# **Catholic Tri-Community Parishes**

Sunday, February 11, 2024

**Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time** 

Pastor: Fr. Balaswamy Kommathoti

# **Blessed Sacrament**



St. Helen Roman Catholic Church

66 E. Maplewood St. Oracle, Arizona, 85623

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#### **Mass Times**

Saturday: Confessions-4:00p.m Vigil Mass--.4:30p.m. Sunday: Holy Mass---11 a.m. Weekday Masses: --- 8:00a.m. (Thursday, Friday)

Parish Board of Directors Most Rev. Edward J. Weisenburger Fr Bala Kommathoti, President Manuel Navarro, Treasurer Carmen Trejo, Secretary

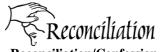
St. Helen Offices & Ministries

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Office Secretary- Tracy Alvarez.....896-2708 Parish Council Chair-Ellie Brown......237-2086 Finance Council Chair–Manny Navarro.975-2172 Religious Education-Maria Martinez......609-4388 Knights of Columbus-Jose Lopez- 483-3049

#### **Marriage Preparation**

Make an appointment with priest At least *four months* before your Wedding date.



**Reconciliation/Confession Check Mass Schedule or** By appointment 520-349-1696

#### St. Bartholomew



609 W. Park Pl San Manuel, Arizona, 85631

Phone: (520) 385-4156

Email: stbartholomew@diocesetucson.org

#### Mass Times

Saturday: Vigil Mass---.6:00p.m. Confessions—7:15p.m Sunday: Holy Mass-9:30a.m. Weekday Masses: --- 9:00a.m. (Monday, Thursday, Friday)

### **Parish Board of Directors** Most Rev. Edward J. Weisenburger Fr Bala Kommathoti, President

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**122 Church Drive** Mammoth, Arizona, 85618 Phone: (520) 487-2451

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#### Mass Times

1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month Rosary &	
5	Mass-8:30a.m.
Sunday: Confessions7:30a.m.	
Holy Mass8:00a.m.	
	12:30p.m.
Wednesday:	Confessions—5:30p.m.
	Holy Mass-6:00p.m

#### **Parish Board of Directors**

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Confirmation - Gloria Terrazas......240-6389 Knights of Columbus-Jose Lopez- 483-3049 All Numbers Area Code (520) unless otherwise designated



**Blessed Sacrament Offices & Ministries** Parish Pastoral Council Chairperson-TBA Finance Council-Deacon Bill Romero......442-4471

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### Sanctuary Lamp Alicia X. Alvarez

Please call the parish office to reserve. There is a \$5.00 charge in order to have

Have the lamp burn in memory of your loved one.

#### **INFANT BAPTISMS**

Instructions for infant Baptisms are on the first and third Thursday of the month (after initial registration) at 7:00 p.m. in the Church Hall.

It is mandatory that parents and Godparents attend.

# 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's gospel (Mk 1:40-45) a leper boldly enters the town to plead with Jesus to make him clean. In those days there was no cure for leprosy, so they were isolated outside the camp for the protection of the community. Despite this separation, word of Jesus' ministry of authority accompanied by miracles has reached him. The leper kneels in front of Jesus and expresses his faith in him: "If you wish, you can make me clean." Moved with compassion, Jesus responds: "I do will it. Be made clean." Immediately the leprosy left him! Jesus orders the leper to "See that you tell no one anything but show yourself to the priest." The cleansed leper is told to offer what Moses directed (two clean birds) for his cleansing as proof for priests. (Lev. 14:4). However, he is so excited about this miracle he spreads the report abroad making it impossible for Jesus to enter a town openly. People kept coming to Jesus from everywhere. Ironically, the former leper has returned to society and Jesus is forced into "deserted places" outside of every town.

Just as leprosy had no cure until Jesus came, sin had no cure until Jesus redeemed us on the cross. As lepers were isolated outside the camp, remaining in sin keeps us out of God's kingdom and of heaven. As much compassion as Jesus showed the leper by touching him and making him whole, we are shown more. God and Jesus generously supplied our need to be restored to God without our even asking. They have shown us an unfathomable love (agape) that is so foreign to human reasoning without grace we would be unable to accept it. For this reason, we should never fear coming to Jesus for cleansing through the Sacrament of Reconciliation. For it is His will that all be saved (1 Tim. 2:4). Then go and tell all that will listen, what Jesus has done for you. Let us kneel before Jesus and offer for our cleansing a life of thanksgiving and service for a debt that can never be paid. Will you return His love with all your heart, all your soul, all your mind, and all your strength?



