# WELCOME!

Our Lady of the Mountains and All Saints Catholic School



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# Office Hours

8:30a.m. ~ 5:00p.m. Monday through Friday Closed for lunch 12:30-2:00p.m.

# Staff

Fr. Michael Bucciarelli Pastor Sr. Carol Seidl School Principal Parish Secretary Donna Parsons Business Manager Teresa Mullen Religious Ed Kathleen Shilson Youth Ministers Chris & Suzi Smith Maintenance Joe Laird School Secretary Joelle Landers

## Deacons

Jim Burke, Bill Merritt, Rodger Miller, Jose Huerta-Nunez, Reynaldo Romo, Jim Schaff, Gene Tackett

# Pastoral Council

President Deacon Bill Merritt
Vice President Richard Chapman
Secretary Marianne Adams

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Board of Directors
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George Kirmse
Doug Shough

Business Manager Teresa Mullen
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Sr. Carol Seidl
Manny Trujillo



#### **Living God's Word**

Unlike those who were baptized by John, we were baptized "with the Holy Spirit" (Mark 1:8). If that is so, then "what sort of persons ought" we to be? Like Isaiah, John, and Peter, we ought to be both heralding and "hastening the coming of the day of God" (2 Peter 3:12).

#### Vivamos la Palabra de Dios

A diferencia de aquellos que fueron bautizados por Juan, nosotros fuimos bautizados "en el Espiritu Santo: (Marcos 1:8). Si es asi, que clase de personas debemos ser? Al igual que Isaias, Juan y Pedro, debemos anunciar y esperar "la venida del dia del Senor" (2 Pedro 3:12).

# Mass Schedule

Mon, Wed, Thurs  $\sim$ 7:00am Tues  $\sim$ 8:00am Fri  $\sim$ 8:10am Saturday Vigil 5:00pm Sunday 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am (Spanish) & 5:00pm Holy Day of Obligation: Varies see inside

## Other Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick ~ By appointment

 $\frac{Baptism}{classes} \sim By \ appointment \ only. \ Registration \ \& \ Baptism$  classes required. Please call Parish Office.

<u>Marriage</u> ~ Minimum 4 months advance notice.

Please call Parish Office.

<u>Confessions</u> ~ Saturday 4p.m. or anytime by appointment.



December 6, 2014 ~ Saturday

5:00p.m. ₽Brooke Coates by Monica Whitlock

\$\forall \text{Felicidad & Cerela Dalora by Wanda Balbuena}

December 7, 2014 ~ Sunday

**\$**Frank Romero by Barbara Adric 7:30a.m.

‡Anna Wallace by Mo Pryor

₱Raymond Stevenson by Peggy Stevenson 9:30a.m.

11:30a.m. Missa pro populo

5:00 p.m. **†**Ken Coerper by Dancers Etc.

December 8, 2014 ~ Monday

Int. for Linda Stanley by The Wick Family 8:10a.m.

6:00p.m. Missa pro populo December 9, 2014 ~ Tuesday

Int. for Linda Stanley by The Wick Family 8:00a.m.

December 10, 2014 ~ Wednesday

7:00a.m. Connie & Starr Gil by Richard & Karen Ward

**December 11, 2014 ~ Thursday** 

7:00a.m. No Mass

For the sick of the Parish 7:00p.m. December 12, 2014 ~ Friday

8:10a.m. Patricia Scholss by the Romero Family

Anna Wallace by Tom & Joan Sushinsky

December 13, 2014 ~ Saturday

Vocations to the Franciscan Sisters of Christian 5:00p.m.

Charity

December 14, 2014 ~ Sunday

**‡**Stella Kromer by Margie Stahlmann 7:30a.m.

‡Anna Wallace by Mo Pryor

9:30a.m. **♥**Ken Coerper by Dancers Etc.

11:30a.m. Missa pro populo

For the deceased of the Parish 5:00p.m.



