

**Saint Joseph Roman
Catholic Parish—Tucson
(An Arizona Non-Profit Corporation)**

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**Fourth Sunday of Easter
May 7, 2017**

Pastoral Staff

Pastor Rev. Ricky Ordonez

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Maintenance Supervisor Mr. Thomas Taylor

Parish Secretary Ms. Norma Torres
Pastor's Secretary Mrs. Carolyn Osborn

Faith Formation

Mr. Wade Manuel, Coordinator
Pre-K through Grade 7
September through April
Sundays: 8:00 am to 9:05 am
Confirmation Preparation
Please call Parish Office

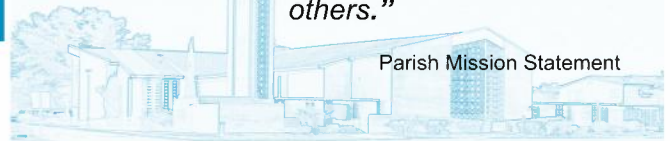
St. Joseph Parochial School

Telephone (520) 747-3060

Principal Mr. Sam Granillo
Office Manager Mrs. Shannon Gagnepain
Receptionist Mrs. Diana Dicochea

Pre-Kindergarten through Eighth Grade
Monday through Thursday
7:40 am to 3:00 pm
Friday: 7:40 am to 12:30 pm

"We, the faithful of Saint Joseph Parish, are a community of believers who follow Christ, proclaim the Word of God, worship the Lord and respond to the needs of others."



Parish Office Hours/Horas De Oficina

**Monday–Thursday/
Lunes-Jueves: 8:00 am to 4:00 pm**

Friday/Viernes: 8:00 am to 1:00 pm

Sunday/Domingo: 8:00 am to 12:30 pm

Mass Times/Horario de Misas

Daily/Lunes a Sabado:
7:00 am

Wednesdays/Miercoles: Novena - Mother of Perpetual Help
6:30 pm

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm

**Sunday Masses: 7:00 am
9:15 am
11:00 am
1:15 pm Spanish
5:30 pm**

**Holy Day Masses/Misas de Guardar:
(Check bulletin)**

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Chapel
Every First Friday 10:00 a.m. – Noon**

Sacraments/Sacramentos

**Reconciliation/Horario de Reconciliación
Saturdays/Sabados: 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm**

Baptisms—Baptismal arrangements must be made by the PARENTS of the child at the Parish Office. Parents and godparents *must* attend a baptismal preparation class before the baptism. Other requirements will be discussed at the initial interview.

Matrimony—Weddings are celebrated throughout the year. In accord with Church Law, at least one of the parties to be married must be a member of St. Joseph, otherwise special permissions are needed. Marriage preparation is to begin at least 6 months prior to the wedding. It is strongly recommended that a couple planning to be married at St. Joseph contact the Parish before making any contractual arrangements with a facility for their reception. During the initial interview with the priest of the Parish, the couple will be provided with all the necessary information needed for their preparation experience.

Anointing of the Sick - Contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sunday, May 7

11:00 a.m. R.E. First Communion..... Church
10:30 a.m. Confirmation Class..... Healy Hall

Monday, May 8

5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts..... St. Francis Room
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts..... Healy Hall

Tuesday, May 9

10:00 a.m. Rosary MakersActivity Room
5:00 p.m. Sports Banquet Healy Hall
7:00 p.m. Spanish Carismatic Group Chapel

Wednesday, May 10

10:00 a.m. Bible Study.....Activity Room
7:00 p.m. Youth Group Mother's Day Celebration
..... Healy Hall

Thursday, May 11

6:30 p.m. Holy Redeemer Prayer Group..... Church
7:00 p.m. Contemporary Choir..... Chapel
6:30 p.m. K of C Officer Meeting..... St. Francis Room
6:00 p.m. Junior High Dance..... Healy Hall
7:30 p.m. K of C Regular Meeting..... St. Francis Rm

Friday, May 12

6:30 p.m. Adult Confirmation Class..... St. Francis Rm

Saturday, May 13

8:00 a.m. Our Lady of Fatima Annv. Chapel
10:00 a.m. Sewing GroupActivity Room
5:30 p.m. Spanish Baptism Class .. St. Francis Room
7:00 p.m. Confirmation Practice..... Church

Sunday, May 14

11:00 a.m. Confirmation..... Church



Collection for the weekend of April 29/30

\$8,728.26

JOIN THE 2017 PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE TODAY!

