



## Yes or No?

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

**C**onfronted by a social obligation I would prefer to avoid, I frequently find myself musing that the timing is right for me to break a leg or get the flu. Yet more often than not, once I go, I find myself enjoying the gathering. Not all invitations are exciting or even desirable, but many become the building blocks of our lives.

When the parable of Jesus tells of an invitation to come to a wedding feast, it's really a story of our invitation to the kingdom of heaven, where, if we accept, we will dwell in the divine presence and enjoy the peace, joy, and love of God. Heaven is not only *where* we are but also *how* we are. It's an invitation to deeper and richer life—a taste of heaven, even in this life.

So it's good to consider going where we'd rather not

go. It's not simply about social gatherings, though a social gathering may be the event where you meet the person you fall in love with. It also may mean going for counseling when that may be a bit scary, or confronting one's addiction, or moving to a new city, or accepting serious and lifelong illness, or saying yes to having a child with special needs, or not getting the job you hoped for. Saying yes to what life brings may be the wedding garment that enriches our lives. It may be saying yes to God. ●

### Reflect

***When has going where you'd rather not go enriched your life?***

"The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son."

MATTHEW 22:2



## 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](mailto:st.roselima@gmail.com)
- ♦ Website: [www.SaintRoseLima-Safford.com](http://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 & Tuesday after 8:00 AM Mass
- ♦ Parish Office & Gift Shop: 9:00 AM-4:15 PM (Mon-Fri)

#### Board of Directors

Rev. Nicodemus Shaghel  
Bishop Edward Weisenburger  
Msgr. Jeremiah McCarthy  
Carolina Gaethje - 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

##### 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

#### 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

Vocation Ministry: Brian & Sara Hott,

Sol & Bonnie Sipes, Gary & Amanda Torrio

### 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

1<sup>st</sup> Vice President: Dr. Susan Jones Hamm

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President: Carmen Burnham

Treasurer: Cindy DeMarcus

Secretary: Carolyn Vessels

### Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish

2257 S 1<sup>st</sup> Ave, Solomon AZ 85551  
928.428.0149  
Hall: 928.322.8878



- ♦ Email: [olgsolomon@gmail.com](mailto: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

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#### Finance Council

Antonio Jurado  
Becky Maldonado

#### Administrative Assistant

Beatrice Ybarra

#### Maintenance:

#### Extraordinary Minister

#### Religious Education

Sandra Jurado  
Antonio 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

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Student Coordinators:

Margarita & Frank Wulfthange



**ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH  
&  
OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SHRINE  
TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A  
OCTOBER 15, 2023**



OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

October 7th

**COME PRAY THE  
ROSARY EVERYDAY  
DURING THE MONTH  
OF OCTOBER  
@ 5 PM, IN THE  
CHURCH.**

## What's Happening

**October @ 5 PM** - Pray the Rosary every day in the Church.

**October 17, 6:00 PM** - RE Open House Mass followed by Open House in the Volunteer Hall

**October 29th** - Student Halloween Mass will be at 4 PM not 5 PM. With a potluck to follow.

**November 1st** - All Saints Day (A Day of Obligation) Mass Times—8 AM (St. Rose), 9:30 AM (Our Lady), 6 PM (St. Rose)

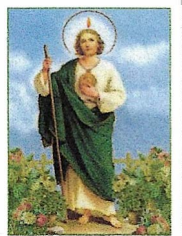
**November 2nd** - All Souls Day, Mass times— 8:00 AM (Our Lady) with blessing of the graves to follow. 9:30 AM (St. Rose @ Safford Cemetery) with blessing of the graves to follow.

**November 5th—NO 5PM MASS**

**St. Jude Novena**

**Will Start on October 19th**

**At 5 pm followed by the Rosary**



**Safe Environment  
Program  
Compliance Process**

**All Volunteers:**

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

**Catholic Mutual Group**

All active employees and volunteers are required to complete the Safe Environment training.  
**IMPORTANT** - New Volunteers must Register for a New Account.

<https://tucson.cmgconnect.org/>

**REPORT ABUSE  
AND THE CALL TO  
PROTECT**

<https://www.diocesetucson.org/reportabuse>

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

**PROMISE TO  
PROTECT**



**PLEDGE TO  
HEAL**

# OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SHRINE



## 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.

### IMPORTANT - Register for a New Account:

<https://tucson.cmconnect.org>

**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.



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, Fernando Aranda, Lillian DeLa Cruz, Mary Maxon, Irene Holguin, Irene Apodaca, Rebecca Montoya, Christina Ybarra, Virgie Romero, Jimmy Holguin, Angela Andazola, David Montez, Pete Bejarano, Gilbert Tellez, Efren Tellez, Petra Aranda, George Holguin Sr.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: *Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

### GOSPEL REFLECTION:

Today in Matthew's Gospel, Jesus tells a parable, or story, about a wedding. Some people accept the invitation to the wedding feast, and some people refuse it. Jesus uses a parable to teach us about being invited to be his disciples. Jesus invites all of us to be his disciples. Jesus teaches us in this Gospel the importance of humility as we hope for God's kingdom and salvation.



