

# **ST. AMBROSE CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**MARCH 10, 2024**

**THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT**



## **PARISH CLERGY**

***Father Mark Long, Pastor***

Deacon Tom Willis  
Deacon Mark Hohbein

## **PARISH STAFF**

Celina Venne, Parish Office Manager  
Sergio Blanco, Maintenance Supervisor

## **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

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

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## **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**

Every Sunday 3:00 - 4:00 PM

### **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  
Larry Manzo, Compliance Officer  
Jessica Badilla, Business Manager  
Veronica Percy - School Community Liaison

## **SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS:**

**Monday - Thursday 7:00 AM - 4:00 PM**

**Friday 7:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

**Phone: 520-882-8678**

**Fax: 520-617-4860**

**[www.stambrosetucson.org](http://www.stambrosetucson.org)**

## **MINISTRIES**

### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Meet the 2nd Thursday of each month

Contact: Brad Clancy at 520-975-7443

Visit our Website at [www.kofc1200.org](http://www.kofc1200.org)

### **LEGION OF MARY**

Fridays at 1 PM in Room 109

President: Lydia Valdez

### **ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

President: Christine Krikliwy

Contact the Parish Office for information.

### **ENDOW**

Next Endow meetings: March 15th, 22nd & April 5th

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

Group Facilitator: Michele Grantham:

[michelegrantham@gmail.com](mailto:michelegrantham@gmail.com)

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**SUNDAY, MARCH 10**

**8:30 am**

*For the People*

**10:30 am**

† Marilyn Venne

**12:00 pm**

† Jose de Jesus Camacho Urias

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**9:00 am**

**MONDAY, MARCH 11**

† Edward Lozano

**TUESDAY, MARCH 12**

† Fransisco Flores

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13**

*Frank Orenlia Family*

**THURSDAY, MARCH 14**

*Holy Souls in Purgatory*

**FRIDAY, MARCH 15**

† Lesley Anglin

**SATURDAY, MARCH 16**

**9:00 AM**

*Virginia Ciaravino (Birthday)*

**5:30 PM**

*For the People*

**SUNDAY, MARCH 17**

**8:30 am**

† Patricia Harris

**10:30 am**

† Donna Richardson

**12:00 pm**

† Raul Vega



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**Thank you for your continued support !**



**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — The wrath and the mercy of the LORD are revealed in the exile and liberation of the Chosen People (2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23 or 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a.)

**Responsorial Psalm** — Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you! (Ps 137:1-6 or Ps 23:1-6).

**Second Reading** — God, who is rich in mercy, brought us to life with Christ (Eph 2:4-10 or Eph 5:8-14.)

**Gospel** — The Son of Man must be lifted up, so that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life (Jn 3:14-21 or Jn 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38])

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2a; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:8; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8a; Jn 5:17-30

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:4a; Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:19a; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2a; Jn 7:40-53

Sunday: Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:3-4, 12-15; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:20-33

*Alternate readings (Year A):*

Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 or [11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Lent

Monday: Lenten Weekday

Tuesday: Lenten Weekday

Wednesday: Lenten Weekday

Thursday: Lenten Weekday

Friday: Lenten Weekday; Abstinence

Saturday: Lenten Weekday

**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**

*CCD - Children ages 7 - 11*

*Confirmation - Teens 14 - 17*

*OCIA - Adults 18+*

*A Year of Intercessions for Vocations*

**MARCH**



ST. MARGARET CLITHEROW  
FEAST DAY: MARCH 26

**S**aint Margaret Clitherow, patroness of converts, was led to the Catholic Church in England during times of great persecution in the 16th century. She harbored fugitive priests, and was therefore martyred on March 25, 1586. May her zeal reach all those whose hearts and minds have been converted to Jesus and those who live their vocations in trying circumstances.

