

FOURTH SUNDAY

OF *Advent*

Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord.
May it be done to me
according to your word.

Luke 1:38



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DECEMBER 20, 2020

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Mass Times

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 8:00am

Wednesday 5:30pm

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm

Sunday 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am (Spanish) & 5:00pm
**AS OF 12/1, DAILY MASS IS SUSPENDED
PER THE DIOCESE**

Other Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick ~ After Mass on First Friday or by
Appointment

Baptism ~ By appointment only. Registration & Baptism
classes required. Please call Parish Office.

Marriage ~ Minimum 6 months advance notice. Please call
Parish Office.

Confessions ~ Saturday 4p.m. or anytime by appointment.

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Parish Office Hours

8:30am ~ 5:00pm Mon-Fri



December 19, 2020 ~ Saturday

5:00p.m. †Bill Whitlock & Brooke Coates by Monica Whitlock

December 20, 2020~ Sunday

7:30a.m. †David Canedy by Debra Canedy
Deceased members of the Jensen Family by Pat Jensen
†Deborah Ann Kneeeper by Richard & Cindy Christenson

9:30a.m. †Anthony Nagel by Elizabeth Ordway
11:30a.m. For the people of the Parish
5:00p.m. †Lauren Schulte by Joe & Shivaun Schulte

December 21, 2020 ~ Monday

8:00a.m. For the people of the Parish

December 22, 2020 ~ Tuesday

8:00a.m. For all souls in purgatory

December 23, 2020 ~ Wednesday

5:30p.m. For the sick of the parish

December 24, 2020 ~ Thursday

4:00p.m. For the intention of the Pastor
6:00p.m. †Lauren Schulte by Joe & Shivaun Schulte
8:00p.m. For the people of the Parish

December 25, 2020 ~ Friday

9:30a.m. For the intention of the Pastor
11:30a.m. For the intention of the Pastor

December 26, 2020 ~ Saturday

5:00p.m. †Pat Schable by Ilse Schable
†Karl & Anna Gruber by Ilse Schable

December 27, 2020 ~ Sunday

7:30a.m. †Dick Jensen by The Jensen Family
9:30a.m. †George Bays by Wanda Balbuena
11:30a.m. For the people of the Parish
5:00p.m. †Anna Kaufman by Richard & Debbie Laszok

CHRISTMAS MASSES

Masses are still limited to 72 people

Thurs, Dec. 24th Christmas Eve
4:00pm & 6:00pm (Children's Masses)

8:00pm Evening Vigil Mass

Fri, Dec. 25th Christmas Day
9:30am & 11:30am (Spanish)

Thurs, Dec. 31st New Year's Eve Mass at
5:30p.m.

Fri, Jan. 1st New Year's Day Mass at 10:00a.m.



Solemn Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**Adoration
I wait for you
An Invitation**

Join us for Adoration every Friday from 8:30am-9:30am & again from 7:00pm to 8:00pm. Please join us and remember we are still following the CDC protocols.



The Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be at the home of Carmen Sodies until December 27th.

Saints and Special Observances

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Advent
Monday: Winter begins
Wednesday: St. John of Kanty
Thursday: The Vigil of Christmas
Friday: The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)
Saturday: St. Stephen; First Day of Kwanzaa

Do watch EWTN or livestream a Sunday Mass? If you would like to follow along with the readings and prayers, we have a few new missals. The cost is \$5 to help cover the cost of the book. If you are interested in purchasing the 2021 St. Joseph Missal, we have a limited supply. The cost is \$7. Please contact the Parish office.



The Parish & School staff would like to extend a very Merry Christmas to all our parishioners. We thank you for all your generosity during this very uncertain time we are living in. May God bless you and keep you healthy & safe.



El personal de la parroquia y escuela de Nuestra Señora De Las Montañas te desea una muy Feliz Navidad. Te agradecemos por toda tu generosidad durante estos tiempos difíciles que estamos viviendo. Que Dios te bendiga y te mantenga seguro y con buena salud.



