



Santa Catalina

Roman Catholic Church

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MASS SCHEDULE

DAILY

Monday-Friday at 8 AM

WEEKEND

Saturday Vigil, 4 PM

Sunday, 7 AM Live Stream, 9 AM, 5 PM

Bi-lingual, 11 AM

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 8:45-10 AM

Saturday 3-3:45 PM

or by appointment

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

First Friday of the month at 8 AM

Mass or by appointment

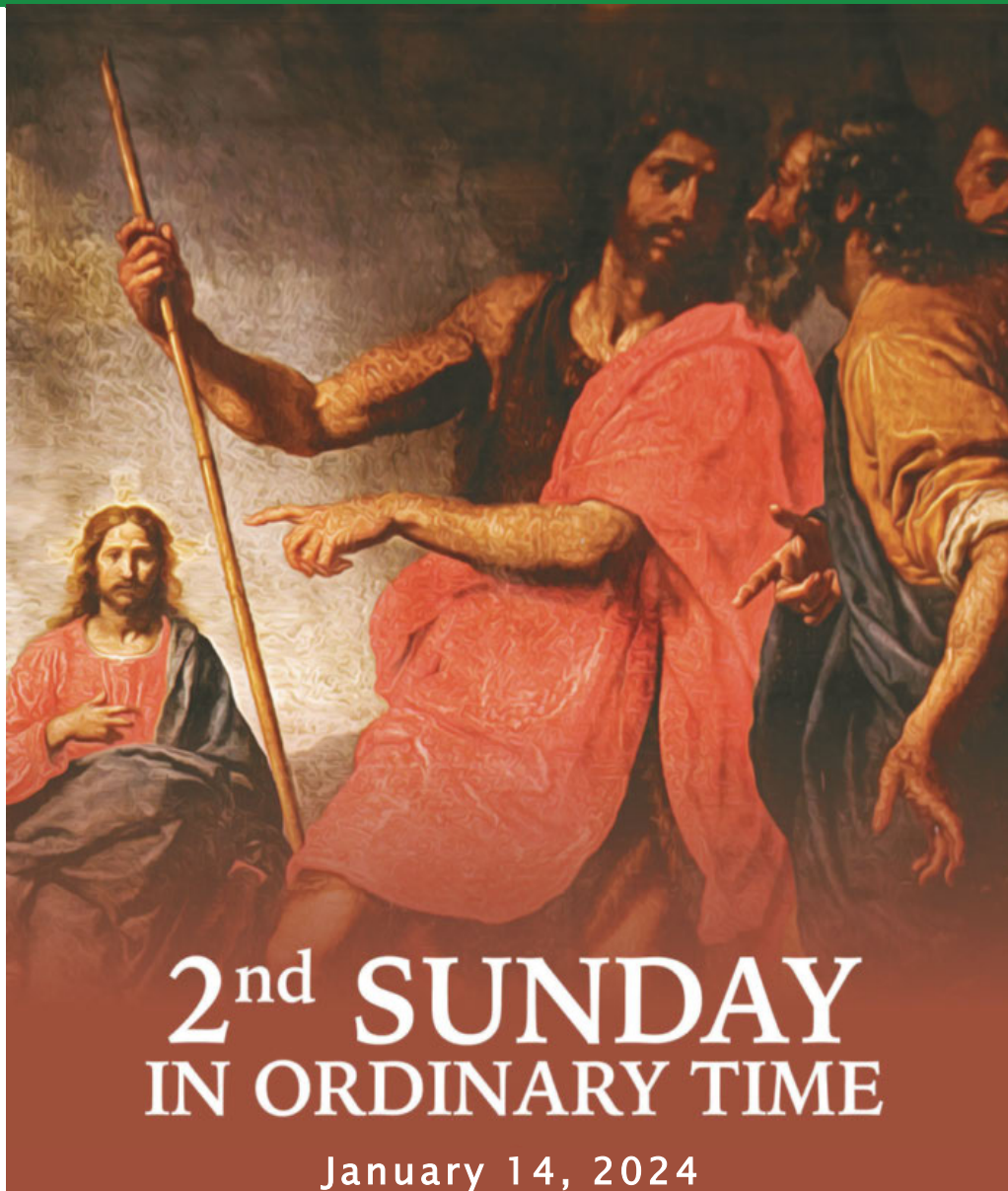
ADORATION

In Church Wed 8:30-11 AM

In chapel, Mon-Thu 8:30 AM-2:30 PM

ROSARY IN THE CHURCH

Monday-Friday 7:30 AM



2nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 14, 2024

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

As members of God's Faith Community at Santa Catalina Catholic Parish, we commit our lives to being the voice, hands, and spirit of Christ, as our way of continuing God's call to love and peace.

MISION DE DECLARACION DEL PLAN

Como miembros de Dios en la comunidad de fe de la Parroquia Católica de Santa Catalina, Comprometemos nuestras vidas para ser la voz, manos, y el Espíritu de Cristo, como una manera de continuar con el llamado de Dios, por el amor y la paz.

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*If you wish to add or remove a name from the prayer list, please call the Parish Office at 825-9611. **Please note:** It may be two weeks before you see new names added. In order to ensure an updated prayer list, names will be listed for two months and then removed.*

Mario Calbone
 Mimi Cuono
 David W. Maloney
 Gerry Hooper
 Diane Clark
 Chris Cawein
 Roger Misgen
 Margarita Peña
 Edward Peña



Linda Slivinski
 Dottie Bentz
 Denise Barchuck

Nina Gravlin
 Alice Olivares
 Evan Wolin
 Diane Mead
 Vincent Palmieri
 Jessica Palmieri
 Sophie Varalli
 Donna Goode

PARISH NEWS



ONLINE
GIVING

HOW DOES ONLINE GIVING BENEFIT ME AND MY CHURCH?

DONOR BENEFITS

- **Convenient** anytime, anywhere access through the internet.
- **Secure and Confidential.** Adheres to banking security standards.
- **Flexible.** Start, stop and change your contributions at any time.

CHURCH BENEFITS

