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WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday through Friday at 8:00 a.m.

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday at 4:00 p.m. in English and **Sunday** at
7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., and 10:30 a.m. in English,
and 12:00 p.m. in Spanish

CONFESSION/RECONCILIATION

Mondays through Friday directly after the 8:00 a.m.
daily Mass, and **Saturdays** at 9:00 a.m. in the Church
Confessionals.

BAPTISMS

Baptisms will be celebrated on the third Saturday of the
month in English and the fourth Saturday of the month in
Spanish. We will need the child's birth certificate to begin
the file. Please contact the parish office to begin the
Baptism process.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION: Arrangements for the
Sacrament of Matrimony must be made at least nine
months in advance. Please contact the Parish Office.

MASS INTENTIONS: Please contact the Parish Office
to schedule a Mass. Suggested donation is \$10.00.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Sunday prior to the Sunday Bulletin date.



THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

Jesus took Peter, James, and his brother, John, and led them up a high
mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them; his face
shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light. - Mt 17:1-2

Jesús tomó consigo a Pedro, a Santiago y a Juan, el hermano de éste,
y los hizo subir a solas con él a un monte elevado. Ahí se transfiguró
en su presencia: su rostro se puso resplandeciente como el sol y sus
vestiduras se volvieron blancas como la nieve. - Mt 17, 1-2

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AUGUST 6TH 2023

The Transfiguration of the Lord
La Transfiguración del Señor

CLASSES AVAILABLE FOR 2023-2024:

Wednesdays 6:15pm-8:30pm - Middle School Classes/Youth Group begin on August 16th

Middle School Youth Group (6th Grade to 8th Grade) - All classes are in combination with our Edge Youth Group.

- *First Communion Classes* - for all Middle Schoolers who have not received their First Communion.
- *Pre-Confirmation Classes* - for all Middle Schoolers who have not been enrolled in classes the year prior to Confirmation Preparation.
- *Confirmation Year 1 Classes* - Prerequisite: Pre-Confirmation
- *Confirmation Year 2 Classes* - Prerequisite: Confirmation Year 1

Thursdays 6:15pm-8:30pm - High School Classes/Youth Group begin on August 17th

High School Youth Group (9th Grade to 12th Grade) - All classes are in combination with our Lifeteen Youth Group.

- *First Communion Classes* - for all High Schoolers who have not received their First Communion.
- *Pre-Confirmation Classes* - for all High Schoolers who have not been enrolled in classes the year prior to Confirmation Preparation.
- *Confirmation Year 1 Classes* - Prerequisite: Pre-Confirmation
- *Confirmation Year 2 Classes* - Prerequisite: Confirmation Year 1

Mondays 6:30pm to 7:45pm - Classes begin on September 11th

First Communion Year 1 Classes (1st Grade to 5th Grade)

Kidz Ministry Continuing Formation (3rd to 5th Grade) - for those who have already received First Communion.

Tuesdays 6:30pm to 7:45pm - Classes begin on September 12th

First Communion Year 2 Classes (2nd Grade to 5th Grade) Prerequisite: Must have completed First Communion Year 1.

Kidz Ministry Continuing Formation (3rd to 5th Grade)- for those who have already received First Communion.

Wednesdays 5:00pm to 6:00pm - Classes begin on October 18th

Kindergarten Faith Formation Classes (5 years old)

Thursdays 5:00pm to 6:00pm - Classes begin on October 19th

Pre-K Faith Formation Classes (4 years old - must be potty trained)

Youth Ministry

- * Edge Middle School Youth Group – **KICK OFF: August 16th from 6:15pm to 8:30pm in the Church.**
- * Lifeteen High School Youth Group – **KICK OFF: August 17th from 6:15pm to 8:30pm in the Church.**

Lifeteen Youth Ministry is seeking....

We are seeking a drummer and bass player. If you can play the drums or play the bass guitar, please contact Ann Maidman at amaidman@maricopacatholic.org.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION—NO APPOINTMENT NEEDED

PLEASE BRING BAPTISM CERTIFICATE

NEW Students: Sunday, August 6th after all Masses & Monday, August 7th from 3pm-7pm, Tuesday, August 8th from 3:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. & Wednesday, August 9th from 3:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

NEW & Returning Students: Sunday, August 13th after all Masses and Monday, August 14th from 3pm-7pm.

MANDATORY PARENT RETREATS

Grades 6th-12th (Middle School/High School Pre-Confirmation/First Communion, Confirmation1, Confirmation 2)- Saturday, August 26th (8:30am-1:30pm)

Grades 1st-5th (First Communion1, First Communion2, Kidz Ministry)- Saturday, September 23rd (8:30am-1:30pm)

This is a mandatory retreat for all parents. Please make sure you mark your calendars.

