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BUT WHO DO
YOU SAY THAT
I AM?

— MARK 8:29 —



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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

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St Ann's Parish & Its Missions

Our Mission Statement

**As a Roman Catholic Church in the Diocese of Tucson,
our mission is to spread the word of God. Our mission is to promote peace, love and unity
to all the people of our community.
The doors of Saint Ann's Parish and Its Missions
are open to all who wish to enter.**

Pastor

Rev. Joseph Esson

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Monday– Tuesday–Thursday
9:00 to 2:00
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Sacrament of Penance & Reconciliation

Please contact the parish office



St . Ann's Parish

Sunday's at 9:00 a.m.

Assumption Chapel

Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

St Ferdinand's

Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

Mass- St Ann's Parish

Every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday at
9:00 a.m.

Entrance Antiphon

Give peace, O Lord, to those who wait for you,
that your prophets be found true.
Hear the prayers of your servant,
and of your people Israel.

Communion Antiphon

How precious is your mercy, O God!
The children of men seek shelter in the shadow of your wing

Prayer after Communion

May the working of this heavenly gift, O Lord, we pray,
take possession of our minds and bodies,
so that its effects, and not our own desires,
may always prevail in us.
Through Christ our Lord.

Announcements/Events from St Ann's & Dioceses

Adoration

Adoration of the blessed
sacrament: Every 1st &
3rd Thursday of each
month, St Ann's Parish.



Adoration Thursday, 4:PM to 6:PM
September 19, 2024
October 3, 2024

Important Reminder

Once you have received the host in
your hand,
Please **do not** step to the side and
then consume it.
You **must** consume the host **in front**
of the Eucharistic Minister before
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the Diocese at
520-838-2513
<https://diocesetucson.org/reportabuse>

Saturday, October 5,2024
Reparation Mass at 9:00 AM followed by
Rosary and prayers
Come and Join Us!
St Ann's Parish



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS
Heavenly Father, we praise you
for providing those faithful priests and vowed
religious who pour out their lives
in generous service of others.
We ask that you speak gently into the
hearts of those you call today
to priesthood or vowed religious life.
Through the intersection of the Immaculate Heart
of Mary, help these chosen sons and daughters
to hear your loving call in our homes and our parish,
so that they may respond
with faithful and loving hearts.
We also ask that you use each of us,
in whatever way you choose,
to help make your call known,
so that ministry may be abundant
in the Diocese of Tucson, our loving home.
We make this prayer in faith,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.




Our parish library has been reorganized and it is
ready now for you to come browse and check out
a good book. There are many books to choose
from that will encourage and inspire
you and help you to grow deeper in your faith walk.
We welcome all to come and spend some quiet
time reading daily especially
during this holy Lenten season.



2024 Annual Catholic Appeal

We would like to Thank all of you, who have
supported the ACA,
Through the grant process of the campaign,
St Fernand's and St Ann's have greatly bene-
fited. If you haven't done so, please consider
making a pledge .

Announcements/Events from St Ann's & Dioceses



Request a
Mass Intention

The practice of requesting a mass to be offered for loved ones, living or deceased, is a beautiful and wonderful part of our Catholic Tradition. Continuing in this long standing practice, you can remember someone who has died recently or many years ago. But intentions do not have to be just for the dead. They make beautiful gifts for any special occasion: birthday, anniversary, in thanksgiving for a prayer answered, etc.

You can also offer an intention for someone who is struggling with a serious illness or other life trauma..

Please call or come to the parish office to set up a mass intention. Mass intentions are \$10.00 each

All mass intention must be done a week before mass date to be posted in the bulletin.

†Deceased ♥ Health *Special Intention

WilliamRay Seal ♥ Health


Reflection on today's Gospel

"This morning I received a text message that a member of my extended family will likely die of cancer within the next few hours. His name is Luke. He is a 45-year-old husband and father of six. Though I am not as close to him as my sister (she is his sister-in-law and knows him well), I wonder: how can we, including Luke himself, manage such a terribly awful and unfair situation? The words of this Sunday's Gospel offer a powerful and challenging path. Jesus says, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me" (Mark 8:34). Today I see with new freshness the starkness and strangeness of the words **take up**. The cross stands for suffering which is unjust, absurd, seemingly hopeless, and humiliating. Jesus doesn't say "accept" or "endure" or "tolerate," but "take up." Embrace it, actively. Choose it and lift it up for others to see what terrifies and sickens us. But somehow, for Jesus, this is the path to "saving one's life." A new world is breaking in, one in which love is everything, when no relationship can be wounded or die. I trust that in the embraced suffering of Luke and his loved ones, Jesus is taking up his cross and saving us all.

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— Father John Muir

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Church
Rummage
Sale

St Ann's Annual Rummage Sale

Thursday, Friday & Saturday, October 17, 18 & 19
at St Ann's Parish Office .

We are soliciting for gently used goods for donation.. We kindly request that you deliver your donations to the parish office
Tuesday through Friday from 9:AM—1PM

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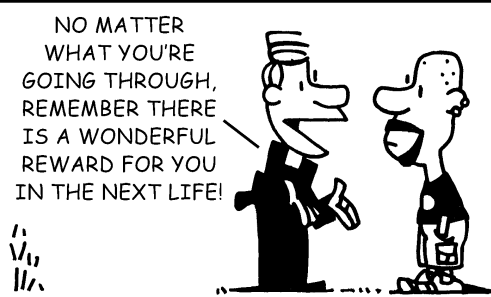
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CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

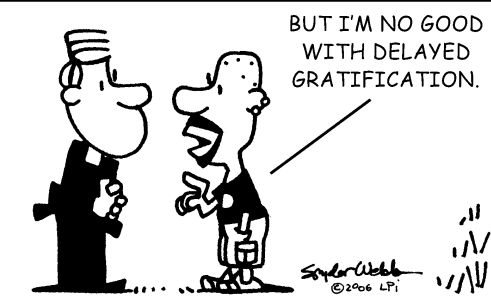


Lord God, source of all wisdom and knowledge, you sent your Son, Jesus Christ, to live among us and to proclaim his message of faith, hope, and love to all nations. In your goodness, bless our brothers and sisters who have offered themselves as **catechists** for your Church.
Amen

24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



NO MATTER WHAT YOU'RE GOING THROUGH, REMEMBER THERE IS A WONDERFUL REWARD FOR YOU IN THE NEXT LIFE!



