

# Our Lady of the Mountains Church All Saints Catholic School

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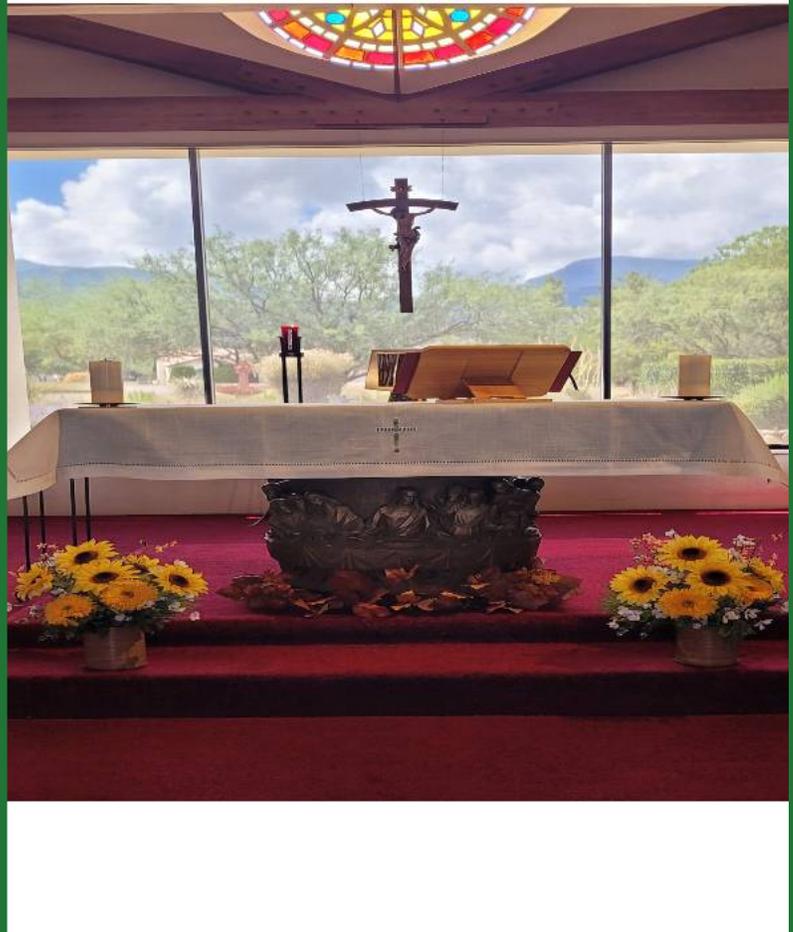
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8:30am ~ 5:00pm Mon-Fri

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*October 20, 2024*

*Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

## 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  
 First Saturday of the month Mass at 9:00am followed by Anointing of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick

~ By Appointment or First Saturday

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.

**Mass Intentions  
For The Week**



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**October 19, 2024 ~ Saturday**

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

✚ Frank & Eva Wolf Family by Gloria Bickler

**October 20, 2024 ~ Sunday**

7:30a.m. ✚ Stan & Jan Ross by Joe & MaryLou Spurgeon

Int. for Andrea Nyland by Kathleen Shilson

9:30a.m. ✚ Mark Salvador Mabesa by Carmen Sodies

✚ James Kimo Ng by Theresa O'Brien

✚ Colin Corrigan by Cameron Corrigan

11:30a.m. For all souls in purgatory

5:00p.m. Int. for Carrie Saba

**October 21, 2024 ~ Monday**

8:00a.m. For all souls in purgatory by Betty Jans

**October 22, 2024 ~ Tuesday**

8:00a.m. ✚ Oscar & Salome Palacio by Sylvia Clark

**October 23, 2024 ~ Wednesday**

5:30p.m. Int. for Jimmy Smith & Family by John & Fran Appel

**October 24, 2024 ~ Thursday**

8:00a.m. Int. for Richard & Marie Murphy by Betty Jans

**October 25, 2024 ~ Friday**

8:00a.m. ✚ Peg Knippel by Don Knippel

**October 26, 2024 ~ Saturday**

5:00p.m. ✚ Joseph Habas by Betty Jans

✚ Stan & Jan Ross by Ann Lee

**October 27, 2024 ~ Sunday**

7:30a.m. ✚ Sal & Donna Jaime by The Daughters

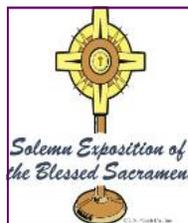
9:30a.m. ✚ Chito Dascil by Carmen Sodies

✚ Stan Ross by Knights of Columbus

✚ Jim Schwarz by Jocelyn Lawley

11:30a.m. For all souls in purgatory

5:00p.m. Int. for Carrie Saba



*Solemn Exposition of  
the Blessed Sacrament*

**Adoration  
I wait for you  
An Invitation**

There will be Adoration on Fridays from 8:30am to 9:30am and then again from 6:00pm to 7:00pm



The Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be at the home of Sherry Zimmerman until October 28.