Our Lady of Grace Parish Financial Report Month of June 2023

June 2023 All Income	\$53,815.43
June 2023 All Expenses	(\$98,737.55)
June 2023 Balance: Surplus/Short	(\$44,922.12)
Fiscal Year SURPLUS/SHORTFALL	(\$123,896.26)
June '23 Eyes CC Contributions-Expenses	\$12,295.95
Mortgage Balance as of 6/30/23:	\$3,687,798.52

Eyes Towards the Future Campaign Drive

# of Donors	304
Amount Pledged	\$931,408.26
Any payments towards Campaign please make following note:	
"2022 Capital Campaign"	

Sunday Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy will resume on August 27th at the 10:30am and 12:00pm Masses.

Please join the Legion of Mary in praying the rosary every Wednesday at 2:00 p.m. in the Church.

Sunday Offering

Weekend of July 29-30, 2023

Sunday Collection \$8,675.06

We Share (Online) Offertory

July 24-28, 2022 \$3,031.00

TOTAL OFFERTORY COLLECTED \$11,706.06

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 5th - Blessed Virgin Mary

- 8:00 am Deceased members of the Jane Taylor family
- 4:00 pm Pro populo

Sunday, August 6th - The Transfiguration of the Lord

- 7:30 am Souls in purgatory
- 9:00 am Souls of Timothy and Michael Luong
- 10:30 am Souls of Carl and Dolores Peterson
- 12:00 pm Souls of Martin and Manuel Hernandez

Monday, August 7th - St. Sixtus II & Companions, St. Cajetan

- 8:00 am Birthday of Lorraine Martinez

Tuesday, August 8th - St. Dominic

- 8:00 am Soul of Michael McKee

Wednesday, August 9th - St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

- 8:00 am Souls of Lupe and Raul Arroyo

Thursday, August 10th - St. Lawrence

- 8:00 am Soul of Freddy Sopha

Friday, August 11th - St. Clare

- 8:00 am Souls of Kenneth and Stephanie Foos

Saturday, August 12th - St. Jane Frances de Chantal

- 4:00 pm Birthday of Melissa Hernandez

Sunday, August 13th - The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30 am Souls in purgatory
- 9:00 am Soul of Michael Tremonto
- 10:30 am Pro populo
- 12:00 pm Health and well being of the Luna Bautista family

We do not have any Masses available for the remainder of the year. We will receive the 2024 book in November. If you have any questions please call Lupita at the Parish Office at 520-568-4605

Our Lady of Grace Parish - August 6th, 2023

This Week in our Parish

Sunday, August 6th

7:30 a.m. English Mass, Church
9:00 a.m. English Mass, Church
10:30 a.m. English Mass, Church
12:00 p.m. Spanish Mass, Church

Monday, August 7th

8:00 a.m. Daily Mass, Church
8:30 a.m. Confessions after Daily Mass, Church

Tuesday, August 8th

8:00 a.m. Daily Mass, Church
8:30 a.m. Confessions after Daily Mass, Church

Wednesday, August 9th

8:00 a.m. Daily Mass, Church
8:30 a.m. Confessions after Daily Mass, Church

Thursday, August 10th

8:00 a.m. Daily Mass, Church
8:30 a.m. Confessions after Daily Mass, Church

Friday, August 11th

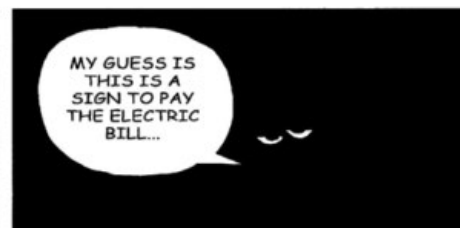
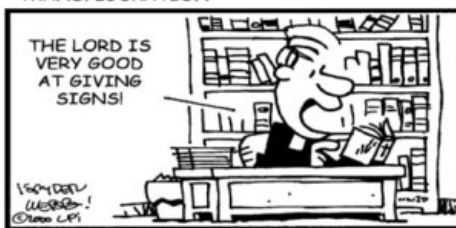
8:00 a.m. Daily Mass, Church
8:30 a.m. Confessions after Daily Mass, Church

Saturday, August 12th

4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass, Church

August 6th, 2023– The Transfiguration of the Lord

TRANSFIGURATION



Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary—Holy Day of Obligation



Monday, August 14th - Vigil

6:30 p.m. English

Tuesday, August 15th

8:00 a.m. English

12:10 p.m. English

6:30 p.m. Spanish

Please note, the office will close on Tuesday, August 15th and will reopen on Wednesday, August 16th at 9:30 a.m.

Agape Young Adult Ministry

KICK OFF: August 18th from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Parish Office.