The Statue of Our Lady of Fatima Will be at the home of Delores Martins until Dec. 13th

# WANTED: YOUTH MINISTER

Our Lady of the Mountains is looking for a Catholic adult willing to share his/her faith with the youth of the parish. This part-time paid position is available. Please contact the parish office at 378.2720 for more information. Perhaps you are the person being called to guide our youth into the future of our Church.

# **ADORATION** I WAIT FOR YOU



Please join us for Adoration on the Thursthe Blessed Sacrament day before first Friday of each month. All are invited to spend an hour with our Lord.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

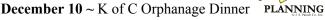


Strengthening Our Faith	Monday	9:30am 6:30p.m.
Women's Hispanic Bible	Tuesday	10:30a.m.
School Spelling Bee	Tuesday	1:00p.m.
Confirmation	Tuesday	7:00p.m.
Baptism Class	Wednesday	6:30p.m.
K of C Orphanage Dinner	Wednesday	6:30p.m.
Divine Mercy	Thursday	2:00p.m.
Chaplet	Thursday	3:00p.m.
K of C	Thursday	6:30p.m.
Festival Volunteer Dinner	Saturday	6:15p.m.
Posadas	Saturday	7:00p.m.
Confessions	Saturday	4:00p.m.

#### December

**December 8** ~ Church Office closed for

Immaculate Conception Holy Day



**December 11** ~ Our Lady of Guadalupe

Vigil at 7:00pm

**December 13** ~ Posadas begins 7:00 p.m.

**December 15** ~ Penance Service @ St. Andrew's 7:00pm

**December 17** ~ Penance Service @ Holy Family 7:00pm

**December 18** ~ School Christmas Concert 1:00pm &

6:00pm

**December 19** ~Strong Catholic Families

December 24, 25, 26 ~ Church Office closed

**December 26** ~ No Mass

December 31, January 1 ~ Church Office closed

# **Christmas Mass Schedule**

December 24~ 4:00p.m., 6:00p.m.,

8:00p.m.

9:30a.m., 11:30a.m. December 25~

December 26~ No Mass



# Schedule for Next Weekend

Dec 13/14

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Sat, 5:00p.m. Chelsea Ng, Ian Pottebaum, Margaret

