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## MASS TIMES

**Saturday Vigil**  
5:00 pm

### **Sunday**

7:00 am | 11:00 am ENGLISH  
9:00 am SPANISH

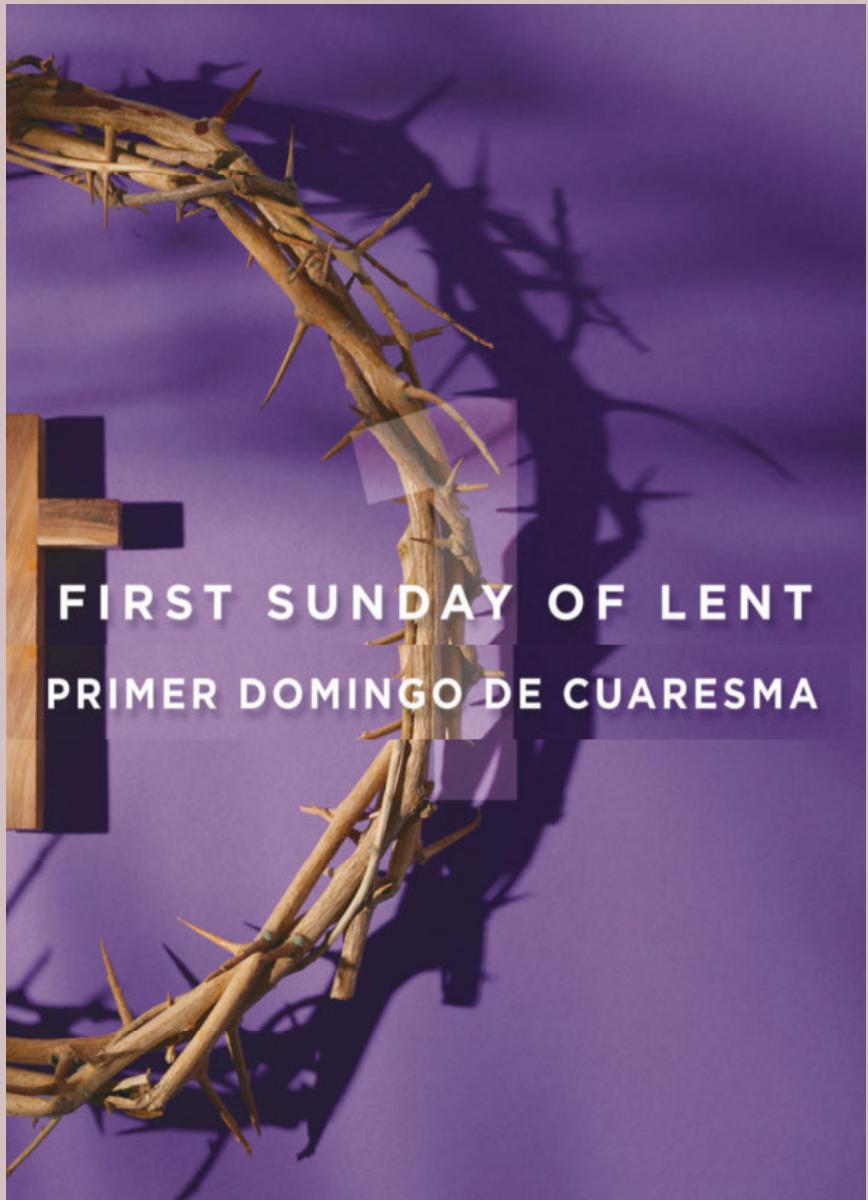
### **DAILY MASS**

Monday - Saturday  
8:00 am  
Daily Adoration  
7:30 am

**SACRAMENT  
OF RECONCILIATION**  
**Saturday**  
2:30 pm - 4:15 pm

### **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Chapel located on the northwest  
side of the church  
\*access code required  
Contact parish office



*February 26, 2023*

*26 de Febrero de 2023*

**Office Hours:**  
**Monday-Thursday: 8:30a.m.- 1:00p.m**

**623-979-3418**

*Be sure that you first preach by the way you live  
~St. Charles Borromeo~*

# Weekly Prayer

## Readings for the week of February 26, 2023

- Sunday:** Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17 (see 3a)/Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11
- Monday:** Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/Mt 25:31-46
- Tuesday:** Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19/Mt 6:7-15
- Wednesday:** Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19/Lk 11:29-32
- Thursday:** Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Mt 7:7-12
- Friday:** Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6a, 7bc-8/Mt 5:20-26
- Saturday:** Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8/Mt 5:43-48
- Next Sunday:** Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 (22)/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9

