

5th SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing." - Jn 15:5

May 2, 2021

Parish Mission Statement

A welcoming and joyful community committed to making disciples, by igniting and strengthening faith in Christ, and the celebration of Gods grace.

May

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday 7:30 am
 Confession before Daily Mass 7:00 am - 7:30 am

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday - Attend/Livestream 4:00 pm
 Sunday 7:00 am, 9:00,am ,11:00 am

Attend And Livestream @ the 11am

RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday 7:00 am
 Saturday -Church 2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

Monday - Friday 7:00 am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 8:30 am - 4:00 pm
 Fridays 8:30 pm - 12:00 pm

PASTORAL STAFF

PAROCHIAL ADMINISTRATOR, Fr. Bing Colasito
 DEACON, John Mezydlo

PARISH STAFF

Office Administrator, Alicia Gonzales	Ext. 104
Accountant, Nancy Edgell	Ext. 107
Pastors Assistant, Cheyanne Bosn	Ext. 100
Discipleship Coor., Dcn John Mezydlo	Ext. 101
RE Assistant, Rita Quihuis	Ext. 102
RE Coordinator, Renee Hunsaker	Ext. 105
Music & Media Director, Matt Ficarra	Ext. 106
Maintenance/Custodian, Ray Lopez	

MISSION OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

45033 North 12th Street
 New River, Arizona 85087

WEEKEND MASS

Sunday 9:00 am

RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

Sunday 8:30 am

ADORATION

Thursday 7:00 am – 5:00 pm



Sunday May 2, 2021

- 11:00 am May Crowning

Monday, May 3, 2021

- 7:00pm Boy Scout Meeting

Tuesday, May 4, 2021

- 8:30 am Morning Bible Study

Wednesday, May 5, 2021

- 3:00 pm Novena, Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 6:30 pm RCIA

Thursday, May 6, 2021

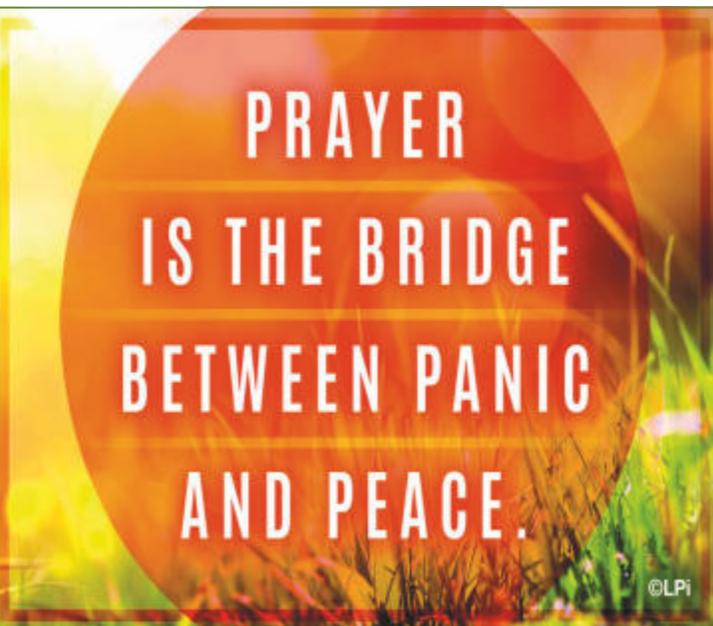
- 10:00 am Dalia Corral Service

Friday, May 7, 2019

- 8:00 am First Friday Adoration
- 4:30 pm Vespers

Saturday May 8, 2019

- 7:15 am Morning Payer
- 7:30 am Morning Mass



MASS Intentions

Sunday, May 2, 2021

- 7:00 am All Parishioners
- 9:00 am The Curry Family-Thanksgiving
- 9:00 am +Ginger Rothmen
- 11:00 am +The Moore Family

Monday, May 3, 2021

- 7:30 am +Richard Rogers

Tuesday, May 4, 2021

- 7:30 am Rebecca Romero-Thanksgiving

Wednesday, May 5, 2021

- 7:30 am +Gemma Kodumal

Thursday, May 6, 2021

- 7:30 am +Gemma Kodumal

Friday, May 7, 2021

- 7:30 am Zeny DeLeoz-Healing

Saturday, May 8, 2021

- 7:30 am Andrew & Sherin Verderame-Thanksgiving
- 4:00 pm +Barb McLeod

April 10th and April 11th

ST. ROSE: \$21,631.00
 (includes online giving of \$13,661.00)
GOOD SHEPHERD:\$1,494.00
 (includes online giving of \$792.00)
TOTAL PARISH GIVING:\$23,125.00
 (includes online giving of \$14,453.00)

Mortgage Retirement Contributions:\$8,985.00
 (includes online giving of \$5,495.00)

The Easter MRC appeal donation totaled \$24,924.31.

