

**Established in 1906**

### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday:  
4:00 pm Vigil

Sunday:  
9:00 am  
11:00 am en Español

Mon, Tues, Thurs:  
8:00 am

Wednesday 6:00 pm Español &  
Friday 6:00 pm

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday:  
8:30 am to 9:30 am

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday  
8:30 am - 5:30 pm  
(closed 12:00 noon - 1:00 pm)

Friday:  
8:30 am - 12:00 noon

Parochial Administrator  
**Rev. Victor C. Yakubu**

Parochial Vicar  
**Rev. Julius Kayiwa**

Parish Deacon  
**Deacon Francis Staab**

Parish Secretary  
Amelia Kent

Hispanic Community  
Oralia Cano

Facility Custodian  
Francisco Mejia

Organist  
Jerome Llagas

# St. Mary Roman Catholic Church

Iglesia Católica Romana de Santa María



**302 E. Spring Street, Kingman, AZ 86401**  
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**SUNDAY, February 18th, 2024**



## 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

**"The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent,  
and believe in the gospel." - Mk 1:15**

## 1ER DOMINGO DE LA CUARESMA

**"Se ha cumplido el tiempo y el Reino de Dios ya está cerca.  
Arrepiéntanse y crean en el Evangelio". - Mc 1, 15**

## Parish Mission Statement:

We the people of St. Mary Roman Catholic Church, Called by God,  
Approach the Father in Word and Sacrament, Live relationship with Jesus in Catholic  
Community, Seek the Called in the Love of the Holy Spirit

## MASS INTENTIONS, DAILY GOSPEL



### First Sunday of Lent

February 18, 2024

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<b>Sat. Feb. 17</b>	Mk. 1:12-15	4:00 p.m.	+	<b>Donald Hall</b> (Helena Hall)
<b>Sun. Feb. 18</b> <i>First Sunday of Lent</i>	Mk. 1:12-15	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	+	<b>People of the Parish</b> <b>Felix Natividad &amp; Family</b> (Lupe Natividad)
<b>Mon. Feb. 19</b>	Mt. 25:31-46	8:00 a.m.	+	<b>Helen Kozak</b> (Sharon Rhizor)
<b>Tues. Feb. 20</b>	Mt. 6:7-15	8:00 a.m.		<b>Molly Forrest</b> (Mr. & Mrs. Magrann)
<b>Wed. Feb. 21</b> <i>St. Peter Damian, Bishop &amp; Doctor of the Church</i>	Lk. 11:29-32	6:00 p.m.	+	<b>William Farmer</b>
			+	<b>Pelogia, +Salpechio and</b>
			+	<b>Ruben Joseph</b> (Nila Farmer)
<b>Thurs. Feb. 22</b> <i>The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle</i>	Mt. 16:13-19	8:00 a.m.	+	<b>Margarita Temple</b> (Anonymous)
<b>Fri. Feb. 23</b> <i>St. Polycarp, Bishop &amp; Martyr</i>	Mt. 5:20-26	6:00 p.m.		<b>Bill Kolb</b> (Joann Honglo)
<b>Sat. Feb. 24</b>	Mk. 9:2-10	4:00 p.m.	+	<b>Edward Dobosh</b> (Cindy Bridges)
<b>Sun. Feb. 25</b> <i>Second Sunday of Lent</i>	Mk. 9:2-10	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	+	<b>People of the Parish</b> <b>Maria Dolores Moreno</b> (Vicente & Maria Gutierrez)



*Readings: Gn 9:8–15 • Ps 25:4–5, 6–7, 8–9 • I Pt 3:18–22 • Mk 1:12–15*  
[bible.usccb.org/  
bible/readings/021824.cfm](http://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/021824.cfm)

“Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.”

I do not know about you, but a temptation that I face every Lent is to refuse to go into the desert with Christ, to think that Lent can be complete if, for example, all I do is give up snacking or listening to music in the car. The first big hurdle that we need to get over is to hear Christ’s voice from the desert saying, “*Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while*” (Mk 6:31) and respond to it.

Every Lent, the same Holy Spirit whom drove Jesus into the desert wants to drive us into the desert in order to renew and deepen our relationship with God. While God is not calling us all physically to go to the Sahara Desert, he is calling us to remove ourselves from the distractions of life, so that in doing so, we can clearly hear and see him.

