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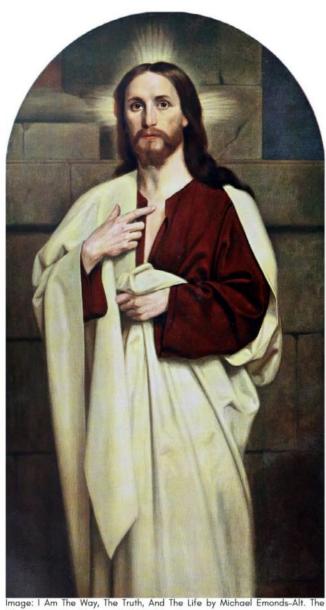
October 13, 2024

Pastor: Fr. David Ostler

Retired Priests: Fr. Hans Ruygt & Fr. Richard Ryan







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Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."

- Matthew 5:3

Mass Times

623-214-5180

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 4 pm Sunday: 7 am, 9 am, 11 am Monday - Saturday: 8 am

Confession Times

Monday: 9 to 10 am Friday: 6 to 7 pm

Office Hours

Sunday: Closed Monday - Thursday: 8 am to 3 pm Friday & Saturday: Closed

Annulments & Marriage Prep

For more information regarding annulments or if you are planning to marry at Prince of Peace Parish, please contact Nanci Lukasik-Smith, Catechesis & Marriage/Annulment Ministry Director, at 623-344-7294 or Nanci@popscw.org.

Baptisms

To schedule a baptism, please contact Nanci Lukasik-Smith, Catechesis & Marriage/Annulment Ministry Director, at 623-344-7294 or Nanci@popscw.org. Baptisms are held on Sundays at 2:00 p.m.



Prayer Opportunities

Divine Mercy Chaplet - Fridays following 8:00 a.m. Mass in Church

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

- Sunday: 12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m.
- Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- Commit to an hour before our Lord at: princeofpeace.weadorehim.com

Healing Prayer Ministry - Tuesday at 8:45 a.m. In the Church

Millions of Monicas Prayer Service - Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. in St. John Paul II Chapel

Patriotic Rosary - Mondays at 9:00 a.m. in the

Rosary - Approximately 30 minutes prior to each Mass

Sacred Heart Charismatic Prayer Group - Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. in St. Michael's Hall



Want more friends? JOIN THE KNIGHTS

Meeting Times

Officers Meeting: 9:00 a.m. on Second Saturdays

<u>Council Meeting</u>: 9:00 a.m. on Fourth Saturdays

in St Michael Hall

Contact: Rudy Grom, DGK

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Queen of Peace Women's Guild

Meeting Times

Monthly Meeting: 9:00 a.m. Social & 9:30 a.m. Meeting on 1st Wednesdays in St. Michael's Hall.

<u>Bazaar Workshops</u>: 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month from 9:00 to 10:30 am in St.

Michael's Hall.

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Mass Intentions & Daily Readings

Sunday, October 13th - Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Wis 7:7-11; Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Heb

4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30 or Mk 10:17-27

7:00 a.m. Tony & Cindee Munro ♥

39th Wedding Anniversary

9:00 a.m. Parishioners of

Prince of Peace Parish

11:00 a.m. Jerry & Greg Forman

Monday, October 14th - Memorial of Saint Callistus I, Pope and Martyr

Readings: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1; Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4,

5a and 6-7; Lk 11:29-32

8:00 a.m. Ignatius Korelc †

Tuesday, October 15th - Memorial of Saint Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

Readings: Gal 5:1-6; Ps 119:41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 48; Lk

11:37-41

8:00 a.m. John Robert Myers †

Wednesday, October 16th - Memorial of Saint Hedwig, Religious, and Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin

Readings: Gal 5:18-25; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 11:42-46

8:00 a.m. Dave Biddle

Thursday, October 17th - Memorial of Saint Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr

Readings: Eph 1:1-10; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Lk

11:47-54

8:00 a.m. Rita Baker †

Friday, October 18th - Feast of Saint Luke, Evangelist Readings: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145; 10-11, 12-13, 17-18;

Lk 10:1-9

8:00 a.m. Gary Danek †

Saturday, October 19th - Memorial of Saints John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests and Companions, Martyrs

Readings: Eph 1:15-23; Ps 8:2-3ab, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 12:8-12

8:00 a.m. William J. Fay † 4:00 p.m. Parishioners of

Prince of Peace Parish

Sunday, October 20th - Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Is 53:10-11; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22; Heb

4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45 or Mk 10:42-45 7:00 a.m. Brian Nyberg † 9:00 a.m. Frank Sass †

11:00 a.m. The Richard Sonsalla Family

Message From the Pastor

(edited from Flocknote message originally published on October 5th)

My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As I am sure you noticed, confessions were cancelled multiple times two weeks ago. It was not something that I wanted to do, but something I had to do as I received news on Wednesday, October 2nd that our Parish will not be receiving a Parochial Vicar until July 2025.