**FATIMA PARDON PRAYER**

My God, I believe, I adore, I hope, and I love you! I beg pardon of You for those who do not believe, do not adore, do not hope, and do not love you! Amen!

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time;  
World Mission Sunday

Monday: St. John Paul II

Tuesday: St. John of Capistrano

Wednesday: St. Anthony Mary Claret

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Monday, Oct. 21**

5:30pm ~ Confirmation

6:00pm ~ RCIA Class

**Wednesday, Oct. 23**

8:30am ~ Spanish Legion of Mary

4:00pm ~ Divine Mercy

6:00pm ~ Spanish Choir

**Thursday, Oct. 24**

8:30am ~ Moms of Mercy

**Friday, Oct. 25**

8:30am ~ Adoration

6:00pm ~ Adoration

**Sunday, Oct. 20**

12:45pm ~ Spanish Bible Study



Jim Click tickets will be on sale in the courtyard on Nov. 9/10. Tickets are \$25 each or 5 for \$100. This is a great chance to support our school.



## **Schedule for Next Weekend**

**Oct 26/27**

### **Altar Servers**

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** Christie Jensen, Julianna Kousa-Padilla
- Sun, 7:30a.m.** Autumn & Jason Young, Ken Brewer
- Sun, 9:30a.m.** Barry & Tess Nelson, Connor Anderson
- Sun, 11:30a.m.** TBD
- Sun, 5:00p.m.** Nadia Valeri, Krista Valenzuela, Alannah Murphy

### **Lectors**

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** J. Tritz
- Sun, 7:30a.m.** (1) K. Shilson (2) L. Hansen
- Sun, 9:30a.m.** (1) D. L. Funke (2) C. Sodies
- Sun, 11:30a.m.** (1) Maria Teresa Morales
- Sun, 5:00p.m.** S. Zimmerman

### **Eucharistic Ministers**

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** Lois Moro, Carlos Zenizo
- Sun, 7:30a.m.** Kathleen Shilson
- Sun, 9:30a.m.** Theresa Childs
- Sun, 5:00p.m.** Margarita Fate

### **Ushers**

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** Monica Whitlock, Joe Spurgeon
- Sun, 7:30a.m.** Jose del Rosario, Joe Spurgeon
- Sun, 9:30a.m.** Lauren Pohl, Mike Gearty
- Sun, 11:30a.m.** Manny Trujillo
- Sun, 5:00p.m.** Roger Fate

### **Linens**

- October 20 Carmen Sodies  
November 3 Nancy Chestnut



## **MINISTRIES AND CONTACTS**

- Altar Servers**, Aeneas Anderson 249-9820
- Baptism Class**, Kathleen Shilson 378-2720  
Dcn. Reynaldo Romo (Sp) 559-2400
- Compliance Officer**, Carmen Rosado 378-2720
- Dancers Etc.**
- Divine Mercy**, Liz Nelson 234-4321
- Eucharistic Ministers**, Troy Lopes 209-678-1485
- Gift Shop**, Tonné Myers 508-7873
- Hispanic Spiritual Dir**, Dcn. Romo 559-2400
- Hospital Euch. Ministers**, Judy Tritz 220-2394
- Jail Ministry**, Margarita Fate 227-1194
- Knights of Columbus**, Paul Angelo 803-9608
- Lectors**, Paul Angelo 803-9608  
Mayra Velasquez 236-7134
- Linens**, Laura Gilcreest 458-7135
- Marriage Preparation**, Parish office 378-2720
- Money Counters**, Parish Office 378-2720
- Prayer Garden**, Parish Office 378-2720
- Religious Education**, Kathleen Shilson 378-2720
- Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**  
John Dodrill 378-2720
- Sacristans**, John Dodrill 378-2720
- Spanish Legion of Mary**, Yadira Zelaya
- St. Vincent de Paul** 378-2720
- Strong Catholic Families**, Amy Kjolsrud 459-2188
- Ushers/Greeters**, Donna Parsons 378-2720
- Welcome Committee**, Margarita Fate 227-1194
- You Are Not Alone**, Vern Smith 220-3620  
(Homebound Eucharistic Ministers)





## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS...