Let us now turn to the Gospel. The three temptations in the Gospel are temptations that every one of us faces. Learning how Jesus responds to them, we learn how to respond to them in our own lives.

In the first temptation, the devil disordered our relationship with God the Father. The devil seeks to tempt us to tempt God, jump off various cliffs of sin and then blame God for letting us suffer. Jesus shows that the proper response is never to put the Lord our God to the test, but to love him and throw ourselves into his arms rather than from dangerous cliffs into sin.

In the second temptation, the devil disordered our relationships with others. The devil promised that he would give Jesus rule over all

the cities, if only he would take the bargain of falling down before the devil in worship. Jesus resisted the temptation toward this type of diabolical tyranny by quoting Scripture about worshipping and serving the Lord our God alone. And when we do so, we seek to serve others made in that God’s image and likeness, reverencing the Lord in them, seeking to serve them with love rather than be served and ultimately to lay down our lives for them as Christ himself did.

And in the final temptation, the devil disordered our relationship with ourselves, using what God has given us for our own purposes rather than for God and others. This is shown in the temptation the devil gave to Jesus to change stones into bread after forty days of hunger. Jesus replied that we live not on bread alone but on every word that comes from God’s mouth. We’re supposed to use our talents not selfishly, but for God and others.

In response to these three fundamental temptations, Jesus not only shows us how to resist but also prescribes for us on Ash Wednesday the medicine we need through the traditional practices of prayer, almsgiving and fasting. Prayer helps us die to our own ego in order to put on the mind of Christ. Almsgiving has us think of others’ needs and act to help them. Fasting helps us to control our fleshly hungers and makes it possible for us to hunger for what God hungers.

These three practices are the means by which we enter into Jesus’ prayer, fasting for 40 days in the desert, and his total self-giving and resist the temptations of the devil.

## Sharing our Gifts

### What We Gave Back to God

February 11, 2024

Attendance: 573

Needed to meet weekly expenses	\$ 8,000.00
Plate Collection	\$ 7,502.75
Online Giving	\$ 446.47
Building Fund	\$ ?

#### January 2024

Monthly Operating Expense	\$32,048.48
Monthly Plate Collection	\$44,563.02
Deficit or Gain	+\$12,514.54

### Our Daily Bread

Thank you for your continued support of Our Daily Bread ministry. We have made and distributed 17,460 sandwiches year to date, and 342,945 since inception (September 2013).

**WE ARE IN NEED OF MONEY DONATIONS, FOR LICENSE, APRONS, HAIRNETS.** You may drop your donation off at the Parish Center.

**WE ARE IN DESPERATE NEED OF A CAPTAIN FOR TUESDAYS SANDWICH MAKING!**



If you are interested, please contact David Hunter at 714-726-6130. Thank you,

## Donate your Change

Be sure to pick up a special offering box or can at the back of the church. Write that it's for the building fund, your name and phone number on it before you turn it in.

All monies will go toward future building improvement projects in the parish campus.

## ***Brick Garden***

*We are continuing to take brick orders. This is a wonderful way to pay honor to someone you love or to be remembered as part of St. Mary history for years to come. Bricks are \$50 for a 4x8 and \$100 for a 8x8. Call the Parish Office for an order form or to place your order.*

*The brick garden is growing — don't miss the opportunity to be a part of it.*

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### Readings for the week of February 18, 2024

**Sunday:**

Gn 9:8-15/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (see 10)/  
1 Pt 3:18-22/Mk 1:12-15

**Monday:**

Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/  
Mt 25:31-46

**Tuesday:**

Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19/  
Mt 6:7-15

**Wednesday:**

Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19/  
Lk 11:29-32

**Thursday:**

1 Pt 5:1-4/Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6/Mt 16:13-19

**Friday:**

Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8/  
Mt 5:20-26

**Saturday:**

Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8/Mt 5:43-48

**Next Sunday:**

Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15,  
16-17, 18-19 (116:9)/Rom 8:31b-34/  
Mk 9:2-10



### Saint of the week

St. Pius X's devotion to the Eucharist was truly inspiring! He lowered the age of First Communion to seven years old, encouraging young hearts to encounter Christ early-on. He also advocated that everyone, regardless of their social class, should have access to the Eucharist.

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### Prayer for Lent

Dear Jesus,  
This is the first Sunday of Lent, and I want to commit myself more deeply to you this season. Inspire me with the Lenten penances you most desire, the ones that help me to grow ever nearer to you. Amen.