# Blessed Sacrament Church, Mammoth Holy Mass 7:00 AM

# St. Bartholomew Church, San Manuel Holy Mass 8:30 AM

# Saint Helen Church, Oracle Holy Mass 10:00 AM



# Marriage Anniversary Mass 2024

Bishop Edward J. Weisenburger cordially invites you to a special Mass celebrating Marriage Anniversaries for couples that have received the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony and are celebrating the following anniversaries:

 $1^{st} - 5^{th} - 10^{th} - 25^{th} - 50^{th} - 60^{th} \text{ or longer}$ 

# WEDDING ANNIVERSARY IN 2024

Sunday, March 3, 2024, at 2:30 p.m. St. Augustine Cathedral, 192 S. Stone Ave., Tucson

If you have any questions, contact Ofelia James <u>ojames@diocesetucson.org</u>

### PLEASE REGISTER BY: Wednesday, February 21, 2024

ONLINE REGISTRATION: https://forms.office.com/r/KmvdLX6Kbi

- Diana Nussberger

# MASS INTENTIONS

February 10 (Saturday) at 6:00PM

Parishioners

February 11 (Sunday) at 9:30a.m.
• Parishioners



February 14<sup>th</sup>

# **Blessed Sacrament Parish**

Holy Mass at 6PM

### Knight's of Columbus Courtyard Flag

February's courtyard flag is flown in Recognition of the

> Margarito Bejarano And Lupe Bejarano

"By and for the family."

Women Be Blessed 2024

**Conference + Lenten Retreat** 

All Adult Christian Women Invited





Believe \*\*Mosaic \*\*True Presence \*\*Unveiled



Presenters: Rev. Martin Bosco Ormin, Deacon Rich LeMieux February 24, 2024 Julie Madrid. Coordinator

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church Hall 844 W. Sullivan St., Miami, AZ 85539 928-473-3568

7:00 – 9:00 AM - Registration & Continental Breakfast Noonish – Lunch Concludes at 3:30 PM

\$20.00 donation per person includes Continental Breakfast, Lunch, Gift Bag & More. This event is for Christian women 18 and over, no children please. Weekly Offering

2/3/24, & 2/4/24--Offering: \$2496.05

### Thank you for your Generosity!



### CALL TO SERVE THE LORD:

Nominations for the Board of Directors' Treasurer Position closed on February 4.

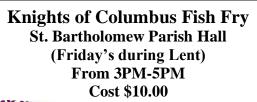
Suzanne Molinar was nominated for the position and has accepted the nomination. Since she was the sole nomination, Suzy Molinar is declared elected to the Treasurer position of the Board of Directors.

Please congratulate and thank Suzy for answering God's call!

### St. Helen's Parish Fat Tuesday Fry Bread dinner

**February 13, from 4pm-6:30pm** Choice of Red meat, beans, & honey/sugar includes water/soda for \$6.00

(All proceeds go to St. Helen's Parish)



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Dine In or Take Out

### February 10-11, 2024

"Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God." Does your marriage give glory to God? Learn how to let your Sacrament shine on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on April 6-7, 2024 in Tucson. For more information visit our website at: <u>www.wwme.org</u>

- ♦ Love is in the air! No matter how long you have been married, you can still have romance in your marriage.
- The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience gives you the tools to keep your marriage alive and vibrant.
- ♦ Sign up for an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on April 6-7. 2024
- ♦ Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: www.wwme.org



### Please pray for the homebound



Please contact us email sthelensmission@msn.com or parish office to add a name to our prayer list

Patsy Cota, Alan Rubinstein, Leo Gomez-Ramos, Mia Vega

### St. Bartholomew Parish

### Every Friday during Lent @ 6PM



#### **BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT**



Celebrating 2024 Marriage Anniversaries Bishop Edward Weisenburger will celebrate the Mass for Marriage Anniversaries for 2024 on Sunday, March 3, 2024, at 2:30 PM at St. Augustine Cathedral. He will be available before the Mass to have pictures taken with each couple. More information to follow upon registration.

If you have any questions, contact Ofelia James ojames@diocesetucson.org

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OR QR Code



Procedures to Report Suspected and Alleged Abuse Within the Catholic Church

- 1. Call 911 to make a police report
- 2. Call the Victim Assistance Program of the Diocese of Tucson, 1.800.234.0344



Deadline for Bulletin Submissions is Thursday at 5:00p.m. in order to be printed for upcoming weekend masses