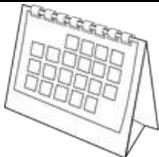
If we become Available and Vulnerable,  
we can Expect great things!

We welcome the addition of names of parishioners and **family members who are HOSPITALIZED or CRITICALLY ILL.**

Virginia Padia (sister of Barbara Adric), Cesar Herrera (grandson of Esperanza & Nicolas Avitia), Jim & Sharon Mabery, Judy Carroll, John Knight (brother of Mary Kay Holcomb), David Gaston Smith (grandson of Barry & Jean Gaston), Alex Jon Neitring (grandson of Daryl Lynn Funke), Angela & Antonio Mancillas (friend of Lupe Rulapaugh), Bill & Linda Wallace (sister & brother in law of Lupe Rulapaugh), Sandy Martin, Maria Harty & Luisa Limon (friends of Lupe Rulapaugh), Lupe Rulapaugh, Mitchell Monroe (friend of Angie Miller), Frank Chavarria, Elizabeth Young (daughter of Chris Young), Joe Widenthaler (relative of Phyllis Ballard), Caree Marcum (sister of Teresa Mullen), Patrick Hillstrom (son of Linda Sieruga), Priscilla Whitlock-Coates (daughter of Monica Whitlock), Cynthia Jaso (relative of Sharon Mabery), Mark Teeter (brother of Jocelyn Lawley), Ron Brewer (friend of Teresa Mullen), Roger Rech, David Hicks (friend of Phyllis Ballard), David Beard, Howard Campbell, Dawnette Cline, Jeff Petrovic, Victorina Cervetillo (mother of Carmen Sodies), Keith Mullen, Sue Cross (friend of Betsy Hartwigsen), Doug Shough

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Twenty-ninth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time;  
World Mission Sunday  
Monday: St. John Paul II  
Tuesday: St. John of Capistrano  
Wednesday: St. Anthony Mary  
Claret  
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary



### Mark your calendar!

Sign up Sunday/Ministry Fair will be held on the weekend of October 26/27 in the courtyard after all the Masses. This is the time for everyone to renew their commitment of service and for new sign ups. The ministry lead or someone from the ministry will be at a table for any questions you may have and for sign up.



## Marriage Tip

“The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control.” (Gal 5:22-23)

Which of these does your marriage need today?

### VOCATIONS

“What do you wish for me to do for you?” Listen closely to your heart. Is God calling you to consider a vocation to the priesthood or religious life? Let the grace of prayer encourage you. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at (520) 838-2531 or via email: [sherrera@diocesetucson.org](mailto:sherrera@diocesetucson.org).

### Pray the Holy Rosary at the Arizona Rosary Celebration

Plan to attend the Arizona Rosary Celebration, Saturday, October 26, 2024, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, 8650 N. Shannon Road, Tucson. The Most Reverend Edward Weisenburger, Bishop of Tucson, will preside. The celebration includes praying the Holy Rosary in front of the Blessed Sacrament, Benediction, music and a keynote address by Father Zachary of the Mother of God, a member of the Society of Our Lady of the Most Holy trinity (SOLT). This year we will honor Mary under her title, **“Our Lady, Queen of Peace.”**

Please pray for the success of this year’s Arizona Rosary Celebration. For more information, contact Dave Chohon at [1945dwc@gmail.com](mailto:1945dwc@gmail.com) or 520539-5528.

### Catholic Men’s Conference

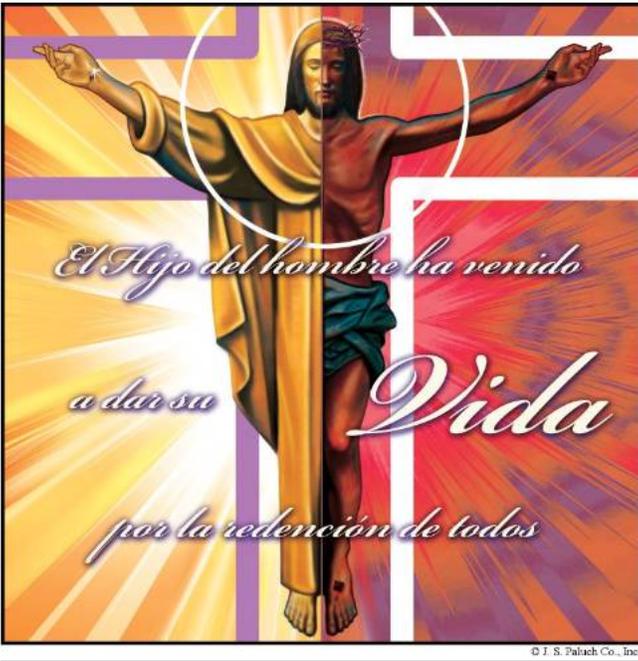
The 11th Annual Men’s Conference will be held on Saturday November 2, 2024 from 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Mass will follow from 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Register by accessing the following link...