Sommerhauser

<u>Sun, 7:30a.m.</u> Bobby Widhalm, Ken Brewer, Judith Gordon

Sun, 9:30a.m. Paige Carter, Danny & David Coronado

Sun, 5:00p.m. Annette Herrera, Jaime Hernandez, Lora

Lorentsen

#### Lectors

**Sat, 5:00p.m.** (1) R. Loomis (2) D. Sims

**Sun, 7:30a.m.** (1) J. Brunette (2) J. Gordon

Sun, 9:30a.m. (1) Sr. Carol (2) A. Lee

Sun, 5:00p.m. (1)C. Alejandro (2) B. Jans

#### **Eucharistic Ministers**

Sat, 5:00p.m. RayAnn Bondarek, Betsey Hartwigsen, Joel

Childs, Mary Sosa

**Sun, 7:30a.m.** Barbara Kuttner, Rita Pender, Frank & Linda

Smith

Sun, 9:30a.m. Mary Burke, David & Laura Gilcreest, Carmen

Sodies

Sun, 5:00p.m. Bill Hansen, Leonor Huerta Nunez, Joe Schulte,

**Gerald Wertis** 

**Ushers** 

Sat, 5:00p.m. Al & Cacilia Eckles-Edmund

Sun, 7:30a.m. Mark Lobner, Dave & Maria Waldmann

Sun, 9:30a.m. Alicia Rackers, Manny & Robin Garcia

Sun, 5:00p.m. Keith Mullen, Doris Ortiz

# Linens

Lisa Locke

#### **Saints and Special Observances**

Sunday: Second Sunday of Advent: Pearl Harbor Remem-

brance Day

Monday: The Immaculate Conception of

the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday: St. Juan Diego

Wednesday: International Human Rights

Day

**Thursday:** St. Damasus I **Friday:** Our Lady of Guadalupe

Saturday: St. Lucy





#### **MINISTRIES AND CONTACTS**

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Adoration, Delores Martins	803-0325
All Saints Catholic School	378-7012
/	10-578-7905
AVE Neighbor, Jan Ross	378-1754
Baptism Class, Steffani Hays (En)	678-6739
Dcn. Reynaldo Romo (S	• /
Bereavement, Dcn. Jim Schaff	378-2332
Blanket Ministry, Phyllis Ballard	378-3192
Bulletin Folding, Pat Jensen	803-1052
Compliance Officer, Dcn. Jim Schaff	378-2332
Charismatic Prayer , Dcn. Bob Sadorf	378-1527
Cursillo, Spanish, Jesus De La Rosa	378-1056
Dancers Etc., Doris Sims	417-0092
<b>Divine Mercy Cenacle</b> , Liz Nelson	378-6836
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b> , Dave Gilcreest	458-7135
Justa Valles	378-1837
Gift Shop, Millie Dalton	459-3889
Hispanic Spiritual Dir, Dcn. Romo	559-2400
Holy Rosary Group, Rosa Javelosa	226-0478
<b>Hospital Euch. Ministers</b> , Joel Childs	378-9415
Jail Ministry, Dcn. Gene Tackett	378-6501
Knights of Columbus, Gary Imdieke	803-0302
Lectors, Mark Lobner	458-5609
Leonor Huerta-Nunez	459-1967
Linens, Laura Gilcreest	458-7135
<b>Liturgical Planning</b> , Dcn. Bill Merritt	220-2235
Marriage Ministry, Dcn. Jose & Leono	r 459-1967
Huerta-Nunez	
Money Counters, Barbara Wedge	378-7086
Music Ministry, Jo Merritt	241-8337
Prayer Garden, Doris Sims	417-0092
Rectory Project Mgr. Keith Mullen	266-4230
Religious Education	378-2720
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (	RCIA)
Dcn. Jose & Leonor Huerta-Nunez	459-1967
St. Vincent de Paul	378-2720
Strengthening Our Faith, Betty Jans	378-0554
Mo Pryor	335-6056
Ushers/Greeters, Dave Waldmann	378-0159
Gloria Dutton	378-3486
You Are Not Alone, Suzanne DeRosier	458-6903
Young at Heart, Pat Wagner	803-0722
Youth Group, Suzi & Chris Smith	255-8153



We welcome the addition of names of parishioners and family members who are <u>HOSPITALIZED</u> or <u>CRITICALLY ILL.</u>

Names of <u>CHROINICALLY ILL PARISHIONERS</u> and <u>FAMILY MEMBERS</u> are in our <u>BOOK OF PETITIONS</u>, which is in the back of the church. You and your loved ones are in our prayers daily.

Patrick Barry-Piccirilli (grandson of Mary Piccirilli), Lorraine Schieffer (formerly #110),Linda Smith #124, Dimitar Stoyanof #121, Katrina Chovich (sister of Pat Hortien)#107, Sue Backus (daughter-in-law of Stan & Jan Ross)#104, Pamela Warren, Tom Bannan & Julie Fulton (son & daughter of Tom & Carol Bannan) #116, Susan Gwiazda #124, Sue Zook (formerly of #123), Ivy Penix (sister of Tim Penix)#112, Michael Martin (nephew of Phyllis Ballard)#102, Kaitlyn Wildenthaler (niece of Phyllis Ballard) #102, Jim Wedge #106, Georgia Romero (sister in law of Barbara Adric)#116, Deacon Rodger Miller #112, Luke Garcia (grandson of Jeanne Herbert #114), Carmelyn Borroz #115, Calla Kindred #105, Jackie Bisby (daughter of Sue Zook) #123, Barbara Adric #116, Pat Robertson#112, Don Allan & Roger Lee Vander-Heyden (sons of Leon & Laura Vander-Heyden)#101, George Kirmse #101, Robert "Bob" Lusignan #105.

