

Catholic Tri-Community Parishes

Sunday February 2, 2025

Presentation of the Lord

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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.
First Friday Healing Mass

Office Hours: Mon & Wed-Fri 2-5PM

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

**Office hours: Mon & Tues 8:00-12:00
Wed 9-11AM**

Mass Times

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

Weekday Masses: -----

Wednesday 6:00pm.

1st Saturday: Rosary & Mass--- 8:00a.m.
Confessions----- 9:30a.m.

**Office hours: Sun 9-5
Mon 3:30-5:30PM**

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Baptism & Reconciliations

By appointment 520-349-1696

Marriage Preparation

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



of the Lord Feb 2

Sanctuary Lamp

Please call the parish office to reserve.
There is a \$5.00 charge in order to have
The lamp burns in memory of your loved one.



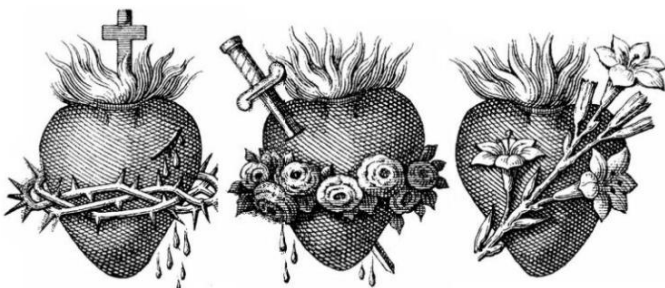
GOSPEL MEDITATION

“Mary and Joseph present the Lord Jesus in the temple”
-John 1:1-4

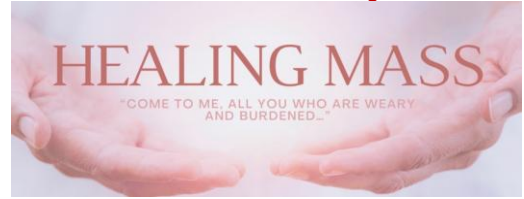
What is the secret to sharing in God’s power to overcome our difficulties? Mary teaches us this in the prophecy of her pierced heart. This Sunday, the old man Simeon prophecies that when her son faces opposition, Mary’s soul will be pierced by a sword. The seemingly pointless agony of a mother helplessly watching her son be mocked, tortured, killed and then cruelly desecrated in death by a spear — somehow this piercing of her heart releases a power by which “the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed” (Luke 2:35). What to make of this?

Whatever problems we currently face, the deepest threat is finally that evil thoughts are hidden in the human heart: hatred, envy, pride, lust, greed and so on. Behind every tyrant’s injustice, for example, is a heart unpierced by love. Evil hides in our hearts. Mary’s pierced heart, and its suffering love for her son, reveals and scatters these evil thoughts, and replaces them with love, forgiveness, generosity and peace. This week, I invite us to ponder Mary’s pierced heart. Her heart is quietly at work for us in the Church and world, exposing our evil thoughts and making a path for her son’s divine love. This is how she gently cooperates in our salvation. Closed hearts are our biggest problem; love-pierced hearts are the ultimate power to overcome every difficulty.

— Father John Muir; ©LPi



First Friday



February 7, 2025, 8AM
St. Helen Parish Oracle

“At sunset, all who had people sick with various diseases brought them to him. He laid his hands on each of them and cured them”
-Lukc 4:40

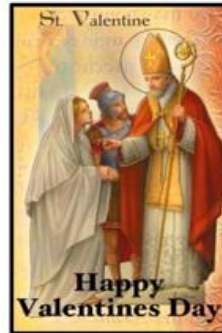
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St Valentine's Day Charismatic Mass

Thursday February 13, 2025 at 6:45 PM

“I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another.”

- John 13:34



❖ Lively Praise & Worship

❖ Praise reports

❖ Special blessings for married couples & those considering marriage



Fr Bala Kommathoti

Invite your family & friends!

- Attend in person at: **Our Lady of La Vang Parish**
St. Frances Cabrini Church, 3201 E. Presidio Rd., Tucson
- Join on Zoom at: **Meeting ID: 814 4930 0841**
Passcode: 352734

Catholic Devotions By Month

Learn, live, and proclaim

Instructor: Fr Bala Kommathoti

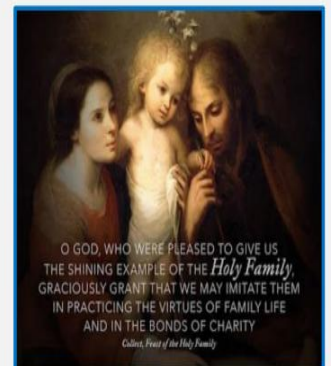
Zoom Family Meeting: ID# 850 3759 3111 Passcode 671585

Thursday February 20th, 2025
Time 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Message: Holy Family

Let us ask Jesus, Mary, and Joseph to inspire all families to grow in love and unity.

