Prince of Peace

ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

14818 W. Deer Valley Dr. Sun City West, AZ 85375

November 30, 2025

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623-214-5180

Pastor: Fr. Reynaldo Clutario Jr.

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Adeodatus Rwehumbiza

The First Sunday of Advent

<u>Prince of Peace Parish is on a</u> <u>journey to know, love,</u> and serve Christ.

To help our parish grow and thrive as a community of missionary disciples, we're taking part in the Diocesan Disciple Maker Index (DMI) initiative.

This brief **10–15-minute** survey invites you to reflect on your faith journey and share how our parish can better support you. Your responses will guide parish leadership and help strengthen our mission.

The survey is available online, with paper copies offered in the Narthex and Parish Office. All responses are confidential.

Thank you for your participation and prayers for the growth and protection of our parish.





Scan the QR code to begin the survey and help guide our parish's future.



Mass Times

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 4 pm Sunday: 7 am, 9 am (Ad Orientum with incense), 11 am Monday - Saturday: 8 am

Confession Times

Monday: 8:45 to 10 am Friday: 5 to 6:30 pm

Office Hours

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

Parish Clergy + Staff



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Parochial Vicar Father Adeodatus Rwehumbiza Fr.Adeodatuse popscw.org



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Council and Committee Chairs
Pastoral- Gail Bunn

Fastoral- Gall Bunn Finance- Dennis Dionne Buildings and Properties- Ron Goergen

Baptisms

For more information regarding Baptisms at Prince of Peace Parish or to schedule a baptism, please contact Kristal Ostrowski, 623-344-7260 or Kristal@popscw.org.

<u>Marriages</u>

If you are interested in getting married at Prince of Peace, please contact Lisa Kragness, 623-344-7283. or Lisa@popscw.org.

Annulments

For more information regarding annulments please contact Kristal Ostrowski,, 623-344-7260 or Kristal@popscw.org.

Prayer Opportunities

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

Healing Prayer Ministry - Tuesdays at 8:45 a.m. in Church **Patriotic Rosary** - Mondays following 8:00 a.m. Mass in Church **Rosary** - Approximately 30 minutes prior to each Mass

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

Prayer Shawl – 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in St. Michael's Hall

<u>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</u>

Monday - Tuesday 8:45 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Wednesday - 8:45 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. No Adoration Thursday or Friday this week

You are invited you to prayerfully consider committing to a weekly Holy Hour in the Adoration Chapel here at Prince of Peace. Prayer is powerful, especially in the Real Presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

Ready to sign-up? Go to: Princeofpeace.weadorehim.com.



Gift Bearers Returning to the Liturgy



We are pleased to announce the reintroduction of gift bearers during the celebration of the Holy Mass. This cherished tradition invites members of the faithful to present the bread and wine at the Offertory, symbolizing the offering of our lives and blessings to God.

Individuals, families, and parish groups are encouraged to participate in this meaningful ministry. To volunteer for an upcoming Mass, please sign up at the Hospitality Table before or after the weekend Masses or contact the parish office.

Thank you for helping us enrich the beauty and reverence of our liturgy.

Mass Intentions for the Week of November 30th

Sunday, November 30th

7am Cletus Smith †

9am Billy Saiz †

11am Parishioners of Prince of Peace

Monday, December 1st

8am Lew Pratsch †

Tuesday, December 2nd

8am Bille Keefe †

Wednesday, December 3rd

8am Rosa Gonzalez †

Thursday, December 4th

8am Ignatius Korelc †

Friday, December 5th

8am Mass for Recently Deceased Parishioners and Family Members

Saturday, December 6th

8am Sharon & John Bohlen Family

4pm Sokol & Argento Families

Sunday, December 7th

7am Parishioners of Prince of Peace

9am Bev Vaske †

11am Gary Danek †

For Daily Mass readings go to https://bible.usccb.org/ readings/calendar or scan the OR code.



At an hour you do not expect, the SON OF MAN will come

Matthew 24:44

PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS

November 10, 2025- November 16, 2025

TITHING

Weekly Total	\$18,488.28
Weekly Budget	\$28,985.00
Weekly Surplus/Deficit	\$10,496.72
Fiscal Year-to-date Total	\$391,558.44
Fiscal Year-to-date Budget	\$455,135.00
Fiscal Year-to-date Surplus/Deficit	\$63,576.56

OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS

Cradle Sunday	\$145.00
Misc	
Holy Days	
Gold Envelopes (Maintenance)	
Bequest	\$33,500.00

Thank You for Supporting Prince of Peace!