- **Stabilize Contributions.** Regularly scheduled gifts occur automatically. Allows church to effectively manage monthly expenses.
- **Efficient.** Participation saves time and expense in bookkeeping.

GOSPEL MEDITATION

As a priest, I'm amazed how happily married couples remember the tiniest details of their earliest encounters. They effortlessly report things like: "he wore a blue shirt," "we ordered brussels sprouts," "her hair was up in a bun," and "he spilled shrimp cocktail sauce at my family's open front door when it was ten degrees below zero," (that one's courtesy of my mom). We delight in remembering and speaking of when our new life of love began. The little details are glorious reminders that it's all real.

It's similar for John the Apostle. He tells us of the two disciples who followed Jesus into his house, **"...they stayed with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon."** Why does that tiny detail matter? Because that's the time of day when they encountered the love of Jesus the Messiah in their lives. Our religion is not primarily about abstract truths about God, no matter how true or sublime. It is about God meeting and saving us in our human nature. It's about a human relationship.

What was the time of day when you first recall encountering Christ and his Church? Who was there? What did you feel? How did things look and smell? What happened? Take some time to recall it in detail. For me, it was inside an old, rickety church on a hillside in Jerome, Arizona. It was about 9 pm on a Saturday evening. I was with my friends Jenny, Brad, and Laura. We were praying, singing, and laughing. When was it for you? Remembering the details isn't empty nostalgia. It reminds us now that God's love for us in our humanity is real.

– Fr. John Muir

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NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA

"CULTIVANDO MI FE"

"Las cosas humanas necesitan ser conocidas para ser amadas; las divinas necesitan ser amadas para ser conocidas" **Padre Pío**

Te esperamos para que nos acompañes a meditar, contemplar, orar y cultivar nuestra Fe

mediante el estudio de la Palabra de Dios.

