

Our Lady of the Mountains Church All Saints Catholic School

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www.ascnaz.org

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**December 14, 2025
Third Sunday of Advent**

Mass Times

Monday thru Friday at 8:00am

Wednesday 5:30pm

Saturday Daily Mass at 9:00am

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

Marriage

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

Confessions

~ Wednesdays from 4:30pm to 5:15pm or Saturday 3:30pm to 4:30pm or anytime by appointment.

Mass Intentions For The Week



December 13, 2025 ~ Saturday

9:00a.m. For the people of the Parish
 5:00p.m. Deceased friends & family of the Spurgeon Family by Joe & MaryLou Spurgeon

December 14, 2025 ~ Sunday

7:30a.m. †Stella & Jay Kromer by Margie Stalmann
 †John Baptist Hung by Mai Family
 †Augustino Khoa by Mai Family
 9:30a.m. Int. for Linda Wisnom by Ann Lee
 11:30a.m. †Rafael Herrera by Patty McCloskey
 †Benjamin Aguilar by Castro Family
 5:00p.m. †Gene Tackett by Mary Tackett

December 15, 2025~ Monday

8:00a.m. †Rafael Herrera by Yadira Zelaya
 †Julia & Pedro Velasquez by Raquel Goodwin

December 16, 2025 ~ Tuesday

8:00a.m. Int for Rudy Berger by Ann Lee

December 17, 2025 ~ Wednesday

8:00a.m. For the deceased of the Parish
 5:30p.m. †Ricky Leon by Elda Chapman

December 18, 2025 ~ Thursday

8:00a.m. †Carolyn DeMoranville by Ann Lee

December 19, 2025 ~ Friday

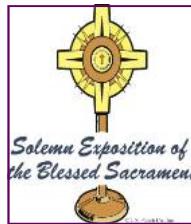
8:00a.m. †Ellen Angelo

December 20, 2025 ~ Saturday

9:00a.m. For the people of the Parish
 5:00p.m. †Cliff Bondarek, Barbara & Kelly O'Brien by RayAnn Bondarek
 †Grace Loesch by RayAnn Bondarek

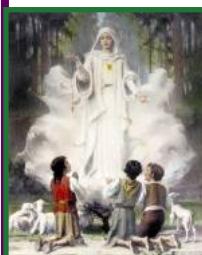
December 21, 2025 ~ Sunday

7:30a.m. †AnnaCardillo by Alfred & Theresa Cardillo
 †John Baptist Hung by Mai Family
 †Augustino Khoa by Mai Family
 9:30a.m. Int. for Karen Acosta by Ann Lee
 11:30a.m. †Amparo Loaiza by Family
 5:00p.m. †Gene Tackett by Mary Tackett
 †Sabrina Plamondon by Skora Family



Adoration I wait for you An Invitation

Adoration on Fridays from 8:30am to 9:30am and then again from 6:00pm to 7:00pm in the evening. All are invited to come.



The Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be at the home of Sherry Zimmerman until Dec. 22nd.

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!

WEEKLY CALENDAR



Monday, Dec. 15

5:30pm ~ Confirmation Class

Tuesday, Dec. 16

8:45am ~ Spanish Legion of Mary
 8:45am ~ Bible in a Year
 4:30pm ~ St. Vincent de Paul Mtg.
 5:00pm ~ Finance Council Mtg.
 6:00pm ~ OCIA Class

Wednesday, Dec. 17

4:00pm ~ Divine Mercy Mtg.
 5:30pm ~ Religious Education

Thursday, Dec. 18

6:00pm ~ Spanish Choir

Friday, Dec. 19

8:30am ~ Adoration
 6:00pm ~ Adoration

Saturday, Dec. 20

8:00am ~ Rita's Pantry
 9:00am ~ Daily Mass

Sunday, Dec. 21

12:45pm ~ Spanish Bible Study

THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE
 CLOSED ON DEC. 24TH & 25TH IN
 OBSERVANCE OF CHRISTMAS.
 WE WILL REOPEN ON FRI, DEC.
 26TH AT 8:30AM.