What: The Holy Rosary
Where: Broadway & Randolph Way
When: May 13, 2017, 12 Noon
Call 748-8898 for more information .

SCHEDULED MASSES & READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, May 7 — Acts 2:14, 36-41; Ps 23:1-6; 1 Pt 2:20-25; Jn 10:1-10

7:00 a.m. William O'Malley, III †

9:15 a.m. Robert Elkins †
Frank Loding †

11:00 a.m. Sotero Blancarte †
Juanita Parra †

1:15 p.m. St. Joseph Parishioners †

5:30 p.m. John Copeland †

Monday, May 8 — Acts 11:1-18; Pss 42:2-3, 43:3-4; Jn 10:11-18

7:00 a.m. Carol Caissie
Candy Colon

Tuesday, May 9 — Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1-7; Jn 10:22-30

7:00 a.m. Rudy Lucero †

Wednesday, May 10 — Acts 12:24—13:5; Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8; Jn 12:44-30

7:00 a.m. St. Anthony

Thursday, May 11 — Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-23; Jn 13:16-20

7:00 a.m. Gertrude Memmer †
Ricky Espino †

Friday, May 12 — Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11; Jn 14:1-6

7:00 a.m. Alvaro Leon †
Mary McDonald †

Saturday, May 13 — Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14

7:00 a.m. Gilbert Romero †
5:30 p.m. Jimmie Guyrow †
Lorena Campbell †

Sunday, May 14 — Acts 6:1-7; Ps 31:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; 1 Pt 2:4-9; Jn 14:1-12

7:00 a.m. Gilbert Romero †

9:15 a.m. Anthony Toto †
Angelina Martinez †

11:00 a.m. A & R Members

1:15 p.m. St. Joseph Parishioners †

5:30 p.m. All Mothers

† - Deceased

TIMES OF REFRESHING

Fr. Ricky V. Ordóñez

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FUNNY, THESE SHEEP! Having lived in a couple of sheep farms when I was a student in Australia, I have come to know sheep quite well. They are the most docile of animals, but they can also be very stubborn and hard headed. But one thing for sure, they look up and move towards their shepherd when he calls. The reason for this is that they know they will be led to another field where there is better nourishment and fresh water. Jesus is our shepherd and He often calls us out to bring us to "greener pastures". Some of us are docile and heed His voice immediately. Some are more "hard headed" and takes a little more coaxing.

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BEWARE OF THIEF! I was amused seeing this sign once in a small store and I thought, "How would one beware of thieves?" I guess this is just a reminder for us to be more vigilant about the cunning ways a thief would go about his "business". And cunning they are...! They present themselves with such finesse that, if we are not "street smart", we could easily fall for it. Nowadays, they are the sweet talking, gossipy and, seemingly "in the know" persons, who would get your confidence before striking. Let us be wary of people like these. Let us also pray for them.

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AN ABUNDANT LIFE! How would one define an "abundant life"? I would define it as having the people you love around you, having simply enough for necessities, having goals and enjoying the journey towards it, knowing that you are not judged as to how much success you have but how much you have given of yourself. Surely, there are many more that one can add on, but, to me, there is nothing more than having your loved ones around you.

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SUMMER PROJECTS APPROVED! In a Corporate Board meeting on Tuesday of last week, our summer projects which include the Church windows and the renovation of Healy Hall were approved. Bishop Kicanas was delighted to know that St. Joseph Parish is now in a financial situation that has made these projects possible. I told him, "Thank you to the parishioners of St. Joseph who have been patient as we started to save up whatever we can. After almost three years, these much needed renovations are now on the way."