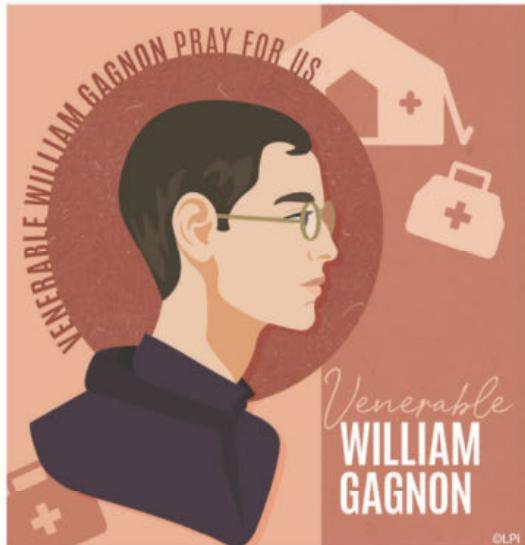
## Live The Liturgy

### Inspiration of the Week

We worship a God who understands human limitation. A God who has felt the pangs of fasting and the enticements of the tempter. Our God, hungry and tired and weakened, has stared into the face of the devil and said: "I am stronger than you."

## Observances for the week of February 26, 2023

- Sunday:** 1st Sunday of Lent
- Monday:** St. Gregory of Narek, Abbot and Doctor of the Church
- Friday:** St. Katharine Drexel, Virgin
- Saturday:** St. Casimir
- Next Sunday:** 2nd Sunday of Lent



## Saint of the week

Venerable Brother William Gagnon cared for every victim of war who entered his hospital regardless of military affiliation. A missionary to Vietnam between 1952 and 1972, he is remembered as a true servant leader who loved Jesus and his fellow man.

## Prayer

*Prayer for Venerable Brother William Gagnon's intercession*

Lord, Jesus, your mercy inspired the Venerable William Gagnon, O.H., to live hospitality with the ill, the refugees and the poor. Grant that we may always minister to all suffering people with charity, as did this son of St. John of God. Lord, hear the prayer that we address to you [personal intention] by the intercession of the Venerable William Gagnon, in order that we may be affirmed in our faith and that your glory and the joy of the Church be proclaimed.

Amen.

# MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, February 27**  
**8 am - Cressett Mundey**

**Tuesday, February 28**  
**8 am - Bonifacius Jinara (+)**

**Wednesday, March 1**  
**8 am - Ann Burgess (+)**

**Thursday, March 2**  
**8 am - Rafael Mejia (+)**

**Friday, March 3**  
**6:30 - Petra Dominguez (+)**

**Saturday, March 4**  
**5 pm - Albert Gomez (+)**

**Sunday, March 5**  
**7 am - Rafael Sierra Gonzalez (+)**  
**9 am - Petra Dominguez (+)**  
**11 am - Pro Populo**

**Please pray for our sick loved ones.**  
**Oremos por nuestros seres queridos enfermos.**

Ron Santa Cruz, Henry Cota, Pablo Milan, Ernest DeCiutiis, Maria Badame, Ezekiel Morales, Romeo Maines, Pedro Yambao, Maryetta A. Ruther, Jerry Olibaria, Edie Dew, Ambrose Rojas, Alan Linn, Maria Gallegos, Andres Padilla, John Anaya, Laura Lopez, Anais Segoviano, Ron Schilling, Nancy Brothers

**And for our deceased loved ones / Y por nuestros queridos difuntos**

Rafael Mejia (+)



The Women's Guild, would like to thank all our parishioners who supported our Raffle and BakeSale, this month. Your support was amazing, and all proceeds go towards our Parish needs, and Religious Education.

Congratulations to Irene Gauthier, winner of the Gift basket , and cooler, Raffle.

El Gremio de Mujeresgradece a todos nuestros feligreses que apoyaron nuestra Rifa y venta de galletas este mes. Su apoyo fue increíble, y todos los ingresos se destinan a las necesidades de nuestra parroquia y la educación religiosa.

Felicidades a la ganadora, Irene Gauthier

Collection for January  
February 19, 2023

Offertory/Ofrenda \$ 6,567.13

ROC:ROH \$ 132.00

Thank you for your support of St. Charles Borromeo!

