

Our Mother of Sorrows Parish

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Board of Directors: President, Fr. Arnold Aurillo; Vice President, Fr. John Arnold;
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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

EUCHARISTIC 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

Business Manager

Steve Contreras

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Liturgy/Music Coordinator

Lyn Bulski

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Maintenance

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(Facilities Manager)

OMOS SCHOOL

Preschool to 8th Grade

Principal

Shakenya Gholsen

Vice Principal

Valerie Ramirez

Scholarship Manager

Roxanna Loreto

Office Manager

Aydee Felix

Administrative

Assistant

Gabriela Martinez

Celina Castillo-Escamilla

Haiti Project Minister

Joan Martin

Knights of Columbus

Council #5133

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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

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The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time-February 6, 2022

Dear Parishioners,

Reflection: Today's readings present some characters who are called to carry out a mission of proclaiming the Word of God. They all have the same reaction: they feel unworthy, incapable, inadequate. Isaiah declares to be a man of unclean lips. Peter asks Jesus to turn away from him because he knows he is a sinner. Paul says that the Risen One has appeared to him "as to one born abnormally" for he considers himself not fit to be called an apostle. We can add more to our list like the prophet Jeremiah when he objected: "Ah, Lord God, I do not know how to speak. I am still young" (Jer 1:6) and Moses: "But, my Lord, never have I been a fluent speaker. I cannot find words to express what I want to say" (Ex 4:10).

Indeed, to carry out God's mission and become His disciple is something that we don't deserve. We always feel that we are unworthy. But, the perception of one's spiritual inadequacy must be overcome bearing in mind that God will equip the person through His grace. He purifies his prophets and apostles and enables them to proclaim his message.

As a priest before reading the gospel, I always pray: "Purify, Lord, my heart and my lips, so that I may announce your Gospel."

Annual Catholic Appeal: Our very own Most Reverend Bishop Edward Weisenburger has expressed his heartfelt gratitude to our support and commitment to the Annual Catholic Appeal. This year, we are invited to reflect on the theme: "Together in Hope and Charity" where inspiration came from Romans 12:5, "so we, though many, are one body in Christ and individually parts of one another..." **Bishop Weisenburger** is reminding us that, "*together, we are bound by a common mission that connects us, through our Diocesan Church, in compassion and generosity to each other at all levels – in our parishes, schools, and many other outreach ministries.*" As your pastor, I am humbly asking you to pray for this year's Annual Catholic Appeal that more people will contribute and support, that as a parish we will all commit to work together to maintain the presence of our Catholic Faith throughout the Diocese. Let us all give and meet our parish goal for this year's Appeal.

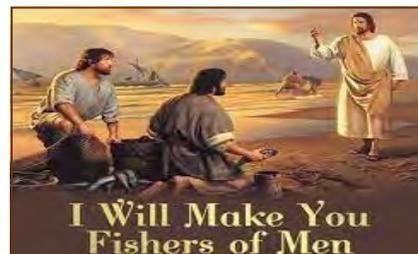
Sound System Project: Last Sunday, we had our first experience with our newly installed sound system. I am sure, we were all excited and had the best expectation. But personally, I was not happy with the outcome and quality of the sound. That is why, last Monday, we had a meeting with Ford AV personnel to report to them the problems and make sure we will get the kind of quality they promised us. Ford AV was able to rectify the issues surrounding the sound system and made all mics working to their best level. We can also do livestreaming now. So far everything is now working pretty well including the Assisted Listening System, but we still need your feedback and observation. Please let us know. Send us email or call the office. Mr. Contreras is working with Brandon to schedule somebody from Ford AV to come down to observe and monitor the sound quality in all our masses. We only have one request, please do not change the volume levels on the mics. We who are using the mics must learn the proper way of holding and speaking into them. Thank you so much for your understanding.

Lastly, I would like to thank the Deacons, the Knights of Columbus and everyone who were present last Saturday during the training session. It became a "Cleaning and Restoration" activity. The work to bring all the articles from the Hall to the church was so fast and easy because we had many hands working together. Thank you so much!