April 17th and April 18th

ST. ROSE: \$15,477.52
 (includes online giving of \$10,301.00)
GOOD SHEPHERD:\$1,204.00
 (includes online giving of \$317.00)
TOTAL PARISH GIVING: \$16,681.52
 (includes online giving of \$10,618.00)

Mortgage Retirement Contributions:\$4,045.00 (includes online giving of \$2,495.00)

The Easter MRC appeal donation totaled \$25,624.31.

Pastors Corner

6th Sunday of Easter: **God's Love** [Jn 15:9-17](#)

Jesus loves us unconditionally and greatly: should we not be convicted by His love? Many times, our love for Him is shallow, wavering, and conditional. Yet, He loves us no matter what, and He even calls us His friends, "you are my friends, and I no longer call you slaves." In truth, we all have a long, long way to go in the road of love. I pray that we all constantly pray the Jesus' prayer: Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me, a sinner." Let no one of us be self-righteous and proud.

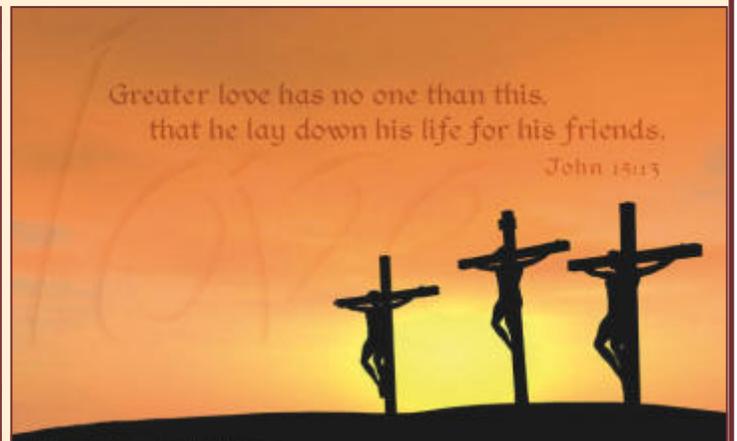
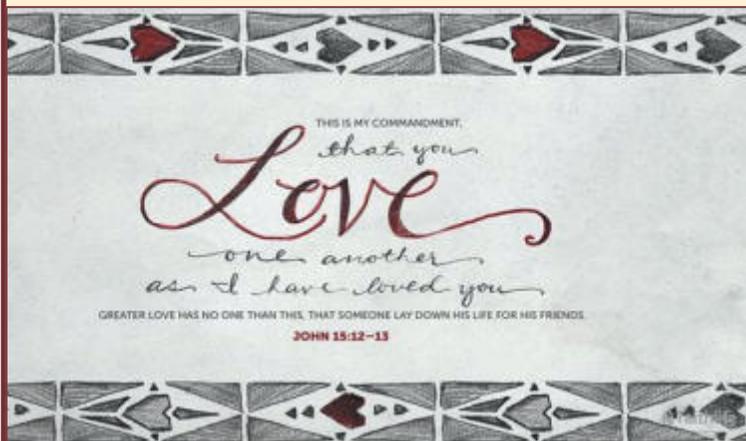
The Gospel today is part of Jesus' long farewell address to His disciples. He says: *This I command you: Love one another.* Often, a person's farewell address contains and summarizes what is most important for that person. He commands that we love one another. Jesus says, when we love one another, we share His joy that completes us. That is why it is more for our good if we remain in His love. His friends are those who follow the commandment of love. He promises His joy, a joy that completes us. When we do not have happiness in our lives, often, it is because our love is not enough, or we have not truly loved. What may seem as loving and sacrificing maybe for a selfish agenda or purely for self-satisfaction?

Jesus considers His disciples and those close to Him friends. Many of them belong to His close circle, and most of them are ordinary people. He gives them the commandment of love. Then He says: *Those who follow this commandment of love are My friends. The disciples* are not the most intelligent and sophisticated people. But still, Jesus holds them, dear, to His heart. He invites us to be His friend by following His commandment, to be intimate with Him, just like the disciples. Jesus shows His unconditional and great love for all His friends by laying down His life for them.