[www.tucsonmensconference.org](http://www.tucsonmensconference.org)

### Pastoral Council ... Open Invitation

On 9 November, parishioners will have a wonderful opportunity to "Declutter" household stuff and earn a few \$\$ for Christmas. As of 27 September, there are 22 tables available for rent. Again, the rental fee is \$20 with the funds going to OLM's Operating Budget. Please see Donna for details and payment. A publicity campaign is planned to attract potential customers."



**20 de Octubre 2024**  
**29 Domingo Del Tiempo Ordinario**



### Consejo Matrimonial de la Semana

El fruto del Espíritu es amor, alegría, paz, paciencia, bondad, generosidad, fidelidad, mansedumbre, dominio propio". (Gálatas 5:22-23) ¿Cuál de estos necesita tu

matrimonio hoy?

### VOCACIONES

“¿Qué deseas que haga por ti? “Escucha atentamente a tu corazón. ¿Dios te está llamando a considerar una vocación al sacerdocio o a la vida religiosa? Deja que la gracia de la oración te anime. Hable con su sacerdote o comuníquese con la Oficina de Vocaciones al (520) 838-2531 o por correo electrónico: [sherrera@diocesetucson.org](mailto:sherrera@diocesetucson.org)

### novena del rosario por la vida

Una novena es un period de oración sostenida durante nueve dias por una intención particular. Se anima a los miembros de la parroquia a orar en sus hogares en cada uno de los nueve días del la novena. La intención particular de esta novena es la vida, especialmente la derrota de la propuesta electoral que amplía la disponibilidad del aborto en los Estados Unidos. Nuestro obispo Weisenburger nos ha alertado sobre la proposición 139 y solicita que, como católicos, votemos NO a su aprobación.

La Novena por la Vida comenzará en las Misas del 26 y 27 de octubre. La oración familiar en el hogar debe centrarse en el Rosario. La Novena concluirá en las Misa del lunes 4 de noviembre, el día anterior al día de las elecciones.



In the Gospel today Jesus tells his disciples: “Anyone among you who aspires to greatness must serve the rest; whoever wants to rank first among you must serve the needs of all.”

When you give the furniture, household items and clothing you no longer use to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, you give hope to your neighbors who have nothing.



OLM Council 10799

Grand Knight  
Paul Angelo 803-9608

### Charity, Unity and Fraternal (CUF) Degree

**Exemplification:** CUF Exemplification is held on the 1st Thursday of each month. The new CUF Exemplification has been created to encourage family and friends of the candidates to share in the experience. **Note:** Contact Membership Director Aeneas Anderson for additional information and scheduling at e-mail:.

### On-going events:

We are getting out to help our community and fellow Knights.

### October:

19-20 Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes will be distributed in the OLM Courtyard after all Masses. Lead Carlos Zenizo. Volunteers needed.

21 - Assembly Mtg w/Rosary at 7pm and meeting thereafter.

26 - Rosary Celebration in Tucson. Lead Jose Del Rosario.

### November:

1 - All Saints Day.

2 - All Souls Day

2-3 Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes drop off in the OLM Courtyard after all Masses. Volunteers needed.

2-3 Blood Drive Signups in the OLM Courtyard after all Masses.

BINGO support at the Columbian Hall is ongoing. POC for volunteering is FS James Tomko at 520-249-6492 or [James.tomko@cox.net](mailto:James.tomko@cox.net).

Wheelchairs/walkers. Anyone having a need for a manual wheelchair or walker, please contact Chuck Everding at 520-234-4120 or [cdeverding@msn.com](mailto:cdeverding@msn.com).



