

Our Mother of Sorrows Parish

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon - Fri 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Closed to the public at this time
Call 747-1321 for assistance

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

Mon - Fri 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Call 747-1027 for assistance

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Sat. 5:30 PM /Sun. 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM,
10:45 AM, 12:30 PM,
2:30 PM (Spanish)

Sunday Masses on the OMOS
Facebook page at 9:00 AM
and 2:30 PM (Spanish)

DAILY MASS TIMES

6:30 am Monday - Friday
8:30 am Monday - Saturday
6:30 pm Wednesday

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

7:00 am - 7:00 pm Tues, Thurs, Fri
7:00 am - 6:00 pm Wednesday

CONFESSIONS: Wednesdays 4:00-5:00 pm and Saturdays 3:00—4:30 pm (*in the church*)

PARISH STAFF

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Preschool to 8th Grade

Principal

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Valerie Ramirez

Scholarship Manager

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Office Manager

Aydee Felix

Administrative

Assistant

Gabriela Martinez

Celina Castillo-Escamilla

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747-5133

St. Vincent de Paul

305-3620

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

As missionary disciples filled with the joy of the Gospel, our parish proclaims an ongoing encounter with Jesus Christ through Word, community, Sacrament, and loving service.

Definition of a parish by Pope Francis: "The parish is the presence of the Church in a given territory, an environment for hearing God's word, for growth in the Christian life, for dialogue, proclamation, charitable outreach, worship and celebration. In all its activities the parish encourages and trains its members to be evangelizers. It is a community of communities, a sanctuary where the thirsty come to drink in the midst of their journey, and a centre of constant missionary outreach." *-The Joy of the Gospel, Paragraph 28.*

SEVEN KEY THEMES OF CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING

1. Sacredness of life and the dignity of the human person
2. Call to family, community and participation
3. Human rights and the responsibility to protect them
4. Preferential option for the poor and vulnerable
5. Dignity of work and the rights of workers
6. Solidarity with all people as one global family
7. Stewardship and care for God's creation

An Arizona Non-Profit Corporation

The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time-January 30, 2022

Dear Parishioners,

Reflection for the Day: Our second reading today offers us a perfect message. I believe this is what we need in order to live a more meaningful life. St. Paul writes, “strive eagerly for the greatest spiritual gifts. And he continues, *“If I speak in human and angelic tongues, but do not have love, I am a resounding gong or a clashing cymbal. If I have faith so as to move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing.”* And what follows is the definition of love. St. Paul exhorts, *“Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, it is not pompous, it is not inflated, it is not rude, it does not seek its own interest, it is not quick tempered, it does not brood over injury, it does not rejoice over wrongdoing but rejoices with the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never fails.”*

Paul tells us that love is more of a seed that needs to grow within us, a daily habit needing to be developed in us, a way of life in which we need to be trained together. It is human existence that observes the logic of heart and manifests it through our maturity. From Paul’s definition of love, it allows us to consider it as an art where we need constant rehearsing not wanting what it doesn’t have nor be arrogant about what it does have. Yes, it is an art of living where we don’t insist on our own way, but be willing to see others’ viewpoints. It is learning how to bend in order to share the opposite’s perspective; it is about compromise with respect, cooperation and reconciliation.

What do you think? I am just curious what it would look like if our highly partisan politicalized world would have their discourse motivated by love? What would that be? Would it be different than what it has been when leaders desired to just to serve the people. I believe so! Think about what it would bring us if any political, economic and social disagreements, big or small, were negotiated from a place of love according to Paul’s definition. What would it be like to see our leaders and all political parties speaking with one another from a place motivated by love for each other, for our country and for the whole of humanity? I believe we would find ourselves with a whole different, open and respectful dialogue. And I think that’s a conversation we long for in our world right now. But this kind of dialogue must start within us, within our family and in our community.

Back to Church for our Worship: I am so excited to be back in our beautiful church for our Sunday Celebration. With our new sound system being in place, I am hoping that there will not be any more complaints about not being able to hear very clearly what is being said on the altar. I am grateful to the Ford AV Company for finishing the project even ahead of schedule. I am hoping that after the training that we all had, we are able to maximize the use of the system and use it correctly.