# (PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

## Lent and the Flood

I would bet money that somewhere in your church this Lent, there's a bare tree branch draped in purple fabric and an empty bowl filled with rocks.

I'm not poking fun, the desert imagery that surrounds the season of Lent isn't a cliché — or if it is, it's only because clichés are essentially true. Lent is the desert. Lent is the wilderness. Lent is the time of less.

But what if Lent was also the flood?

It seems counterintuitive, floods are excessive, and we don't think of Lent as a time for superabundance. Lent is when we limit experiences outside of ourselves in order to limit proclivities within ourselves. Lent is not a time for anything to be washing over us, consuming us, carrying us away on a tide.

Unless...it is.

Consider the flood of the Old Testament. An act of destruction, yes, but also an act of purification. An endurance test for the soul, an epic trust fall exercise between God and Noah in which Noah had to ride the literal waves, clinging to life as God wiped away everything familiar. Everything sinful.

In Lent, we relinquish our weaknesses and our infirmities to the flood. It's frightening, certainly. But it's also exciting. Because just as the flood destroys everything, it also makes everything possible. It is a baptism.

Lent, like the flood, makes the world new.

*"Put to death in the flesh, he was brought to life in the Spirit." — 1 Peter 3:18*

Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

## Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained

### Question:

What do the colors of the priest's and deacon's vestments mean?

### Answer:

In the Roman Rite of the Catholic Church, the colors of the vestments evolved over the course of several centuries and there was wide variation both in the colors used, and in the feasts and seasons associated with particular colors. It was Pope Innocent III (d. 1216) who gave us the basic outline that was later prescribed by Pope Saint Pius V in 1570. The various colors remind us of the dominant themes of a particular season or celebration.

- **White:** Used for the seasons of Christmas and Easter and in celebrations of the Lord, of Mary, the angels, and saints who were not martyrs. This color is also used in Masses for the dead, at baptisms, weddings and other festive celebrations.
- **Red:** As the color of both blood and fire, red is used on Palm Sunday and Good Friday, as well as Pentecost and special celebrations of the Holy Spirit. Moreover, red is used on the feasts and memorials of the Apostles and those saints who died as martyrs.
- **Violet:** The color for Advent and Lent. Violet may also be used in Masses for the dead and on All Souls Day (November 2).
- **Green:** A color of life and hope, green is used throughout Ordinary Time.

Other colors: Rose may be used on the Third Sunday of Advent and the Fourth Sunday of Lent, black may be used in Masses of the dead and on All Souls Day, gold or silver may be used on solemn occasions in place of white, red, or green.



## Parish News and Events

### *Parish Events This Week*

#### Monday, February 19

*Parish Office Closed in Observance President's Day*

JPC Mtg	5:30pm	Library
RCIA	6:30pm	Rm 5,6,7

#### Tuesday, February 20

Women's Fellowship	6:00pm	Library
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#### Wednesday, February 21

Rosary	10:00am	Library
JPC	6:45pm	Library
CERS	6:45pm	Rm. 1
CERS-Youth	6:45pm	Rm. 5,6,7

#### Thursday, February 22

R.E.	5:30pm	All Rooms
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#### Friday, February 23

Cleaning of Chapel	9:00am	Chapel
Stations of the Cross	11:00am	Church
Choir-Spn	4:30pm	Church
JPC	7:00pm	Library
CERS	6:45pm	Rm. 5,6,7 Kitchen

#### Saturday, February 24

Confessions	8:30am	Church
CERS	12noon	Rm. 5,6,7

## INTO THE FOLD

Our next INTO THE FOLD reception will be **Saturday, June 15, 2024, after the 4:00 Mass.**

We will be welcoming new parishioners who registered in Feb., Mar., Apr. and May. **Members of ministries or groups**, if you'd like to be represented at the reception, please contact Rina: [caterinar1986@gmail.com](mailto:caterinar1986@gmail.com)

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**First Saturday Devotion**

Saturday,  
March 2, 2024  
2:30pm to 3:30pm  
In the Chapel

## Altar Flowers

Parishioners now have the opportunity to contribute to the altar flowers "in memory" or "in honor" of a loved one.

Donation is \$50, there are two bouquets for the altar. It is your choice of donating for one or two. The names will be published in the bulletin.

Catholic Charities DIGNITY Diversion is an intensive education-based program for women who have been arrested for prostitution. Our program provides the opportunity to avoid jail time and divert women from reoffending.