BUT I'M NO GOOD WITH DELAYED GRATIFICATION.

Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:
I gave my back to those who beat me,
my cheeks to those who plucked my beard;
my face I did not shield
from buffets and spitting. (Is 50:6)

Psalm:
I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living. (Ps 116)
Or: Alleluia.

Second Reading:
So also faith of itself,
if it does not have works, is dead. (Jas 2:17)

Gospel:
"But who do you say that I am?"
Peter said to him in reply,
"You are the Christ." (Mk 8:29)

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Live The Liturgy
Inspiration of the Week

"Take up your cross and follow me," Jesus tells us. We are called to have a faith that is defined by the willingness to go where Christ has gone, and to do what Christ has done, to see Christ in others and to love them as he loves us.

Observances for the week of
September 15, 2024

- Sunday:**

Monday:

Tuesday:

Thursday:

Friday:

Saturday:

Next Sunday:

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Catechetical Sunday

Sts. Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian,
Bishop, Martyrs

St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church; Saint Hildegard of Bingen, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

St. Januarius, Bishop and Martyr

Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, Priest, and Paul Chŏng Ha-sang and Companions, Martyrs

St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saint of the week

St. Mary Josphe Rossello (1811-1880) was born to a poor family in Liguria, Italy. She was prevented from entering established religious orders because she lacked a dowry. However, the bishop of Savona helped her open a school and establish her own order, which never required a fee to enter.

Prayer for
Catechism Students

Dear God,
You never stop drawing us closer to You.
Pour Your grace upon these young disciples as they learn about You.
Attract them. Challenge them. Love them. Guide them. Bless them.
Amen.



Weekly
Offering

Parish Collection for
Sept 7, & 8, 2024

Collection: **\$1,120.00**

Thank you and God bless
your generosity!

Readings for the week of September 15, 2024

Sunday:

Is 50:4c-9a/Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 (9)/
Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35

Monday:

1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/
Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday:

1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/
Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday:

1 Cor 12:31—13:13/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and
22/Lk 7:31-35

Thursday:

1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28/
Lk 7:36-50

Friday:

1 Cor 15:12-20/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18,
19-20/Lk 8:1-3

Saturday:

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Mt 9:9-13

Next Sunday:

Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 (6b)/
Jas 3:16—4:3/Mk 9:30-37



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Gospel Meditation Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

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— Father John Muir

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

Take Up Your Cross

When I'm interviewing people for my job as a staff writer at an archdiocesan newspaper, I like to ask them this question: at the end of your life, when you meet God, what do you want to hear Him say?

I've gotten a lot of interesting answers.

"I called and you listened."

"What tee time would you like tomorrow?"

"What were you thinking?"

"Your service made things better."

It's a question I've thought a lot about, personally. What I want to hear God say when I finally see His face is this: "You can put it down now."

When Jesus asks his disciples "Who do you say that I am?" he is not just asking them to verbalize an answer. He is asking them to do something: pick up the cross. Find the problems in this world, in this life, and throw your arms around them. Drag them to God, even if it kills you. It's not enough to stand by the sidelines, watching Christ ascend to Calvary, nodding your head in approval. *Yes, I agree. Yes, I believe. Yes, Jesus, good job!* You have to follow in every bloody footprint he leaves in the dust. Set your face like flint. And when you meet him at the top, you better not be empty-handed. He has a cross, he will expect you to have one, too.

I hope that I can do it. I hope that I am strong enough. I am not one of those great, hardy souls. I stumble terribly under the weight of my very small cross. I grumble as I shift it from shoulder to shoulder. But every time I have been almost at the point of giving up, almost ready to lay it down, there is something — Someone — who supports my drooping arm. The Lord God is my help.

If, at the end of everything, I hear the words, "You can put it down now," then I will know I have made it. I will know I have not failed: I took up the cross.

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." Matthew 16:24

— Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Why do we do that?

Catholic Life Explained

Question:

What is holy water and how do I explain the reason that it is placed at the entrances of churches to my non-Catholic friends?

Answer:

Holy water is a sacramental, a reminder of the life of the Church expressed and celebrated through the sacraments. God's grace is mediated through word and gesture (the outward signs). This comes to us through Jesus (instituted by Christ) as he entrusts to the Church his saving mission (to give grace). In turn the Church, through the sacraments, shares that grace and mission with us.

On Ash Wednesday, we receive ashes on our foreheads to remind us of our origins, humbly created from the dust. But by blessing ourselves with holy water, we are reminded of our destiny! We are baptized sons and daughters of God. This is also a call to conversion, to live more fully our baptismal call to live as disciples of Jesus. We see holy water whenever we renew our baptismal promises. This will occur during the Easter liturgy as well, reminding us that we are indeed on a journey of faith and renewed in Christ. Blessing ourselves with holy water reminds us that we are baptized into a community faith, and always in need of turning from sin and toward God. Holy water is a visible sign of our baptism.