¡Gracias por su apoyo de San Carlos Borromeo!



*Stations of the Cross  
Every Friday of Lent  
6 p.m. / Bilingual*

followed by a Simple Soup Supper  
(except) March 3—FIRST FRIDAY  
will start at 5:45 followed by  
the regular First Friday schedule

*Estaciones de la Cruz  
Cada viernes de Cuaresma  
6 p.m. / bilingüe*

Seguida por una cena de sopa

\*Excepto el 3 de marzo PRIMER VIERNES  
comenzara a las 5:45 seguida por el horario regular  
del Primer Viernes del mes



**March 19, 20, & 21**

**6:30 pm -  
in the Church**

**Confessions:  
Wednesday, March 22  
6:30 pm**



**Marzo 12, 13, y 14**

**6:30 pm  
en la Iglesia**

**Confesiones:  
Miercoles 15 de marzo  
6:30 pm**



**FIRST FRIDAY  
MARCH 3  
6:30 pm MASS  
followed by  
ADORATION AND  
CONFESIONS**

**PRIMER VIERNES  
3 DE MARZO  
MISA, 6:30 pm  
seguida por  
ADORACIÓN Y  
CONFESIONES**

**BE  
MERCIFUL,  
LORD,  
FOR  
WE HAVE  
SINNED.  
PSALM 51**

The tempter approached and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command that these stones become loaves of bread." He said in reply, "It is written: One does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God." - Mt 4:3-4  
Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

## *Why do we give up something for Lent?*

Today we know Lent as a season of conversion: we acknowledge the ways we have turned away from God in our lives and we focus on turning our hearts and minds back toward God. Hence the three pillars of Lent are prayer, fasting and almsgiving. These observances help us turn away from whatever has distracted or derailed us and to turn back to God. Giving up something for Lent is ultimately a form of fasting. We can deprive ourselves of some small pleasure or indulgence and offer that sacrifice up to God. Or we might “give up” a bad habit such as smoking as a way of positively turning our life back towards what God wants for us. A small positive change can have a big impact that lasts beyond the 40 days of Lent. Take the time now to think about what you might give up this year. Is it something you enjoy that you want to sacrifice for a while, like your daily latte? Or is it a bad habit you want to conquer, like running in late to meetings with co-workers? Or perhaps you want to turn your cell phone off for a few hours each day and not let it distract you from the loved ones you are with in real time? Find something that works for you, and whatever it is, may it help you to turn towards God in this holy season of Lent. Let us remember that we are called to become a people who make a difference in the world. We are to walk an extra mile for the other and as well as in our spiritual journey to grow closer to Christ. May this Lent be a time to walk an extra mile in our spiritual journey.

( <http://bustedhalo.com/questionbox/why-do-we-give-up-something-for-lent>

What should I do in this Lenten season?

Pray more, Fast little more and Give to the needy

1. Pray extra. Prayer is nothing but a friendly conversation with the Lord. It is lifting up of your hearts to the Lord that He may hear where I stand and I may hear Him better and know what He wants me to do. Make a resolution this Lenten season to attend mass every day. Take the rosary, go for a walk and pray Jesus prayer all the way, “Jesus, Son of God have mercy on me a sinner.” Thirdly, find some time alone with the Lord. He wants to be with you alone.

2. Fast, abstinence. Abstain from some of those foods or habits that attracts you all the more, control the wants of the body. Abstain gossips, say positive things about others.

3. Arms giving, give to the needy. Always have an open heart to the needy. Whatever you say save through your abstinence give to the poor.

Let us make this an effective walk with the Lord in the desert.