- ♦ **It's not too late!** – 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. Registration forms for the 2023-2024 school year are available in the office.
- ♦ **RE Classes** – RE classes will begin at Our Lady of Guadalupe when the remodeling of the church is completed. All classes will be held in the parish hall every Sunday after Mass until noon.
- ♦ **Choir (Adults/Children)** – All are invited to join the choir. No audition is necessary. If you are interested, please call the office and leave your name and a contact number.
- ♦ **Weekly Assignment** – The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. Pray the Rosary daily with your family. As you pray the Lord's Prayer every day, pray for the strength to be a good disciple of Christ so you can reach God's promise of salvation with humility.



## OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SAN JOSE MISSION WEEKEND COLLECTION

October 8, 2023

Offertory	\$	441.00
Church Candle Fund	\$	33.10
Roof Fund	\$	210.00

**THANK YOUR FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**





**Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine  
San Jose Mission**

**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A  
OCTOBER 15, 2023**

**Mass Intentions**

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary time  
Mass intentions

**Oct 15th 2023**

Birthday Blessings for  
Luis Holguin

**Oct 22nd 2023**

+Father James Baka

**Oct 29th 2023**

+Jenny Haase



**Second Collection**

10-15-23-St. Vincent De Paul  
10-22-23-World Mission  
10-29-23-no second collection

**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, 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](https://olgsolomon.com)**

**Our Lady of Guadalupe is  
looking for a Maintenance  
Technician. Please apply on  
the Diocese of Tucson  
Website  
[https://  
www.diocesetucson.org/  
employment-opportunities](https://www.diocesetucson.org/employment-opportunities)**



**UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE:**

**Mass will be held at San Jose Mission on  
Sunday's @ 9:30am & Wednesday's @ 9:00**

**2023 Annual Catholic Appeal**

**October 10, 2023**

**Goal \$5,000.00**

**Fulfilled to Date \$6,305.00**

**126% to Goal (\$1,305.00)**



# 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**

**CONFESSION: SATURDAY'S @ 4:30 PM &  
TUESDAY'S AFTER 8 AM MASS.**



## **2023 Annual Catholic Appeal As of October 10, 2023**

**We still needs \$865.00  
to achieve our goal of \$42,340**

**We are the Mission of the Church!**

Catholic Daughters of the Americas, St. Rose of Lima, Court #2398, Meeting Tuesday, October 17, 2023. at 6 PM in St. Matthew's Room. We ask all CDA member to attend as we need to discuss the Festival of Trees coming up on Dec 9, 2023


Also, We would like to invite all Ladies of the Parish to join the Catholic Daughters Of the Americas, St. Rose of Lima. Court #2398.



## **St. Rose of Lima Weekend Collection October 8, 2023**

<b>Offertory</b>	<b>\$ 5,201.30</b>
<b>Building Fund</b>	<b>\$ 130.75</b>
<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b>	<b>\$ 35.75</b>
<b>Church Candle offering</b>	<b>\$ 79.70</b>

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

 Marvin Rios, Joanna Walks, Joseph Anzaldua, Belen Rodriguez & Rodriguez Family, Greg Andersen, Joe V. Herrera, Alicia Jaramillo, Joe & Ann Valtierra, Fred Sainz, Jeanette Haden, A.R. Valenzuela, Inez Alva, Sara Gallegos, 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, Art Estavillo, 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 Gojkovich, 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 Wulfange, 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, 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 Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A.**  
**October 15, 2023**

**Second Collection**

**10/15**—St. Vincent De Paul

**10/22**—World Mission

**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

**Compliance Representative**

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

**Private Prayer:**

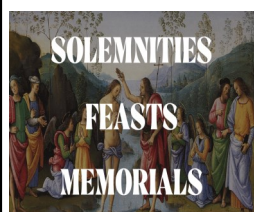
The Church will be open  
Monday - Friday  
9:00 AM - 1:00PM (unless  
Parish office is closed.)