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DIOCESE OF TUCSON PRIEST'S CONVOCATION! Last week, the priests of the Diocese of Tucson had the yearly convocation in Chandler. The speaker was the Bishop of Brownsville Texas, the Most Rev. Daniel E. Flores, D.D. It was also good to be with my brother priests in prayer and fellowship.

# TIEMPO PARA ACTUALIZARSE

Padre Ricky V. Ordóñez

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¡DIVERTIDOS, ESTOS BORREGOS! El haber vivido en un par de granjas de borregos cuando yo era un estudiante en Australia, me dió la oportunidad de conocer a los borregos bastante bien. Ellos son los animales mas dóciles, pero también pueden ser los mas testarudos y cabezas duras. Pero hay una cosa segura, ellos siempre miran hacia arriba y se mueven hacia su pastor cuando el les habla. La razón de esto es que ellos saben que van a ser llevados a otro campo en donde hay mejor comida y agua fresca. Jesús es nuestro pastor y El siempre nos llama para llevarnos a “praderas mas verdes”. Algunos de nosotros somos dóciles y prestamos atención a Su voz inmediatamente. Algunos son mas “cabeza dura” y toman un poco mas para ser convencidos.

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¡CUIDADO CON EL LADRÓN! Estuve sorprendido cuando vi este mensaje en una pequeña tienda y pensé, “¿Como puede uno estar pendiente de los ladrones?” Creo que esto es solamente un recordatorio para que estemos mas vigilantes sobre las maneras astutas en que un ladrón hace su “negocio”. ¡Y ciertamente son astutos ...! Ellos se presentan así mismos con tanta finesa que si no somos “hábiles en la calle”, podemos caer en sus manos fácilmente. En estos días, ellos son los que hablan suavemente, chismosos y, aparentemente “personas con el conocimiento”, los cuales van a obtener tu confianza antes de dar el golpe. Seamos precavidos de este tipo de personas. Pero también recemos por ellas.

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¡UNA VIDA ABUNDANTE! ¿Como puede uno definir una “vida abundante”? Yo la definiría como el tener gente a la que quieres a tu alrededor, teniendo simplemente suficiente para las necesidades, teniendo propósitos y gozando el viaje hacia ellos, sabiendo que no eres juzgado tanto por tus éxitos sino por que tanto das de ti mismo. Seguramente, hay muchas otras definiciones que uno puede agregar, pero para mi, no hay ninguna mejor que el tener a los que amas a tu alrededor.

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¡LOS PROYECTOS PARA EL VERANO ESTÁN APROBADOS! En la reunión del Consejo Corporativo el martes de la semana pasada, nuestros proyectos para el verano, los cuales incluyen ventanas para la iglesia y la renovación del Salón Healy Hall, fueron aprobados. Le dio mucho gusto al señor Obispo Kicanas el conocer que la Parroquia de San José esta ahora en una situación financiera para poder hacer posibles estos proyectos. Le dije, “Gracias a los miembros de la Parroquia de San José que han sido pacientes mientras empezábamos a ahorrar lo que pudiéramos. Despues de casi tres años, estas renovaciones tan necesarias están en camino”.

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¡CONVOCATORIA A LOS SACERDOTES DE LA DIÓCESIS DE TUCSON! La semana pasada, los sacerdotes de la Diócesis de Tucson tuvieron su convocatoria anual en Chandler. El orador fue el Obispo de Brownsville Texas, el Reverendo Daniel E. Flores, D. D. Tambien fue bueno poder estar con mis hermanos sacerdotes en oración y compañerismo.