From Bishop Weisenburger: Do you miss our diocese’s former print newspaper “The Outlook”? Did you know that we now have an online version called: “The New Outlook”? Sign up for it today and it will automatically go to your email every week. It is entirely free, and it informs our readers about inspiring and important local, national, and international Catholic issues and events. To sign up for the “The New Outlook”—

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- [Enter your name and email address and you will begin receiving “The New Outlook” weekly in your email.](#)

First Confession: I would like to extend my gratitude to all priests who came to help for the Sacrament of Confession for our first Communicants and their parents. Thank you to Msgr. Tom Cahalane, Msgr. John Cusack, Fr. Greg Jones, Fr. Edgar Lopez and of course Fr. John Gonzales. Thank you also to the parish team headed by Laura Stehle to prepare the children for the Sacrament.

Fence along Calle Crusis Damaged: Our Parish Business Manager, Mr. Steve Contreras has filed a report about the damage of our OMOS fence. In the morning of January 25, 2022, it was discovered that the fence along Calle Crusis was already damaged. The cause was a vehicle speeding down Calle Jupiter and drove into our fence perpendicular to the curb. Two fence support posts were bent inward toward the field and the gate frame was also bent. No one from OMOS was injured or involved in the incident. We don’t know who the driver was and we were not aware until the next day that this incident happened. A police report was filed online with the Tucson Police Department.

May God bless you all!



Sincerely yours in Christ,
Fr. Arnold Aurillo

Christian Education/Formation

Any questions or comments: Melinda Caballero
mcaballero@omosparish.org

Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time January 30, 2022

Jeremiah 1:4–5, 17–19; 1 Corinthians 12:31–13:13;
Luke 4:21–30

“God, you have taught me from my youth; to this day I proclaim your wondrous deeds.”

Today, we start with Psalm 71:17. Most of us have heard the words of God from our youth in some form or another: readings or stories from the Bible, movies about Jesus, or Nana doing the rosary. God has been part of our life. But have we proclaimed His wondrous deeds?

Jeremiah, Paul, and Jesus, all call us to spread the deeds of God. Jeremiah was called before he was born. He was known to God before he was conceived. Of course, Jesus was born and died to spread the love of God.

Paul writes books of the Bible of how much God loves us. He wrote to so many people in so many churches he helped to create.

Do we talk to people about our faith? Do we even show that we are Christians? Do we wear it on our sleeves? How about a crucifix on a necklace? I saw a football player who had a cross nose piercing on TV last Sunday. Talk about saying something without saying anything out loud!

Do you notice things like sunrises or sunsets? How about saying grace before meals? In these difficult times, are you aware of the small wonders God does every day? Like the smile of your child when you get home from work? Take time to notice the small miracles every day. It will make even these times lighter.

God is love. We hear this again and again and again. But that is what the Bible is about. Maybe if you hear a particular verse or story, you don't hear that, but when you hear the whole Bible, you hear God's love. For humanity. And for you particularly. He created each of us particularly.

When you hear the reading in Jeremiah on Sunday, you could be hearing it for yourself! “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I dedicated you,” (your name here)! Think about that! God created each of us that way and loves each of us that much! Jesus died for each one of us. It's mind blowing when you think about it.

Take some time this week to think about it. God's love. How mind blowing it is!

CALENDARS!

We received another shipment of calendars. Please take one on your way out of church or come by the parish office, Monday-Friday from 8am-5pm

SUNDAY MISSALS



Sunday Missals are still available for \$5.00 in front of the ambo in the church or in the Parish Office.

FORMED.ORG



Our Mother of Sorrows has a subscription to FORMED.org!

Go to <https://formed.org/>

Click on the **SIGN UP** button to create an account.

Select **Sign up as a parishioner** from the option on the next screen.

Type in “Our Mother of Sorrows” in the **Find your Parish or Organization** box. Then select “Our Mother of Sorrows, 1800 S Kolb Road Tucson, AZ” when it appears in the dropdown list. Click **NEXT**.

Type your name and email in the boxes and then click **Sign Up** to create your account. Your FORMED.org account will be created, and you'll be taken to the homepage to the website.

TOGETHER WE CAN SAVE CATHOLIC EDUCATION...AND IT WON'T COST YOU A DIME!