**GIFT SHOP WILL BE OPEN  
FROM 9:00 AM - 4:15 PM**

**Mass Intentions October 14, 2023—October 20, 2023**

DAY	DATE	Time	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY:
SAT	10/14/23	6 PM	Dakota Ybarra-Happy Birthday Blessings	B. Ybarra
SUN	10/15/23	8 AM	+Jenny Haase CDA SUNDAY	J.Meister CDA Court #2398
SUN	10/15/23	11 AM	St. Rose of Lima Parishioners +Manuel & +Nellie Garcia +Patsy Abalos & +Danny Garcia	St. Rose of Lima M. Garcia M. Garcia
SUN	10/15/23	5 PM	+Joan Foesig For the restoration of the Marriage of Alex & Erika Morales	T. Pratt E. Morales
TUES	10/17/23	8 AM	+Jacob & +Joseph Hernandez Marvin Rios Health-Well-being- Happy Birthday Blessings	L. Rios St. Rose of Lima



*Tuesday October 17th, Memorial of Saint Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr*  
*Wednesday October 18th, Feast of Saint Luke, Evangelist.*

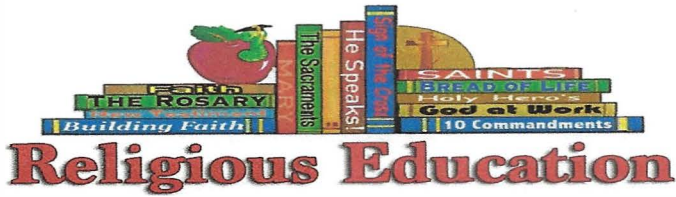
*Thursday October 19th, Memorial of Saints John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priest and Companions, Martyrs*



**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.**



## St Rose of Lima Religious Education



Please bring your children to Mass with you weekly and remind them to continue collecting bulletins with their name and 2023-24's grade, with Father's signature. Anyone preparing for a sacrament in 2023-24 needs signed bulletins.

For those children who had not met the bulletin requirement for Communion in April, call 928-965-5223 when your child has the required number

**Classes are in session. The bus is running.**

### 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.

## Upcoming EVENTS

**Oct. 17:** RE Open House is Tuesday. Mass is at 6 PM followed by Open House in the Volunteer Hall at 7 PM. Open House is for parents/families to meet their child's RE teach, see the materials, and pick up your child's Prayer booklet so you can help them learn their prayers. Please bring finger food, bars, or cookies to share.

**Oct. 19:** There are no RE classes on Thurs. due to Safford Parent Teacher Conferences.

**Oct 29:** Heads up! There will be a costume contest for K- HS children on Halloween Sunday. Prepare now by creating the costume. Costumes should be of saints, religious figures, or spiritual leaders. After the 4PM Mass, there will be a potluck in the Volunteer Hall to celebrate, judge the costumes, and award prizes for the best costumes. (Adults can dress in costume too, but will not be in the contest.) Hamburgers and Hotdogs will be provided. Please bring a side dish or something sweet to share.



## ST. ROSE OF LIMA YOUTHGROUP

**High School Teens:** You are invited to come and join us in praise and worship, games, hanging out and growing deeper in your faith..

**Next Youth Group Class**

**Sunday, Oct 29th 9:30-10:45**

**Class will be in the CAVE (next to the Parish Office) Upcoming Fundraiser October 21st**

If you have any questions or want to help with youth group, contact Amanda Torrio  
928-228-6474

Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity. 1 Timothy 4:12

### CONFIRMATION 1 & 2

**Class Sun 9/24 9:30 AM in  
St. Matthew and St Mark classrooms**



**Class Oct 15  
Oct 22  
Oct 29  
Nov 5  
Nov 12**



**Thank you to all of you who helped at the hall making burros! You really made a difference!**

### RCIA ADULT CLASSES FOR CONFIRMATION

**6:15. pm after 5 pm mass St Mark classroom  
Class Oct 15**



**Oct 22  
Oct 29  
Nov 5  
Nov 12**



**Thank you to all of you who helped at the hall making burros! You really made a difference!**



# HALLOWEEN MASS

## OCTOBER 29, 2023

All students (K–12) are invited to dress as their favorite Saint, or Religious Figure.

Prizes will be given for the best costume. Potluck after Mass. Mass will be held on Sunday, 10/29/2023 @ 4 PM instead of 5 PM.

Hamburgers and Hotdogs will be provided. Please bring a side dish or something sweet to share.

If there are any families that would like to purchase a prize please call the Parish Office.



### 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 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.



## Catholic Men's Conference

Tucson 8:30 AM - 6:00 PM on Saturday, November 4, 2023

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish  
8650 N Shannon Rd

You are invited to join men from across the Diocese of Tucson in our annual Men's Conference on Saturday, November 4, 2023. This year's conference will feature keynote presentations from nationally recognized speakers - **Tim Staples and Michael Gormley**



General Admission \$45.00  
College Students \$25.00  
High School Students \$10.00

For more information or to register, please visit  
<https://tucsonmensconference2023.rsvpify.com>  
or scan this Google QR Code with your phone