"Come after me and I will make you fishers of men." Mat 4:19



Yours in Christ,
Fr. Arnold Aurillo



Christian Education/Formation

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

Into the Deep Scott Hahn reflects on the Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Isaiah 6:1-8; Psalm 138:1-5,7-8;
 1 Corinthians 15:1-11, Luke 5:1-11*

Simon Peter, the fisherman, is the first to be called personally by Jesus in Luke's Gospel.

His calling resembles Isaiah's commissioning in the First Reading: confronted with the holiness of the Lord, both Peter and Isaiah are overwhelmed by a sense of their own sinfulness and inadequacy. Yet each experiences the Lord's forgiveness and is sent to preach the good news of His mercy to the world.

No one is "fit to be called an apostle," Paul recognizes in today's Epistle. But by "the grace of God," even a persecutor of the Church—as Paul once was—can be lifted up for the Lord's service.

In the Old Testament, humanity was unfit for the divine—no man could stand in God's presence and live (see [Exodus 33:20](#)). But in Jesus, we're made able to speak with Him face-to-face, to taste His Word on our tongue.

Today's scene from Isaiah is recalled in every Mass. Before reading the Gospel, the priest silently asks God to cleanse his lips that he might worthily proclaim His Word.

God's Word comes to us as it came to Peter, Paul, Isaiah, and today's Psalmist—as a personal call to leave everything and follow Him, to surrender our weaknesses in order to be filled with His strength.

Simon put out into deep waters even though, as a professional fisherman, he knew it would be foolhardy to expect to catch anything. In humbling himself before the Lord's command, he was exalted—his nets filled to overflowing; later, as Paul tells us, he will become the first to see the risen Lord.

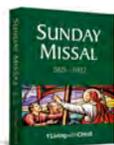
Jesus has made us worthy to receive Him in the company of angels in God's holy Temple. On our knees like Peter, with the humility of David in today's Psalm, we thank Him with all our hearts and join in the unending hymn that Isaiah heard around God's altar: "Holy, holy, holy . . ." (see also [Revelation 4:8](#)).

© Scott Hahn is the founder and president
 of the St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology

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.



WE HAVE GREAT NEWS!
The Individual Tax Credit
Limits have increased!

The amount you can now contribute to Arizona's Catholic Tuition Support Organization (CTSO) has increased. If filing as a single taxpayer you can give up to \$1,219, and a married couple filing jointly can contribute up to \$2,435, and you, the donor can receive a dollar-for-dollar tax credit off your Arizona tax liability. Brochures are in the vestibule or visit www.ctso-tucson.org to make an online contribution.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Your parish Knights of Columbus, Regina Cleri Council 5133 is ACTIVE! If you're interested in helping the Church and your community, become a Knight! To join, contact Michael Cruz at 401-3935 or go to KofC.org/join.



Ladies Guild

The OMOS Ladies Guild will meet this Monday, February 7th at 11am in the Parish Activity Center.

(All ladies (18 years and up) are invited to attend.)

There will be a Board meeting at 10:00 am before the general meeting.

Christian Life



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

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In today's Gospel (Luke 5:1-11) we hear Jesus asking Simon Peter to, after a long night of fishing but catching nothing, "Put out into deep water and lower your nets for a catch". They caught a great number of fish and their nets were near tearing.

Reflect-Fast forward 2,000 years and take a moment to think about the condition of our lakes now. They are a gift from God that should be protected and cared for, not polluted and destroyed. However, nearly 1/3 of all freshwater fish are threatened with extinction. In 2020 alone, 16 freshwater fish species were declared extinct. Why? Many freshwater fish species are threatened due to a combination of habitat modification, fragmentation and destruction: overfishing, environmental pollution, forestry practices, climate change...

Action-Freshwater fish are foundational to ecosystems and are valuable to our local communities. You can help protect freshwater biodiversity by properly disposing of trash and hazardous materials. Taking shorter showers, turning off the water when brushing your teeth, and running the dishwasher only when full, can help protect and conserve our freshwater.



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.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society FOOD DRIVE THISWEEKEND!