Help support Catholic Charities DIGNITY Diversion Program by donating these items:

- Lotion
- Shampoo (for all hair types)
- Body wash
- Body scrubbers/loofahs
- Sports bras
- Hoodies (all sizes)
- Razors



To learn more about DIGNITY Diversion or to donate, call 1-602-258-2785 or visit us at [CatholicCharitiesAZ.org](http://CatholicCharitiesAZ.org)  
"Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me" Matthew 25:40



## Parish News and Events

### REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO THE BAPTISM OF YOUR CHILD

In order to baptize your child in our parish, parent (s) please come to the Parish Office to obtain an outline, describing the necessary requirements — PRIOR to both the parents and godparents being scheduled to attend a required pre-baptism class:



#### Parents

1. Must be registered parishioner in our parish
2. Parent (s) must be baptized and submit a copy of their Confirmation certificate.
3. If the parents are married, provide a copy of their Catholic marriage
4. Parent(s) must provide a copy of their child's birth certificate.

#### Godparent (s) At Least One:

1. Must be a practicing Catholic, following the teachings of the Catholic faith.
2. The godparent must be baptized and submit a copy of their Confirmation (certificate is required).
3. The godparent, if married must provide a copy of their Catholic marriage certificate.

Only after receiving the required documentation, must the parent(s) and godparents (s) have attended the pre-baptism class, can the baptism of your child be scheduled.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please call the Parish Center Office (928) 377-3435.

### PSALMS: THE SCHOOL OF PRAYER

The Holy Spirit inspired them, Israel sang them. Christ himself prayed them, as did our Blessed Mother. At the heart of the Bible are the Psalms, prayers from God that help us to pray. In PSALMS: THE SCHOOL OF PRAYER, we discover how these sacred hymns become our heartfelt response to God's loving and wondrous deeds for us.

In this 11 week course we will show you how to establish a deeply personal dialogue with God, through the Psalms. Learn how to meditate fruitfully on the captivating words of the Psalms using lectio divina and study the many ways the Psalms foretell the life and mission of Jesus.

Come join us on Tuesday Mornings, twice a month with video presentations from Jeff Calvin's, Tim Gray, and Sarah Christmyer along with exciting conversations to explore ways into a personal encounter with God.

Classes are only one and half hour long and will begin in October, the first Tuesday, October 3 at 10 A.M. in the Parish Center. Plus, please go to [ascensionpress.com](http://ascensionpress.com) to order your workbook (Psalms, the School of Prayer)

**If interested, please contact Grace McNair at [grace.mcnair@mail.com](mailto:grace.mcnair@mail.com) to sign up.**

Here's to praying the words that Jesus prayed! See you there.