Prayer for the Sick:

Gayla Ryser	Jeanne Fix
Hilda Martinez	Cindy M.
Don Peyton	Gary Haller
Marcus Tavarez	Howard Wurm
Laurie Braendle	Trina Gomez
Judy Celik	Carol Ann Maroni
Mike Wickham	Jayce Pangilinan
Joseph Nowosielski	Jose Navor Rivera
EJ Diaz	Lou Zazzari
Ruth Trágico	Marge Tishy
Maria Encarnación Valdez	Leo Sax
Cory Bullerkist	David Mac Porter
Marcel Hemmen	Annie Ruiz-Colón
Anna Krieger	Cindy Swanson
William Fries	Lee Smith
Bemar Hernandez	Juan Francisco Ortiz
John Steile	Rich G.
Donna Brian	Christine Shekoski
Sue Kaltved	Eva Kalke
Clarice Green Bechamp	Laura
Ray Ortega	Shelley McClaren
Geovany Cangiamila	Stella White
Emma Cruz Dennison	Barbara Bryant
Landon Wrampe	Camerina Flores
Matthew Smith	Anita Deverka
Penny Peng	Raymond Martinez
Robert Garner	Emiliano
Cindy Murphy	Sarah Smith
Bill Schmidt	Randy Dunn
Fred Hudgens	Linda Morgan
Joan Greer	Danny Lovato
Rose Brown	Alicia Mirasol
Francisco Javier Jimenez	Jaime Rodriguez
Rudy & Betty Jaravata	Manuel Lansang
Ellen Lewis	Loretta Walters
Richard Kam	Sean Soliz
Jerry Leligdon	Bambina Trágico
Anna Leligdon	Mayo Gustillo
Marissa Gustilo	Ron Hollingsworth
Buddy Krogman	Leslie McCarthy
Steve Lamberto	Matthew Monseguir
Richard Gutierrez	Kenneth Murphy
Paul Studer	CeCe Daniel
Dennis Sammons	Melissa Brashears
Jennifer Kraus	Conant Rose

Please send your *Prayer for the Sick* requests to information@maricopacatholic.org or call the parish office. We will include them on our prayer list for one month or longer by request. If someone is homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the church office to make arrangements for our Homebound Ministry. Also, please let the office know if you would like a prayer shawl to comfort those who are sick.

Spiritual Adoption

“Spiritual Adoption—MONTH 5 - August “Mommy felt me kick” - Your spiritually adopted baby weighs over one pound now, and his mother can feel his movement. Before this time he was too small for her to feel. Although he swam with ease in his watery world, he needed to be big and strong enough to kick hard against the outside wall and dent it - - the inside wall of the uterus has little feeling. We are mid-way through the pregnancy now. Your prayers have helped your baby’s mother continue with her pregnancy and seek the help she needs.

Media Team - Help with running screens at Mass

We are in need of more volunteers to join our team to help run screens at each Mass (Saturday 4pm; Sunday 7:30am, 9am and 10:30am). If you are interested in helping out, please contact Ann Maidman at amaidman@maricopacatholic.org.

RCIA: RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATIONS FOR ADULTS - INQUIRY

Are you or anyone you know interested in exploring the Catholic Church as your church home? Have you been sitting in the pew next to your Catholic spouse for years wondering what you have to do to become Catholic? Statistics show that most people respond to a personal invitation. So, this is that personal invitation and a challenge to all of you who might know someone who fits the categories above invite that person.

What is RCIA?

RCIA is a process through which adults become members of the Roman Catholic Church. This consists of steps, periods, and rites that make up the model of Christian Initiation as restored in the second Vatican Council. We will be holding a period of Inquiry beginning in July for all those who are interested or who know of someone who is interested in beginning the journey to learn more about the Catholic Faith.

What is the period of Inquiry or Precatechumenate?

Persons seeking to know more about the Catholic Church are invited to learn more about whom we are and what we believe. This time may be long or short depending on the person’s experience and background. During this time, we will respond to the questions of the inquirers and lead them to share their stories of faith. Inquiry will begin on August 7th at the Parish Office from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. For more information, please contact **Deacon Roger Maidman, RCIA Coordinator** or Ann Maidman, DRE at amaidman@maricopacatholic.org

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

We all have a duty to protect the vulnerable.

If the abuse happened in the Diocese of Tucson, call the Victim Assistance Program of the Diocese of Tucson

At 520-623-0344 (1-800-234-0344 in Arizona) and/or the Office of Child, Adolescent and Adult Protection of the Diocese of Tucson at 520-838-2513
<https://dicesetucson.org/report-abuse>



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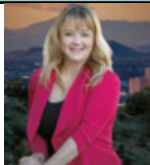
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