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



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



Reachout Women's Center would like to thank the parishioners, staff, and clergy for all the wonderful donations collected during 2021. Your parish donated wipes and diapers, items of baby formula, hygiene, blankets, bibs, bottles, pacifiers, books, toys, and gift cards. Without YOUR support we would be unable to meet the many needs of our clients and to save babies lives. Thank You! Thank You! Thank You! With Heartfelt Appreciation for the Thoughtfulness, you've shown! We are grateful for your continued support!
Reachout Women's Center

Liturgy At A Glance!

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

Liturgy update:

February 13 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

(in Cenacle Chapel in Church)



Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
7:00 am - 7:00 pm

Wednesday
7:00 am - 6:00 pm



Sr. Marion Zimmer, SSJ Called Home to the Lord

The following communication is from
the Sisters of St. Joseph-

I'm sorry to be contacting you with the news that Sr. Marion Zimmer has died. She had slowed down considerably over the past months, but her spirit and her song never left her. Sister made many friends while she worked at Our Mother of Sorrows for fourteen years—1983-1997—as Social Outreach Coordinator and pastoral associate. Sr. Marion's Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:00 am on Tuesday, February 8th in Clarence, NY.

Please keep her, her family and our congregation in your prayers.

Sincerely,
Sr. Elizabeth Savage

Sisters of St. Joseph
4975 Strickler Rd
Clarence, NY 14031

Pray for those who seek healing



*Joseph Lalli, Jr.,
Mylee Marshal,
Peg Singer*

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord



Sr. Marion Zimmer, SSJ

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132 (131): 6-7, 8-10; Mk 6: 53-56
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84 (83):3-5, 10-11; Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37 (36): 5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7:14-23
Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106 (105): 3-4, 35-37, 40; Mk 7:24-30
Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32, 12:19; Ps 81(80): 10-15; Mk 7:31-37
Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 12:33-34; Ps 106 (105): 6-7ab, 19-22; Mk 8:1-10
Sunday: Jer 17:5-8; Ps 138 (137): 1-5, 7-8; 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20:2



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



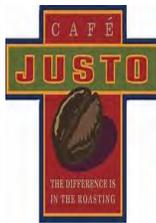
Confesión en español

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



Just Coffee will be sold the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month after all the Sunday Masses (except the 7:00 am).

Café Justo estará de venta el 1er y 3er domingo después de todas las misas (excepto la misa de las 7 am)

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 1 R 8:1-7, 9-13; Sal 132 (131): 6-7, 8-10; Mr 6: 53-56
 Martes: 1 R 8:22-23, 27-30; Sal 84 (83):3-5, 10-11; Mr 7:1-13
 Miércoles: 1 R 10:1-10; Sal 37 (36): 5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mr 7:14-23
 Jueves: 1 R 11:4-13; Sal 106 (105): 3-4, 35-37, 40; Mr 7:24-30
 Viernes: 1 R 11:29-32, 12:19; Sal 81(80): 10-15; Mr 7:31-37
 Sábado: 1 R 12:26-32; 12:33-34; Sal 106 (105): 6-7ab, 19-22; Mr 8:1-10
 Domingo: Jr 17:5-8; Sal 138 (137): 1-5, 7-8; 1 Co 15:12, 16-20; Lc 6:17, 20:2

Announcements

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!

Alive in Christ Charismatic Healing Mass

Thursday February 24, 2022 at 6:30 PM

“But He was pierced for our sins, crushed for our iniquity. He bore the punishment that makes us whole, by his wounds we were healed.”
 - Isaiah 53:5



- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Celebration of the Mass
- ❖ Healing Prayers



Fr Bala Kommathoti

Everyone is invited!
 Bring your family & friends!

- Attend in person at:
St. Frances Cabrini,
3201 E. Presidio Rd., Tucson
- Join on Zoom, Meeting ID: **814 4930 0841**
 Passcode: **352734**

View this using Zoom app on a computer / tablet / smart phone,
 Or listen on a traditional phone: Dial (346) 248 7799 or (669) 900 9128 (not toll-free)
 -If you have problems joining the meeting, please text Diana at: 520-981-8800.
 -For Zoom training videos, and videos of past meetings, go to TucsonCCR.org

Announcements



2022 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Together in Hope and Charity

Our parish plays a vital role in the work of the Annual Catholic Appeal.