Schedule for Next Weekend

Dec. 20/21

Altar Servers

Sat, 5:00p.m. McKenzie & Nicholas Heise, Julianna Kouza-Padilla

Sun, 7:30a.m. Ken Brewer, Jason Young

Sun, 9:30a.m. Bobby Widhalm, Barry & Tess Nelson

Sun, 11:30a.m. Sophia Ramsey, Ian & Zael Trujillo

Sun, 5:00p.m. Lucia & Max Kjolsrud

Lectors

Sat, 5:00p.m. (1) K. Heise (2) J. Skarhus

Sun, 7:30a.m. (1) N. Hansen (2) J. Chambers

Sun, 9:30a.m. (1) D. L. Funke (2) J. Noguera

Sun, 11:30a.m. (1) Marcia Carrillo (2) Maria Teresa Morales

Sun, 5:00p.m. (1) T. Thome (2) M. Miller

Eucharistic Ministers

Sat, 5:00p.m. MaryKay Holcomb (H) Carmen Rosado (C) Carlos Zenizo(C)

Sun, 7:30a.m. Nancy Chestnut (c) Ann Lee (c)

Sun, 9:30a.m. Theresa Childs (C) Vern Smith (C)

Sun, 5:00p.m. Missy Nunez (H) Brian Davis(C) Chris Davis (C)

Ushers/Greeters

Sat, 5:00p.m. Joe Spurgeon, Jim Freauff

Sun, 7:30a.m. Jose del Rosario, Queta Ramirez

Sun, 9:30a.m. Mike Gearty

Sun, 11:30a.m. Manny Trujillo, Nicolas Avitia

Sun, 5:00p.m. Jacinta Valeri

Linens

December 21 Queta Ramirez

January 4 Carmen Sodies

January 18 Nancy Chestnut



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MINISTRIES AND CONTACTS

Altar Servers , Aeneas Anderson	249-9820
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Dcn. Reynaldo Romo (Sp)	559-2400
Bible in a Year , Nancy Chestnut	608-963-4431
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Dancers Etc. Lorene Shough	803-9423
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Gift Shop , Nancy Hansen	249-2493
Hispanic Spiritual Dir , Dcn. Romo	559-2400
Hospital Euch. Ministers , Judy Tritz	220-2394
Jail Ministry , Kurt Carlson	775-427-3565
Knights of Columbus , Randy Ochmann	678-8588
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 , Queta Ramirez	559-1424
Religious Education , Kathleen Shilson	378-2720
Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)	
John Dodrill	378-2720
Sacristans , John Dodrill	378-2720
Spanish Legion of Mary , Yadira Zelaya	510-274-9441
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)	



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, David Gaston Smith (grandson of Barry & Jean Gaston), Alex Jon Neitring (grandson of Daryl Lynn Funke), Angela & Antonio Mancillas (friend of Lupe Rulapaugh), Lupe Rulapaugh, Mitchell Monroe (friend of Angie Miller), Frank Chavarria, 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), Ron Brewer (friend of Teresa Mullen), David Hicks, Jeff Petrovic, Victorina Cervetillo (mother of Carmen Sodies), Sue Cross, Beverly Jackson (friends of Betsy Hartwigsen), Doug Shough, Cecilia Horin, Rita Andersen, Adam P., Joey Steedley, Linda Olson, Rita Anderson, Graciela Dennis, Cadance Bonner, Katherine Headlee (daughter of Deacon Tim), John Butler, Margie Jones (sister of Terry O'Brien)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Zec 2:14-17 or Rv

11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Jdt

13:18bcde, 19; Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-

47, or any readings from the

Common of the Blessed Virgin

Mary, nos. 707-712

Tuesday: Zep 3:1-2, 9-13; Ps

34:2-3, 6-7, 17-19, 23; Mt 21:28-32

Wednesday: Is 45: 6b-8, 18, 21b-25; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14;

Lk 7:18b-23

Thursday: Is 54:1-10; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-12a, 13b;

Lk 7:24-30

Friday: Is 56:1-3a, 6-8; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Jn 5:33-36

Saturday: Gn 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-4ab, 7-8, 17;

Mt 1:1-17

Sunday: Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-6; Rom 1:1-7; Mt 1:18-24



BE TRANSFORMED!

