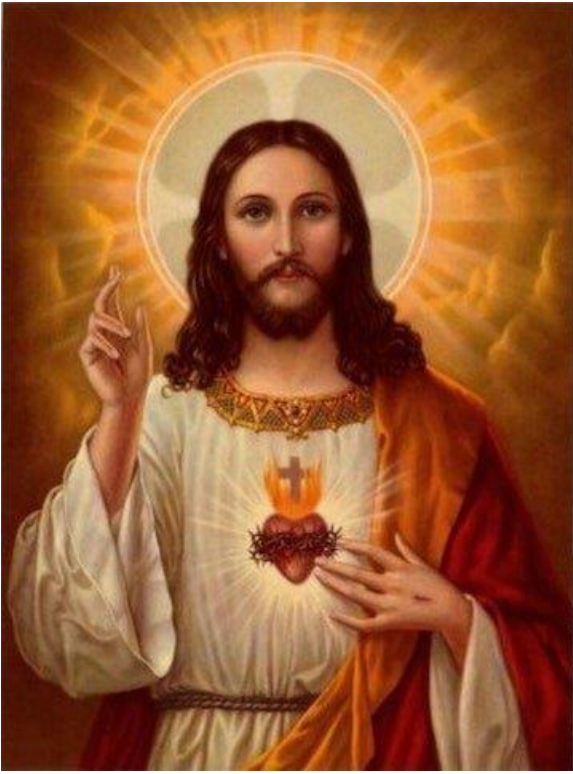


June 23, 2024
The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time



*Remember, O most
kind Jesus, that none
who have had
recourse to your
Sacred Heart,
Implored its
assistance, or called
for mercy, have ever
been abandoned.*

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church

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Reverend Father Martin Atanga, Pastor

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Office Hours Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

After hours emergencies only call (520) 633-3996

To report abuse in the Diocese of Tucson, call **911** immediately and
then the Diocesan Office of Child, Adolescent and Adult Protection
at **520-838-2513**

Parish Information

Deacons:

Reverend Mr. Rick Valencia

Reverend Mr. Tom Adams (retired)

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Office—520-586-3394

Office Hours - Monday - Friday 9:00 - 1:00 p.m.

Please call ahead if you wish to visit with Father Martin

Office Assistant/Finance: Jennifer Morse

Office Assistant/Compliance: Liz Rutherford

Custodian: Gerald Nelson

For Sacramental Preparation, including:

**Baptism, Religious Education,
Quinceañeras, Marriage or to schedule a Confession,**
please call the Parish Office.



List of Ministry Leaders

Board of Directors

President, Fr. Martin Atanga,

Secretary, Helen Garcia, Treasurer: Al Cesarz

Chairman, Dan Garcia, Secretary, De Wilson

Assistant Secretary, Melissa Tibbitts,

Bookkeeper, Vita Baker-Luna

Finance Council

Tom Stevenson Chairman, Helen Garcia Secretary

Peggy Leichty and Ray Ruiz—Assistant DRE

Parish Pastoral Council

- **DRE**
- **Eucharistic Ministers**
- **Funerals**
- **K of C Grand Knight**
- **Lectors**
- **Music**
- **Weddings**
- **RCIA**
- **Ushers/Compliance**
- **Sacristans**
- **Parish Alive**
- **Renovation & Repair**
- **I.T.**
- **Vocations**
- **St. Joseph, the Worker
Ministry**

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Rich Leichty

Marie Smith

Jennifer Morse

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Rich Leichty and Matt Brewster

Greg Mayer and Donna Mayer

Dan Garcia

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE
SATURDAY 5:00 p.m.
SUNDAY 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
TUESDAY 6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY 8:00 a.m.
Holy Days of Obligation: Mass at 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.
Benediction every Friday following the 8:00 a.m. Mass

CONFESSIONS
SATURDAY 4:30 p.m.
OR BY APPOINTMENT (call the office)

An Act of Spiritual Communion
(for those unable to physically receive Communion)