## All Saints Catholic School School News!

Open enrollment is ongoing for the new school year 2024-2025. Currently we have 92 students enrolled. School Masses are every Thursday at 8:00am. School Rosary every Friday at 11:00am. They will be in the courtyard the weekend of Nov. 9/10 selling Jim Click Raffle tickets. \$25 each or 5 for \$100. They are also available by stopping by the school or parish office. You may also check us out on Facebook!

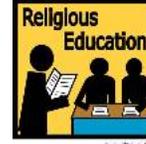


If you want to learn more about why Arizona's Catholic Bishops oppose Proposition 139 and Proposition 314 relating to the protection of human life and dignity, I encourage you to visit [www.azcatholicconference.org](http://www.azcatholicconference.org).

Hello Fellow Parishioners,  
This is your NET missionary, Julian Valenzuela. About 3 weeks ago we packed up our van and the 10 members of my team (Team 2) hit the road and gave retreats along the way. We ministered to youth in Minnesota and Illinois before finally making it to Cincinnati, Ohio, which will be our home base for the year. We have been staying with some wonderful host families and sharing God's love with them also. Over the last 2 weeks we have put on over 10 retreats for youth grades 6-12 and have received positive feedback from parishes, that the youth reported feeling closer to God than they have ever felt before. The Lord has been working through us in powerful ways and I ask that you keep myself, my team, and the youth we minister to in your prayers. As always, you remain in mine!

Thank You and God Bless,  
Julian Valenzuela

## FAMILY FAITH FORMATION



### Gospel and Questions of the Week

**29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Mark 10:35-45**

Quiet Sacrifice

October 20, 2024

**Adult:** Why is it hard to do good works if you will not be acknowledged for them?

**Children/Youth:** Are you willing to do a good deed even if no one knows that you did it? Why?

### Next Week's Gospel Preparation

**30th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Mark 10:46-52**

**The Eyes of Faith**

October 27

"People say that the doctrine of transubstantiation is difficult to believe; I did not believe the doctrine until I was Catholic. I had no difficulty in believing it as soon as I believed that the Catholic Church was the oracle of God, and that she had declared this doctrine to be part of the original revelation. It is difficult, impossible to imagine, I grant; but how is it difficult to believe?" (St. John Henry Newman)

John Henry Newman was canonized a saint this month. He was an Anglican priest before he converted to Catholicism and became a Catholic priest; eventually made a cardinal by Pope Leo XIII.

### Rosary for Life Novena

Our Bishop Weisenburger has alerted us to proposition 139 and is requesting that as Catholics we vote NO to its passage. A novena is a period of sustained prayer over nine days for a particular intention. The parishioners of OLM are encouraged to pray in their homes on each of the nine days of the novena. The particular intention of this novena is life, especially the defeat of election proposal that extend the availability of abortions in the USA. The Novena for Life will begin at Masses on October 26/27. Family prayer in the home should focus on the Rosary. The Novena will conclude at Mass on Monday, November 4, the day prior to Election Day.

## **Rosary for Life**

### **Opening Prayer**

Almighty God, Our Father, You have given us life to know, love and serve You in this world, grant us Your grace. Enlighten our minds to an awareness and to a renewed conviction that all human life is sacred because it is created in Your image and likeness. Help us to teach by word and the example of our lives that human life is precious because it is the gift of God whose love is infinite. Give us the strength to defend human life against every influence or action that threatens or demeans it, as well as the strength to make every life more human in all its aspects.

### **Intentions for Each Mystery**

1. Give us the grace when the sacredness of life before birth is attacked, to stand up and proclaim that no one has the authority to destroy unborn life.
2. Give us the grace when a child is described as a burden or is looked upon only as a means to satisfy an emotional need, to stand up and insist that every child is a unique and unrepeatable gift of God, a gift of God with a right to a loving and united family.
3. Give us the grace when the institution of marriage is attacked, to affirm fathers and mothers in their vocations to build the domestic church.
4. Give us the grace when the sick, the aged or the dying are abandoned in loneliness, to stand up and proclaim that they are worthy of love, care and respect.
5. Give us the grace when basic necessities are denied the poor, to stand up and reaffirm the demands of justice and to work for their relief and defense.

### **Closing Prayer**

Almighty Father, give us courage to proclaim the supreme dignity of all human life and demand that society itself give its protection. We ask this in Your name, through the redemptive act of Your Son and in the Holy Spirit. Amen.