WOMEN'S RETREAT

Saturday – January 24,

2026

8:30 am TO 3:30 pm

Daily mass is at 8:00 am

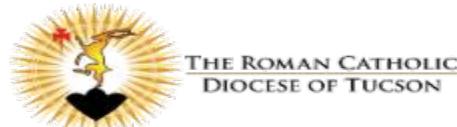
Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church

505 North La Canada Drive – Green Valley

Cost is free. Bring your bible and a sack lunch. Beverages and snacks will be provided! **TO REGISTER ONLINE:**

www.vineofgrace.org or call 520.631.1408. Please

register by January 20, 2026. A love offering will be requested on retreat. Offered by Vine of Grace Retreat Ministry.



REPORT ABUSE • If the abuse happened in Arizona, call the Police or Sheriff's Office in the specific area.

• If the abuse happened in any other state, call the Police or Sheriff's Office in the specific area of that state. • Call the diocese in which the abuse happened. If the abuse happened in the Diocese of Tucson, call the Victim Assistance Program of the Diocese of Tucson at 520-623-0344 (1-800-234-0344 in Arizona) and/or the Office of Child, Adolescent and Adult Protection of the Diocese of Tucson at 520-838-2513. <https://www.diocesetucson.org/reportabuse>



Marriage Tip

Looking to add some extra prayer time to your Advent? Even if you can't make it to Mass every day, you can always meditate the on the daily readings.

www.catholic.bible/daily-readings/



You are invited to the
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 17 Annual Performance of

Handel's Messiah
*Presented by the Sierra Vista Messiah
 Choir This time-honored piece will feature
 many familiar singers and musicians!*

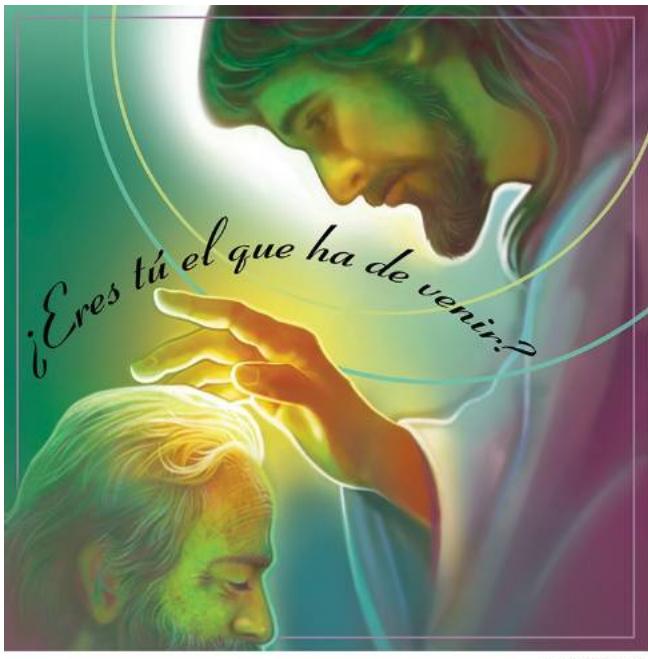
Date: Sunday, Dec 21, 2025

Place: St. Andrew's Church

Time: 7pm

Concert admission is free – an offering will be taken to help St. Vincent de Paul Society's programs that support those in need during the holiday season.

For additional information call 520-456-5555



14 de diciembre de 2025 Tercer Domingo de Adviento

Consejo Matrimonial de la Semana



¿Quieres añadir un tiempo extra de oración a tu Adviento? Aunque no puedes ir a misa todos los días, siempre puedes meditar sobre las lecturas diarias. www.catholic.bible/daily-readings/



FLORES DE PASCUA

Si desea comprar una flor de Pascua en memoria o en honor de un ser querido para adornar el altar, por favor, tome uno de los sobres para flores que se encuentran en la mesa del fondo. Deposite el sobre en la caja de colectas. La donación sugerida es de \$10 por planta.

SÍ, TODAVÍA PUEDE DESTINAR SUS CRÉDITOS FISCALES A LA ORGANIZACIÓN CATÓLICA DE APOYO A LA EDUCACIÓN EN ARIZONA.

Continúe apoyando a estudiantes que lo merecen aprovechando el crédito fiscal. Si declara impuestos como contribuyente individual, puede donar hasta \$1,535, y si es una pareja casada que declara conjuntamente, puede contribuir hasta \$3,062. Recoja un folleto en el vestíbulo donde se explica cómo obtener un crédito fiscal equivalente al monto donado o visite el sitio web de CTSO en www.ctso-tucson.org.