Under Arizona law, taxpayers may contribute their tax liability to a parochial school. This essentially costs you nothing because you will receive a dollar-for-dollar tax credit against your Arizona income tax liability. Your dollars can go either to the State of Arizona or to support Catholic education through CTSO. Brochures are in the vestibule or visit www.ctso-tucson.org for online giving. **Make your contribution by April 15, 2022 for the 2021 tax year.**

Christian Life



WE'RE ALL PART OF GOD'S PLAN(ET)

GODSPLANET.US

God's love is the fundamental moving force in all created things: "For you love all things that exist, and detest none of the things that you have made; for you would not have made anything if you had hated it" (*Wis* 11:24). Every creature is thus the object of the Father's tenderness, who gives it its place in the world. Even the fleeting life of the least of beings is the object of his love, and in its few seconds of existence, God enfolds it with his affection.

(Laudato Si #77)

Reflect on the following question: What helps you to remember that God, rather than being a figure off in the distance, is present in every particle of the world that he creates?

Prayer:

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation. For through your goodness, you gifted all creation with life and existence. Let us respect and protect the inherent goodness, dignity and rights of the poor and nonhuman creatures of the Earth community. Amen.



Christian Life Program

You are invited on a journey in rediscovering God's Love .. reflecting on the Basic Truths about the Christian faith, an authentic Christian Life, and Spirit-filled Christian Life presented by the Couples for Christ Family Ministries. The CLP is open to all married couples, single young adults, divorced, separated and widowed.

Begins Saturday February 12
Time: 10am -12 noon
Our Mother of Sorrows
Tucson AZ

For more info contact Dcn Adel Abrugena at (520) 488-7411 or Chris Bansil at (520) 307-6881.



Bereavement Group

OMOS is happy to have an in-person Bereavement Support Group. facilitated by Ms. Lourdes Serna. This is a Christ Centered ministry where individuals can find support, healing and consolation working through the loss of a loved one. The group meets the second Tuesday of the month, from 6:30 to 8:00pm in the PAC building. (Next class is on February 8th) For more information please contact the parish office or visit our website. No registration needed, come as you need.

"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take Courage! I have overcome the world." -John 16:33



St. Vincent de Paul Society FOOD DRIVE NEXT WEEKEND!

SVDP members will be in front of church before all Masses next weekend February 5/6 to receive your donations of non-perishable food and personal hygiene items. Cash donations will also be gratefully accepted. Thank you on behalf of the many needy that we serve!!

Moved? Changed your number or email?
Give us a call to update us at 747-1321
or email omosparish@omosparish.org

Liturgy At A Glance!

Lyn Bulski at 305-3612 or Lbulski@omosparish.org

Liturgy update:

<u>February 2</u>	Candlemas Day- see article below
<u>February 3</u>	St Blaise- General blessing of throats at 6:30am and 8:30am Mass
<u>February 4</u>	Altar Server Formation 1:30pm
<u>February 5</u>	Altar Server Formation 10am
<u>February 6</u>	5 th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Questions or comments regarding OMOS liturgy?
520 305-3612 or lbulski@omosparish.org



February 2- Feast of the Presentation of the Lord (Candlemas Day)

This is the day the Church celebrates the Presentation of the baby Jesus in the temple as well as the purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Traditionally, this is also the day that the Church blesses the candles to be used during the year.

Each Mass begins with a procession of candles from the vestibule of the church. The assembly may bring candles to be blessed for use in their Sacred Spaces at home. You may bring your own candles or you may purchase them in the parish office or before the 6:30am, 8:30am or 6:30pm Masses.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	2 Sam 15:13-14, 30; 16: 5-13; Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	2 Sam 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40
Thursday:	1 Kgs 2:1, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd; Mk 6: 7-13
Friday:	Sir 47:2-11; Ps 18:31, 47, 50,51; Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:	1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119: 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 Mk 6:30-34
Sunday:	Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138: 1-2, 2-3, 4, 5, 7-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11; Lk 5:1-11

Pray for those who seek healing



*Denise M. Canales,
Coley Michael Day,
Cashie Rojas, Rojas Family*

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord



*Joseph 'Jerry' Arnaud, Jr.,
Carlos Ingram Lopez,
Beril Gutierrez de Munoz,
Kevin Pattison, Bonnie Pierce*

Altar Servers!



Boys and girls in 4th grade and older who have made their 1st Communion are eligible to be altar servers!

**We will have a formation session on
February 4 at 1:20pm
and February 5 at 10am
in the church.**

You may attend either session and a parent or guardian is required to attend as well. Please email lbulski@omosparish.org to register if you have not already done so.