#### **Praying the Rosary**

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Do you truly love our blessed Mother and her beloved Son, Jesus Christ? If your answer is a resounding YES then let us pray the Rosary often as our genuine love offering to Them. Praying it does not only open our hearts and minds to Jesus' life, passion and glorification but also gives us all a chance to allow His Mother to draw us closer to Him at the foot of His Cross and share His glorious Resurrection. Praying the Rosary is a precious privilege. Feel free to share this privilege by joining us every Saturday afternoon at **4:10 PM before the 5:00 PM Mass.** Graces will surely be poured on us, our Church and our country with God's love and mercy. WE must always trust Jesus and Mary to keep Their salvation promises for all those who pray the Rosary.



The small Christian Community of "Morning Doves" will not meet at all in December. Their next meeting will be January 7, 2015.

The **Charismatic Prayer Group** has cancelled their meeting on Monday, December 8<sup>th</sup>. They will meet again the following week December 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.

## **OLM Monthly Stewardship Report**

#### November 2014

November 1/2	\$7,269.15
November 8/9	\$4,962.15
November 15/16	\$4,075.40
November 22/23	\$4,197.80
November 29/30	\$3,797.15
Online contributions as of 11/30/2014	\$4,571.00
Total Church Contributions	\$28,872.65

Total contributions of \$ 35,000.00 + monthly are needed to meet OLM obligations + Operations reserve and future needs.

#### OLM Special Contributions: Inc. online 11/30/14

Building Fund/Capital Imp.	\$0.00
Mortgage Reduction	\$746.00
Rectory Building Fund	\$1,950.00
Save Our School	\$2,543.00
* *Other Church Contributions	\$1,447.00

#### Fiscal Year: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015

\$132,619.64 \$4,723.64
\$12,765.21 \$150,108.49
\$156,382.55
\$2,775.04 <b>\$-9,049.10</b>

GOAL: (12 x \$35,000.00) \$420,000.00 Contributions % to date of our goal 35.74 %

Current No. of OLM Families: 1008



## MARRIAGE TIP OF THE WEEK

Christmas is traditionally a time when adult children return home and blended families gather in unique and complicated ways. This can be both joyous and stressful as family systems reshuffle. Be patient.

Heavenly Treasures Gift Shop

The Heavenly Treasurers Gift Shop is open before and after the weekend masses. The gift shop is also open during the week Mon-Fri 9:00am-

4:00pm by coming to the Parish office.



Segundo Domíngo de Advíento 7 de Díciembre de 2014

**Hispanic Ministry Contacts** 

Acolitos	Esperanza Avitia	803-9861	
Lectores	Leonor Huerta	459-1967	
Cursillos	Jesus De La Rosa	378-1056	
Bienvenida	Gloria Dutton	378-3486	
Coro	Maria Acuna	378-2319	
Eucarista Ministres	Justa Valles	378-1837	

## Para El Proximo Fin De Semana

#### Programa De Acolitos

Austin Hedglen Zennia De La Rosa Angelica De La Rosa

#### Programa De Ministerios De Eucarista

Nicolas y Esperanza Avitia Rosa Herrera Elvia Romo

#### **Programa De Lectores**

Teresa Aguirre y Edi R Mont'ros



#### Consejo Matrimonial de la Semana

Navidad es tradicionalmente una ocasión cuando los hijos adultos regresan a casa y familias mezcladas se reúnen en formas únicas y complicadas. Esto puede ser tanto alegre como estresante al reorganizar los sistemas familiares. Ten paciencia.