**Dates – Times – Location**

Study starts: January 9, 2024

Study group meets the 2nd and 4th  
Tuesday of each month

Meeting time: 5pm-6:30 in the church  
library

**Cost – Registration**

**FREE!**

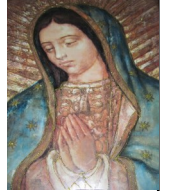
**For More Information**

Contact Liz at 928.530.9442

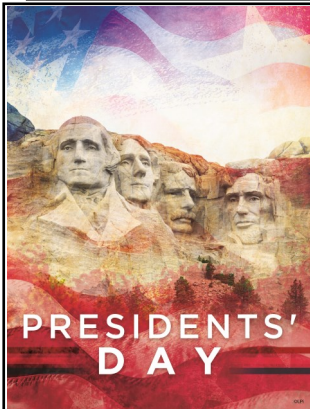
## Events & News



### *Please pray for all who are sick or infirmed:*



*Robert Comstock, Linda Pinnick, Carol Kreft, Diane Schatz, Ray Martin, Rita Cownie,  
Mark Kucharek, Fr. Charlie Urnick, James Cleary, Angie Huizenga, Sandra Lyons,  
James Driscoll, Michael Barrett, Diane Seiler, Frankie Daiber, Fermin Esquibel, Joseph Matthews,  
Richard Potts, Mary Woodward, Toni Grzechowika, Ron Tuohey Sr., Richard Fernandez, Anthony Fernandez,  
Susan & Steve Richards, Ventura Villalobos, Jaime Fernandez, Susan Regino, Ellsie Taylor, Ryan Smith,  
Olivia Sanchez, Ann Peterson, Helena Hall, Gabriel Esquivel, Helaine MacPhal, Caitlin Amburgue, Peyton  
Mann, Jaime O'Niell, Art Penfold, Jerrod Wetzel, Teresa Stafford, Fernando Galvan Jr, Gary Gallant, Rocco  
DiConza, Rick Maiero, Alex Freiday, Jimmy Gifford, Josh Lazarski, Patrick & Jennifer Weinmiester,  
Katherine Tyler, Con Sanchez, Don & Pam Weinmiester, Bob Lucero, Susan Cowin, Carmen & Robert  
Clemente, Andrew Colton, Lupe Natividad, Jean Marie Hunt, Bill Glass, O'Niell Family, Jim Gunton, Joseph  
Matthews, Manuel Hernandez, Sabrey Byrd, Michele deLany, Larry Dye, Juan Acuña, Ernestine Stein, Patty  
George, Gary Arivzo, Alan Rodberg, Dylan Short, Ginny Carter, Marcheta Keller, Mert Glancy,  
Patricia Tellman, Vicky & Nestor Sanchez, Gloria Gallegos, Arturo Zamora*



### **Parish Office Closed**

**Monday,  
February 19, 2024**



### **Please pray for all those who have died, especially;**

Fr. James Alling,  
Steven Garger,  
Joe O'Neill,  
Sandy Kinsinger

### **Youth Bible Study**

**ANNOUNCE  
THE GOOD NEWS**



Hey you! We are inviting all the youth ages 13-18 to join us on Wednesdays, from 7pm-8:15pm for our Youth Bible Study! Come and join us to learn more about your faith and the Word of God! Be sure to bring a bible and a notebook! For more information contact Mariela Balderrama @ (928) 279-4411.

¡Atención jóvenes de edades 13-18! Te invitamos a que vengas a nuestro curso bíblico para jóvenes los miércoles de 7pm-8:15pm. ¡Acompáñanos para aprender más de la fe y de la Palabra de Dios! ¡No olviden su biblia y cuaderno! Para más información contacta a Mariela Balderrama @ (928) 279-4411.



### **Rosary Group**

Wednesday, at 10:00am  
in  
Parish Center: Library

Come join and pray the rosary and  
social with fellow parishioners.

Catholic Charities MANA (Marines, Army, Navy, Air Force) House provides transitional housing for veterans. We provide a foundation for veterans currently or at-risk of experiencing homelessness, providing each one the opportunity to reclaim a life of self-sufficiency.

Help support our veterans in our transitional housing program, MANA House by donating these items:

- Hygiene items (shampoo, body wash, razors, shaving cream, deodorant)
- Pillows
- Twin Sheet Sets (pillow, fitted sheet, and flat cover)
- Twin Size Blankets

From Catholic Charities to all veterans,  
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!



To learn more about MANA House or to donate, call 602.254.6785 or visit us at [CatholicCharitiesAZ.org](http://CatholicCharitiesAZ.org)  
"Open your mouth, judge justly, defend the needy and the poor." Proverbs 31:9



## ST. MARY CATHOLIC WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Invites all women 18 years old and up! **REVELATION – THE KINGDOM YET TO COME**

**\*\*Bible Study Begins Tuesday, September 5th @6:00PM-7:30PM\*\***

This Bible Study, through Ascension Press, is presented by video by Jeff Cavins. The workbook may be ordered through [ascensionpress.com](http://ascensionpress.com) (\$29.95, includes online access for one year). Please bring a Bible with you to our sessions. Our Fellowship meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month in the Parish Center Library.

### ST. MARY CATHOLIC WOMEN'S...

**Faith** – staying steadfast in our faith – no matter the adversities

**Evangelize** – the Good News about Jesus Christ to all

**Love** – Christian Love for one another – We are all made in the image of God.

**Learn** – Always learn something new about our faith. – There's so much to learn.

**Offer up** our troubles/worries to the Lord. – Trust in His infinite Mercy.

**Worship** our Lord through the sacrifice of the Mass and at Adoration.

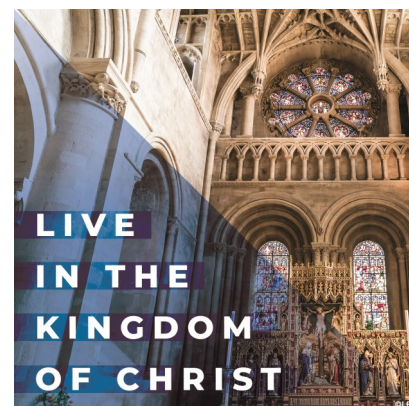
**Spirit** – Call on the Holy Spirit for guidance – in our thoughts, words, actions,

