

ST. AMBROSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 7, 2025

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



*Whoever does not
carry his own cross
and come after me
cannot be my disciple.*
Lk 14:25-33

PARISH CLERGY

Father Mark Long, Pastor

Deacon Tom Willis
Deacon Mark Hohbein

PARISH STAFF

Sergio Blanco, Maintenance Supervisor
Marji Gonsowski, Director of Religious Education
Celina Venne, Parish Office Manager

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Closed Saturdays, Sundays, Holidays & Holy Days

CONTACT US AT:

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Phone: 520-622-6749

Email: stambrose@stambrosetucson.com

Or visit our website at: www.stambroseparishtucson.org

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass

Monday - Saturday
9:00 AM

Saturday Vigil Mass

5:30 PM - (English)

Sunday Masses

8:30 AM & 10:30 AM (English)
12:00 PM (Spanish)

DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR

Sundays at 3:00PM

DAILY ROSARY

8:30AM before the daily Mass

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Mondays, Wednesdays & Saturdays after Daily Mass.

ST. AMBROSE CATHOLIC SCHOOL



Tanya Dueñas, Principal

Liz Cordova, School Office Manager
Jessica Badilla, Business Manager
Veronica Percy - Compliance Officer

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Thursday: 7am - 4pm

Friday: 7am - 1pm

Phone: 520-882-8678

www.stambrosetucson.org

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS

Offered monthly. Baptisms are held the third Sunday of each month. You must contact the Parish Office in advance to register.

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Saturdays 3:45 - 5:00 PM

WEDDINGS

The couple must meet with the Priest at least six months before the anticipated date.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration begins August 17th

CCD - Children ages 7 - 11

Confirmation - Teens 14 - 17

OCIA - Adults 18+



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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

8:30 AM

For the People

10:30 AM

Judah Cornia (Intention)

12:00 PM

† Jose de Jesus Camacho Urias

WEEKDAY MASSES

9:00 am

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

† Denise Falkenstine

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

† Ray Martinez

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

† Edward Winter

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

Brie Fessler (In Thanksgiving)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

† Angelina DRoz

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

† Belle Winter

5:30 PM

† Rev. Arthur Devine

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

8:30 AM

† Rosalie Palko

10:30 AM

For the People

12:00 PM

Cruz Rosales (Intention)

Keep in touch with us via email & text!
 Mass times, ministry updates & more,
 delivered to your phone

To sign up, text
 STATUCSON
 to 84576

Sign up online at:
stambrosetucson.flocknote.com

*(There is no charge for this service, but
 your carrier message and data rates may
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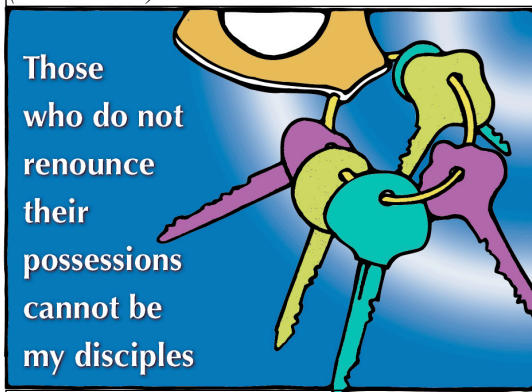
TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — You sent your holy spirit from on high and thus were the paths of those on earth made straight (Wis 9:13-18b).

Responsorial Psalm — In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge (Ps 90:3-6, 12-17).

Second Reading — Paul asks Philemon to accept back his slave Onesimus as a brother (Phlm 9-10, 12-17).

Gospel — Which of you wishing to construct a tower does not first sit down and calculate the cost to see if there is enough for its completion? (Lk 14:25-33).



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Mic 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Is 61:10; Mt 1:1-16, 18-13 or 1:18-12

Tuesday: Col 2:6-15; Ps 145:9; Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday: Col 3:1-11; Ps 145:9; Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: Col 3:12-17; Ps 150:6; Lk 6:27-38

Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14; Ps 16:5; Lk 6:39-42

Saturday: 1 Tm 1:15-17; Ps 113:2; Lk 6:43-49

Sunday: Num 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-37; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday: St. Peter Claver, Priest

Wednesday: Weekday in Ordinary Time

Thursday: Weekday in Ordinary Time

Friday: The Most Holy Name of Mary

Saturday: St. John Chrysostom, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

Sunday: Exaltation of the Cross

MINISTRIES

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Meet the 2nd Thursday of each month in Room 109 at 7pm

Contact: Brad Clancy at
 928-890-7646

Visit our Website at www.kofc1200.org

LEGION OF MARY

Tuesdays at 1 PM in Room 109

President: Gloria Suarez

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

President: Christine Krikliwy

Contact the Parish Office for information.

ENDOW

Next Endow meeting:

TBA

Fridays from 9:30 - 10:45 am Rm 109

Group Facilitator: Michele

Grantham:

michelegrantham@gmail.com

WALKING WITH MOMS IN NEED

Third Thursday of the month
 5:30 PM in Rm 109

Contact:

asanguinetti@diocesetucson.org

VOCATIONS MINISTRY

Contact: Marji Gonsowski at

mgonsowski@stambrosetucson.org

LITURGY OF THE HOURS WITH DCN. MARK

Wednesday Mornings at 6:30am

ROSARY WITH DCN. MARK

Wednesday Evenings at 6pm



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August 30 & 31. \$4,224

Thank you for your continued support !

PLEASE REMEMBER ST. AMBROSE PARISH & SCHOOL IN YOUR WILL!

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Vocations Corner

"Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple." (Luke 14:27)

Every vocation involves sacrifice. Whether you are married, learning to put your spouse's needs before your own, or a priest choosing to forgo family life to serve others, each path involves laying down your desires for the sake of love. Trust that Christ will provide you with the strength to follow Him on your journey.