Servers must wear a mask when serving.



Children's Choir OMOS ANGELS

◆ Grades 2-8

- ◆ We sing once a month at the 9am Mass
- ◆ at OMOS
- ◆ Masks required at Mass
- ◆ A one time \$10 donation is appreciated
- ◆ Audio files and lyrics will be emailed to the students who cannot practice on Tuesday mornings at 7:30 am
- ◆ Contact Mrs. Lyn Bulski 305-3612
lbulski@omosparish.org

Ministerios Hispanos

Confesión en español



Si necesita confesión en español, los padres de nuestra parroquia escuchar confesiones en español cada sábado de 3:00 a 4:30PM

Clases de Inglés

Martes y Jueves
5:30 –7:00 pm

Gratis

Salón Scout de PAC
Maestra: Ellen Courtney



! Te Esperamos!

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 2 S 15:13-14, 30; 16: 5-13;
Sal 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mr 5:1-20
Martes: 2 S 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3;
Sal 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mr 5:21-43
Miércoles: Mal 3:1-4; Sal 24:7, 8, 9, 10; He 2:14-18;
Lc 2:22-40
Jueves: 1 R 2:1, 10-12; 1 Cr 29:10, 11ab,
11d-12a, 12bcd; Mr 6: 7-13
Viernes: Eclo 47:2-11; Sal 18:31, 47, 50,51;
Mr 6:14-29
Sábado: 1 R 3:4-13; Sal 119: 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14
Mr 6:30-34
Domingo: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Sal 138: 1-2, 2-3, 4, 5, 7-8;
1 Co 15:1-11; Lc 5:1-11

Announcements

Marriage Anniversary Mass 2022



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, 10th, 25th, 50th, 60th or longer. Sunday, February 13, 2022 at 2:30 pm at St. Augustine Cathedral, 192 S Stone Ave, Tucson.

Registration forms are available in the vestibule of the church or email Ofelia James at ojames@diocesetucson.org

Women's Day of Renewal



Saturday, February 26, 2022
8:30 am - 5:00 pm

St. Joseph Catholic Church-Healy Hall
215 S Craycroft –Tucson

To register go to: www.vineofgrace.org
or call 520.631.1408

Cost is free. A love offering will be collected at retreat

Bring your Bible and rosary **and a sack lunch**.
Bring a snack to share (optional).
Beverages and snacks will be provided!

Dare to be different!
Come and be renewed...Come,
it's a new year for a new you!

Worldwide Marriage Encounter



Love is patient, love is kind.
Increase your love for one another on the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on Feb. 5-6, 2022, at Mt. Claret Retreat Center in Phoenix. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website wwmearizona.com

Announcements



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Each year, at this time, we are encouraged to consider the needs of our Church and of the Diocese as one family in Christ. Every

OMOS family is invited to make a gift to the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal, Together in Hope and Charity. You may be receiving the Annual Catholic Appeal mailing from Bishop Weisenburger. Please return your response by May 31, or as soon as you are able. Our portion of the Annual Catholic Appeal is \$163,340 and 100% Family Participation. On behalf of those served by the ministries, programs, and services funded by the Appeal, we thank you for your gifts. Thank you for your prayers, support, and participation in the Annual Catholic Appeal at OMOS!

"... so we, though many, are one body in Christ and individually parts of one another" ~ Romans 12:5



TAX PREPARATION SERVICES

Our Mother of Sorrows is again hosting an AARP tax-aid site. Free tax preparation service will be available by **appointment only** beginning Thursday February 3rd. Tax preparation appointments will be scheduled for Mondays and Thursdays between 9:00 am and 2:00 pm in the Parish Activity Center Scout room (Bldg #7). Entrance is on the north side of the building (Calle Denebola).

Packets with appointment website (<https://appt.link/omos-taxaide>) and all other information will be available at Wilmot, Columbus, Martha Cooper, Golf Links, Mission, and Valencia Libraries (starting on January 20th), as well as the OMOS Parish Office beginning Friday 1/14/22. The appointment website will be open on 1/22/22. **You can also make appointments in person on Monday and Thursday during Tax preparation hours beginning on February 3rd. NO APPOINTMENTS MADE BY PHONE!**

Diocese of Tucson News: Do you miss our diocese's former print newspaper *"The Outlook"*?

