

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

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Thirty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time

November 18, 2018

Pastoral Staff

Pastor	Rev. Robert Rodriguez
Deacons	Leon Mazza Teodoro Perez, Hispanic Min. Cliff Rambaran
Maintenance Supervisor	Mr. Art Pacheco
Parish Secretary Pastor's Secretary	Ms. Norma Torres 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

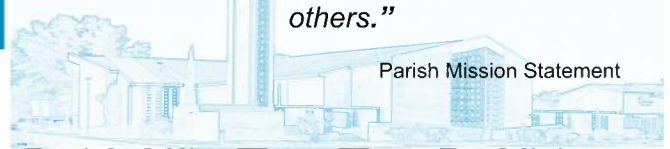
St. Joseph Parochial School

Telephone (520) 747-3060

Principal	Mrs. Kathy Van Loan
Scholarship Manager	Mrs. Michele Hackett
Receptionist	Ms. Gloria Rodriguez

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 Mission Statement

Parish Office Hours/Horas De Oficina

**Monday–Thursday/
Lunes–Jueves: 8:00 am to 4:00 pm**
Friday/Viernes: 8:00 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Sunday/Domingo: 8:00 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Mass Times/Horario de Misas

Daily/Lunes a Sabado: 7:00 am
Wednesday/Miercoles – Out Lady of Perpetual Help: 6:00 pm (In the Chapel)
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**



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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sunday, November 18

After Masses

CDA Bake Sale/Mini Bazaar Healy Hall
 8:00 a.m. R.E. Classes School Classrooms
 9:00 a.m. Confirmation Class Healy Hall
 10:00 a.m. RCIA St. Francis Room

Monday, November 19

7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts Healy Hall

Tuesday, November 20

6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts Healy Hall
 7:00 p.m. Spanish Carismatic Prayer Grp Chapel

Wednesday, November 21

10:00 a.m. Bible Study Activity Room
 7:00 p.m. Spanish Youth Group Healy Hall

Thursday, November 22

Parish Office Closed

Friday, November 23

Parish Office Closed

Saturday, November 24

Sunday, November 25

Parish Office Closed



OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

On Wednesday evenings St. Joseph Parish will celebrate, Our Lady of Perpetual Help Mass and Novena in the Chapel of the Parish Office. Please join us at 6:00 p.m. every Wednesday. Mass and Novena will not be held on Holy Days and Special Holidays.



The collection for the weekend of November 10/11
 \$7,840.70.

The Our Lady of Guadalupe of Ministry raised
 \$950.00 for the procession.

MASS INTENTIONS AND READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, November 18 — Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8-11;

Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

7:00 a.m. Charles Riley †
 9:15 a.m. Rodriguez/Altamirano Family
 11:00 a.m. Socorro & Frank Rodriguez †
 1:15 p.m. Norma & Heriberto Valenzuela †
 5:30 p.m. Bernice Skoug †

Monday, November 19 — Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4,

6; Lk 18:35-43

7:00 a.m. Plettl/Heany Family †
 Bernaun/Billstein Family †

Tuesday, November 20 — Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-

5; Lk 19:1-10

7:00 a.m. Mendez/Wilkins Family †
 Castillo/Hutton Family †

Wednesday, November 21 — Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1-

6; Lk 19:11-28

7:00 a.m. Piasecki/Lynch Family/Sikorski †
 6:00 p.m. Evelyn Bjornson † &

Thursday, November 22 — Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1-6,

9; Lk 19:41-44

10:00 a.m. St. Joseph Parishioners

Friday, November 23 — Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24,

72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45:48

7:00 a.m. Esposito/Petrone/Johnson Family †

Saturday, November 24 — Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1-2,

9-10; Lk 20:27-40

7:00 a.m. Daray/Inson/Agudo Family †
 5:30 p.m. Munoz Family †

Sunday, November 25 — Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1-2, 5;

Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33-37

7:00 a.m. Raymond Menz †
 9:15 a.m. Langais/Vasko Family †
 11:00 a.m. Fulmer/Covalcante Family †
 1:15 p.m. Romeo Reyes †
 5:30 p.m. Dorothy Hinzman †

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR MORNING MASS
 (7:00 AM) AND ROSARY.**

FRIDAY MORNING ADORATION

BENEDICTION AT 11:50 A.M.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

SCHOOL NEWS

Guardian Angel Fund

Saint Joseph's has **216** students in the school. This is wonderful news. Kathy van Loan and I do not want to refuse anyone a Catholic Education. There are some families that are large, and need your help. Even with scholarship money and making payments many find themselves overwhelmed. I am pleading to you to, **be a Guardian Angel!** I myself was sponsored throughout my Catholic School Education by a wonderful lady named, Colleen Newman, now deceased. My parents wouldn't have been able to pay the tuition for all 13 of their children if not for help from generous people like Colleen. Please call the school to ask how you can help, I would appreciate it greatly. Call Carolyn Johnson at the main office for information or call the school directly at 747-3060 and ask for Michele Hackett. God Bless you!

Fr. Robert Rodriguez

**HELP! HELP! HELP!
COPY PAPER IS NEEDED!
PLEASE DROP AT
THE SCHOOL OR PARISH OFFICE**

WE HAVE GREAT NEWS! The Individual Tax Credit limits have increased

The amount you can now contribute to Arizona's Catholic Tuition Support Organization (CTSO) has increased. If filing as a single taxpayer you can give up to \$1,107, and a married couple filing jointly can contribute up to \$2,213, and you, the donor can receive a dollar-for-dollar tax credit off your Arizona tax liability. Brochures are in the vestibule or visit www.ctso-tucson.org to make an online contribution.