Schedule for Next Weekend

Dec. 26/27

Altar Servers

Sat, 5:00p.m. Michael & Sean Ledger, James Kirkpatrick

Sun, 7:30a.m. Bobby Widhalm

Sun, 9:30a.m. Isaac, Lucia & Max Kjolsrud

Sun, 5:00p.m. Aidan & Nadia Valeri, Ken Brewer

Lectors

Sat, 5:00p.m. (1) John Niesel

Sun, 7:30a.m. (1) John Brunette

Sun, 9:30a.m. (1) Carmen Sodies

Sun, 5:00p.m. (1) Sherry Zimmerman

Eucharistic Ministers

Sat, 5:00p.m. Joel Childs, David Gilcreest

Sun, 7:30a.m. Laura Hansen, Melissa Unger

Sun, 9:30a.m. Theresa Childs, Cecilia Coleman

Sun, 5:00p.m. Pam Ray, Margarita Sage

Ushers

Sat, 5:00p.m. Joe Spurgeon

Sun, 7:30a.m. Joe Spurgeon

Sun, 9:30a.m.

Sun, 5:00p.m. Mo Pryor



MINISTRIES AND CONTACTS

Adoration , Liz Nelson	378-6836
Phyllis Ballard	378-3192
All Saints Catholic School	378-7012
Altar Servers , Barry & Tess Nelson	803-7089
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Baptism Class , Kathleen Shilson	378-2720
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Blanket Ministry , Phyllis Ballard	378-3192
Bulletin Folding , Pat Jensen	803-1052
Compliance Officer , Christine Unrein	378-2720
Charismatic Prayer , Parish office	378-2720
Dancers Etc. , Doris Sims	417-0092
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Eucharistic Ministers , Dave Gilcreest	458-7135
Justa Valles	378-1837
Gift Shop , Parish Office	378-2720
Hispanic Spiritual Dir , Dcn. Romo	559-2400
Hospital Euch. Ministers , Judy Tritz	803-1728
Betsey Hartwigsen	249-3887
Jail Ministry , Margarita Fate	227-1194
Knights of Columbus , Tom Stevenson	559-1809
Lectors , Mark Lobner	458-5609
Mayra Velasquez	236-7134
Monica McCall	378-2720
Linens , Laura Gilcreest	458-7135
Liturgy Committee Barbara Brown	378-2720
Marriage Preparation , Parish office	378-2720
Money Counters , Susan Lydakis	732-939-9199
Music Ministry , Vacant (call Parish ofc)	378-2720
Parish Project Mgr. , Keith Mullen	266-4230
Prayer Garden , Doris Sims	417-0092
Religious Education , Kathleen Shilson	378-2720
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Kathleen Shilson	378-2720
St. Vincent de Paul	378-2720
Ushers/Greeters , Melissa Unger	378-1578
5pm Sat, 730am & 930am Sun	
11:30 am Sun, Gloria Dutton	378-3486
5 pm Sun, Mo Pryor	335-6056
You Are Not Alone , Vern Smith	685-3591



NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS...

If we become Available and Vulnerable,
we can Expect great things!

We welcome the addition of names of parishioners and **family members who are HOSPITALIZED or CRITICALLY ILL. Names of CHRONICALLY ILL PARISHIONERS and FAMILY are in the back of the church. You and your loved ones are in our prayers daily.**