"El que no carga con su cruz y me sigue, no puede ser mi discípulo" (Lucas 14:27)

Toda vocación implica sacrificio. Ya sea que estés casado, que estés aprendiendo a poner las necesidades de tu cónyuge antes que las tuyas, o que seas un sacerdote que decide renunciar a la vida familiar para servir a los demás, cada camino implica dejar de lado tus deseos por amor. Confía en que Cristo te dará la fuerza para seguirlo en tu camino.

Upcoming Vocation Date

9/7 Join us at 3:00 for Divine Mercy Holy Hour to pray for an increase in Holy Vocations in every walk of life.

Próxima fecha de vocación

9/7 Únase a nosotros a las 3:00 para la Hora Santa de la Divina Misericordia para orar por el aumento de las Santas Vocaciones en todos los ámbitos de la vida.

A Prayer for Vocations

Gracious God, You have called me to life and gifted me in many ways. Through Baptism, You have sent me to continue the mission of Jesus by sharing my love with others. Strengthen me to respond to Your call each day and help me to become all You desire of me. Inspire me to make a difference in others' lives. Open my heart to listen to Your call and fill me with the Holy Spirit and the courage to live out my vocation, carrying my cross as Your disciple. I ask this in the precious name of Jesus. Amen.

Una oración por las vocaciones

Dios misericordioso, me has llamado a la vida y me has dotado de múltiples dones. Por medio del Bautismo, me enviaste a continuar la misión de Jesús compartiendo mi amor con los demás. Fortáléceme para responder a tu llamado cada día y ayúdame a convertirme en todo lo que deseas de mí. Inspírame a marcar la diferencia en la vida de los demás. Abre mi corazón para escuchar tu llamado y lléname del Espíritu Santo y la valentía para vivir mi vocación, cargando mi cruz como tu discípulo. Te lo pido en el precioso nombre de Jesús. Amén.

ARIZONA ROSARY CELEBRATION

Join thousands of Catholics at the Arizona Rosary Celebration, October 18th - 19th, when we will honor our Blessed Mother under her title, Our Lady of Guadalupe.

Come pray the Rosary before the Blessed Sacrament, in the presence of the relics of six Knights of Columbus priests who are Cristeros and martyrs of Mexico canonized in 2000 by Pope John Paul II.

Saturday, October 18 at 10:00 a.m. in Tucson, Bishop Gerald F. Kicanas presides at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church. Our guest speaker is Fr. Emanuel Franco Gomez, a priest and scholar, known for his extensive devotion and study of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

Please bring your family, invite your friends, and consider supporting this event with [prayer](#), [advertising](#), and [donation](#). Thank you. God bless you.

Celebración del Rosario de Arizona

Únase a miles de católicos en la Celebración del Rosario en Arizona, del 18 al 19 de octubre, cuando honraremos a nuestra Santísima Madre bajo su título, Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Venga a rezar el Rosario ante el Santísimo Sacramento, en presencia de las reliquias de seis sacerdotes Caballeros de Colón que son Cristeros y mártires de México canonizados en 2000 por el Papa Juan Pablo II. El sábado 18 de octubre a las 10:00 a. m. en Tucson, el obispo Gerald F. Kicanas preside en la Iglesia Católica St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Nuestro orador invitado es el padre Emanuel Franco Gómez, sacerdote y erudito, conocido por su extensa devoción y estudio de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Traiga a su familia, invite a sus amigos y considere apoyar este evento con oración, publicidad y donación. Gracias. Dios los bendiga.

Knights of Columbus Upcoming Events

FAMILY OF THE QUARTER



The Knights of Columbus invite you to nominate a family (or person) that merits recognition for their contributions to the community of St. Ambrose. If you know a family that merits recognition, we want to know about them. Nomination forms can be found on

Flocknote, the parish website and the parish office. Family/person will be announced the last Sunday in Sept.

SACRED HEART OF JESUS TRAVELING IMAGE

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting the traveling image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus once again. Join the Knights for a special Holy Hour to reflect on the Sacred Heart of Jesus and to pray the Rosary at 6PM on:

Friday, Sept 12th; Monday, Sept 15th;
Tuesday, Sept 16th; Wednesday, Sept 17th;
Friday, Sept 18th



You're Invited: Donor Education Event

Understanding the 2026 Tax Changes:

Impact on Your Charitable Giving

Presenter: U.S. Bank Wealth Management

Sponsored by: The Catholic Foundation for the Diocese of Tucson

Location: The Ginny Clements Ballroom at Cathedral Square, 192 S Stone Ave, Tucson, AZ 85701

Date: September 29, 2025

Time: 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

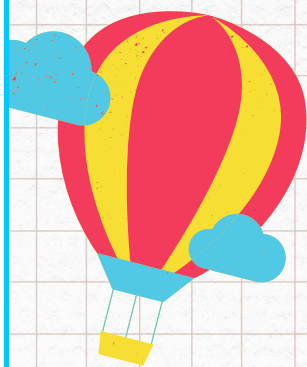
RSVP by Tuesday, Sept 23 to Elizabeth Bollinger at 520.955.2109

Spiritual Adoption of an Unborn Baby this weekend after all Masses



Please stop by the table outside of the church after all Masses this weekend to learn more about, or to pick up a pair of baby prayer socks, and spiritually adopt a baby in danger of being aborted. Our prayers can and will make an eternal difference in the lives of these babies and their families. We begin praying for "our adopted" children on our Blessed Mother's birthday, Sept. 8th.

Share Her Love



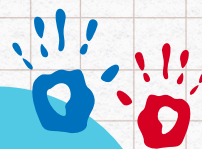
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PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT

2025-2026

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