Pope Benedict XVI issued a special call to pray the Rosary during May, the month dedicated to the Virgin Mary. The pontiff exhorted "everyone to intensify the pious practice of the Holy Rosary, especially in this month of May dedicated to the Mother of God." "I invite you, beloved young people, to value this traditional Marian prayer, which helps us better understand and assimilate the central moments of the salvation wrought by Christ," the Pope said.

He encouraged the sick "to turn with confidence to the Virgin through this pious exercise, entrusting all your needs to her." He invited newlyweds to "make the recitation of the family Rosary a time of spiritual growth under the gaze of the Virgin Mary." The Catholic Daughters and the Knights will be hosting a scriptural Rosary open to all every Sunday during May in the chapel in the parish office at 3 p.m. Jesus taught that praying with others is especially powerful as He is there within our midst during these times.

If you are a Catholic man interested in joining the Knights, please contact our council at [520-303-4791](tel:520-303-4791).

**PRIMAVERA PROJECT**

May 9 is the second Tuesday of the month, when we serve dinner to the men at the Primavera Shelter. Drop off your donation of bread, rolls, cookies and fruit at the Parish Office any time before 4 p.m. We thank all those who help and faithfully support our Parish Primavera Project.

**FRIENDS TOGETHER  
GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP FOR  
WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS**

Sponsored By: St. Francis de Sales Church  
Topic: Healing a Grieving Hart  
Date/Time: Wednesday, May 10  
10:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.  
Place: 1375 S. Camino Seco  
Facilitator: Linda Bowden

Learn more about Friends Together on their new website: [friendstogethertucson.com](http://friendstogethertucson.com).



**"News You Can Use"**

Pre-K to 6<sup>th</sup> Grades:

Let us celebrate Our Religious Education Students who made their First Eucharist Sacrament this Sunday at the 11:00 and 1:15 Spanish masses:

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| Dainara Alvarez       | Eric Gonzalez    | Angel Gudino       |
| Courtney Harding      | MacGyver Harding | Juliana Heredia    |
| Ruben Montiel         | Leonardo Munoz   | Brayan Nava        |
| Heidi Nava            | Briana Nava      | Damian Nava        |
| Yoselyn Nava          | Skylene Silva    | Brissa Yocupicio   |
| Fedra Yocupicio       | Ariana Yrigoyen  | Rene Yrigoyen      |
| Andres Altamirano     | Nicole Carrasco  | Alina Gallardo     |
| Izela Gallardo        | Alejandra Gudino | Valeria Juarez     |
| Jonathan Lopez        | Javier Molina    | Allen Moristo      |
| Katyana Munoz         | Gizelle Paredes  | Milan Peralta      |
| Delia Reyes           | Ryan Snyder      | Nathaniel Yrigoyen |
| Bryan Rodriguez       | Chase Rodriguez  | Marelliss Alvarez  |
| America Brajas-Silva  | Patience Cumbie  | Francisco Duran    |
| Alessandra De La Rosa | Jaime Flores     | Ryan Galvan        |
| Dylan Gloria          | Danielle Islas   | Emily Jones        |
| Andres Juarez         | Alek Ledezma     | Norma Jean Luquin  |
| Itzel Maldonado       | Chanel Martinez  | Jazzalene Otero    |
| Isaiah Rivera         | Ashley Ruiz      | Ryne Sampson       |
| Mia Santamaria        | Natalie Smith    | Ghislaine Torres   |
| Lorena Weke           | Richard Wright   | Vincent Yanez      |

**Life Teen / Confirmation:**

Important Dates:

May 7th: Last day of Class

May 13th: Confirmation Practice in the Church at 7:00pm

May 14th: Confirmation Ceremonies at 11:00am Mass.



**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CORNER**



SVdP Pantry Needs  
Cookies  
Peanut Butter  
Jelly  
Low Sugar Cold Cereal  
Tuna Helper

Thank you for your continuing donations.