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

June 9, 2024 Collection

Parish Funds

Offertory \$1,905.05
Facilities Maintenance Fund \$586.50
Brother Box \$185.90
Candles \$12.10
Lighthouse \$2.00
Ascension of the Lord \$50.00
Solemnity of Mary \$10.00
Father's Day \$5.00

Funds to be sent out

St. Vincent de Paul \$30.00

June 16, 2024 Collection

Parish Funds

Offertory \$2,953.05
Facilities Maintenance Fund \$100.00
Brother Box \$25.00
Candles \$34.00
Lighthouse \$15.00
Father's Day \$145.00

Funds to be sent out

St. Vincent de Paul \$58.00

The Brother Box/Coffee and More

There are those in our community who sometimes need a little help. The Brother Box/ Coffee and More funds have been very helpful in supporting our Parish to help meet this need. The box is located in the front of the church on the left in front of the choir loft. The biggest needs recently are for people who have emergency medical appointments and do not have the money to buy gas to get there, and for travelers or others who are hungry and need some assistance. We are grateful for your support.

Weekend and Weekday Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 22, 2024

5:00 p.m.

† Keith Parish by the Remily Family

Sunday, June 23, 2024

8:00 a.m.

Pro Populo

10:30 a.m.

† Jose Cornelio Chavez by Luis Padilla

Saturday, June 29, 2024

5:00 p.m.

Struggling families in our community,
by a parishioner

Sunday, June 30, 2024

8:00 a.m.

Pro Populo

10:30 a.m.

† Jose Cornelio Chavez by Joe & Liz
Abril

The Pope's Monthly Intention for June

For migrants fleeing their homes

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

TODAY'S READINGS

Sunday, June 23, 2024

(according to the Ordo)

First Reading: Jb 38:1, 8-11. *The Lord speaks to Job out of the storm.*

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 107:23-26, 28-31. *"Give thanks to the Lord, his lover is everlasting."*

Second Reading: 1 Cor 5:14-17. *Christ's love impels us.*

Gospel: Mk 4:35-41. *Jesus calms the stormy seas.*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK of June 24, 2024

Monday: Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3, 13-15; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80.

Tuesday: 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Ps 48:2-4, 10-11; Mt 7:6, 12-14.

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Ps 119:33-37, 40; Mt 7:15-20.

Thursday: 2 Kgs 24:8-17; Ps 79:1b-5, 8-9; Mt 7:21-29.

Friday: 2 Kgs 25:1-12; Ps 137:1-6; Mt 8:1-4.

Saturday: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19.

Saints and Special Observances

Monday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Thursday: St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Friday: St. Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr

Saturday: Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles

Upcoming Events

- **Jesus' Precious Blood Charismatic Mass** – *“The blood of His Son Jesus cleanses us from all sin.” 1 John 1:7.* Joyfully praise and worship our Lord and Savior, receive Him in His True Presence, and participate in the Litany of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus. Pray for healing and for all your intentions. Celebrate Mass at 6:45 pm on Thursday, July 11, 2024, at Our Lady of La Vang / St Frances Cabrini, 3201 E. Presidio Rd., Tucson. If you cannot attend in person, join on Zoom, meeting ID: **814 4930 0841** Pass code: **352734** (For help, text 520-981-8800). Hosted by the Diocese of Tucson Renewal Committee.
- **Retrouvaille Marriage Ministry** has published a flyer with tear-off tabs for married couples who may have some troubling issues in their relationships. It is at the back of the church. They are also organizing a couples weekend retreat in September. Pamphlets will be out for that in the coming weeks.

Parish grounds— You know the saying “if you see something, say something”? Well, let’s apply it to our beautiful grounds here at Our Lady of Lourdes. Tell someone, like the ushers or Coffee & More volunteers or office staff if you notice something out of place, missing or needing a clean-up. Or “do something”. If you see trash in the parking lots or on the grounds, pick it up and place in a trash receptacle. This is our Parish. Let’s take care of it, together.

