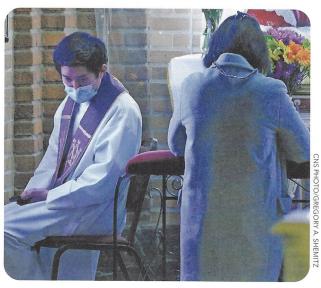




# Dear Padre,

I have done some really terrible things in my life. When I did them, I didn't think anything about them, but now I feel very guilty. Can God really forgive me?

As we Redemptorists like to say, "With God there is plentiful redemption." God's mercy is everlasting and overflowing in its abundance. As we continue in Lent, let's remember that Easter is the sign that God forgave even the great sin of the crucifixion of his only Son. Time and time again throughout the Scriptures, Jesus demonstrates this bountiful mercy. He forgave Zacchaeus, the tax collector. He forgave the woman caught in adultery. He was tender with the Samaritan woman we hear about in today's



Gospel. He spent his days living among and forgiving all manner of sinners. He even forgave Peter's great denial. The Church has named a multitude of saints, but note that in 2,000 years it has never declared anyone to be definitively condemned to eternal punishment. There is hope and mercy for all.

No matter how great the sin, God will forgive it. All you have to do is ask for mercy sincerely. All that takes is a repentant heart. From the tone of your message, you are truly sorry. Find a priest with whom you are comfortable and ask him to celebrate with you the sacrament of reconciliation. If you don't know how to go to confession, just ask. The priest will help you. Be at peace.

Fr. Rick Potts, CSsR / DearPadre.org

MONDAY		
March 13		
Lenten Weekday		
2 Kgs 5:1–15ab		
1 k 4·24-30		

## **TUESDAY** March 14 Lenten Weekday Dn 3:25, 34-43 Mt 18:21-35

## WEDNESDAY March 15 Lenten Weekday Dt 4:1, 5-9 Mt 5:17-19

## **THURSDAY** March 16 Lenten Weekday Jer 7:23-28 Lk 11:14-23

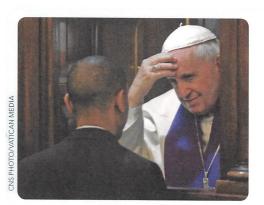
## **FRIDAY** March 17 Lenten Weekday Hos 14:2-10 Mk 12:28-34

## SATURDAY March 18 Lenten Weekday Hos 6:1-6 Lk 18:9-14

## SUNDAY March 19 Fourth Sunday of Lent 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a Eph 5:8-14 Jn 9:1-41

#### Know Someone Overly Anxious about Sin?

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## A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

We all have the right to be forgiven. All of us....Forgiveness is a "right" in the sense that God, in the Paschal Mystery of Christ, has given it in a total and irreversible way to every person willing to accept it with a humble and repentant heart.

> ADDRESS AT A COURSE ORGANIZED BY APOSTOLIC PENITENTIARY, MARCH 25, 2022



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