

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH

DECEMBER 27, 2020

*Simeon said,
“Now, Master, you may
let your servant go in peace,
according to your word,
for my eyes have
seen your salvation.”*

Luke 2:29-30

Copyright © J.S. Paluch Co. Inc. • Photos: © Renáta Sedmáková /Adobe Stock,
Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass © 2001, 1998, 1997, 1986, 1970, CCD.



STAFF

Pastor	Fr. Michael Martinez
Business Manager	Teresa Mullen
Parish Secretary	Donna Parsons
Compliance/Acct. Asst.	Christine Unrein
Religious Ed	Kathleen Shilson
Maintenance	Shawn Crippen
Custodian	Martha De La Rosa
School Principal	Carmen Rosado
School Secretary	Melissa Borges

DEACONS

Jose Huerta-Nunez, Tim Krieski,
Reynaldo Romo, Robert Sadorf (Ret.),
Jim Schaff (Ret.), Gene Tackett

PASTORAL COUNCIL

President	Keith Mullen
Vice President	Troy Lopes
Secretary	Mo Pryor

FINANCE COUNCIL

Chairman	Andrew Kjolsrud
Co-Chairman	George Adames
Secretary	Vacant
Members	Patrick Ledger, Fernando Valenzuela, Richard Laszok & Doug Shough
Business Mgr.	Teresa Mullen
ASCS Principal	Carmen Rosado

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President	Fr. Mike
Vice President	Fr. John Arnold
Secretary	Mo Pryor
Treasurer	George Adames
Director	Bishop Weisenburger

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.

Our Lady of the Mountains Church

All Saints Catholic School

1425 Yaqui St. Sierra Vista, AZ 85650

(520) 378-2720 Fax (520) 378-6825

Email: office@olmaz.org www.olmaz.org

School: (520) 378-7012 www.ascsz.org

Parish Office Hours

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



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

December 28, 2020 ~ Monday

8:00a.m. †Humberto Montano by Elda Montano

December 29, 2020 ~ Tuesday

8:00a.m. †Rita Pryor by Mo Pryor

December 30, 2020 ~ Wednesday

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

December 31, 2020 ~ Thursday

5:30p.m. †Damiana Balbuena by Wanda Balbuena
†Ruben Cervetillo by Carmen Sodies

January 1, 2020 ~ Friday

10:00a.m. Teopista Tukes by Wanda Balbuena

January 2, 2020 ~ Saturday

5:00p.m. †Frank & Eva Wolf Family by Gloria Bickler
†Brooke Coates by Monica Whitlock

January 3, 2020 ~ Sunday

7:30a.m. For the people of the Parish
9:30a.m. For all those suffering with COVID 19
11:30a.m. For the intention of the Pastor
5:00p.m. For all the sick of the Parish

THERE WILL BE NO ADORATION ON FRI, DEC. 25TH OR FRI, JAN 1ST. WE WILL RESUME ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 8TH

NEW YEAR'S MASSES

Masses are still limited to 72 people



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

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

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.



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 Yolanda Zeugner until January 4th.

Saints and Special Observances

- Sunday: The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph
- Monday: The Holy Innocents
- Tuesday: Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord; St. Thomas Becket
- Wednesday: Sixth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord
- Thursday: Seventh Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord; St. Sylvester I; New Year's Eve
- Friday: The Octave of the Nativity of the Lord; Mary, the Holy Mother of God; World Day of Prayer for Peace; New Year's Day; First Friday
- Saturday: Ss. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen; First Saturday

FEAST OF FAITH

Processions

Why does the liturgy begin with a procession? It is not just a practical matter of getting the ministers of the liturgy from the sacristy to the sanctuary. The procession is a powerful sign of who we are as Christian people. We are not static, staying in one place. We are going somewhere. Our procession leads us to the altar, sign of Christ's presence in our midst. We move, we process, because we recognize our need for what Christ is preparing for us at that table. We go forward eagerly, because we are hungry for that heavenly food.

This procession is an orderly one: servers, deacon, priest presider. Each is set apart by distinctive vesture: albs for the altar servers, dalmatic for the deacon, chasuble for the priest. The procession is an image of the hierarchical structure of the Church. On a deeper level it is an image of unity in diversity. We are all on a journey to the heavenly city, but each of us is clothed with different gifts. We all receive the call to service, but not in the same way. Only by coming together in all our wonderful variety can we achieve the work of the kingdom.



Schedule for Next Weekend

Jan. 2/3, 2021

Altar Servers

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** Caelan & Christie Jensen
Sun, 7:30a.m. Autumn Young
Sun, 9:30a.m. Conner Anderson, Alanna Strnad
Sun, 5:00p.m. Michael & Sean Ledger, Krista Valenzuela

Lectors

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** (1) Richard Loomis
Sun, 7:30a.m. (1) Laura Hansen
Sun, 9:30a.m. (1) Aeneas Anderson
Sun, 5:00p.m. (1) Julian Valenzuela

Eucharistic Ministers

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** Margarita Sage, Carlos Zenizo
Sun, 7:30a.m. Richard & Cindy Christenson
Sun, 9:30a.m. Jordan Grice, Vern Smith
Sun, 5:00p.m. Pam Ray, Carlos Zenizo

Ushers

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** Joe Spurgeon
Sun, 7:30a.m. Joe Spurgeon
Sun, 9:30a.m.
Sun, 5:00p.m.