Sacramental Certificates for those who received sacraments in April, are completed. Please stop by the parish office and pick up yours. They’re beautiful and important to keep in a safe place.

Website Updates

Please visit our website for new updates that include a message from Pope Francis, online giving, bulletins, and introducing a Parish Calendar under the Parish News tab. You may add to the Parish Calendar by emailing the office at lolparish.com.



Scam Alert

If you are contacted by anyone claiming to be from the Diocese or Our Lady of Lourdes asking for money or gift cards, please confirm the contact’s identity with the Diocese at 520-838-2500 or Our Lady of Lourdes office at 520-586-3394.

Job Opportunity

**Our Lady of the Mountains Parish—
Sierra Vista**

Part Time Position
Assistant Bookkeeper
and

Full-Time Position (30 Hours per week)
Maintenance Tech I

For Complete details, please visit:

Diocesetucson.org
Employment/Volunteer

The Diocese of Tucson invites you to stay in touch with the Diocese via your phone and/or email.

Every week the diocese publishes the New Outlook, our local newsletter with links to news, events, and so much more! To sign up, you can text DOT-NEWS to 84576 or go to <https://news.diocesetucson.org/subscribe> Please note: the instructions at the bottom of this page for the OLOL flocknotes remain the same. The above link will connect you to the weekly Diocesan newsletter.



Parish Alive

When a need arises in our community, as parishioners, we are blessed with the responsibility to do what we can to fulfill that need. Parish Alive is an opportunity to demonstrate our commitment and love to one another, our neighbor.

We Care Pregnancy Center

We Care Pregnancy Center of Benson Arizona is a free pregnancy resource center. They offer compassionate, confidential resources to those who are in a crisis pregnancy situation. They also are a resource for families in our community providing support with diapers, clothing, formula, parenting classes etc. This organization is strictly pro-life and does not promote abortion or provide referrals to abortion clinics. For more information please visit their website www.wecarebenson.com. ***If you would like to donate items to "We Care", you may leave them at the church and the office staff will deliver them. Or - you can deliver them yourself!***

OUTREACH—Flocknotes are text messages and a way of sharing information about things that are out of the ordinary—for example, if for some reason the church was unable to open, we would send out a Flocknote. Flocknotes are also used for reminders of important things happening. They are short and to the point. To sign up for Flocknotes please call the office and leave your name and phone number. The office staff will add you to our "flock".

Saint Joseph, the Worker Ministry

Just as St. Joseph took care of Mary and Jesus and worked throughout his life to provide for them, we begin a new Ministry in honor of St. Joseph, the Worker. Members will dedicate their work to St. Joseph while maintaining the grounds surrounding the Church property. Please consider if you feel called to help out on a scheduled basis with the grounds maintenance and/or with projects that need to be completed around the Parish properties. **Touch base with Dan Garcia (520) 444-1339.**

Lighthouse

Adult and Family Religious reading resources are available in the back of the church (on the right hand far side as you exit) for small donations. They explore anything from one topic to an entire review of a relevant subject. Please have a look every once in a while to see if there is a topic that interests you or if new materials have been added, as this happens frequently!

St. Vincent de Paul Society, St. Bernadette Conference, Benson, AZ

(520) 586-9438 Maggie Montijo, President
Case Management Phone number is 520-686-1489
(for assistance) Please leave a message!

Thrift Store Hours: 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Tuesday-
Thursday-Friday and Saturdays

Closed Sundays, Mondays and Wednesdays

The St. Vincent de Paul Thrift store is located at 181 Patagonia Street. (corner of 5th Street and Patagonia Street across from G & F Pizza.)

The Thrift Store Volunteers thank you for your support!

Knights of Columbus Logan De Rosier Council #7521

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

<http://www.ololparish.org/kofc/index.htm>

Meetings are the 2nd Wednesday of each month @ 6:30 p.m. in the Monsignor Rosettie Hall.