In today's Gospel John the Baptist urges us to "Prepare the way of the Lord," and this is what Advent is all about. We are called to help prepare the way of the Lord by making the real meaning of Christmas come alive in our own

hearts, in our family and to reach out to those in need.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help the suffering and poor to celebrate Christmas.



#### **OLM COUNCIL 10799**

Grand Knight, Gary Imdieke 803-0302

There will be no OLM Council 10799 or 4th Degree Monthly Business Meeting in Dec. Next Monthly Business Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, 8 Jan 2015.

A 2nd/3rd Degree Exemplification is scheduled in Tucson on Sunday, 4 Jan 2015. Council Membership Director, Tom Whipp will send additional information out to Council members.

Wheelchair/Walker - Anyone having a need for a wheelchair and/or walker should contact OLM Knights of Columbus contact: Al Edmond at 458-5060.

The **Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Drive** at OLM & Holy Family were a success again this year, thanks to your efforts. A total of 206 shoeboxes, including 77 from Holy Family Parish on Fort Huachuca, were collected. The shoeboxes go to over 100 countries, including Iraq this year, where they will be distributed to Syrian refugees living in camps for displaced persons. Thank you for your generosity and thank you to Brother Al Bordelon and our other Knights for coordinating the drives at OLM & Holy Family Parishes.

JMJ

Weekly Readings, 08 - 14 Dec 2014

Monday: The Immaculate Conception

Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk

1:26-38

Tuesday: St. Juan Diego

Is 40:1-11; Mt 18:12-14 Is 40:25-31; Mt 11:28-30

Wednesday: Is 40:25-31; Mt 11:28-3 Thursday: St. Damasus I, Pope

Is 41:13-20; Mt 11:11-15

Friday: Our Lady of Guadalupe
Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a;

12:1-6a, 10ab; Lk 1:26-38

**or** Lk 1:39-47

Saturday: St. Lucy

Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Mt 17:9a, 10-13

Sunday Third Sunday of Advent

Is 61:1-2a, 10-11; R Ps Lk 1:46-50, 53-54; 1 Thes 5:16-24;

Jn 1:6-8, 19-28



#### **All Saints Catholic School News**

Mon., Dec. 8th-8:10am Mass for holyday Immaculate Conception

Tues., Dec. 9th-2:00pm Spelling Bee in parish hall Thurs., Dec. 11th-Choir carols at Prestige Assisted Living Fri., Dec. 12th-No School Mass; 12:45 dismissal

#### **All Saints School Christmas Program**

Thursday, December 18th-1:00pm Matinee performance and 6:00pm Evening Performance in Our Lady of the Mountains Parish Hall.



This week's happenings with AMP'D:
Sunday, December 7th
Youth Group
& Teen Mass to follow
3:15pm in Hall

THE FOLLOWING WEEK: SUNDAY, DEC. 14<sup>TH</sup> YOUTH GROUP @ 3:15PM

## Regular Weekday Youth Ministries office hours:

Tues. - Fri. 10:00am - 12:00pm

Regular Meeting Times = Sundays – 3:15 to 4:45pm in the Parish

Youth Ministers = Suzi & Chris Smith

**Phone**: OFC = 515-5764 / Suzi = 255-8153 / Chris = 255-8152

# Quote of the Week

God loves us; we need only to summon up the humility to allow ourselves to be loved.

- Pope Benedict XVI



#### GOSPELS AND QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

# 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent, Mark 1:1-8 Patience

December 7

<u>Adults:</u> With whom could you be more patient this week, as God has been patient with you?

Children/Youth: With whom could you be more patient?

Next Week's Gospel Preparation 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent, John 1:6-8, 19-28 Bringing Joy Through Justice December 14

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

**December 21 – December 28** No classes, Christmas break

#### **CHRISTMAS STORY PLAY**

This Christmas the children in grades pre-k through 4 of the religious education program will be acting out the Christmas story at 4:00 p.m. just before the Christmas Eve Vigil Mass.