What is love? Scriptures do not define love; instead, the Father reveals the mystery of His love to us in His Word. *And the Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. (Jn. 1:14)* The complete revelation of divine love is the Word that became flesh, Jesus himself, the Son of the Father. And Jesus makes love/charity the new commandment.

By loving His own to the end, He makes manifest the Father's love which He receives. By loving one another, the disciples imitate the love of Jesus they receive. Whence Jesus says: As the Father has loved me, so have loved you; abide in my love. And again: this is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. (CCC 1823)

Please do not forget that we are loved, and chosen, and we are appointed to go and bear fruit that will remain. Because Jesus loved us, His love should lead us to the mission. Our gifts, our blessings, are meant to be shared. A priest said, because Jesus loved us, we constantly need to check our way of loving. *True love is not conditional. True love is not calculated (I love you three times a day). True love is not manipulative (I love you, but...). True love is not with an agenda (I love you so that...). Finally, true love is not threatening (Love me, or else...). Yes, we still have so much to learn about love.*



EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP -

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Branching Out Isn't Always What It's Cracked Up to Be

“That’s a really beautiful tree branch. Man, would you look at the bark on that thing? The others are real duds, but that low-hanging branch has really got it all together.”

I’ve never heard anyone say this. Maybe I just need to hang out with more arborists, but I can’t recall ever hearing someone admire the particular beauty of a single branch. When someone comments on a tree, it’s usually the whole tree — perhaps a visual element of it, like the color of the leaves or its height. But people don’t usually zero in on one branch.

Maybe that’s because usually, if one branch is looking a little weak, chances are every other branch is, too.

The Bible tells us that when we bear fruit as good everyday stewards, it is for the Father’s glory. We are the branch on His magnificent tree. What we have is from Him, and what we do likewise points back to Him. We also tend to reflect how well the other branches around us are incorporating the nutrients coming their way. That’s all fine and good in theory. In practice, it can be an arduous exercise in humility.

When I do something virtuous or charitable or kind, there is a part of me that wants to stand out for it. I think that’s true for all of us. We’ve given of ourselves in some way or overcome some human temptation to accomplish a little bit of good in this world, and even though we know God sees us, we’d really love for everyone else to see it, too.

It’s a struggle, for sure. But we need to remember that our fruit belongs to the whole tree.



Pasta Dinner

Sponsored by Fall Festival Committee

Carry out Only!

Saturday	6/5/2021	5 PM—6 PM
Sunday	6/6/2021	10 AM—1 PM



Full Order **\$10.00**
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Readings for the week of May 2, 2021

Sunday: Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 [26a]/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8

Monday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Jn 14:6-14

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21 [cf. 12]/Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [cf. 1]/Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10 [3]/Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12 [10a]/Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

The Guadalupano Group will be selling St. Rose water bottles after all the Masses in the month of May. All donations will be used for the Lady of Guadalupe Mass. Bottles will be \$5.

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Bottles can be donated to St. Vincent de Paul to be included in food boxes that are handed out.

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To enroll, go to: www.frysfood.com/topic/new-community-rewards-program.

Select St. Rose Philippine Duchesne Parish - Anthem #84349 from the list.

All Parishioners must re-enroll annually, for St. Rose to continue receiving donations.

To sign-up with Amazon, go to: [//smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com).
Select St. Rose Philippine Duchesne Roman Catholic Parish Anthem.

St. Rose Day To Pray For The End of Abortion

The Respect for Life Ministry and members of the Knights of Columbus invite you to pray on Saturday, May 15, 2021 from 10am-11am on the sidewalk outside of Planned Parenthood in Glendale, AZ. This day has been adopted to be a powerful witness to pray and help bring an end to abortion.

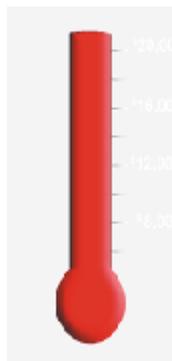
The Respect Life Committee would like to pack the sidewalk with prayer warriors like yourself so please carve out just this 1 hour to join us. Please remember to bring your rosary.

The address for Planned Parenthood is:
5771 W. Eugie Ave, Glendale, AZ 85304
For any questions,
please contact rfl@stroseanthem.com/ (608) 385-6790

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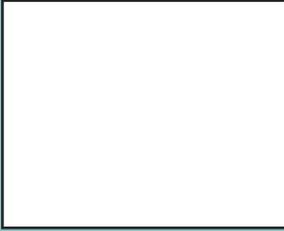
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