In the past month there had been multiple conversations with the Diocese, and everyone was hopeful that we would be assigned a Parochial Vicar in mid-October. Unfortunately, to no one's fault, those plans did not work out. Since receiving that news though, my mind has been spinning thinking of how I, the lone assigned priest, and Fr. Hans, a retired priest with many health issues, can sacramentally, spiritually, and pastorally provide for our wonderful and growing Parish.

With that, I have made the hard decision to no longer offer confessions on Wednesdays and Thursdays, beginning October 9th. The sacrament of Confession is beautiful, and we have become a confession Parish with people coming from all over the West Valley, but it is not something that can be sustained with our Mass schedule and sick calls.

I ask for your prayers and understanding as I navigate being the Pastor of this Parish with only the help of one retired priest.

In Christ, Father David Ostler

St. John Paul II Pro-Life Ministry Meeting

Please join us for our next St. John Paul II Pro-Life Ministry meeting on Thursday, October 17th at 9:00 a.m. in the St. Patrick Room.

Bring a friend, new members are always welcome!

40 Days of Prayer & Fasting for the Defeat of Proposition 139 Defending the Unborn Child and the Mother

What is Proposition 139?

Proposition 139 is a proposition on the November ballot that will enshrine the constitutional right to virtually unrestricted abortion through all nine months of pregnancy in Arizona.

All parishioners are encouraged to join Fr. David in prayer, fasting, and action for the defeat of Proposition 139 until Election Day.

<u>Prayer</u>

- Special Holy Hour from 5 to 6 p.m. in St. John Paul II Chapel beginning through Monday, November 4th
- Fasting and abstaining from meat on Wednesdays and Fridays through Monday, November 4th
- Pray the Rosary or Memorare daily
- Pray in front of Planned Parenthood, 5771 W.
 Eugie Ave., Glendale
- Election Day Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, November 5th

Action

- Talk to family and friends about this proposition using the palm cards
- Take extra palm cards and handout to others
- Place yard signs in front of your house

This proposition can be defeated in Arizona, but each of us will need to stand up and do our part to defend life.

ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE FOR GOD

Flocknote Helps You Keep In Touch with Us!

The easiest and quickest way for the Parish to communicate with you is through email and text message. Make sure you are receiving important Parish news by going to: popphoenix.flocknote.com/everyone. Flocknote also gives you the opportunity to stay up-to-date with all of the parish ministries and groups.



How Pregnancy Care Centers Benefit Families



When you give monthly to the St. John Paul II Pro-Life Ministry, your donation benefits three Pregnancy Care Centers in the Phoenix Metro Area. Over the next month, we will look at what the Pregnancy Care Centers provide to families in need.

Mental Health Benefits

Pregnancy Centers avert mental health impacts of abortion for women, which includes elevated rates of depression, substance abuse, and even suicide.

St. Vincent de Paul

In today's Gospel, Jesus says: "Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then, come follow me."

Have you considered answering the call to help serve the poor by joining our SVdP Prince of Peace Conference?

Our SVdP Prince of Peace Conference would like to welcome back all who have returned this fall!

SVdP Prince of Peace Conference, phone number 623-738-3822.

Catholic Daughters Annual Spaghetti Dinner

Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court 2278 is having their Annual Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser on Saturday, October 19th at Our Lady Of Lourdes, Madonna Hall. Serving is from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.

You may purchase tickets at Our Lady of Lourdes Office or contact Karen Czaplewski at 701-460-0495. She will be happy to provide Delivery service of tickets to locations in Sun City West or arrange for you to pick up. Price is Adults \$20.

Sanctuary Flower Ponations

The flowers donated this weekend were donated by

Anthony & Cynthia Munro in honor of their 39th Wedding Anniversary

If you would like to donate flowers for the sanctuary, please contact the church office. The cost is usually \$180 and we will work with you to purchase an arrangement to your liking that will also work with the current liturgical season. Your donation will also be listed in the weekly bulletin.

In Loving Memory

Rease pray for the following parishioner:

Josephine Curley

Eternal rest grant unto her. O <u>lo</u>rd, And let perpetual light shine upon her. May the souls of all the faithful departed, Through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

I PRAYED, AND PRUDENCE WAS GIVEN ME WISDOM 7:7

Parish Catechism Fellowship

Fridays 9:00 a.m. St. Michael's Hall

All are welcome to join Fr. David as we journey through the Catechism of the Catholic Church.

Each week a different topic will be discussed by:

- Watching the corresponding video from Fr. Mike Schmitz's Catechism in a Year series
- Group discussion, and
- Q & A session with Fr. David

Upcoming Topics of Discussion October 18th

Immigration & Racism
October 25th

Stewardship of the Environment

To stay up-to-date with the topics being discussed and the corresponding videos from the Catechism in a Year series, join the Parish Catechism Fellowship Flocknote group by going to: https://popphoenix.flocknote.com/ParishCatechismF.

Prince of Peace Gift Shop

Temporary Gift Shop Hours

Sunday: 8 am to 1 pm Monday - Thursday: 8 am to 2 pm Friday & Saturday: Closed

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Please note that the Gift Shop will close at 2 pm on Mondays through Thursdays until further notice.



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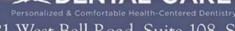
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