**EMPOWERMENT SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNT –  
EXPANSION SUMMARY ANNOUNCEMENT:**

Following is the new ESA expansion eligibility criteria for school year 2017-18:

**All eligible kindergarten students, as well as children entering grades 1, 6, and 9 who attended a public or charter school in 2016-17 school year may be eligible for an Empowerment Scholarship Account (ESA) which offers tuition assistance to attend a Catholic School in the Diocese of Tucson.** To enroll, families will need to access the ESA website: <https://esa.azed.gov/esa>  
We are currently waiting for the state to update this web page. Therefore, contact a Catholic school near you for more information on how to apply once the website is ready!

**THE DIOCESE OF TUCSON OFFICE OF  
HUMAN LIFE & DIGNITY**

*Welcomes Single Parent Families –*

*A Gathering for You*

Date: Saturday, June 3, 2017

Time: 2:30 - 4:45, concluding with 5:00 PM Mass for  
the Feast of Pentecost

Where: Our Lady of Fatima Parish Center

1950 W. Irvington Pl., Tucson

You are invited to gather as families, parents and children, for an afternoon of a meal, prayer, community building and conversation. Childcare and activity sessions will be offered for the children. We wish to celebrate YOU, PARENTS, during this month of MOTHERS' DAY & FATHERS' DAY. Our planned activities will end by 4:45 so as to allow any who wish to attend the 5:00 Vigil of Pentecost Mass at our Lady of Fatima Parish. This invitation includes single grandparents who are raising children. We Welcome You - Please Come! We are All Family. Please call 838-2560 by May 2 to RSVP.

**WORLD APOSTOLATE OF FATIMA  
100<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY HOLY HOUR**

To celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Our Lady's first appearance at Fatima on May 13, 1917, join our Blue Army prayer cell for a rosary and holy hour from 8:00-9:00 a.m. on May 13, 2017, in the parish chapel. You can thereby gain a special plenary indulgence offered by Pope Francis on this day, when he also visits the shrine at Fatima where he will canonize two of the shepherd children visionaries, Blessed Jacinta and Blessed Francisco Marto.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

I received the following message on 1 May. Be alert. I hope none of our parishioners gets caught.  
Deacon Leon Mazza  
Business Manager

Tucson NewsNet Daily Digest - A service of the City of Tucson  
May 1, 2017

Web version:

<http://government.tucsonaz.gov/newsnet/latest>

REMINDER: NEW ORDINANCE DEALING WITH DISTRACTED DRIVING BEGINS TODAY (VIDEO) - Starting today, it's against the law to use a hand-held device while driving. The Mayor and Tucson City Council voted in March to make violation of the ban a secondary offense, meaning you must be pulled over for another reason before police can cite you. Texting while driving already was banned in the city, but the new rules expand that ban to phone calls and the use of other hand-held mobile communication and electronic devices. The new violation is classified as a civil traffic matter, starting with a \$250 fine for a first non-accident offense, and subsequent offenses are \$500. For violations involving a traffic accident, there will be a penalty of \$500. Mayor and Council agreed to review the ordinance in six months to see how it's working and whether it needs to be strengthened. From the Arizona Daily Star: <http://bit.ly/2nNHCPt>  
Watch a Tucson 12 PSA about the new ordinance: <http://bit.ly/2oKIOir>  
Watch a Tucson 12 PSA about the new ordinance (Spanish): <http://bit.ly/2pPJXtW>

**GRUPO DE JOVENES ALMA MISIONERA**

*Los invita a celebrar el*

***Día de las Madres!***

Tendremos comida gratis, ballet folklorico, los Mextucas Mariachi y Los takatakas!

Los esperamos

Miercoles 10 de Mayo - 7 pm — 10 pm

En el Salon Healy Hall de San Jose

Feliz dia de las Madres!

**YOUTH GROUP ALMA MISIONERA**

*Invites you to come and celebrate*

***Mother's Day!***

We will have free food, live music, folklorico performances and Mariachi.

Come and join us!

Wednesday, May 10 - 7 pm — 10 pm

Healy Hall

Happy Mother's Day!