## **Rosario por la Vida**

### **Oración de apertura**

Dios Todopoderoso, Padre nuestro, nos has dado la vida para conocerte, amarte y servirte en este mundo, concédenos tu gracia. Ilumina nuestras mentes a una conciencia y a una convicción renovada de que toda vida humana es sagrada porque fue creada a Tu imagen y semejanza. Ayúdanos a enseñar con la palabra y con el ejemplo de nuestra vida que la vida humana es preciosa porque es un don de Dios, cuyo amor es infinito. Danos la fuerza para defender la vida humana contra toda influencia o acción que la amenace o la degrade, así como la fuerza para hacer que cada vida sea más humana en todos sus aspectos.

### **Intenciones para cada misterio**

1. Danos la gracia de levantarnos y proclamar que nadie tiene la autoridad para destruir la vida no nacida.
2. Danos la gracia de que cuando un niño es descrito como una carga o se considera solo como un medio para satisfacer una necesidad emocional, nos pongamos de pie e insistamos en que cada niño es un don único e irrepetible de Dios, un regalo de Dios con derecho a una familia amorosa y unida.
3. Danos la gracia cuando se ataca la institución del matrimonio, de afirmar a los padres y madres en sus vocaciones para construir la iglesia doméstica.
4. Danos la gracia de que, cuando los enfermos, los ancianos o los moribundos son abandonados en la soledad, nos levantemos y proclamemos que son dignos de amor, cuidado y respeto.
5. Danos la gracia, cuando a los pobres se les niegan las necesidades básicas, de levantarnos y reafirmar las exigencias de la justicia y de trabajar por su alivio y defensa.

### **Oración final**

Padre Todopoderoso, danos valor para proclamar la dignidad suprema de toda vida humana y exigir que la sociedad misma dé su protección. Te lo pedimos en Tu nombre, a través del acto redentor de Tu Hijo y en el Espíritu Santo. Amén.



# GARAGE SALE



## OLM Declutter Event Sign-Up Form

**Background:** Your OLM Parish Council invites parishioners to participate in its first Parish Hall Sales Event aka as the “Parishioner Declutter Event”. It provides parishioners the opportunity to declutter household goods while raising personal funds for Christmas.

**Date: 9 November 2024**

**Times: 0700 – 0800 Set-up; 0800 – 1200 Sales; 1200 Take-Down; NLT 1PM Removal**

**Groundrules:**

- No explosives, firearms or weapons allowed.
- No paper or electronic pornography
- Since the event will be open to the public, individuals must comply with Health Department Guidelines for selling homemade goods .... Contents of goods, etc.
- No furniture
- One Table / Parking slot per parishioner
- Tables and parking slots rented on a first come paid basis
- Each parishioner will be responsible for their own money/transaction funds

**Fees:**

- \$20 for OLM table and 2 chairs inside Parish Hall
- \$20 for designated parking slots (table and chairs not supplied)
- Paid fees will go to OLM’s Operating Expense Account

**Sign-up:**

**Name (Printed):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Forms and registration fee are due to the Parish office no later than Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> 5pm. Tables are limited, first come first serve.**

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **I understand and will comply with the above Groundrules.**

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fee Paid Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **(OLM Office Initials)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Assigned Table Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Parishioner Notified:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: Our goal is to make this an enjoyable event; therefore, if issues arise that affect parishioner participation, we will send out guidance, etc., via Email or phone message.**

**Our Lady of the Mountains Roman Catholic Parish - Sierra Vista**  
Simple Financial Statement

**Statement of Financial Position**  
as of June 30, 2024

ASSETS:

Cash & Investments - Available for Operations	707,505
Cash & Investments - Restricted	435,567
Receivables	0
Prepays & Other Assets	2,857
Land, Buildings, Equipment & Vehicles	3,863,074
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>5,009,003</b>

LIABILITIES:

Payables	44,783
Loans	0
Custodial Funds	435,567
Prepaid Tuition & Other Liabilities	752
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>481,102</b>
Unrestricted Net Assets	4,496,160
Restricted Net Assets	31,741
<b>Total Net Assets</b>	<b>4,527,901</b>
<b>Total Liabilities &amp; Net Assets</b>	<b>5,009,003</b>

**Statement of Activities**  
fiscal year ended June 30, 2024

REVENUES:

Offertory & Other Contributions	530,831
Capital Campaign Contributions	14,464
Grants & Bequests	259,047
School Tuition & Other Fees	390,765
Religious Education & Other Fees	14,761
Activity/Fundraising Revenues	22,784
Savings & Other Investments	4,599
Other Revenues	10,268
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>1,247,518</b>

EXPENSES:

Compensation	737,710
Benefits	199,406
Residency	18,645
Office Administration	40,838
Transportation	4,021
Maintenance Support	75,443
Programs & Fundraising	26,518
Diocesan Assessments	53,606
Professional Fees	0
Other Expenses	35,935
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>1,192,122</b>

**Net income (restricted + unrestricted)**

**55,396**

Less:

- Capital asset expenditures	0
- Debt payments or + proceeds	0
- Changes in pledge/notes receivables	0
- Changes in prepaid or other assets	(75)
- Changes in vendor payables	5,417
- Changes in all other payables/liabilities	(15,823)
- Unspent capital campaign funds	16,452

**Net unrestricted cash flow (loss)**

**61,367**



# Our Lady of the Mountains Parish

## Ministries

### **Altar Servers - Aeneas Anderson 520-249-9820**

Altar servers participate in the liturgical action of the Mass and assist the priest and deacon. Prior to the first time they serve, training and practice sessions are provided. Children must have made their First Holy Communion. This is a great way for children, couples, and even multiple generations of the same family to experience the joy of serving the community together.

### **Choir Parish Office 378-2720**

Singing is one of the primary ways the assembly of the faithful actively participate in the liturgy. The choir is the leader of the sung prayer. Each of our Masses has a “different flavor” and all the choirs need voices and instrumentalists to assist them in leading the congregation in common sung prayer. Rehearsal times vary depending on the choir. If you believe you could share your musical gifts with the congregation.

### **Dancers, Etc: Lorene Shough 803-9423**

Interested in learning new dances, performing for church fundraisers and the Annual Variety Show? We learn all types of dances. We need both men and women to dance in our shows. Join us for exercise and fun.

### **Divine Mercy—Liz Nelson 234-4321**

A group that meets to pray and learn about Divine Mercy through the writings of St. Faustina, whom Jesus entrusted to bring the message of his mercy to the world. The group seeks to promote devotion to the Divine Mercy in three degrees: in actions by doing the spiritual and corporal works of mercy; in words by sharing the devotions of the Divine Mercy, for example, Divine Mercy Sunday; in prayer by praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy for the needs of the world.

### **Eucharistic Ministers—Troy Lopes 209-678-1485**

Extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist are commissioned by the pastor to assist with the distribution of Holy Communion at Mass and to carry Holy Communion to the homebound. You must be a confirmed Catholic and 18 years of age or older. Extraordinary ministers must participate in a refresher training. New extraordinary ministers receive an orientation and participate in training with experienced extraordinary ministers before commissioning.

## **Gift Shop - Tonné Myers 520-508-7873**

A ministry in the gift shop is a chance to share God's love through interaction with people who stop in to shop or browse and look for Christian items to use for themselves or as gifts for others. We continue to encourage our parishioners and other community visitors to think about Christian gifts as a way to spread God's love. The gift shop ministry needs volunteers, both men and women, to open the gift shop after each weekend Mass. The ministry takes only 15 minutes after your chosen Mass.

## **Hospital Eucharistic Ministers—Judy Tritz 520-220-2394**

This ministry is performed on Saturdays or Sundays. Training in the proper handling and distribution of the Holy Eucharist is provided. These Eucharistic ministers provide the Eucharist and a prayerful visit to Catholic patients in the Sierra Vista Regional Health Center and nursing homes.

## **Homebound Eucharistic Ministers (YANA) - Vern Smith 520-220-3620**

YANA volunteers reach out to the homebound, ill and dying of our parish. Our primary mission is to offer weekday communion and visitation in private homes, nursing homes, and assisted living facilities.

## **Jail Ministry—Deacon Kurt Carlson 775-427-3565**

Teams visit Cochise County Jail in Bisbee on a Sunday evening and provide prisoners a communion service. We are in need of Spanish speaking volunteers as well as men for this ministry.

## **Knights of Columbus - Grand Knight Paul Angelo 520-803-9608**

This is a fraternal order of Catholic men who remain steadfast in their faith through works of charity and mutual encouragement. The Knights have set up an elementary system of insurance for family protection. Our principles of charity, unity, fraternity, patriotism and defense of the priesthood are derived from the truths of religion and underpin our every activity. Our council attempts to provide for the spiritual and cultural enrichment of all our members. We lend a helping hand to those in need and promise always to support our church and its youth. Outreach services to the community are extended through many diversified community and church-related projects.