Donde: Salón Mesquite.

Cuando: Todos los Miércoles de 9-10:30 AM

Todos son bienvenidos!! Es un grupo en español!!

Si tienes preguntas llama o manda un texto a:

Laura (520) 954-7819

CÓMO DENUNCIAR UN CASO DE ABUSO

1. Llame al 911 para hacer un informe policial.
2. Si el abuso ocurre en cualquier otro estado, llame a la Policía o a la Oficina del Sheriff en el área de ese estado.
3. Llame al Programa de Asistencia a Víctimas de la Diócesis de Tucson 1-800-234-0344 y/o la Oficina de Niños, Adolescentes y Adultos. Protección al 520-838-2513.



Intenciones de Misas

Uno de los mayores actos de caridad es reza

por los vivos y los Muertos, y la oración más poderosa que tenemos es la Misa. Precisamente por eso, ofrecer una Misa, es lo que la iglesia llama Intención de Misa, por los seres queridos que han fallecido, por los vivos que tienen una necesidad o celebración especial, o en acción de gracias a Dios, la iglesia es capaz de interceder por nosotros y aplicar gracias especiales de Dios sobre este individuo, bendiciones o acción de gracias.

Para solicitar una Intención de Misa, llame a la oficina al 520-825-9611 o lobby@santacatalinaparish.org.

¿SABÍAS QUE?

Los anfitriones de Lo-Gluten están disponibles en todas las misas de fin de semana y en las misas diarias. La estación de Comunión Lo-Gluten está junto pódium cerca del piano.

MINISTERIOS EN ESPAÑOL

Sociedad de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

1er Viernes de cada mes, de 9-10:30, Marian RM. Todos son bienvenidos, compartimos nuestra devoción a la Virgen de Guadalupe, rezamos el Santo Rosario y hacemos nuevos amigos.

Cultivando mi fe

Grupo de estudio bíblico mediante Lectio Divina. Estudiamos, meditamos, reflexionamos e intentamos practicar las enseñanzas del Evangelio. Todos los miércoles 9-10:30 AM.

Coro Bilingüe

Ven y canta con nosotros en la Misa de 11 AM cada Domingo. Los ensayos son los Martes a las 5:30 PM en la Iglesia.

NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA



¿DE QUÉ MANERA ONLINE GIVING NOS BENEFICIA A MÍ Y A MI PARROQUIA?

BENEFICIOS PARA LOS MIEMBROS DE LA PARROQUIA

- **Práctico.** Acceso a cualquier hora y de cualquier lugar por medio del internet.
- **Seguro y confidencial.** Se apega a los estándares de seguridad de los bancos.
- **Flexible.** Inicie, detenga o cambie sus donativos en cualquier momento.

BENEFICIOS PARA LA PARROQUIA

- **Estabilizar donativos.** Los donativos programados de manera regular ocurren automáticamente. Permite que la iglesia pueda manejar efectivamente sus gastos mensuales.
- **Eficiente.** Participar ahorra tiempo y gastos de contabilidad.

MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

La Liturgia de hoy nos coloca inmediatamente en un sentido de alerta al llamado de Dios, al encuentro y a la respuesta. Samuel, aun siendo niño, fue llamado en el silencio de la noche. A la tercera vez responde y da comienzo su preparación para su misión profética: “¡Samuel, Samuel! Samuel respondió. Habla, que tu servidor escucha” (1 Samuel 3,10). Los primeros discípulos, a la voz de Juan que les indica: “Ese es el Cordero de Dios”, lo siguen y se quedan con él aquel día. Los cristianos, por el bautismo, se encuentran con Cristo. Desde aquel momento, por la fe, da comienzo la preparación para dar respuesta a la misión y al compromiso de seguir a Jesús en el servicio de los más necesitados.