O Holy Family, pray for us!



MASS INTENTIONS

February 1(Saturday) at 6:00PM-Parishioners

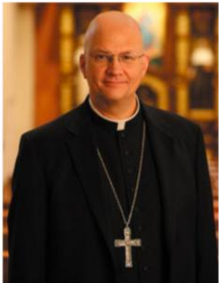
February 2 (Sunday) at 9:30AM-
Louis & Frances Madrid (18 year anniversary)

February 3(Monday) at 9AM-Souls in Purgatory

February 6 (Thursday) at 9AM-Vocations

World Day of the Sick Mass

Most Rev. Edward J. Weisenburger, J.C.L.
Principal Celebrant



Anointing of the Sick
Blessing of Caregivers
Petitions to Our Lady of Lourdes
Distribution of Lourdes Water

Saturday, February 15, 2025
10:00 AM



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Knights of Columbus Courtyard Flag

February's courtyard flag is donated by:



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By and for the Family



Flags are flown in rotation with other flags for at least a year,
or until unfit to fly.

In order to extend the life of the flags, they are lowered on
high wind days.

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Marriage Anniversary Mass 2025

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:

1st - 5th - 10th - 25th - 50th - 60th or longer

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY IN 2025

Sunday, February 16, 2025, at 2:30 p.m.
St. Augustine Cathedral, 192 S. Stone Ave., Tucson

★ REGISTER BY: Friday, February 7, 2025 ★

REGISTRATION

- ONLINE REGISTRATION
<https://forms.office.com/r/KmvdLX6Kbi>

QR Code:



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Saturday
March 15, 2025

8am to 3pm
\$35 Includes Meals
Register Online or
Call 928-473-3568

Our Lady of the
Blessed Sacrament Hall
Miami, AZ

Special Thanks To:



Immigration Resource Toolkit

The ILRC has also created a shorter, more condensed version of this family preparedness plan. It can be found by heading to ILRC.ME/FAMPREP

More information can be found on the
Diocese of Tucson website @ diocesetucson.org

Jesus Christ, Lord of all things! You see my heart, you know my desires. Possess all that I am—you alone. I am your sheep; make me worthy to overcome the devil.”

— St. Agatha

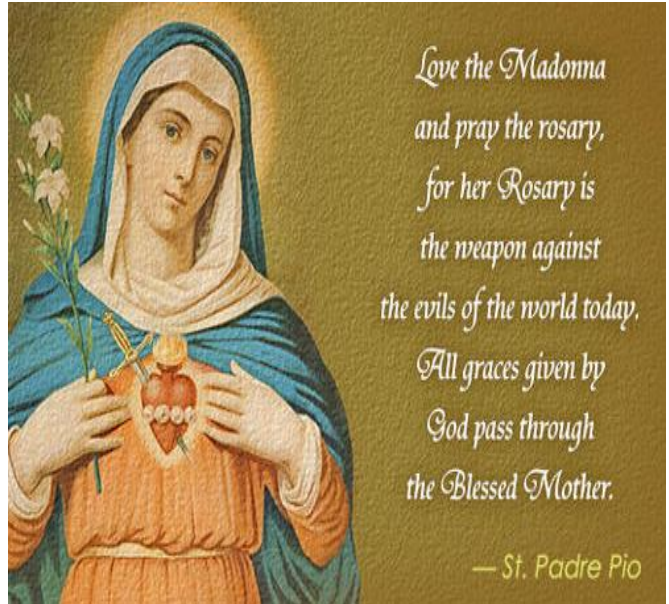


Please pray for the homebound

Please contact us email sthelensmission@msn.com or parish office to add a name to our prayer list
Veronica Casillas Burrola, Tony Telles, Gabe Telles, N. Discher, Scott Helgeson, Patsy Armenta, Walter Henneman
Rachel Borquez, Jerri Defoor, Nick Lopez, Eddie Moraga, Ralph Montoya, Toni & Joey Cittadini, Patsy Cota,
Benny Cota, Nena Johnson, Rudy Rivera

Saints of the Day February 2025

- Feb. 2** **Presentation of the Lord**
- Feb. 3** **St. Blaise**...patron saint of throat
maladies and wild animals
- Feb 4** **St. Andrew Corsini**...Italy...patron
saint against riots and disorder...Bishop
- Feb 5** **St. Agatha**... martyr...Sicily...patron
saint of breast cancer
- Feb 6** **St. Paul Miki & Companions**...
.Martyrs in Japan....Jesuit
- Feb 7** **St. Luke the Younger**....Greece
- Feb 8** **St. Josephine Bakhita**...Sudan
- Feb 9** **St. Jerome Emiliani**...Italy....Priest



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Call the Victim Assistance Program 1.800.234.0344

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