## **Lectors - Paul Angelo 520-803-9608**

As lectors in the tradition of proclaiming the word to the community, the Holy Spirit provides you with the gift of being able to present the word to the community and the gift of being able to discern its meaning for yourself. This rewarding ministry is open to anyone and the required training sessions are for both new and continuing lectors.

## **Linens - Laura Gilcreest 520-458-7135**

Wash and iron church linens, i.e., purificators, towels and altar linens on a rotational basis.

## **Money Counters - Donna Parsons 520-378-2720**

Sharpen your accounting skills! Two volunteers count each Monday morning at 8:45am on a rotational basis. Please allow up to an hour for this activity depending on the number of weekend collections.

## **Prayer Garden –Merry Stone 360-301-4703**

The Prayer Garden at Our Lady of the Mountains is a sacred, quiet place where all are invited to pause and reflect on their journey of faith. Help is needed to keep our garden looking beautiful all year.

## **Religious Education (Catechist) - Kathleen Shilson 520-378-2720**

RE classes for grades 1-8 are held every Wednesday from 5:30pm-6:30pm. This is the time for sacramental prep as well. Confirmation classes are Mondays from 5:30pm—6:30pm and is a two year program. This is for students in grade 9 and above. **OCIA (Order of Catholic Initiation of Adults)** is also held Monday evenings at 6:00pm –7:00pm and is roughly a 7 month program. If you feel the Holy Spirit calling you to teach or even be a sub please contact Kathleen.

## **Sacristan—John Dodrill 951-259-5327**

A sacristan is instrumental in helping the priest set up the church and altar prior to Mass and also helps with putting everything away after the Mass.

## **Spanish Legion of Mary—Yadira Herrera 510-362-8199**

Legion of Mary is a worldwide organization that is dedicated to the devotion to our Lady by praying the rosary in Spanish daily. We meet on Wednesdays from 8:30am to 9:30am. Come join us!

## **St. Vincent de Paul—Ann Lee 378-2720**

Are you interested in helping and creating a positive impact in your local community? Volunteers are needed and welcomed to become part of a dedicated team who assist those who are poor, hungry, disadvantaged and/or in need of temporary financial aid. Assistance is provided by one on one “Case Work” providing financial support, emergency food/hygiene items, referral to appropriate community programs and sometimes just being a good listener. We also have Rita’s Pantry on the third Saturday of the month for food distribution.

## **Strong Catholic Families—Amy Kjolsrud 459-2188**

Strong Catholic Families, Strong Catholic Youth, is a parish ministry, supported by the Diocese of Tucson, designed to strengthen the faith of families and the future of our children. The focus of this ministry is to learn and grow in the practice of our Catholic faith amongst our own families and church community.

## **Ushers/Greeters –Donna Parsons 378-2720**

These ministers make everyone that enters the church feel welcome. They usher the faithful to their seats if needed, collect gifts and distribute bulletins. A training session is held to explain what is done before, during, and after Mass. New greeters are teamed up with experienced people.

## **Welcome Committee— Nancy Chestnut 608-963-4431**

We are a group who invites and gives a warm welcome to new parishioners to the Parish by having coffee & donuts and for them to get to know other parishioners.

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Our Lady of the Mountains Parish - Sierra Vista, AZ		
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Required Trainings

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**Safe Environment Program: Online Training & Policy Acknowledgments**

*(Includes Background Check Submission)*

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*(Includes Credit Check Submission)*

**Expires Every 1 Year**

Finance Management Training & Credit Check - Tucson

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Financial Acknowledgments; Diocesan Policy Review & Acknowledgments

Support

**Step 3** Fingerprinting required and cards are available at the Office.

We are extremely grateful for all the volunteers at Our Lady of the Mountains. If you need assistance with the process or have any questions including your volunteer status, please call the Parish Office.

*Thank you and God Bless*  
Susan Lydakis  
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A computer is available for you to use in the Parish Office to complete the compliance application process.



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### A Healing Prayer to St. Jude

Most holy Apostle, St. Jude, friend of Jesus, I place myself in your care at this difficult time. Pray for me; help me know that I need not face my troubles alone. Please join me in my need, asking God to send me consolation in my sorrow, courage in my fear, and healing in the midst of my suffering. Ask our loving God

to fill me with the grace to accept whatever may lie ahead for me and my loved ones, and to strengthen my faith in God's healing power. Thank you, St. Jude, for the promise of hope you hold out to all who believe, and inspire me to give this gift of hope to others as it has been given to me. Amen.

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