

# Catholic Tri-Community Parishes

Sunday July 14, 2024

Fifteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Father Bala Kommathoti

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## St. Helen



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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.  
**Monday & Friday**

### 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**

### Mass Times

**Sunday:** Confessions-----7:30a.m.  
Holy Mass-----8:00a.m.  
12:30p.m.

Weekday Masses:-----

**Wednesday** 6:00pm.

**Saturday : Rosary & Mass---** 8:30a.m.  
Confessions----- 9:30a.m.

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### Marriage Preparation

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



### Sanctuary Lamp

**Bobby Howard**

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.



### Reconciliation/Confession

Check Mass Schedule or  
By appointment 520-349-1696

### 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.*

## GOSPEL MEDITATION

“Jesus called the twelve disciples together and sent them out two by two. He gave them authority over the evil spirits”  
—Mark 6:7

Once I asked a fallen-away Catholic friend of mine what he remembered about the parish priest from his youth. He said, “He was a gentle, nice guy. Kind of vanilla. Kept to himself.” It struck me that he, perhaps like many, perceives Catholic priests as the following: lonely, harmless, and self-sufficient. As a challenge both to this perception (accurate or not) and to us priests who perhaps feel a pull in that uninspiring direction, stands the mighty image of what we see in the Gospel this Sunday. Jesus sent out his apostles, “two-by-two, with power over demons, and without money belts.” Two-by-two: they enjoyed deep fellowship and brotherhood. Power over demons: they were anything but harmless. These men wielded enormous power against evil. Without money belts: they were not self-sufficient. They needed others to help them. Not lonely, but in community. Not harmless but armed with massive spiritual energy. Not self-sufficient, but poor and in need of help. This is a challenge to me, and perhaps to all of us, living in a rich, secularized, and individualized culture. Do I embrace my priestly ministry in deep fellowship with other priests? Do I speak and act boldly to drive out evil where it is found? Do I live poorly and simply, trusting in the help of those around me even for basic needs? The fruitfulness of priestly ministry largely depends on these three traits. Let’s pray for all priests — and, by extension, all of us Christians — to live more like Jesus’ communal, poor, and powerful apostles. —

---Father John Muir

Being a disciple means being constantly ready to bring the love of Jesus to others and this can happen unexpectedly and in any place: on the street, in a city square, during work, on a journey.

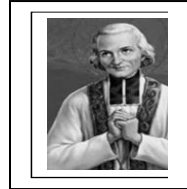
—Pope Francis

## Prayer to the Precious Blood

Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Precious Blood of Jesus Christ The merits, love and sufferings of his Sacred Heart, the tears And Sorrows of Our Immaculate Mother, as the price of the Favor I wish to obtain, if it is for Thy Glory and My Salvation.  
Amen

Upon receiving Holy Communion,  
The Adorable Blood of Jesus  
Christ Really Flows in Our  
Veins and His Flesh is  
Really Blended with Ours.

—John Vianney-



## Five First Saturdays

Aug. 3, Sept. 7, Oct. 5 & Nov. 2 2024

**Blessed Sacrament Mammoth,**  
Holy Rosary & Mass @ 8:30AM

Make a good Confession to be in  
a state of grace.



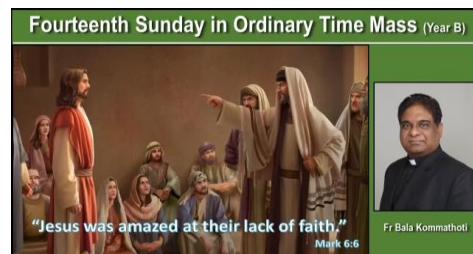
- Receive Holy Communion with the intention of Reparation for the sins against the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The Communion of Reparation is the central act in making the Five First Saturdays.
- Pray the five decades of the Rosary with the intention of Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.
- Keep Jesus and Mary Company for 15 minutes while meditating on one or more mysteries of the Rosary.

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## **MASS INTENTIONS**

**July 13 (Saturday) at 6:00 PM** +Luis Valencia  
+Cecelia M Hernandez

**July 14 (Sunday) at 9:30 AM** +Luis Valencia

**July 15 (Monday) at 9:00 AM** +Cecelia M Hernandez

**July 18 (Thursday) at 9:00 AM** Parishioners

### **Knights of Columbus Courtyard Flag**

*July's courtyard flag is flown in honor of*



**Roy "Woody" Estrada**  
**US Navy Veteran**  
**&**  
**San Manuel High School Graduate**



At the request of his sister, Denise Ramirez



**Speak Lord, I'm listening!**

"Be still and know that I am God" Psalm 46:10

### **WOMEN'S RETREAT**

SATURDAY - JULY 27<sup>TH</sup>, 2024

8:30 AM - 5:30 PM

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH GYM

1375 SOUTH CAMINO SECO - TUCSON

To Register: Call Erin at Vine of Grace Retreat Ministry: 520-631-1408

Or register online at: [www.vineofgrace.org](http://www.vineofgrace.org)

The cost is free. A Love Offering Will Be Requested on Retreat!

### **Weekly Offering St. Bartholomew**

**7/6/24 & 7/7/24--Offering: \$4093.66**

**Bartholomew's Parish Donor Box** is now active online. Make your donations, Visit our website at:

<https://stbartholomewparishsanmanuel.org>

Thank you for your generosity!!



### **Harvest Festival November 9, 2024**

#### **St. Bartholomew Parish, San Manuel**

**Fall Festival Raffle Tickets** are now available for sale for a chance to win cash prizes!

- 1st place: \$ 500
- 2nd place: \$ 300
- 3rd place: \$ 200

**Tickets are \$1.00 each.**

To purchase tickets, contact Louie Madrid at (520) 268-5944 or Frances Madrid at (520) 709-6387



### **St. Helens Parish (Oracle)**

**Friday July 19th & Saturday July 20th**  
**7:00AM-12:00PM**

All large items will be in the Ramada, if you purchase large items please have arrangements for delivery.

Final day to drop off items to the hall is July 13.

Contact Elle or Manny for more information.

**Please pray for the homebound**

***Please contact us email [sthelensmission@msn.com](mailto:sthelensmission@msn.com) or parish office to add a name to our prayer list***



**Patsy Cota, Alan Rubinstein, Leo Gómez-Ramos, Mía Vega, Gerardo Alcaraz, Richard Bencomo  
Jesusita Borboa, Victor Borboa, Gonzalo Marco, Frank Martinez, Elivira Rendon, Nena Johnson, Dora Mendoza**

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Call the Victim Assistance Program 1.800.234.0344

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