If your child would like to participate please return the form your child will bring home today, December 7 to your child's catechist next <a href="mailto:Sunday.December14">Sunday.December 14</a>, or email the information to Kathleen <a href="mailto:Shilson@clmaz.org">Shilson@k.shilson@clmaz.org</a>. Information required includes Child's name, age/grade, parent name, phone, e-mail.

IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE THERE IS A MANDATORY REHEARSAL ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20, at 10:00 A.M.

If you are able to help in any way please contact Kathleen Shilson, 378-2733, k.shilson@olmaz.org.

Remember not only to say the right thing in the right place: but far more difficult still, to leave unsaid the wrong thing at the tempting moment.(Benjamin Franklin)

## **IMPORTANT MESSAGE:**

Pope Francis has called for a special year-long focus on consecrated life, asking the church's religious sisters, brothers and priests to "wake up the world" with their testimony of faith, holiness and hope. He will open the year with a celebration in Rome on the First Sunday of Advent, November 30, 2014. The Diocese of Tucson joins Pope Francis and the Church throughout the world affirming Consecrated Religious throughout this time designated as the Year of Consecrated Life. Events will be sponsored throughout the year for the renewal of religious life, for the celebration of the witness of members of religious orders and as an invitation to young people to consider a religious vocation.

Bishop Gerald F. Kicanas will inaugurate the year in our Diocese with a special Liturgy at St. Augustine's Cathedral on December 14, 2014 at 10:00 A.M. Please join us as we *Wake up the World!* You can open the link to the Logo we are using for the Year of Consecrated publications in English and Spanish at http://www.vocationnetwork.org/articles/show/432

# CTSO <u>Catholic Tuition Support Organization</u> Get Credit now for a good deed

Catholic education combines a quality curriculum that nurtures faith development, provides strong academics, high-expectations, and promotes respect for one another. Take advantage of the tax credit and receive a dollar-for-dollar tax credit. Brochures are in the back of church or visit <a href="https://www.ctso-tucson.org">www.ctso-tucson.org</a> for online giving.

#### Prayer of the Faithful

"We pray for those who are consecrated to God by the vows of chastity, poverty and obedience. May they always reveal the love of Christ to those they encounter and continue to enrich our world by their dedicated lives of prayer, let us pray to the Lord."

"We pray for all those who are discerning their vocation in life, particularly those whom the Lord is calling to consecrated life. May they be given the wisdom to hear God's call and the courage to respond generously, let us pray to the Lord."



All are invited to the Vigil Mass for Our Lady of Guadalupe on Thursday, December 11 beginning at 6:30pm. This is the 483<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of the apparition of the Virgin to San Juan Diego on Tepeyac mountain in the City of Mexico. We will begin with a procession, Mass, a short play by the children of the community followed by the rosary. Please join us for this beautiful evening in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

# IF YOU PAY ARIZONA INCOME TAX, YOU CAN CLAIM THE CHARITABLE TAX CREDIT!

The Arizona Charitable Tax Credit makes it possible for you to donate up to\$400.00 as a married couple filing jointly, or \$200.00 as an individual filer. You receive a dollar-for-dollar credit when you file your taxes.

Plus, thanks to recent legislation, you no longer have to itemize deductions on your state income tax return to claim the credit! The money you would otherwise pay in taxes can benefit your community through the organizations that you choose. The Charitable Tax Credit is in addition to, and completely separate from, the private school tuition and public school tax credits.

This is a wonderful opportunity to help support your local Cochise County Senior Home Delivered Meals Program

- 1. Make a donation by December 31st, 2014
- 2. Complete Arizona Tax Form 321 and include it with your state return
- 3. Your donation may also be claimed as a charitable deduction on your federal income tax.

Please make checks payable to:

C.C.S Sr. Nutrition

(Catholic Community Services Senior Nutrition

P.O. Box 1027, Benson, AZ 85602