¿Cómo ha sido nuestro encuentro, respuesta y seguimiento a la misión encomendada por Dios en nuestra vida? Las respuestas varían de acuerdo a nuestra vocación, a nuestros ideales y metas trazadas en la vida.

¿Quiénes son nuestros modelos a seguir en la actualidad? ¿Qué miran los hijos en sus padres que puedan seguir como ejemplo? Preguntémonos que buscamos, a quien seguimos, como cultivamos nuestra relación con Dios, con la familia, con la naturaleza y el cosmos. Si Jesús en esta Eucaristía me pregunta ¿Qué buscas?

¿Cuál será mi respuesta? Cabe también preguntarle ¿Dónde vives? Nos diría, vivo en los pobres, los enfermos, los desamparados, y los tristes. ¿Tú, dónde crees que vive Jesús?

Schedule of Events for January 15-21

✠ = Mass Intentions

Monday, January 15

OFFICE CLOSED

9 AM Mass – Fr. Brian Johnson, Church

✠ Lorenzo Beruman, Sr. (d) by Leonore Beruman

✠ Loreto Sanchez (d) by Patricia Capranica

9 AM-3 PM – Quilter's Sew Day, Saguaro Room

1-2 PM – Outreach Ministry, Cholla Room

4-5:15 PM – Choir Rehearsal, Church

5-7 PM – Spanish Prayer Group, Cholla Room

Tuesday, January 16

8 AM Mass – Fr. Steve Rehrauer, Church

✠ Alphonso Petito (d) by Maria Petito

✠ Frank Keroran (d) by Marguerite Keroran

9-10:15 AM – Mgt of Communion Ministry w/
Sick & Homebound, Mesquite, Ocotillo Room

5:30-6:45 PM – Bilingual Choir Rehearsal, Church

6-8 PM – Men's Fellowship Group, Marian Room

6-8 PM – Women's Prayer Group, Saguaro Room

Wednesday, January 17

8 AM Mass – Fr. Steve Rehrauer, Church

✠ Angelina Haines (d) by Rita Quin

✠ Mildred Troike (d) by Gloria & Bernie Brown

After Mass-11 AM – Eucharistic Adoration,
Church

8:45-10 AM – Reconciliation, Church

10 AM-1 PM – St. Vincent de Paul, Marian Room

1-2:15 PM – Understanding the Sunday Scripture,
Catalina Room

6:30-8:30 PM – R.C.I.A Sessions,
Mesquite, Ocotillo Room

Thursday, January 18

8 AM Mass – Fr. Steve Rehrauer, Church

✠ Josephine Ezze (d) by Rita Quin

Thursday, January 18 cont.'

4-5 PM – Al-Anon Meeting, Marian Room

7-8:30 PM – AA Meeting, Marian Room

Friday, January 19

8 AM Mass – Fr. Brian Johnson, Church

✠ Helen Catarius by Anne Catarius

Saturday, January 20

3-3:45 PM – Reconciliation, Church

4 PM Vigil Mass – Fr. Gary Ziuraitis, Church

✠ Poor Souls in Purgatory by Chris & Camy Culhane

✠ Helena Spsychalski (d) by Josephine Di Gennaro

Sunday, January 21

7 AM Mass – Fr. Huy Vu, Church

✠ For the Intentions of the Parish

7:30-11 AM – Pancake Breakfast, Parish Hall

9 AM Mass – Fr. Huy Vu, Church

✠ James Weston (d) by Knights Columbus

11 AM Bilingual Mass – Fr. Gary Ziuraitis, Church

✠ Ruben Cajigas (d) by Family

1-3 PM – Mental Health Focus, Saguaro Room

3:30-6:30 PM – R.C.I.A Sessions, Mesquite Room

5 PM Mass – Fr. Charlie Wehrley, Church

✠ Daniel Paul L. Palma (d) by Rita Quin

✠ Daniel Sanchez (d) by Adolfo & Socorro Sanchez

PLEASE NOTE:

The Parish Office is closed on Monday, January 15 in observance of the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday. Normal business hours will resume on Tuesday, January 16.