Virginia Padia (sister of Barbara Adric) #116, Cesar Herrera (grandson of Esperanza & Nicolas Avitia) #107, Jim & Sharon Mabery #105, Ted & Mary Alice Adamczyk #109, Judy Carroll #111, Robert Gunthner (brother of Cecilia Coleman #119), Gregory Coleman (son of Cecilia Coleman #119), Grace Neal (cousin of Lorene Shough #116), Hipolito Ocasio Perez (brother of Irma Ramos #124), Arlene Chepinski #108, Cynthia Cary #124, John Knight (brother of Mary Kay Holcomb #101), David Gaston Smith (grandson of Barry & Jean Gaston #124), Alex Jon Neitring (grandson of Daryl Lynn Funke #125), Juan Lozano #103, Janet Smith (sister of Suzanne DeRosier #119), William Patrick Young (brother of Jerry Young #116), Marie Sloup #110, Shay Lamoreaux (grandson of Teresa Mullen #114), Angela & Antonio Mancillas (friend of Lupe Rulapaugh #109), Bill & Linda Wallace (sister & brother in law of Lupe Rulapaugh #109), Sandy Martin, Maria Harty & Luisa Limon (friends of Lupe Rulapaugh #109), Lupe Rulapaugh #109, Palmer Drews #118, Roy Rios (brother of Ana Escamilla #114), Felix Zeugner #107, Ralph Gosselin #107, Calla Kindred #105, Jim Perry #124, Barbara Slaughter #116, Mitchell Monroe (friend of Angie Miller #105), Frank Chavarria #108, Cathy & Nathan Lowe (friends of Jan Ross #104), Carolyn Sciarrino (sister of Ginny Sciarrino-Miller #112)

JMJ

Weekly Readings, 21 – 27 Dec 2020

Monday: Sg 2:8-14 **Or** Zep 3:14-18a; Lk 1:39-45

Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:24-28; Lk 1:46-56

Wednesday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24; Lk 1:57-66

Thursday: **Morning:** 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a-16; Lk 1:67-79

Friday: **Vigil Mass:** Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25
Night: Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-3, 11-13; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14
Dawn: Is 62:11-12; Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3:4-7; Lk 2:15-20
Day: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18

Saturday: **St Stephen, First Martyr**
Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Mt 10:17-22

Sunday: **The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph**
Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 **Or** Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3; Ps 128:1-5
Or 105:1-6, 8-9; Col 3:12-21 **Or** Col 3:12-17 **Or** Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19;
Lk 2:22-40 **Or** Lk 2:22, 39-40



OLM MONTHLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

December 2020

December 1	\$215.00
December 2-8	\$8,772.09
December 9-15	\$4,430.00
December 16-22	\$
December 23-29	\$
December 30-31	

Total Church Contributions	\$13,417.09
OLM Special Contributions-incl. online giving	
Building Maint Fund/Capital Imp.	\$707.00
Support Our School	\$450.00
Other Church	\$749.00

Fiscal Year Stewardship Report

Fiscal Year: July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021

Total Church Contributions	\$134,873.64
Total Other Church Contributions	\$4,618.95
Total Parish Activities/ Other Income	\$6,975.79
Total YTD Contributions/Income	\$146,468.38
YTD Expenses	\$167,825.01
Total year to date income	- \$21,356.63

Annual Fiscal Year Goal

Monthly: 35,000.00 X 12= \$420,000.00
34.87%

Contribution % to date of goal

Current No. of OLM Families: 994

Christmas Collection as 12/8/2020 \$150.00



Marriage Tip of the Week

As we wait for Christmas, it's a good time to develop the virtue of patience. Focus on being patient today, especially with your family members. Offer up the frustrations that come from things not going the way you had planned.



CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

Time is running out! If you are interested in purchasing a plant in memory or honor of your loved one, please call or stop by the office. Due to the restrictions with Covid, we will not be putting out the normal envelopes for the poinsettias. Suggested donation is \$10.00



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**20 de Diciembre de 2020
Cuarto Domingo de Adviento**

Consejo Matrimonial de la Semana



Mientras esperamos la Navidad, es un buen momento para desarrollar la virtud de la paciencia. Concéntrate en ser paciente hoy, especialmente con los miembros de tu familia. Ofrece las frustraciones que provienen de las cosas que no van como lo habías planeado.