Your generosity keeps our parish thriving, thank you for your prayers, support, and commitment to our church community!

Online Giving makes supporting our parish simple and secure:

- Schedule recurring gifts so you never miss a Sunday
- Make donations anytime, anywhere
- Easily manage or update your contributions

Visit popscw.org/donate or scan the QR code to get started.





First Friday Schedule

Friday, December 5 8:00 a.m. - Mass

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in St. John Paul II Chapel
11:00 a.m. - Communal Anointing of the Sick
6:00 to 7:00 p.m. - Confessions

Communal Anointing of the Sick (Previously called a Healing Service)

On Friday, December 5, 2025. at 11 am, we will offer the Communal Anointing of the Sick at Prince of Peace Church. It is an opportunity to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick in a beautiful communal service. (We previously called it a healing service.) Please arrive a little early to sign in and obtain a name tag.

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is available to those of the faithful whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or advanced age. Illnesses may be of a physical, emotional, mental, or spiritual nature. Elderly persons who have become notably weakened may receive the Sacrament even if no serious illness is present. The Sacrament may be received multiple times in a person's life.

If you, or someone you know, would like to receive the sacrament but are unable to come to church, please call Lisa at 623-344-7283 to arrange for a visit from one of our priests.

In Loving Memory Rease pray for the following parishioner:

James "Jimmy" Babjak

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

St. John Paul II Pro-Life Ministry December Baby Goods Collection

St. John Paul II Pro-Life Ministry December collection. The St. John Paul II Pro-Life Ministry will be collecting baby goods at every Mass next weekend, December 6&7 for Life Choices Women's Clinic.

Items currently needed:

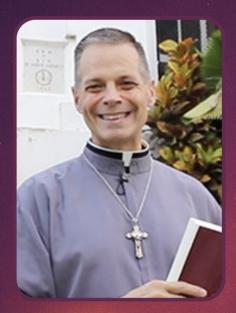
- Baby wash, shampoo, and lotion
- Bath towels
- Diaper rash cream
- Board books
- Comb/ brush
- Girls clothes, size newborn to 6 month
- Pacifiers
- Socks

If you would like to donate by check, please make it out to Prince of Peace Parish and put PRO-LIFE on the memo line. Thank you!



Advent Mission

with Fr. Zachary of the Mother of God, SOLT



Many will recognize Fr. Zachary from his inspiring appearances on EWTN and his powerful parish missions across the country. A former attorney who answered God's call to the priesthood, he now serves with the Society of Our Lady of the Most Holy Trinity (SOLT).

His preaching is known for its clarity, warmth, and deep devotion to the Eucharist, Our Lady, and the call to holiness.

Join us this Advent as we prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ.

Dates: December 15th and 16th **Time:** 9:00 am and 5:00 pm

Location: Prince of Peace Catholic Church 14818 W Deer Valley Rd, Sun City West, AZ