BE ACTIVE IN YOUR PARISH

SAVE THE DATE

PARISH BLOOD DRIVE

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

7:30 AM-12:30 PM, PARISH HALL

Please call 1-800-REDCROSS to schedule a time that is convenient for you.



Let us remember those from our parish family who have died recently and returned to the Lord. We give thanks for their lives and offer comfort to their

Carmen MacKenzie, November 28
Joseph Michaluk, December 19
Kathleen Flowers, January 3
Sr. Carole Ruland MSHS, January 4



Recordemos a todos aquellos de nuestra familia parroquial quienes recientemente han muerto y han regresado al Señor. Damos gracias por sus vidas y ofrecemos consuelo a sus familias.

DAILY MASS READINGS | JANUARY 15-21

MONDAY:	1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 & 23/ Mk 2:18-22
TUESDAY:	1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28
WEDNESDAY:	1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6
THURSDAY:	1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/ Mk 3:7-12
FRIDAY:	1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 & 11/Mk 3:13-19
SATURDAY:	2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/ Mk 3:20-21
SUNDAY:	Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/1 Cor 7:29-31/ Mk 1:14-20

PARISH MINISTRIES AND GROUPS

Understanding Sunday Scripture

WEDNESDAYS, 1-2:15 PM, CATALINA RM
 Come to discuss the upcoming Sunday Mass readings.

Knights of Columbus #12345

1ST MONDAYS, 7PM, PARISH HALL
 This is the Knights monthly general council meeting. All men interested are invited to attend.

Dignity of Human Life Ministry

2ND TUESDAY, 2-3:30 PM, MARIAN RM
 DHL's focus is prayer, education, and action against abortion. Meeting open to all.

Arts & Crafts for All

2ND AND 4TH TUESDAYS, 1:30-3:30 PM,
 CHOLLA RM
 Come learn new art skills. No talent required!

Quilter's Sew Day

3RD MONDAY, 9 AM-3 PM, SAGUARO RM
 Quilters gather to quilt for charity. Fabric and sewing machines available.

Men's & Women's Prayer Group

TUESDAYS, 6-8 PM, MARIAN/SAGUARO RM
 A place where we share our journey with Christ. Come join us.

Dress a Girl Around the World

2ND WEDNESDAY, 10-11 AM, CHOLLA RM
 This group sews dresses for girls worldwide.

Outreach Ministry

3RD MONDAY, 1-2PM, CHOLLA ROOM
 This ministry supports the parish and parish community by reaching out to those who need assistance in various ways.

Social Awareness & Justice Ministry

1ST THURSDAY, 1-3 PM, SAGUARO RM
 We put Catholic Social Teachings into action by serving those in need.

Society of Our Lady of Guadalupe

1ST FRIDAY, 9-10AM, MARIAN RM
 Everyone is welcome.

Prayer Shawl Group

1ST MONDAY, 1-2 PM, CATALINA ROOM
 Bring your needles or hooks, yarn is provided.

Sassy Solos

1ST THURSDAY, 11 AM-12 PM, MESQUITE RM
 All single women, any age, are invited to attend this planning meeting.

Communion Ministry with the Sick and Homebound

3RD TUESDAY, 9-10 AM, MESQUITE RM
 Stop by to find out how you can assist your fellow parishioners.

Vocations Ministry

1ST THURSDAY, 3:30-5 PM, CATALINA RM
 We promote vocations especially religious life.

Stephen Ministry

2ND THURSDAY, 9 AM-12 PM, MESQUITE RM
 We bring Christ's love and healing to those experiencing difficult situations.

Book Bunch

2ND THURSDAY, 1-2 PM, CHOLLA RM
 You are invited to attend and discuss books of all sorts.