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
Arts & Environment , Parish office	378-2720
AVE Neighbor , Jan Ross	378-1754
Baptism Class , Kathleen Shilson	378-2720
Dcn. Reynaldo Romo (Sp)	559-2400
Bereavement , Dcn. Jim Schaff	378-2332
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
Divine Mercy Cenacle , Liz Nelson	378-6836
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), Dr. Ferris Hallmark (friend of Calla Kindred #105)

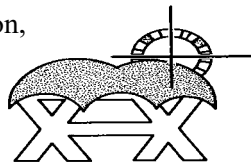
JMJ

Monday: 1 Jn 1:5 — 2:2; Ps 124:2-5, 7b-8; Mt:13-18
Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-3, 5b-6; Lk 2:22-35
Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-10; Lk 2:36-40
Thursday: 1 Jn 2:18-21; Ps 96:1-2, 11-13; Jn 1:1-18
Friday: Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21
Saturday: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28
Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12



The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

My eyes have seen your salvation,
which you have prepared
in the sight of all the peoples.
— Luke 2:30-31



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	\$5,262.90
December 23-29	\$
December 30-31	

Total Church Contributions	\$18,679.99
OLM Special Contributions-incl. online giving	
Building Maint Fund/Capital Imp.	\$709.00
Support Our School	\$757.00
Other Church	\$909.00

Fiscal Year Stewardship Report

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

Total Church Contributions	\$140,136.54
Total Other Church Contributions	\$4,778.95
Total Parish Activities/ Other Income	\$7,099.79
Total YTD Contributions/Income	\$152,015.28
YTD Expenses	\$167,799.19
Total year to date income	- \$15,783.91

Annual Fiscal Year Goal

Monthly: 35,000.00 X 12= \$420,000.00
36.19%

Contribution % to date of goal

Current No. of OLM Families: 994

Christmas Collection as 12/8/2020 \$290.00



Marriage Tip of the Week

The intensity of this time right before Christmas can be fun but also draining. When you feel stressed, keep repeating the mantra, "Jesus is the reason for the season." If you keep this in mind, what's important and what isn't will sort itself out.



Fr. Mike would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy & Healthy New Year. He is currently quarantined at the rectory until Dec. 30th. He is battling a head cold and although he tested positive for COVID 19 he is showing no symptoms. He thanks everyone for their prayers and he continues to pray for you all daily. Please stay safe & healthy in the New Year.



© J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

27 de Diciembre de 2020
La Sagrada Familia de Jesus,
Maria y Jose

Mis ojos han visto a tu Salvador,
 al que has preparado para bien
 de todos los pueblos.
 — Lucas 2:30-31

Consejo Matrimonial de la Semana



La intensidad de este tiempo antes de Navidad puede ser divertida pero también agotadora. Cuando te sientas estresado, sigue repitiendo: "Jesús es la razón de esta temporada". Si mantienes esto en mente, lo que es importante y lo que no es importante solo se priorizara.



Today is the feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. During our New Year may our families "grow in wisdom and have the favor of God upon them."

This month through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring Christmas to the hearts of the poor by assisting many families with food, clothing & assistance with utility bills. Thank You!



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 see what your Knights of Columbus are up to. Find us on FACEBOOK: OLM Knights of Columbus Council #10799.

- Officers meeting (virtual) is scheduled for **Mon/4 Jan 21 at 6pm.**
- OLM Christmas lights (outside) will be taken down on **Tues/5 Jan 21.** POC is Dale Berry.
- Business meeting (virtual) is scheduled for **Thurs/14 Jan 21 at 6:30pm (virtual).** Appoint nominations for Election Committee.
- Into the Breach meeting, **Thurs/21 Jan 21 at 6:30-7:30pm.** This is the last meeting and are looking for you, men of our parish to participate in a four-month adventure to become a better, person, father, brother, uncle, grandfather, and parishioner.
- Brother Knights, our blood drive from the American Red Cross (Tucson Chapter) is scheduled for **Sat/6 Feb 21 for 7-12:30pm** in the OLM Activity Hall with sign-ups for 23-24 & 30-31 January 2021 in the OLM Courtyard (if needed). You may also sign-up by emailing Tom Whipp at ddt13@cox.net or calling 378-1927.
- Assembly Business Meeting (virtual) is scheduled for **Mon/25 Jan** in the Columbian Hall. Rosary at 7 pm.
- **Patriotic Forth Degree Exemplification is scheduled for Sat/30 Jan 21. Point-of-Contact is Brother Chuck Everding at e-mail: azjhrpexsecsec@gmail.com or 520.234.4120 if any brother is interested in joining the patriotic degree.**

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 January 19th. We will keep everyone updated.