**Holiness** – Goal for all Christians for the graces towards holiness.

**Inspired** by the Holy Spirit to trust God, to do His will, to share our gifts for His glory and praise

**Pray** – Praying every day makes Jesus the center of our lives.

Come, join our Fellowship! – Email Rina, [caterinar1986@gmail.com](mailto:caterinar1986@gmail.com)



### Prayers for Ernesto Balderrama, Jr

We, the Balderrama family, (Ernesto, Sonia and children), would like to ask for your prayers for our son, Ernesto Balderrama, Jr...aka - Junior, 17 yrs. old. He has grown up in St. Mary. He received all his Sacraments of Initiation here. He was an altar server since 2015. He was a member of the CERS group since 2021 and more recently, was helping his sister, Mariela, with the Wednesday evening Youth Bible study group. He graduated from Lee Williams HS in May 2023 and has decided to dedicate some time to strengthen and learn more about his faith. He left on August 4, 2023, to join Christ of the Desert House of Formation, in Palmdale, CA. He will be on his formation journey for nine months, with other young adults, all of whom have chosen to live by the virtues of obedience, poverty, and chastity.

After the formation period, he will discern if he would like to make his promise to become a Missionary Servant of the Word for one year, serving in whatever mission he is sent to here in the United

States. We ask for prayers from our St. Mary community to help Junior stay strong and not feel lonely, as this is the first time he will be away from his family and community for so long. Prayers to help him stay focused during this formation period and guard against all temptation, not only for him, but for all the young people who are on the same journey as him, sacrificing a part of their young lives to follow Jesus. They have chosen to leave the many temptations of the secular world and follow Jesus out into the desert to pray and meditate on what God is calling them to do. Pray and make sacrifices as well for more teenagers and young adults to open their hearts and hear and answer God's calling. We are responsible for faith formation of the youth of our Church. Let us not abandon them in their time of spiritual needs. There is a spiritual warfare going on now and let us not lose our children to it.

Thank you so much and may God bless you all and guard you from all evil.

" Whomever has known God cannot be silent. " ~ Father Luigi Butera

"Quien ha conocido a Dios no puede callar."



## Parish News and Events

### Jail Ministry

**Looking for volunteer** to take over this ministry as Rita and I will no longer be able to do so. Contact Ray Martin at 251-233-9490 or Rita Martin at 928-404-3257 for more information. Thanks and God Bless.

### Blessed Carlo Acutis



**Blessed Carlo Acutis** London, May 3, 1991 - Milan, October 12, 2006

## Eucharistic Miracles Video Series

Produced by St. Mary's Church based on the work of Blessed Carlo Acutis' web pages.

Search on YouTube with:

@kevindavis3985

then click on the image of the Guadalupe angel to go to the

full ever-expanding playlist of videos.



### Our Lady of the Lake Gift Shop

Mon—Fri 9:00am to 12noon  
Sat. 3:00pm to 6:00pm  
Sunday 7:00am to 2:00pm

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- TracFone Prepaid Minutes
- Diapers
- Gift Cards to purchase food and household items (Food City, Fry's, Safeway, Walmart, Target, etc.)



888-818-4445



Text or call anytime, it's free & confidential. We help statewide. Search us at [joiningheartsaz.org](http://joiningheartsaz.org). We are here to help YOU 24/7.

To learn more about Joining Hearts or to donate, call 602-230-4910 or visit us at [CatholicCharitiesAZ.org](http://CatholicCharitiesAZ.org)

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you" Jeremiah 1:5

### ACCOMPANY PARENTS IN NEED



Your gift to the CDA supports 6 pregnancy centers throughout the Diocese of Phoenix, where parents find accompaniment through mentorship, education classes, ultrasounds, and material items. But more importantly, they know they are not alone on their journey. Thank you for the role you play in supporting the dignity of every human life!



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Hello friends!

Our shelves are empty, and we are in desperate need of towels, sheets, and bed-sized blankets. To make your donation you can drop it off at SVDP, please ring the bell in the alley. Anything that you can donate will be greatly appreciated! We could not do what we do without your help. Thank you!



### Thank you To All who Donated

15 Life saving Units

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