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May God bless you abundantly!

Bishop Edward J. Weisenburger



Noticias de la Diócesis de Tucson: ¿Extraña nuestro periódico anterior impreso? *"The Outlook"* ¿Sabía que ahora tenemos una versión en línea llamada *"The New Outlook"*?

Regístrese hoy y automáticamente le llegará cada semana a su correo electrónico.

Es gratis, e informa a nuestros lectores sobre temas y acontecimientos católicos locales, nacionales e internacionales. Para registrarse en *"The New Outlook"*

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¡Que Dios los bendiga abundantemente!

Obispo Edward J. Weisenburger



Mass of Remembrance

Saturday-February 5, 2022

8:30 am

Our Lady of the Desert Cemetery
(in Mausoleum)

2151 S Avenida de los Reyes

Join us for a mass to remember your loved ones!

OMOS Teen MD

Missionary Disciples



"Love to be real, it must cost—it must hurt
—it must empty us of self."
-St. Theresa of Calcutta

**5th Annual
TEEN MD TALENT SHOW**

AUDITIONS

Thursday Feb 3 at 6:00 pm

Sunday February 6 at 1:30 pm

Individual or group acts welcome.

Must be in 8th grade or High School.

**TALENT SHOW SAT FEB 12
GRAND PRIZE = \$100 CASH**

Fr. Arnold Aurillo

**PARISH FAMILY ~
Support our teens!**

Donate \$25

and we will put your name on
a brick and pray for you all
year!

OMOS Teen MD High School youth
group meets every **Sunday**
in the **Parish Dining Room/Teen Center**

(bldg. 7) from **1:30 pm—3:30 pm**
(immediately following the 12:30 TEEN Mass)

**High School and 8th graders meet on
Thursdays from 6:00—8:00 pm**

We always have GOOD food and lots of FUN!
Make holiness a priority!!!

**FEARLESS 2022
John 16:33**



Stebenville Info coming soon!

For information regarding Teens
please contact : Kim Sisson,
ksisson@omosparish.org, 602 677 3064

THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS:

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30

7:00 am - Tina Earls
9:00 am - Mark Dodd+
10:45 am - Steven Higgins+
12:30 pm - Michael Raymond Berger+
2 :30 pm - Aniela Ramirez+

MONDAY, JANUARY 31

6:30 am - Armando Garcia+
8:30 am - Doris Gross+

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

6:30 am - Kevin Campbell+
8:30 am - Angie Simmons+

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2

6:30 am - Kevin Campbell+
8:30 am - Joe Pokosa+
6:30 pm - Arturo Munoz+

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3

6:30 am - Armando Garcia+
8:30 am - Brett Navarrate+

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4

6:30 am - Kevin Campbell+
8:30 am - Dean Marcischak+

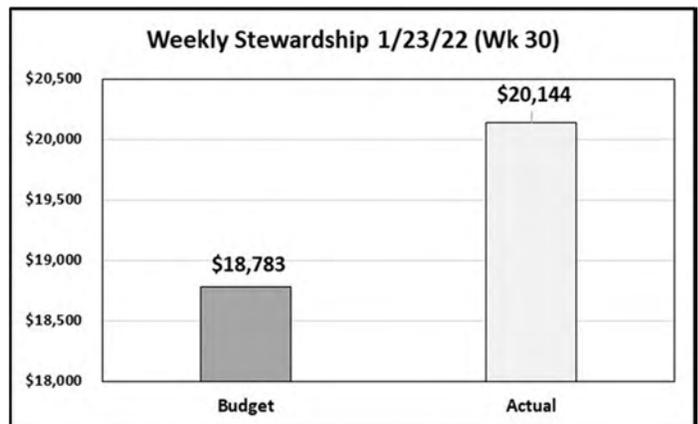
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5

8:30 am - Carlota Becerra+
5:30 pm - Helen Trevino+

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6

7:00 am - Holy Souls in Purgatory
9:00 am - Kiyō Cecil+
10:45 am - William Higgins+
12:30 pm - Rita Reyes Andes+
2 :30 pm - Freddie Valenzuela+

First Fruits Giving



This week's actual stewardship of \$20,144 was \$1,361 above the budget weekly average of \$18,783 due to EFTs. The Parish is above our budget by 3%.

Thank you all for your faithful
and sacrificial support of the parish.