## *¿Por qué renunciamos a algo para la Cuaresma?*

Hoy conocemos la Cuaresma como una temporada de conversión: reconocemos las formas en que nos hemos alejado de Dios en nuestras vidas y nos enfocamos en volver nuestros corazones y mentes hacia Dios. Por lo tanto, los tres pilares de la Cuaresma son la oración, el ayuno y la limosna. Estas observancias nos ayudan a alejarnos de cualquier cosa que nos haya distraído o desviado y a volvernos a Dios. Renunciar a algo durante la Cuaresma es, en última instancia, una forma de ayuno. Podemos privarnos de algún pequeño placer o indulgencia y ofrecer ese sacrificio a Dios. O podríamos “renunciar” a un mal hábito como fumar como una forma positiva de volver nuestra vida hacia lo que Dios quiere para nosotros. Un pequeño cambio positivo puede tener un gran impacto que dure más allá de los 40 días de Cuaresma. Tómese el tiempo ahora para pensar en lo que podría renunciar este año. ¿Es algo que disfrutas que quieras sacrificar por un tiempo, como tu café con leche diario? ¿O es un mal hábito que desea conquistar, como llegar tarde a las reuniones con compañeros de trabajo? ¿O tal vez desea apagar su teléfono celular durante unas horas todos los días y no dejar que lo distraiga de los seres queridos con los que está en tiempo real? Encuentra algo que funcione para ti, y sea lo que sea, que te ayude a volverte hacia Dios en esta santa temporada de Cuaresma. Recordemos que estamos llamados a convertirnos en un pueblo diferente en el mundo. Debemos caminar una milla extra por los demás y también en nuestro viaje espiritual para acercarnos más a Cristo. Que esta Cuaresma sea un tiempo para caminar una milla extra en nuestro viaje espiritual.

¿Qué debo hacer en este tiempo de Cuaresma?

Rezar más, ayunar un poco más y dar a los necesitados

1. Ora más. La oración no es más que una conversación amistosa con el Señor. Es elevar sus corazones al Señor para que Él pueda escuchar dónde estoy y yo pueda escucharlo mejor y saber lo que Él quiere que haga. Haga una resolución en esta temporada de Cuaresma para asistir a misa todos los días. Tome el rosario, salga a caminar y rece la oración de Jesús todo el camino, “Jesús, Hijo de Dios, ten piedad de mí, pecador”. En tercer lugar, encuentre algún tiempo a solas con el Señor. Quiere estar contigo a solas.

2. Ayuno, abstinencia. Abstente de algunos de esos alimentos o hábitos que más te atraen, controla las necesidades del cuerpo. Abstenerse de chismes, decir cosas positivas de los demás.

3. Dar armas, dar a los necesitados. Ten siempre un corazón abierto a los necesitados. Todo lo que digas guárdalo con tu abstinencia y dáselo a los pobres.

Hagamos de este un caminar efectivo con el Señor en el desierto



## Knights of Columbus Annual Charity Raffle

The annual Knights of Columbus AZ State Council Charity Raffle has started! Over the next few months, the Knights of Columbus will sell raffle tickets to support local charities. There are 10 cash prizes, ranging from \$10,000 to \$500. The drawing will take place on Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023, and you do not need to be present! **Donations: \$5 per ticket and \$20 for 5 tickets. Please see any Knight to purchase your ticket or for additional details!**



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## **THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING REGISTERED!**

Being a registered, active and participating member of a Parish is very important especially when you need to baptize, register for religious education classes, sponsor a child for sacraments, get married, obtain letters (letters of good standing, immigration letters, sponsor letters, letters of transfer etc.)

For parents who have children enrolled in Catholic Schools, in order to receive the school reduced Catholic Tuition Rate, your family needs to meet the criteria set by the Parish for being a registered, ACTIVE and participating member.

The definition of a registered, active and participating member of this parish includes: being registered for the minimum of six months, attend Sunday Mass regularly as well as contributing with an envelope to our offertory along with (if possible) supporting the ministry life of our parish which is a HUGE plus.

If you aren't registered, come to the parish office OR you can visit our website: [scbpeoria.org](http://scbpeoria.org) > About> Join Our Parish and complete the Online Registration Form.

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*y light*



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*y luz*



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These words from the Psalmist tell us about the heart of God. He is a kind and merciful Father who lovingly provides for the needs of His children! As Christians, our lives are transformed by this great love, and we are called to go forth and share the Good News we have received with those around us. Your gift to the Charity and Development Appeal (CDA) shares the love and mercy of Jesus with thousands of individuals and families in need through intentional care, accompaniment, and life-saving support. Make your gift online today at [www.give.dphx.org](http://www.give.dphx.org).

Estas palabras del salmista nos hablan del corazón de Dios.

¡Él es un Padre bondadoso y misericordioso que amorosamente provee para las necesidades de Sus hijos! Como cristianos, nuestras vidas son transformadas por este gran amor, y estamos llamados a salir y compartir la Buena Nueva que hemos recibido con quienes nos rodean. Su donación a la Campaña de Caridad y Desarrollo (CDA) comparte el amor y la misericordia de Jesús con miles de personas y familias necesitadas a través del cuidado intencional, el acompañamiento y el apoyo para salvar vidas.  
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