In today's Gospel Jesus tells us that the good news can be seen, touched, felt and heard through the lives of God's people. We are now charged to take up the ministry of Jesus, but we can't just ask people to take our word for it; our actions must speak for us.

Since Christmas is a time of love and gift giving, please share in Jesus's ministry by giving a gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that those who are poor can know the good news of Jesus.

St. Vincent de Paul - Our Lady of the Mountains Conference

Join us in serving our neighbors in need with compassion and Gospel values! Our dedicated volunteers provide person-to-person support, including:

- Emergency assistance with utilities, rent, and medical/dental co-pays
- Food from our on-site pantry and Rita's Pantry (3rd Saturday, 8-10:30 AM)
- Vouchers for clothes and essentials at the SVdP Thrift Store
- Referrals to other agencies, Thanksgiving food boxes, and special requests

Office Hours: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 9-11 AM (2nd & 4th weeks of the month). Closed for federal holidays.

Phone: 520-378-2720, Ext. 7133 (all inquiries confidential).

We offer **at-home visits** during the 1st & 3rd weeks—call to schedule and let us bring help to you!

Meetings are open to the public and held the **1st & 3rd Tuesdays** of every month at **4:30 PM** in the church.

New members of **all ages, men and women**, are always welcome—come grow in faith through service!

Follow us on Facebook @ St. Vincent de Paul- Our Lady of the Mountains Conference





All Saints Catholic School School News!

Open enrollment for school year 2025/2026 is ongoing. We have 78 students enrolled for this school year. Please pray for more school enrollment. Please call the school at 378-7012 to check on class availability if you are interested in sending your child to All Saints Catholic School. School Rosary every Friday at 11:00am. Thank you for your continued support of our school. You may also check us out on Facebook!

YES, YOU CAN STILL DIRECT YOUR TAX CREDITS TO ARIZONA'S CATHOLIC TUITION SUPPORT ORGANIZATION

Continue to support deserving students by taking advantage of the tax credit. If filing as a single taxpayer you can give up to \$1,535, and a married couple filing jointly can contribute up to \$3,062. Please pick up a brochure in the vestibule that will explain how you can get a dollar-for-dollar tax credit or visit the CTSO website at www.ctso-tucson.org.



OLM Council 10799

Grand Knight
Randy Ochmann 520-678-8588

Charity, Unity and Fraternity (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 Grand Knight Randy Ochmann for additional information and scheduling at 520-678-8588

BINGO support at the Columbian Hall is ongoing. POC for volunteering is FS James Tomko at 520-249-6492 or 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.



2025 Annual Christmas Book

Donations are welcome to help offset the cost and shipping of the annual Christmas book that will be handed out at Christmas. Thank you for your generosity!

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION GOSPELS AND QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

Gospels and Questions of the Week
3rd Sunday of Advent, Matthew 11:2-11
Actions Worthy of Praise
December 14

Adults: How do you prepare yourself to meet Christ in those around you?

Child/Youth: What good thing have you done so far during Advent to be like Jesus?

Next Week's Gospel Preparation
4th Sunday of Advent, Matthew 1:18-24
Welcoming Light
December 21

There will be no Religious Education classes on December 24th or December 31st. Classes will resume on January 7th.

There will be no Confirmation classes on December 22nd or December 29th. Classes will resume on January 5th.

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)



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

If you would like to purchase a poinsettia in memory or in honor of a loved one to adorn the altar, please take one of the flower envelopes from the back table. Please return them in the collection box. Suggested donation is \$10 per plant.

Our Lady of the Sierras Shrine / Nuestra Señora de las Sierras

Annual Christmas Rosary & Mass Rosario y Misa de la Temporada Navideña

Friday, December 19, 2025

Viernes, 19 de diciembre del 2025

Location: La Purisima Retreat and Pilgrimage Center

Ubicación: El Centro de Retiro y Peregrinación La Purísima

Event Information / Información del Evento

Reservations required/ Se requiere hacer reservación:

Contact/Contacto: Monica (520) 378-2950

Email/Correo electrónico : office@ourladyofthesierras.org

Web/ Internet: ourladyofthesierras.org

Bilingual event / Evento bilingüe

Doors open / Las puertas se abren: 5:00pm

Bilingual Music / Música Bilingüe: 5:00pm -7:00pm

Confessions / Confesiones: 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Rosary / Rosario: 7:15pm

Mass immediately follows rosary/ Misa después del rosario

Light meal served afterwards / Una cena ligera al concluir

Large group or bus reservations / Reservaciones para grupo grande o de autobús

Call the office if you are planning on bringing a large group.