GET CREDIT NOW FOR A GOOD DEED AND MAKE YOUR 2019 TAX CREDIT CONTRIBUTION BY APRIL 15TH.

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. If filing as a single taxpayer you can give up to \$1,183, and a married couple filing jointly can contribute up to \$2,365. Brochures are in the vestibule or visit www.ctso-tucson.org for online giving.

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 office is closed on Christmas Eve & Christmas Day. We will reopen on Monday, Dec. 28th at 8:30am.

The Parish office will also be **CLOSED** on Dec. 31st & Jan 1st for the New Year's Holiday & we will reopen on Jan. 4th at 8:30am.



GOSPELS AND QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

Feast of The Holy Family, Luke 2:22-40
Compassion
December 27, 2020

Adults: How do your family members know that you are a compassionate person?

Children/Youth: What family member needs your compassion and kindness right now?

Next Week's Readings

Feast of the Epiphany, Matthew 2:1-12
Unexpected Gifts
January 3, 2021

Today we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family. This feast celebrates God's promise, alive in the consciousness of Israel since the time of Abraham, and the fulfillment of the promise with the birth of the Savior. The Holy Family, therefore, becomes for us a symbol of fidelity and selfless love that makes us work to increase the care and love we offer our own families.

There is no way our little minds can comprehend the love of God. But that didn't keep him from coming...

From the cradle in Bethlehem to the cross in Jerusalem we've pondered the love of our Father. What can you say to that kind of emotion? Upon learning that God would rather die than live without you, how do you react? How can you begin to explain such passion? (Max Lucado)





Family Tree
PLANNING

Protect Every Branch of Your Family Tree

- Living Trusts
- Wills
- Powers of Attorney

866.964.8563

We offer a no cost, education based, consultation. www.FamilyTreePlanning.com
Call today and ask about our parishioner discount.

We Want Your Business To Grow

What We Can Offer You and Your Business:

- Many ad size options to meet your budget in color or black and white
- One-on-one customer service to help build and design your ad
- The ability to change your ad up to 12 times per year

J.S. Paluch Company 1.800.231.0805

Consider Remembering Your Parish in Your Will.
For further information, please call the Parish Office.



LONG REALTY

A BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY AFFILIATE

Jocelyn T. Lawley

Associate Broker, Realtor, ABR, GREEN, SRES

Parishioner

OFFICE (520) 266-2568
WEB JTLawley.LongRealty.com
EMAIL JTLawley@LongRealty.com

2363 E. Fry Blvd.
Sierra Vista, AZ 85635



Let's Open the Door to Your New Home Together

WHY IS IT?
A man wakes up after sleeping under an ADVERTISED blanket on an ADVERTISED mattress and pulls off ADVERTISED pajamas bathes in an ADVERTISED shower shaves with an ADVERTISED razor brushes his teeth with ADVERTISED toothpaste washes with ADVERTISED soap puts on ADVERTISED clothes drinks a cup of ADVERTISED coffee drives to work in an ADVERTISED car and then refuses to ADVERTISE believing it doesn't pay. Later if business is poor he ADVERTISES it for sale.

WHY IS IT?

See Your Ad in COLOR

Call J.S. Paluch Today! 1.800.231.0805



Please Cut Out This "Thank You Ad" and Present It The Next Time You Patronize One of Our Advertisers

Thank You

Thank you for advertising in our church bulletin. I am patronizing your business because of it!

Andrew J. Kjolsrud, AAMS®
FINANCIAL ADVISOR
VICE PRESIDENT - INVESTMENTS
Personalized Investment Planning and Advice
P: 520-226-9107 | benjaminfedwards.com



Catholic Cruises and Tours and The Apostleship of the Sea of the United States of America
Take your FAITH ON A JOURNEY.
Call us today at 860-399-1785 or email eileen@CatholicCruisesandTours.com
www.CatholicCruisesandTours.com

FINDaPARISH.com

The Most Complete Online National Directory of Catholic Parishes

Check It Out Today!



SIERRA VISTA REALTY
EST. 1960

Brad Snyder
Realtor-Associate Broker

Parishioner
Mobile: 520.227.6694
Office: 520.458.4388

eMail: Brad@BradSnyder.com
301 N. Garden Ave, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

TAKE-OUT AVAILABLE
Come in and try it, you'll like it!
Country House Restaurant
4373 S. Hwy 92 • 378-4400

Monty's Motors Inc.
Complete Auto Service, Repairs
Original Owners since 1956
458-2061 601 Fry Blvd., SV
www.montysmotors.com

Get this weekly bulletin delivered by email - for FREE!
Sign up here:
<https://www.jspaluch.com/BulletinSubscribe.aspx>
Courtesy of J.S. Paluch Company, Inc.



Your ad could be in this space!

Please Patronize
The Sponsors Who Appear On This Bulletin. It Is Through Their Support That This Bulletin Is Made Possible. Business Owners Interested In Advertising Please Call
J.S. Paluch 1-800-231-0805

ONE PARISH
Grow in your faith, find a Mass, and connect with your Catholic Community with OneParish!
Download Our Free App or Visit MY.ONEPARISH.COM