BE SOCIAL AT SANTA CATALINA!



GRIEFSHARE RETURNING

FRIDAYS, 10 AM-12 PM, FEBRUARY 2 THROUGH MAY 3
MESQUITE ROOM

NO SESSION ON GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 29

Losing a loved one is very difficult. GriefShare can be of help. It is a Christian-based program with video presenters, workbook materials, and discussions geared to help you cope with grief.

Register and purchase the required workbook for \$25 at the first session that you attend, or do so on-line at griefshare.org

You may start the 13 weeks series at any time.

Call the parish office for more information, or pick up a brochure in the narthex.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FREE PARISH BREAKFAST

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21

AFTER THE 7AM AND 9AM MASSES

PARISH HALL



Pancakes, eggs, hashbrowns, sausages, biscuits and gravy and more.

Coffee and Juice

Our Parish Catholic Community
Get together activity



Project Linus

Providing Security Through Blankets

**Catalina Community Quilters
Tucson, AZ Chapter**

Monday, January 15

Saguaro Room 9 AM – 3 PM

In November, Fr. Huy blessed 147 quilts that our small group of Project Linus quilters made here at church. This is just half of what we made last year. For a child who is seriously ill, traumatized, or otherwise in need, these quilts are their security "hug". Catalina Community Quilters help support the Project Linus Tucson chapter deliver blankets to all of Pima County.

If you would like to be a part of this ministry, we welcome all quilters in the surrounding area.

All levels of quilters are never turned away! Spend the whole



day or come when you can (bring a lunch or snacks). Please bring your sewing machine, thread and your quilting tools, or we have some here too!

For more information contact us by email:

office@santacatalinaparish.org or by phone: 520-825-9611, x110.

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

Those Who Seek the Truth

In my work as a freelance writer, I have a regular column in the archdiocesan paper writing profiles of ordinary people in the local church. Laity, religious, and clergy alike — I hound them all to give me an interview, and when I do, the answer is almost always this: “You don’t want to talk to me. There’s nothing special about me.”

I always try to convince them that there is something remarkable about everyone who is searching for the truth. It is easy to think we are not made for holiness because we are ordinary people with ordinary habits, ordinary abilities, and ordinary sins. It is easy (and very convenient) to designate holiness as something belonging to Better People. People like the saints. People like the Disciples.

The Bible gives us next to no personal information about the disciples. There is no archdiocesan newspaper profile on Andrew and Simon that can give us insight into who they were before they became St. Andrew, Inaugural Disciple and Announcer of the Messiah, and St. Peter, First Pope and the Rock-Upon-Which-Christ-Built-His-Church.

Yet I find myself insatiably curious about it. What was their childhood like? What games did they play with each other as the sun set, before their mother called them into bed? What did they think of as they fell asleep at night? What secret jokes did they share to make each other laugh? What were they afraid of? What did they hope for? Who did they want to be?

Before they were towering figures of salvation history, Simon and Andrew were just two men searching for the truth. When they looked at Christ, there was something that made it click. Perhaps they themselves could not identify what it was, but their hearts whispered it nonetheless: *There it is. We finally found it.*

Isn’t that the best we can all hope for?

“Jesus turned and saw them following him and said to them, ‘What are you looking for?’” — John 1:38

Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained

Question:

Why do we make changes in the Mass? Some seem so small and unimportant. Are they really necessary?

Answer:

The celebration of the Eucharist is at the heart of our identity as Catholics. Our purpose as a Church community revolves around the Eucharist. Everything we are and everything we do is measured not only by how well we celebrate, but also by how well we live the sacrament. If that is so, then we as a community will always strive to celebrate the Mass as best we can. The reasons for some changes might seem more obvious than others, but there is a reason behind each one.