We have an opportunity to act together as a Catholic family and impact the lives of others throughout the Diocese with selfless acts of love and generosity.

Your gifts and pledges impact our parish community in ways that may not seem obvious. Every parish benefits from the ACA, including our parish. Learn more at www.cathfind.org/aca.

Please make your sacrificial commitment to the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal by May 31, or as soon as you are able.

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

**Text ACA to 41444 OR
visit www.cathfind.org/donate**

Diocese of Tucson News: 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 come into your email every week. It is entirely free, and it informs our readers about local, national, and international Catholic issues and events. To sign up for the "*The New Outlook*"

- ◆ log on <https://news.diocesetucson.org/subscribe>
- ◆ enter your name and email address and you will begin receiving "*The New Outlook*" weekly in your email.

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*"

- ◆ Inicie su sesión en <https://news.diocesetucson.org/subscribe>
- ◆ Ponga su nombre y su correo electrónico, y comenzará a recibir "*The New Outlook*" cada semana en su correo electrónico.

¡Que Dios los bendiga abundantemente!

Obispo Edward J. Weisenburger



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

TAX PREPARATION SERVICES



Our Mother of Sorrow is hosting an AARP Tax-Aide site. Free tax preparation service is available by **appointment only**. Appointments are scheduled for Mondays and Thursdays between 9:00am and 2:00pm 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 are available at the Wilmot, Columbus, Martha Cooper, Mission, Valencia, Golf Links Libraries, as well as the OMOS Parish Office. The website can be reached by computer or via your smart phone internet browser. **You can also make appointments in person on Monday and Thursday during Tax preparation hours.**

NO APPOINTMENTS ARE MADE BY PHONE.

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

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



**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



Steubenville Info coming soon!

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

THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS:

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6

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

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7

6:30 am - Kevin Campbell+
8:30 am - Donald Cecil (birthday)

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8

6:30 am - Kevin Campbell+
8:30 am - Christine Pokusa+

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9

6:30 am - Kevin Campbell+
8:30 am - Nick Gonzalez+
6:30 pm - Michael O'Callaghan+

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10

6:30 am - Kevin Campbell+
8:30 am - Martha Towle+

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11

6:30 am - Kevin Campbell+
8:30 am - Peggy Jo Brodie+ & Theresa Ann Brodie Jones+

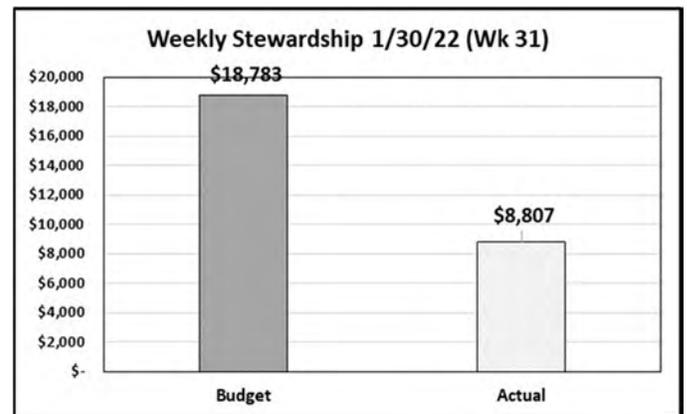
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12

8:30 am - Charles Starcevich+
5:30 pm - Michael Raymond Berger+

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13

7:00 am - Cruz Leyva+ and Julian Lopez, Jr.+
9:00 am - Mary Wendt+
10:45 am - Earl Cummings+
12:30 pm - Martha Towle+
2 :30 pm - Gilda Rodriguez (95th birthday)

First Fruits Giving



This week's actual stewardship of \$8,807 was \$9,976 above the budget weekly average of \$18,783 due to EFT's. The parish is above our budget by 1%.

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