All Knights and visiting Knights are encouraged and welcome to attend. Any practicing Catholic gentleman 18 or older wishing to join the Knights of Columbus may contact the membership drive director S. K. Dan Garcia - 520-444-1339 for more information.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

Lost and Found

Several items, including sunglasses, have been left in the Church. If you've misplaced something, lost and found items will be available in the Monsignor Rosetti Hall. Items that have been left for a long period of time will eventually be donated.



Please review this list and let the Office Staff know of any changes or additions that are needed.

Please Pray for Our Men and Women in the Military and their Families

ARMY: Brian Curd, Chris Krug, Matthew Lawrence, Richard McMillan, Tommy Montijo, Benjamin Nolting, Richard Matthew Simpson CPT, Colby Tigges, Joseph James Simpson ENS, Quentin Tigges, Kenal Hestand, Matthew Castagno, Joseph Agay, Nicholas Pecina, Andrew Pecina, Jared Romero, Hannah Amavisca, Norman Richard Scroggins, Gordon Molina, Nicolas Amavisca, Faith Daniels

MARINES: Anthony Contreras, Antonio Agay, Eddie Zazueta, Jordan Sanud, Jerry Gordo, Rolando Carrillo Jr, Gabriel Contreras, Gabe Osuna, Popeye Contreras, Rolando Carrillo II

AIR FORCE: Miss Alyx Lynn, Sean Lynn, Matthew Nolting, Stefan Olivas, Richard Restorff, Sabrina Moore, Annissa Daniels, Brayden Moore, Kaylene Flint

COAST GUARD: Steve Macias, Justin Vivian

AIR NAT'L GUARD: Ryan Erskine

NAVY: Bradley Maxwell Jonathan Martell II, Eddy Sisneroz, Dylan Bernal, Steven Coauetto, Jake Thoutt, Mackenzie Kirkpatrick, Devin Vivian, Daniel Kaleb Wenrick, Tatianna Quezada, Randy Suprenant

Space Force: Nicole Flint - Space Force Guardian

Symbolism of the Sacred Heart

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus honors Jesus' burning love for each of us and also makes reparation for the rejection, persecution, and disdain His Sacred Heart receives from the world. The Sacred Heart is frequently depicted in Catholic art. Some depictions present the Sacred Heart alone, while others show Jesus with His Sacred Heart radiant in His chest or in His hand.

Various emblems represent an aspect of Christ's sacrificial love.

Jesus' heart is exposed, for He has poured Himself out for us and desires that we enter into His Most Loving Heart.

The crown surrounding the Sacred Heart recalls Jesus being crowned with thorns, and reminds us that He endured persecution and ridicule for us.

The fire represents the burning flame of divine love and the essence of divinity. (Remember Moses and His encounter with the bush that burned but was never consumed?). The Sacred Heart is on fire with love for mankind.

The cross amidst the flames reminds us of His sacrifice for us upon the Cross of Calvary, a sacrifice undertaken out of His infinite love for sinners.

A royal crown is often depicted on top of the Sacred Heart as a symbol of Jesus' kingship. The lance-wound references John 19:33-37, when the Roman soldiers pierced Jesus' side and blood and water flowed from the wound, which, according to the Gospel of John, "took place that the scripture might be fulfilled, 'Not a bone of him shall be broken'" (John 19:36). This image of blood and water is highly symbolic. It represents the Passover Lamb sacrificed for our sins to save us from death and reminds us that Jesus shed every last drop of His blood for our sake.

Now, when you honor the Sacred Heart of Jesus, you can meditate on its profound symbolism and on Christ's burning love for you. - *Courtesy of Get Fed & The Catholic Company*

Online Giving Now Available!

Visit Our Lady of Lourdes Giving Page at www.osvhub.com/ololparish/giving/funds or visit ololparish.com. View upcoming collections, set reminder notifications, make one time gifts or set up recurring offerings, view and /or download tax statements at any time. Safe, secure, and easy. Make offerings to all collections or use it for mass intentions, religious articles, brother box, etc. You can set up your account or simply give as a guest. If you would like assistance or have any questions regarding online giving, please contact Jennifer Morse at the parish office.