*O great patrons of our Faith, be with us as we discern our life's work, and guide us in the way we are called to follow in the footsteps of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.*

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**LENT - 2024**

**\*\* Lenten Penance Service \*\***

Monday, March 18th at 6:30 PM in the Church

**Stations of the Cross**

Every Friday during Lent starting February 16th  
at 6:30PM in the Church

**Rosary**

Every Wednesday during Lent thru March 20th  
at 6:00 PM in the Church

**Confessions**

Every Saturday from 3:45 PM to 5:00 PM  
in the Church



Dear Friends in Christ,

We are humbled by your generosity! The Religious Education students, families and I thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your generous donations during our Confections for a Cause event. We asked God to bless the work of our hands and to multiply the fruits of our labor, and of course, He did just that and so much more! Your contributions totaled \$820.00 which will go entirely to Answers for Life Pregnancy Center. I teach our young students that everything we do, down to the smallest detail, teaches those around us something important about who we are in Christ. Thank you for teaching them that serving the Lord in joy and love reaps a bounty of blessings. May God bless you!

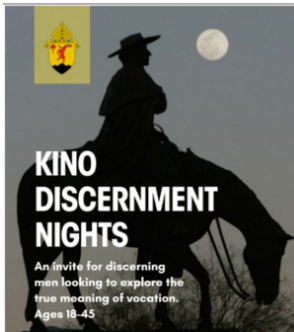
In Christ's Peace,

Mrs. Marji Gonsowski

Mrs. Marji Gonsowski, DRE

Italia moises Inyssa Elijah I  
Dominic Lili Ariel  
Max Liliana  
Aurora

"We give thanks to God always for all of you, remembering you in our prayers, unceasingly"  
~1 Thessalonians 1:2~



The Office of Vocations warmly invites discerning men to explore the true meaning of Vocation during an evening of shared stories and genuine connections. The next Discernment Night is April 22.

RSVP required: <https://forms.office.com/r/zCTPzitH3u>

**Vocations Corner**

"Whoever lives the truth comes to the light." Your vocation is your sanctification in this life to lead you to sainthood in the next. Are you called to belong to Christ alone as a priest or through consecrated life? Talk to a priest or reach out to the Vocation Office Vocations Office at (520) 838-2531 or [vocations@diocesetucson.org](mailto:vocations@diocesetucson.org) for guidance in the discernment process. Your St. Ambrose family is praying for you!

"Quien vive la verdad llega a la luz". Tu vocación es tu santificación en esta vida para llevarte a la santidad en la próxima. ¿Estás llamado a pertenecer a Cristo sólo como sacerdote o mediante la vida consagrada? Hable con su sacerdote o comuníquese con la Oficina de Vocaciones al (520) 838-2531 o por correo electrónico: [vocations@diocesetucson.org](mailto:vocations@diocesetucson.org)

**Reminders/Upcoming Dates:**

Sign-up for hosting the traveling Holy Family Vocations Image this weekend. We will be outside after all Masses!

**Recordatorio/Fechas Siguientes:**

Regístrese para albergar la Imagen itinerante de las Vocaciones de la Sagrada Familia este fin de semana. ¡Estaremos afuera después de todas las Misas!

**Prayer for Vocations**

As we prepare to honor St. Joseph on March 19th let us in confidence ask for his intercessory prayers for an exponential increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Glorious St. Joseph, foster-father and protector of Jesus Christ! To You do we raise our hearts and hands to implore your powerful intercession. Please obtain for us from the kind Heart of Jesus the help and graces necessary for our spiritual and temporal welfare. We ask particularly for the grace of an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

