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CHURCH SCHEDULE

Regular Mass Schedule:
Saturday: 5:00 pm Vigil
Sunday: 8:00 am
          10:00 am
          12:30 pm (Spanish)
Daily Mass: 8:00 am Monday - Friday.

Reconciliation:
Saturday: 3:30 pm or by appt.

Morning Prayer:
7:40-7:55 am Mon.- Fri.
Rosary:
8:30 am Mon. - Fri.

Adoration Chapel:
Parishioners may obtain a code to have access to the Adoration Chapel at any time by coming to the parish office during regular business hours to obtain the code.
Rosary and Chaplet: Tuesdays 4:15-4:45 pm. Contact Saundra for more info.: (602) 413-0825.

Parish Office Hours:
8:30 am - 4:30 pm Monday-Friday

Saturday, 8/31 - Friday, 9/6

Saturday: 5:00 pm - Soul of Michael Rissetto
Sunday: 8:00 am - Soul of Tom Scanlan
          10:00 am - Intentions of St. John Vianney Parishioners
          12:30 pm - N/A
Wednesday: Intentions of Eucharistic Franciscan Missionary Sisters.

Prayer is to our soul what rain is to the soil.
St. John Vianney
### SACRAMENT PREPARATION & PARISH MINISTRIES CONTACT INFORMATION

#### Sacrament Preparation:

**Baptism Preparation:** Contact Deacon Dennis at (760) 613-7554.

**Marriage Preparation:** 9 months preparation. Parishioners: call Fr. Kieran or Deacon Dennis.

**Out of parish:** Email mmendoza@sjvsedona.org.

**Children & Youth Sacrament Preparation:** Contact Sr. Maria Magdalena: srmmag@sjvsedona.org

**Adult Sacrament Prep:** Contact Fr. Kieran.

#### Parish Ministries:

**Worship**

**Adoration Chapel:** Available access 24/7 to parishioners. Please come into the Parish Office to sign up for the access code.

**Liturgical Ministries & Scheduling:**
- Scheduling for Ministers of the Word, Hospitality, Extraordinary Ministers (EM) of Communion for weekend Masses is through Theresa Lotz.
- E-mail tlotz@sjvsedona.org.
- Scheduling for Ministers of the Word daily Mass: Magdalena - mcastillocockrum@gmail.com.
- EM of Communion facilitator and training: Kathy West, (928) 963-1036.
- EM of Communion of Care (to the homebound): Joanne Brosz, (928) 204-5898 or Maureen Koza, (928) 203-0884.
- Taizé Prayer Service: Monday 5:00 pm; Chapel of the Holy Cross.

**Enrichment**

**Spanish Bible Study:** Jueves at 7:00 pm, in Library

**Centering Prayer:** 1st & 3rd Wednesdays at 9:00 am in the Adoration Chapel, then in the Library.
- Contact: Margaret Swavely (928) 300-2949.

**Parish Ministries (continued):**

**Kachina Volunteers,** a Women's Guild branch. Volunteers at Kachina nursing facility assist with Mass readings most Tuesdays.
- Contact: Mary Shypertt (702) 325-2492.

**Welcome Ministry:** Mary Londry, (928) 204-1321.

**Natural Family Planning:** Joan Sullivan, (760) 613-6947.

**Respect Life:** vacancy

**Small Christian Community:** Group meeting focuses on book being reviewed. Meets every Thursday at 9:00 am in Library. Contact Hansons 282-6760.

**Spiritual Direction:** Margaret Swavely at 300-2949 or Robin Cameron (928) 282-4470.

**Women's Guild:** Meetings are the 2nd Tuesday from September - June. Meeting times alternate by month - 9:00 am one month; 12:00 Noon the next. President Pat Schumann (928) 282-5022.

**Outreach**

**Co-Workers of Mother Teresa:** Contact Teresa at (928) 284-4168.

**Homebound:** Call Joanne Brosz at (928) 204-5898 if you would like to schedule a visit.

**Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos-NPH-USA:** Contact Betty McGinnis (928) 282-7545, ext. 28.

**Prayer E-Mail (Oremus):** Please e-mail Magdalena at mcastillocockrum@gmail.com with any prayer intention. This will notify the parish community of your prayer requests.

**St. Vincent de Paul:** Meetings are 1st & 3rd Mondays of the month at 8:45 am. Contact number is (928) 821-1292. Case Worker Hrs: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday: 9:00 am to Noon.
- Contact the Parish Secretary for changes to the above.
Before the month is over, I want to take the opportunity to thank all of you who helped make our celebration of St. John Vianney memorable. The wines and appetizers were great and the pancake breakfast outstanding. Thanks to all the cooks, helpers and servers!

You will notice the new chairs in the hall. There is a company in Phoenix called IRCA. They go to high end hotels who are renovating and remove all their furniture, rugs, decorations, etc. What is in good condition they sell. I had asked them to let me know if they got in any good quality ballroom chairs in good condition. A couple of weeks ago they sent me pictures of our new chairs. For $15 a chair (for a commercial grade stack chair) they seemed to good an opportunity to pass up.