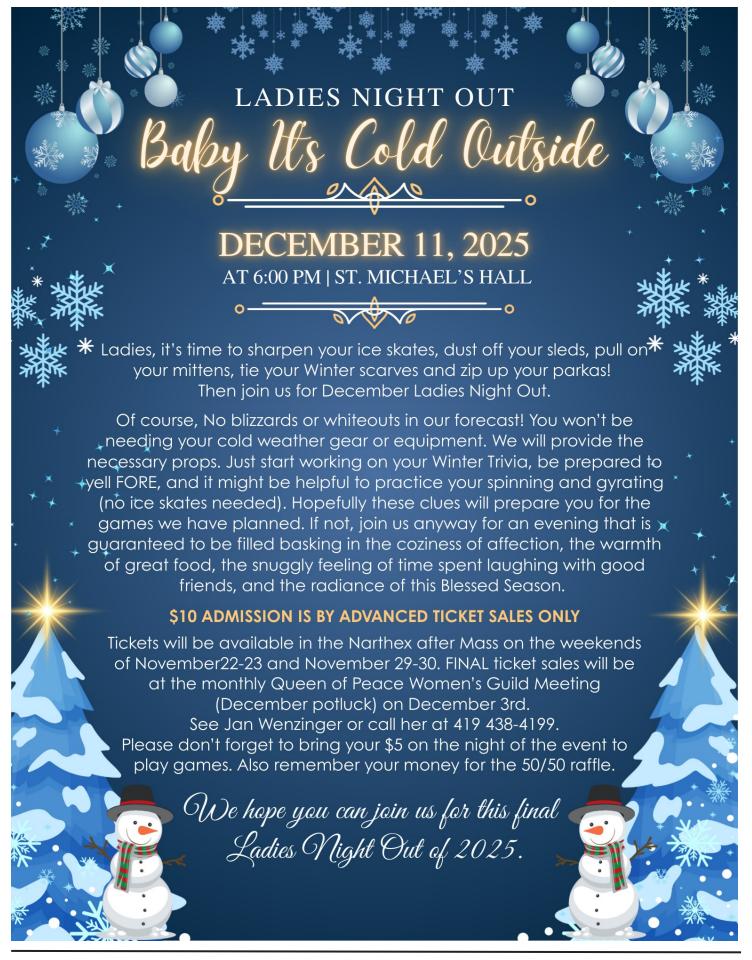
Advent Communal Penance

Date: December 17th

Time: 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Come, be renewed in faith and hope this Advent season.

All are welcome.



The Advent wreath is a beautiful tradition that helps us prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ at Christmas. Each week, we light a new candle to remind us that Jesus is the Light of the World, and that His light grows brighter as we draw nearer to His birth. The wreath's circle symbolizes God's unending love, and the evergreen branches remind us of the hope and life Jesus brings.

This blessing invites God's presence into our home as we begin the Advent season and turn our hearts toward Christ with faith, hope, and expectation.

Advent Wreath Blessing

Leader: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Leader: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

All: Who made heaven and earth. Scripture Reading – Isaiah 9:1-2, 6

Leader or Reader:

The people who walked in darkness

have seen a great light;

upon those who lived in a land of gloom

a light has shone.

For a child is born to us,

a son is given to us;

upon his shoulder dominion rests.

They name him

Wonder-Counselor, God-Hero,

Father-Forever, Prince of Peace.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Blessing Prayer

Leader:

Lord our God,

we praise You for sending Your Son Jesus into the world.

He is Emmanuel, God with us,

the Light who shines in our darkness

and the Hope of all peoples.

As we light the candles of this wreath,

may its growing brightness remind us

of the coming of Christ our Savior.

Bless this wreath and bless our family.

Fill our home with Your peace and Your joy

as we prepare our hearts for Christmas.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

(Light the appropriate candle[s].)







There will be no Confessions or Adoration when the office is closed.

Parish Gift Shop will be closed from December 24th at noon through January 3rd.

Gift Shop will reopen on January 4th.

May the joy of Christ fill your hearts and homes this holiday season.

May God bless your family with peace, love, and faith that endures throughout the year.

Breakfast with St. Nicholas

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

Sunday, December 7th Following All Masses

\$10 - Adults

3 pancakes, 3 sausages, eggs, & drink of choice

\$5 - Child

2 pancakes, 2 sausages, eggs, & drink of choice

Family pricing of \$30 available for larger families

Tickets available in the Parish office or the Hospitality Table



Knights of Columbus

Want more friends? JOIN THE KNIGHTS <u>Meeting Times</u>

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

Council Meeting: 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Fourth

Thursdays in St Michael Hall Contact: John Gambino Call: 623-760-6349
Email: johnnyg1@aol.com



Queen of Peace Women's Guild

Meeting Times

<u>Monthly Meeting</u>: 9:00 a.m. Social and 9:30 a.m. meeting on the 1st Wednesday from September to May in St. Michael's Hall.

Ladies' Night Out: Ladies Night out meets on the Second Thursday from September to April at 6:00 p.m. In St. Michael's Hall with a light meal and games. You must make reservations by the first Wednesday of the month.

Call Jan Wenzinger at 419-438-4199

Contact: Jean Green, 623-824-9817

St. John Paul II Pro-Life Ministry Meeting Times

<u>Monthly Meeting:</u> 9:00 a.m. on third Thursdays from August to May in St. Patrick Room. Monthly Baby Goods collection for Pregnancy Care Centers first Sunday of the month.

Contact: info@popscw.org or 623-214-5180

St. Vincent de Paul News

There is an Advent spirit in the heart of every human person. It is one of longing, of yearning for a fulfillment; we long for the coming of the Lord. Our annual Adopt a Family program continues through December 19th. Please make your checks out to SVdP Prince of Peace; noting Adopt a Family in the memo line. You can place your donations in the collection baskets during all masses. Your heart will discover the true meaning of Christmas as you help those who are suffering and poor to long for the coming of the Lord. God bless you and thank you for your continued support of our SVdP Prince of Peace Conference.

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

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Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Ministry

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Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to Care Centers

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Prayer Shawl Ministry

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Pro-Life Women's Clinics Ministry

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