## WOMEN'S DAY OF RENEWAL

**SATURDAY – OCTOBER 28, 2023**

**ST. RITA IN THE DESERT CATHOLIC CHURCH HALL**

**13260 E Colossal Cave Rd, Vail, AZ**

8:15 am registration, Coffee & fellowship

9:00 am retreat begins & 4:45 pm retreat ends

**This day of renewal will include fellowship, praise & worship, teachings, prayer, healing & a fresh touch of the Holy Spirit! Come and ignite the fire of God's love in your life! The cost is free but a love offering will be requested.**



## DEVOTIONAL CANDLES

**SUGGESTED DONATION AMOUNT IS**

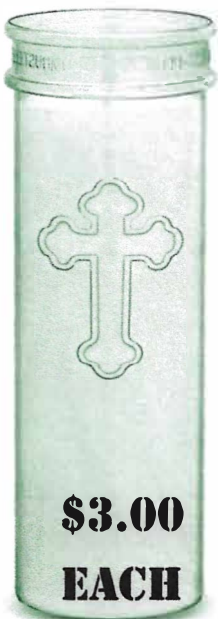
**LARGE (7 day) CANDLES \$3.00 EACH**

**SMALL (10 hour) CANDLES \$1.00 EACH**

**This is to ensure the Parish  
can keep**

**\$3.00  
EACH**

**purchasing these sizes of candles.**



**\$1.00  
EACH**



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Safford, AZ  
928-348-9340



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928-428-7427

Tues - Thurs 5 pm - 9 pm  
Fri - Sat 5 pm - 10 pm



428-4000

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Paul Dube  
Grand Knight  
602.527.0700

Meets 1st Wednesdays at 6 p.m.

**Walneck's**

Safford Sewing Center  
Jeff & Virginia Walneck  
Parishioners  
Hwy 70 & 3rd Ave  
928-428-0494

**La Casita Cafe**

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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.

In St. Matthew's room



Sacred Heart of Jesus  
Immaculate Heart of Mary



Intercede for Us



**Michael R. Andazola**

Chairman

**Bob Rivera**

Vice Chairman

**Guadalupe Lupe**

**Munoz PE**

Secretary/Treasurer

**CURSILLO LEADERSHIP**

For more information,  
contact

St. Rose of Lima Parish Office  
928-428-4920



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**ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL**

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DEFEND US IN BATTLE.

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

MAY GOD REBUKE HIM, WE HUMBL Y 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.



**Our Lady of Guadalupe**  
**Gift Shop**  
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**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 prayer-group leader is encouraging us to write our own prayers for our meetings. Don't you need some formal religious training to write prayers? Will our prayers count?***

It's given to every human being to be able to pray. On the level of the spiritual life, prayer is as basic as breathing is to physical life. Everyone at every moment has the grace to say a prayer.

Sometimes I ask people, "Do you pray?" At times they tell me they don't. Then I ask them, "Well, do you talk with God?" And most answer, "Of course." That's praying.

When writing your prayers, I suggest you use this ancient definition as inspiration: Prayer is the raising of the mind and heart to God. I'm sure your prayers will be that in word and feeling, and they will count.

When writing more formal prayers, it's nice to include the prayer elements the Church considers important: adoration of God, contrition and sorrow for sin, thanksgiving for life and for God's care of us in good times and bad, and petition for what we desperately need in our poverty. And for you, a final word. Remember that no matter how bad things may get, no matter how out of control things feel, you always have the gift and power of saying a prayer. Especially in time of temptation—when things really go bad—ask Mary your Mother to pray with you. ●

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### **MONDAY**

October 16  
Weekday  
Rom 1:1-7  
Lk 11:29-32

### **TUESDAY**

October 17  
St. Ignatius of  
Antioch, Bishop  
and Martyr  
Rom 1:16-25  
Lk 11:37-41

### **WEDNESDAY**

October 18  
St. Luke,  
Evangelist  
2 Tm 4:10-17b  
Lk 10:1-9

### **THURSDAY**

October 19  
Sts. John de  
Brébeuf and  
Isaac Jogues,  
Priests, and  
Companions,  
Martyrs  
Rom 3:21-30  
Lk 11:47-54

### **FRIDAY**

October 20  
Weekday  
Rom 4:1-8  
Lk 12:1-7

### **SATURDAY**

October 21  
Weekday  
Rom 4:13,  
16-18  
Lk 12:8-12

### **SUNDAY**

October 22  
Twenty-ninth  
Sunday in  
Ordinary Time  
Is 45:1, 4-6  
1 Thes 1:1-5b  
Mt 22:15-21



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## **A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS**

***The banquet hall is filled with the "excluded," those who are "outside," those who never seemed worthy to partake in a feast, in a wedding banquet. In fact, the master, the king, tells the messengers: "Call everyone, both good and bad. Everyone!"....He prepares his banquet for everyone: the just and sinners.***

**ANGELUS, ROME, OCTOBER 11, 2020**