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal is the introduction to the Missal that contains all the prayers for the celebration of the Mass. The Order of Mass we use now was issued in 1975 and, as often happens over the course of years, some questions have come up about the proper way of doing some things and whether or not other practices are acceptable. These changes clarify some things and make the celebration of the Mass more meaningful for everyone.

The opportunity is presented to us to better learn and understand each part of the Mass, which in turn should help us deepen our appreciation for its beauty and meaning. We will be a better Church if we have a clearer understanding and knowledge of Who and what we celebrate.

2024 MARCH FOR LIFE DETAILS

On Saturday, January 20, 2024, the Dioceses of Tucson will hold the 34th Tucson March for Life. It will begin at 9 AM with a Mass in the St. Augustine Cathedral celebrated by Bishop Weisenburger. The March will start at approximately 10:15 AM from the Cathedral to Holy Hope Cemetery (On Oracle just North of E Fort Lowell). The March covers about 3.8 miles and takes about 1 hour and 15 minutes.



At the cemetery, there is a brief presentation by the Bishop which is followed by a rose ceremony where a March participant, who was born in each year that Roe v Wade was in force (1973-2022), places a rose at the Shrine of the Innocents. You can attend any or all activities.

Hope to see you at the March. If you would like to carpool, send an email to prolife12345@aol.com with your name and phone number and we will contact you to make arrangements. Also, let us know if you will be in attendance representing Santa Catalina Parish

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: Why are we still marching since Roe was overturned?

A. Abortions were allowed throughout the US with Roe in force. Once it was overturned, the states are making the decisions whether to allow or ban abortions. Approximately half of the states have allowed abortions, which includes Arizona. The movement to abolish abortions in all 50 states has just begun. Be a part of that movement.

Q: What if I start the March but can't continue?

A. There are a number of "rescue" cars at the end of the procession that will take you to the cemetery.

Q: If I march from the Cathedral to the Cemetery do I have to walk back to my car at the church?

A. At the end of the Cemetery activity, participants with cars at the cemetery will transport you back to the church.

Q: Is it dangerous to march on the streets to Holy Hope?

A. The complete route is protected by traffic cones which marchers must not cross and the route is patrolled by about 5 Tucson police officers on motorcycles. They ensure that the march is non-confrontational and peaceful.

– *Dignity of Human Life Ministry*

MINISTRY NEWS

MENTAL HEALTH



WHY IS MY LOVED ONE WITH MENTAL ILLNESS NOT GETTING BETTER?

The Mental Health Ministry is hosting

an expert panel discussion

called "Understanding the Levels of Psychiatric Care is Key to Treatment Success."

There will be a presenter on the following levels of care - inpatient, residential, hospitalization, and outpatient.

The people with the most information about the patient, the family, do not always know or understand the different levels of care available to help their loved one. Therefore, their experience is one of helplessness and hopelessness. We will explore the different levels of psychiatric care available that may help families navigating these difficult situations. We hope those attending this panel discussion will gain understanding of the different levels of mental health care.

The discussion will be held on January 21 from 1-3 PM OR January 29 from 6-8 PM. The same program will be repeated twice, so feel free to attend the one that fits your schedule.



CASA ALITAS



REMINDER – CASA ALITAS UNDERWEAR AND SOCK DRIVE – AT ALL MASSES ON JANUARY 27 AND 28

Casa Alitas is a humanitarian aid project committed to providing assistance to asylum-seekers. Currently, Casa Alitas is providing support for around 500-700 individuals a day. Most people who come to Casa Alitas have been traveling or detained for weeks.

Clean underwear and socks are the biggest need for the families with children

and pregnant women that arrive daily. Casa Alitas is in desperate need of the following:

NEW Underwear:

- Children's sizes. T (2-3), 4, 6, 8, 10, 12
- Women's sizes 4, 5, 6, 7 (S-M-L) and sports bras (S-M-L)
- Men's Boxer Briefs S-M-L

NEW Socks:

- All ages, all sizes (anklets preferred)

You can drop them off at all masses on January 27 and 28.