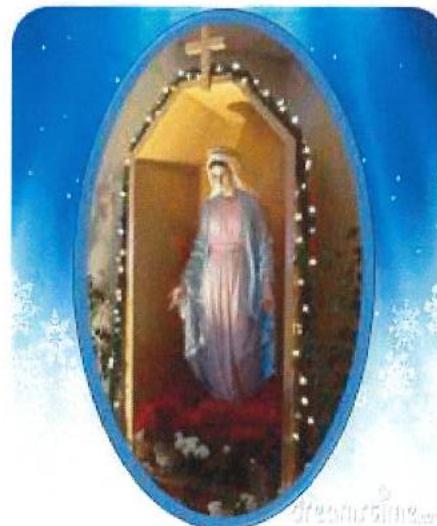
Reservations are required due to limited seating.

Avisenos de antemano si vienen en grupo grande. Se requiere hacer reservación debido a la limitación de asientos.

Archived Message of 12-24-2004

"My most beloved children,
How My heart is filled with such joy this night as so many gather to honor My Son. Oh sweet children.... I see the hearts of so many opening up to Jesus. The Holy Spirit is pouring forth such love ... such tenderness ...such understanding.
Listen My Children....for there is one other thing I wish you to know. This shall become a custom ... a tradition. Long after you have been called from this earth I shall continue to bless those gifts that are left for me. I shall continue to come the Friday before Christmas. But you must pass down to your children and the youth that follows that this is indeed a special night. Not because of My blessing dear children ... but because of the pending birth of The Redeemer of the World.
Do not forget your spiritual giftsfor they must be presented to Him on Christmas morning. I have repeated these words to you.... so that you will know when you are called home.....there will be those still here to continue this tradition. This is what My Son wishes you to know this night. His Heart too is filled with joy. My dear children if you could only see the multitude of angels that surround you. For I blessed you.....each and every one of you with the love of a mother.
Rejoice now.... for Christ soon comes to dwell amongst you."

Our Lady's Special Blessing



La Bendición Especial de Nuestra Señora

Mensaje de Diciembre 24 de 2004

"Muy amados hijitos Míos,
Como Mi corazón se llena de gran gozo esta noche al ver tantos de ustedes reunidos en honor de Mi Hijo. O, hijitos dulces... veo los corazones de tantos abriéndose a Jesús. El Espíritu Santo derrama mucho amor... tanta ternura...tanta comprensión. Escuchen, Hijos Míos.... pues hay algo más que quiero que sepan. Esto se volverá costumbre... una tradición. Mucho después de que sean llamados de este mundo, continuaré bendiciendo estos artículos que se me traen. Continuaré viniendo el viernes antes de Navidad. Pero deben de dar a saber a sus hijos ya la juventud venidera que verdaderamente esta es una noche especial. No por Mi bendición, queridos hijitos... sino por el próximo nacimiento del Redentor del Mundo. No se les olviden sus obsequios espirituales.... pues deben ser presentados a Él en la Mañana de Navidad. Les he repetido estas palabras a ustedes.... para que sepan cuando reciben el llamado de regresar a Dios.....estarán otros aquí que continuarán esta tradición. Esto es lo que Mi Hijo desea que sepan esta noche. Su corazón también está lleno de gozo. Mis queridos hijitos, si solo pudieran ver la multitud de ángeles que los rodean. Pues los he bendecido..... a cada uno de ustedes con el amor de una madre. Regocíjense ahora... pues Cristo pronto viene a vivir entre ustedes."



CHRISTMAS MASSES

Christmas Eve, December 24

4:00pm Children's Mass

6:00pm

8:00pm

Christmas Day, December 25

9:30am

11:30am Spanish

New Year's Masses

New Year's Eve Vigil, Dec. 31

5:30pm

New Year's Day, Jan. 1

9:30am, 11:30am (Spanish)



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