Our solar installation is on track. By the end of this week we will receive final drawings for the panel placement, then the lot goes to the city for permitting (we are hoping 6-8 weeks). After the permits are received installation will take about 2 weeks. Remember, the solar system is being paid for by our share of the bishop’s capital campaign.

Last of all, I do not have much to report on concerning the church renovation. The architect was gone on vacation, I was absent a couple of weeks, members of the committee were also absent. At this stage, we have found a sound consultant to design a new sound system and have decided on a LED lighting system that still needs to be designed. I am hoping to meet with our group soon so the addition can be agreed upon and shown to the community. How we finish and furnish the inside of the apse we need much more input.

Peace,
Fr. Kieran

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11 [cf. 11b]/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14
Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18/Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13 [13b]/Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [13]/Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday: Col 1:1-8/Ps 52:10, 11 [10]/Lk 4:38-44
Thursday: Col 1:9-14/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 5:1-11
Friday: Col 1:15-20/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [2b]/Lk 5:33-39
Saturday: Col 1:21-23/Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8 [6]/Lk 6:1-5
Next Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-17 [1]/Phlm 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33
SUMMARY READINGS—22ND ORDINARY TIME

First Reading
Sirach 3:17-18,20,28-29
Humble yourself and you will find favor with God

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 68:4-7,10-11
The just rejoice and exult before God.

Second Reading
Hebrews 12:18-19,22,24
You have approached Mount Zion and the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem.

Gospel Reading
Luke 14:1,7
When you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind.

BACKGROUND ON THE GOSPEL

Meals played an important role in the society in which Jesus lived. More than a time for sharing nourishment, they were a time to share ideas and to model different aspects of social relationships. In Luke's Gospel, the places that a person ate (at the home of a tax collector, 5:29), the people with whom a person ate (sinners, 5:30), whether a person washed before eating (11:38), and, as is the case here, the place that a person sits while eating are all important. The narrator says Jesus tells a parable, but it is really wise advice to both guests and hosts about finding true happiness at the heavenly banquet.

Jesus warns guests to wait before taking their places at the table lest they be asked to move if someone more important arrives. This is more than just a lesson about dinner etiquette. It is advice on how to find your true place in the Kingdom of God. Jesus advises hosts not to invite people who would be expected to repay them to dinner but to invite those who could not repay: the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. This is where real blessings can be found.
HELP WANTED
ST. JOHN VIANNEY GIFT STORE AT
CHAPEL OF THE HOLY CROSS

Is hiring sales associates for sales and customer service in our Catholic Gift Store. Part time hours to start. Active individuals that are able to lift 20 lbs please apply with request for application or questions to vicki@sjvsedona.org

THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Today, we hear Jesus say to us, “…when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame and the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.”

With love for your neighbors who are poor, crippled, lame or blind, look around your house to see what furniture, household items, and clothing you no longer use…and give it to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul
PO Box 612
Sedona, AZ 86339
Phone: (928) 821-1292

THE WOMEN’S GUILD MEETING
SEPTEMBER 10TH 8:30 AM

All women of the Parish are invited to the breakfast meeting. Arianna Calesso will speak on Living With Blindness. She was blinded shortly after birth. She went to The School For The Blind where she learned Braille. She teaches it now as well as giving technical computer support to the blind. Come and hear her remarkable story.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS!

We will start our regular catechetical year sessions on Monday September 9, at 3:30pm Parents please register your children.

Religious Education program includes children in K-8th grade.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD ARE NEEDED AT DAILY MASS

Do you like to be an active participant at daily mass? We are in need of Ministers of the Word for our daily mass. If you are interested please contact Magdalena at: mcastillocockrum@gmail.com
Wings & Dreams 2019
Immaculate Conception
Catholic School

Save the Date
November 16, 2019

We invite you to be a part of our largest fundraiser which will enable us to bring some exciting new learning programs to our students. Join us for an evening of dinner, dancing, silent and live auctions nestled in the beautiful Red Rocks of Sedona.
PRAYING FOR THE LIVING AND THE DEAD -
THE SEVENTH SPIRITUAL WORK OF MERCY

Prayer is one of the most powerful ways we can support others. Joining together in prayer for the living and the dead entrusts us all into God’s care.

- Request a Mass intention for a friend or family member who is going through a tough time.
- Request a Mass intention for a friend or family member who has passed away.
- Keep your own book of prayer intentions, writing down the names of those whom are kept in your prayers.
- Ask a friend or family member if there is any way in which you can pray for them.
- Through prayer, entrust your cares and concerns for those around you to God.

- United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.

REGINA CLERI SEMINARY ALUMNI

A Reunion will be held April 19, 20, 21, 2020 in Tucson. All former Faculty, Staff and Students are invited! Please See: www.ReginaCleriSeminary.com Email: ReginaCleriSeminary@hotmail.com or Call Toll Free (479)414-4344 for details.