Catholic Tri-Community Parishes

Sunday November 17, 2024

Thirty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Father Balaswamy Kommathoti https://stbartholomewparishsanmanuel.org

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

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Marriage Preparation

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



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

Website: https://www.sthelenparishoracle.org Website: https://stbartholomewparishsanmanuel.org Website: https://blessedsacramentparishmammoth.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

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Mass Times

| Sunday: Confessions7:30a.m. |
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| Holy Mass8:00a.m. |
| 12:30p.m. |
| Weekday Masses: |
| Wednesday 6:00pm. |
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| Saturday : Rosary & Mass 8:30a.m. |
| Confessions 9:30a.m. |

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Sanctuary Lamp Vega Family Celina Castro 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.

"And then they will see the Son of Man coming in clouds with great power and glory."

GOSPEL MEDITATION

"The Son of Man will gather his elect from the four winds." Mark 13:24-32

I recently moved into a new neighborhood. On my first evening I went grocery shopping and could not find my usual favorite Greek yogurt. Strangely, my heart started to race. All the losses of my previous life hit me. So many of my old friends, habits, comforts, and predictable experiences had fallen away. There I stood, a grown man, crying like a little boy whose world was falling apart in the dairy aisle.

This week, Jesus describes what to do when one world ends, and another begins. Does it apply to the end of time? Yes. Does it apply to the end of our individual lives? Yes. It also applies to every "world" we inhabit throughout our lives, in school, family, friendships, work, play and so on. First, the sun, moon, and stars fall. The old, familiar ways of running things suddenly stop working. Light fades. Things fall apart. It's awful. But, second, Christ comes "in the clouds." Jesus, the Son of Man, replaces those old powers with himself as the prime governing principle. Third, he sends out his angels to "gather his elect from the four winds." He reintegrates the fragments into a new integrated whole. "Summer is near," he concludes. A new world begins.

Is your world crumbling? Are your sun, moon, and stars falling from the sky? Learn to discern the pattern of the Cross and Resurrection at work in it. This is the power we touch in the Mass. Jesus is coming precisely in this transition from the old to the new world. It doesn't make our losses easy. But it does make it possible to glimpse the dawning of a summer, a new beginning, the life of the world to come.

---Father John Muir



Thanksgiving Day Mass Times

Thursday, November 28, 2024

Blessed Sacrament: 8:00 a.m. St. Bartholomew: 9:30 a.m. St. Helen: 11:00 a.m.



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December 8 is typically a Holy Day of Obligation, celebrating the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, but this year, the feast day lands on a Sunday in Advent. As a result, the USCCB transferred it to Monday, December 9, according to the 2024 USCCB liturgical calendar.

MASS INTENTIONS

November 16 (Saturday) at 6:00PM- +Pablo Ramirez +Ricky Molinar

November 17 (Sunday) at 9:30AM +Michael Molinar +Ricky Molinar

November 18 (Monday) at 9:00AM +Johnny Joseph Najera +Gene Helgeson +Mike Molinar

Knights of Columbus Courtyard Flag



November's Courtyard Flag Is flown in Memory of



Manuel "Manny" Corona

Sgt., 25th Infantry Division, Viet Nam 1965-67 At the request of his family

Advent Family Retreat

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament 844 Sullivan St Miami, AZ 85539

Join Our Parish Community to Prepare for the Birth of Christ with Special Guest Speaker: Msgr. Greg Adolf

Saturday, December 7th 9AM - 2 PM Admission \$20 (Snacks & Lunch Included) To Register Call: 928-473-3568

PILGRIMAGE TO MEXICO Honoring our Lady of Guadalupe

7 Days: March 31-April 6, 2025

Visiting: Mexico City, Our Lady of Guadalupe, Teotihuacan, Puebla, Tlaxcala (the Lourdes of Mexico), Ocotlan, Taxco

> Hosted by: Erin Blanchette, Director of Vine of Grace Ministry

Spiritual Director: Father Bala Kommathoti

Cost: \$2599 per person from Phoenix

Weekly Offering St. Bartholomew

11/9/24 & 11/10/24--Offering: \$1186.00

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

Thank you for your generosity!!



Christmas Market

Dec. 7, 2024, 10 am to 5 pm Blessed Sacrament Church Hall in Mammoth Come do some holiday shopping. There will be a variety of homemade items, such as Christmas Decorations, Blankets, Personalized Items, Crochet Items and so much more. Food will be available for sale.

Come enjoy and share the Christmas Spirit! There is <u>1</u> kitchen spot left. Call Janie 520-548-4838 if interested.

Thanksgiving Prayer for Family

"Dear Lord,

I thank You for the golden opportunity to meet and share with my family on this joyous day. I acknowledge that we could not have been able to gather if it were not for Your grace.

We rejoice in Your great works in our lives this special thanksgiving. Thank You for good health and providence upon us. Please have mercy on those who do not have families or cannot be with their folks for various reasons.

I am grateful for what You are doing and will continue to do for my family.In Your name, I pray, Amen."

Tri- Community Parishes Office hours:

St. Bartholomew Parish Monday & Tuesday 8:00-12:00 Wednesday 9:00-11:00

Blessed Sacrament Parish Sunday 9AM-5PM Monday 3:30PM-5:30PM

St. Helen Parish Mon, Wed, Thurs, & Fri. 2:00-5:00PM

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 Gómez-Ramos, Mia Vega, Gerardo Alcaraz, Richard Bencomo, Anita Garcia Jesusita Borboa, Victor Borboa, Gonzalo Marco, Frank Martinez, Elivira Rendon, Nena Johnson, Dora Mendoza, Veronica Casillas Burrola, Tony Telles, Gabe Telles, Scott Helgeson

Saints of the Day November 2024

November 18, <u>St. Rose Philippine Duchasne</u> France...U.S.A....Patron Saint of the Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau, Missouri

November 19, <u>Bl. Raphael Kalnowski</u> Poland...Carmelite

November 20, <u>St. Edmund.</u>..King of East Angles...Martyr...Patron Saint of kings and against plaque and torture

November 21, <u>Presentation of the Virgin</u> <u>Mary.</u>..Jerusalem

November 22, <u>St. Cecelia.</u>..Rome...Patron Saint of musicians...Martyr

November 23. <u>St. Clement of Rome.</u>..Bishop of Rome...Martyr

November 24. <u>St. Andrew Dung and</u> <u>companions.</u>..Vietnam...Martyr

<u>Procedures to Report Suspected and</u> <u>Alleged Abuse within the Catholic Church</u>

Call 911 to make a police report Call the Victim Assistance Program 1.800.234.0344

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A PRAYER FOR THE DEAD ~~

In your hands, O Lord, we humbly entrust our brothers and sisters. In this life you embraced them with your tender love; deliver them now from every evil and bid them eternal rest. The old order has passed away: welcome them into paradise, where there will be no sorrow, no weeping or pain, but fullness of peace and joy with your Son and the Holy Spirit forever and ever. Amen.

K of C Food Drive

The Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a food drive now through Christmas.

All donations can be left at the back of the church.

Your donations are greatly appreciated.

For more information contact: Louis Madrid

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