The Jim Click Millions for Tucson Raffle 2020 Edition raised \$1,010,950 this year with 294 Tucson and Southern Arizona charities participating! The drawing was held on Friday, December 11, and the winners were called, while the event was broadcast on Facebook live. And the winners are:

Yadira Tiznado of Tucson won the third prize of \$5,000 (ticket sold by Our Lady Queen of All Saints, Tucson); Melinda Correll of Tucson won the second prize of two plane tickets (ticket sold by Spay and Neuter Solutions of Tucson); and Doug and Deb Justus of Twinsburg, Ohio will receive a 2020 Ford F-150 Platinum (valued at \$63,410) (ticket sold by American Cancer Society in Arizona). Congratulations to the winners and all of the charities who participated!



Imagine how Mary felt at the birth of Jesus; excited, awed, frightened. Deep faith was her light in the darkness, for Jesus was born during the night of the year when darkness is the longest.

Your gift to St. Vincent de Paul brought light into the darkness surrounding the heart of those living in poverty bringing them the real, lasting, and deep joy of Christmas.



OLM Council 10799

Grand Knight ~ Tom Stevenson
559-1809

Brothers, we are still observing the rules of our diocese and our state council guidelines. **Continue to be healthy and safe.** Charity, Unity and Fraternity (CUF) On-Line Exemplifications. Supreme is pleased to invite you to a special, online ceremony of admission and advancement. These ceremonies, known as exemplifications, are normally done in person. However, due to current social distancing precautions, we now offer these ceremonies online. You may participate in any one of the following scheduled events. After the 30-minute ceremony, you will be a third-degree Knight of Columbus. To participate in the ceremony immediately, use the "On Demand" link and the 30 minute ceremony will start upon completion of your registration. **Note:** Contact Financial Secretary James Tomko for additional information and scheduling at e-mail: james.tomko@cox.net or call 249-6492.

Thank you all that assisted with donations of toys and clothing for the council's Catholic Community Service.

Council FACEBOOK. You are invited to come and what your Knights of Columbus are up to. Find us on FACEBOOK: OLM Knights of Columbus Council #10799.

- Masses for the Consecration to the Holy Family at OLM on **Sat/Sun, 26-27 Dec.**
- Officers meeting (virtual) is scheduled for **Mon/4 Jan 21 at 6pm.**
- Business meeting is scheduled for **Thurs/14 Jan 21 at 6:30pm (virtual).** Appoint nominations Election Committee.

On-going: Wheelchairs/walkers. Anyone having a need for a manual wheelchair or, please contact Chuck Everding at 234-4120.



All Saints Catholic School

School News!

School will now be online due to the increased numbers of Covid in AZ & Cochise County. We pray our students, staff and families continue to stay safe during this pandemic. We hope to return after the Christmas/New Year's break. We will keep everyone updated.

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HELP WANTED!

We are in need of a couple of people to be the main leads in these ministries.

- 1. Heavenly Treasures Gift Shop
- 2. Arts & Environment

If you think you would like to volunteer for either one or both of these ministries, please call the Parish office for more information.

OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish office will be CLOSED on Dec. 24th & 25th in observance of the Christmas Holiday. We will reopen on Mon, Dec. 28th at 8:30am.

Also Dec. 31st & Jan 1st & we will reopen on Jan. 4th at 8:30am.



Gospels and Questions of the Week

4th Sunday of Advent, Luke 1:26-38

Acceptance of God's Will

December 20, 2020

Adults: How do you open your heart to what God wants for you? How do you follow the pathway that leads to happiness?

Child/Youth: Is there something hard you need to do this week? What might make it easier?

Next Week's Gospel Preparation
Feast of the Holy Family, Luke 2:22-40
Compassion
December 27, 2020

What A God!

Ponder the achievement of God.
He doesn't condone our sin, nor does he compromise his standard.
He doesn't ignore our rebellion, nor does he relax his demands.
Rather than dismiss our sin, he assumes our sin and, incredibly, sentences himself.
God's holiness is honored. Our sin is punished...and we are redeemed.
God does what we cannot do, so we can be what we dare not dream:
perfect before God. (Max Lucado)



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