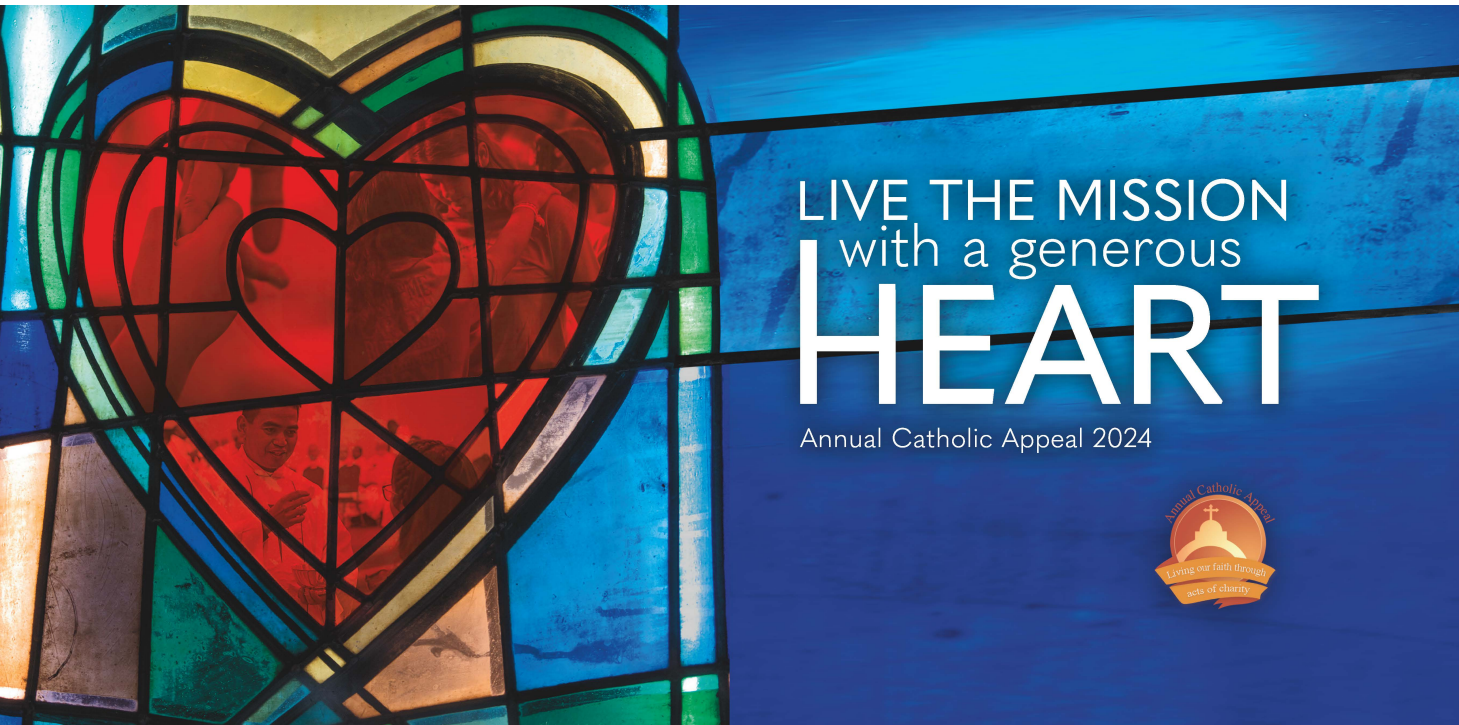
Guardian of the Word Incarnate, we feel animated with confidence that your prayers on our behalf will be graciously heard before the throne of God. Amen.

**Oración por las Vocaciones**

Mientras nos preparamos para honrar a San José el 19 de marzo, pidamos en confianza sus oraciones intercesoras por un aumento exponencial de las vocaciones al sacerdocio y a la vida religiosa.

¡Glorioso San José, padre adoptivo y protector de Jesucristo! A ti elevamos nuestro corazón y nuestras manos para implorar tu poderosa intercesión. Por favor obtén para nosotros del bondadoso Corazón de Jesús la ayuda y las gracias necesarias para nuestro bienestar espiritual y temporal. Pedimos particularmente la gracia de un aumento de las vocaciones al sacerdocio y a la vida religiosa.

Guardián del Verbo Encarnado, nos sentimos animados con la confianza de que tus oraciones en favor nuestro serán escuchadas con gracia ante el trono de Dios. Amén.



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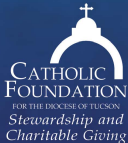
**SUPPORTING OUR PARISHES, CATHOLIC SCHOOLS, AND EACH OTHER**

<b>\$970,000</b>	Seminarian and clergy education and support
<b>\$415,000</b>	Outreach to parishes, missions, community
<b>\$863,000</b>	Schools, formation, and evangelization
<b>\$1,166,500</b>	Parish support services
<b>\$585,000</b>	Diocesan ministries new parish development



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