CHRIST CHILD / FOSTER TEENS



SAVE THE DATE – COLLECTION FOR FOSTER TEENS FEBRUARY 24-25

Over the weekend of February 24 and 25, we will be collecting hygiene items and blankets to fill drawstring bags for teens who are being placed in foster care. These teens are frequently removed from their homes quickly and they have nothing. Please consider donating to our cause. Watch the bulletin for more information.

MORE WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SANTA CATALINA

STEWARDSHIP

	Contributions	Totals	Mass Count	Totals
12/30-31/2023	Offertory	\$20,239	This Week	1,078
	Maintenance	\$27,735	Last Year	851
	Last Year Offertory	\$31,044		

- All checks are to be made payable to Santa Catalina Church. If you want to designate your check to a specific ministry, please write Maintenance, Stephen Ministry, Snack Pak, Religious Education, Rectory, or any of our other ministries on the memo line.
- The only exception is St. Vincent DePaul. Those checks must be written to St. Vincent DePaul.
- Cash is always accepted, and/or you can sign up for Online Giving.

STEWARDSHIP CORRECTION FOR 12/23-25/2023

		Totals
12/23-25/2023	Offertory	\$15,670
	Christmas	\$20,202
	Total	\$35,872
	Major Maintenance	\$1,290

HOW TO REPORT ABUSE

1. Call 911 to make a police report.
2. If the abuse happens in any other state, call the Police or Sheriff's Office in the specific area of that state.
3. Call the Victim Assistance Program of the Diocese of Tucson 1-800-234-0344 and/or the Office of Child, Adolescent and Adult Protection at 520-838-2513.



"For the new year, I resolve to..."

Each year we reflect on our lives and resolve to make changes in the coming year - growing in faith, a healthier lifestyle, repairing broken relationships. Yet sometimes the circumstances in our lives are overwhelming and seemingly beyond hope. Grief, divorce, job loss, chronic or terminal illness, disability, broken relationships, loneliness.

Everyone goes through challenging times. Our Lord does not want us to bear our burdens alone. Stephen Ministers are caring Christians who want to make a difference in the lives of those who are hurting. They are compassionate, trustworthy, skilled, and

full of faith - someone who will exercise strict confidentiality, who will not judge, who will listen and walk faithfully with you in a distinctively Christian, one-to-one caring relationship on your journey of healing.

Resolve this year to reach out for help. Ease your burden and find the true joy, hope, and peace of Advent throughout the coming year. If you or someone you know could benefit from Stephen Ministry, please contact the church office at 520-825-9611, or Judy Rossman at StephenMinistry@santacatalinaparish.org or 206-660-5268. All information is held in strict confidentiality.

COMMUNITY NEWS



Al-Anon and AA meetings are on Thursday evenings. For details about Al-Anon, call Judy at 520-639-8650. For more information on AA meetings, call Art at 520-825-5218.



St. Vincent de Paul provides compassion and support to individuals in need, regardless of race, origin, or religion. Office hours are Monday and Wednesday from 10 am to 1 pm in the Marian Room. For more information, please call 520-825-8288 or email svdpatalina@gmail.com.

Spring Cursillo – Sponsors for the Spring Cursillo weekends for men and women are needed. Please join us on Saturday, January 20 at 10 AM at St. Christopher Catholic Church in Marana. There will be an Ultreya and potluck luncheon immediately following the meeting. The Spring Weekends are scheduled for the men, April 25-28 and for the Women, May 2-5. These will both be held at St. Francis de Sales parish in Tucson. For more information about these events, contact Patricia Lara at ljuanpatricia@gmail.com


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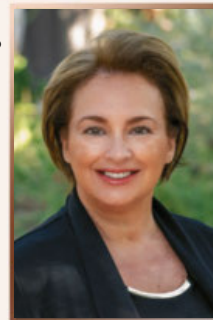
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