Step-Up-Day (8th Graders) Friday, November 30th from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

The annual Step Up Day provides an opportunity for 8th graders to spend a day on the Salpointe campus and experience Lancer Life first-hand. Attendees will be treated to a mock schedule, free lunch, Lancer entertainment, and a free Lancer Class T-shirt. Families can register for this free event at www.salpointe.org

Dear Parishioners,

I am happy to announce that the training for Sacristans, Ministers and Altar servers is going very well! I will be announcing future training days. I appreciate the many people of Saint Joseph's parish who are stepping up to serve. I know what the new Bishop expects and I want all of us on the same page when he arrives to do mass here on December 12th for the, Our Lady of Guadalupe procession mass.

If you are interested in serving at any of the masses please contact the sacristan assigned to the weekend mass you attend.

Your Brother in Christ,
Fr. Robert A. Rodriguez

ST. JOSEPH SACRISTANS

5:30 p.m. Saturday Vigil	Shirley Carey
7:00 a.m. Sunday	Carol Southard
9:15 a.m. Sunday	Robert Martinez
11:00 a.m. Sunday	R.J. Sepulveda
1:15 p.m. Sunday	Ramses Enriquez
5:30 p.m. Sunday	Carol & Robert Southard

The Little Ones

Jim Burrows



Jesus said to his disciples:
"In the same way, when you see these things happening,
know that he is near, at the gates." Mk 13:29

5TH ANNUAL PROCESSION OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

St. Joseph Catholic Parish
215 S. Craycroft Rd.
Tucson, AZ 85711

SCHEDULE HORARIO

December 3–10, 2018
7:00 p.m. Novena
In the Parish Chapel/En la Capilla

December 11, 2018
11:00 p.m. Vigil Mass/Misa Vigilia

December 12, 2018
6:00 p.m. Procession begins/Empieza La Procepción
Golf Links Park – 2400 S. Craycroft Rd

7:30 p.m. Mass/Misa
(Approximately)
In the Church/en la Iglesia

MASS CELEBRANT

His Excellency Bishop Edward Weisenburger, D.D.
Bishop of Tucson

**FOR MORE INFORMATION
CONTACT MR. EMILIO MOYA AT
520-647-6707 OR OMAR RAMOS
AT 237-8748
COORDINATORS OF
THE PROCESSION**



HELP NEEDED

St. Joseph Parish Office is looking for volunteers to work one (1) Sunday a month. If you are a school parent and are interested you will earn volunteer hours for every Sunday you work. The job involves answering phones, taking messages and greeting people who come to our office. It is a great way to meet your fellow parishioners. If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office 747-3100 Mon-Thurs from 10am-4pm or Friday 8a-12p. Thank you very much.

ONE OR MORE SACRISTANS NEEDED.

Mass Sacristan needed for the 7:00 am daily Mass. If you are interested please let me know and I will train you. If there is more than one, we will all alternate days as needed. Deacons will cover only in emergencies.

Sacristan- A minister of the Parish Church who will open the church, set up for the Holy Mass, and will assign readers and extra-ordinary ministers. The Sacristan has a key to open all and any doors of the church. Please ask them for assistance.

Fr. Robert A. Rodriguez



SPECIAL THANKSGIVING LITURGY THIS THURSDAY

Come celebrate around our table of Eucharist so that our family celebrations will be blessed.

Remember only 10:00 a.m. Mass will be celebrated for Thanksgiving.

ENCOURAGEMENT

This Sunday's Gospel is our final selection from Mark for this liturgical year. It is taken from the end of Jesus' teaching in Jerusalem immediately preceding the account of his arrest and passion. In it Jesus gives his disciples hope to sustain them through his passion and death and any persecution or suffering that they would encounter after his resurrection.

The words from the book of Daniel also provided hope and encouragement to the people of Daniel's time. The encouragement in these scriptures is meant for us as well, for none of us will escape tribulation in our lives. Followers of Jesus will be able to endure suffering with joyful hope, knowing that Christ's love will lead us along the way of discipleship and give us eternal life with God.

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Please help us serve you better.

I would respectfully ask that those that need to be up close to receive the Body and Blood of Christ, please come up to the front pews. If you must be in the back you must inform an usher

so that someone will be able to serve you in the back of the church. God Bless You

Rev. Robert A. Rodriguez



VOCATIONS

If you are interested in the priesthood or religious, the religious life as a Sister or Nun, please contact your pastor and he will help guide you through your journey. There are many questions let the priest guide you before you receive the wrong information. God Bless, Fr. Robert Rodriguez



The leadership of the U.S. Army Chaplain Corps visited the Knights of Columbus Museum recently to commemorate the end of World War I and the Order's support of U.S. troops in the Great War. U.S.

Army Chief of Chaplains, Major Gen. Paul K. Hurley conferred a commendation to the Knights of Columbus in appreciation of its service during the Great War.

We will be hosting a pancake breakfast and blood drive with the American Red Cross on December 30 in Healy Hall. We did consider hosting on the Sunday following Thanksgiving, but many of our workers will be out of town with their families so we won't be having cranberry pancakes this month.

If you are a Catholic man interested in becoming a Knight, please contact our council at 520-303-4791 or by email at Kofc8813@yahoo.com



"News You Can Use"

Pre-K to 6th Grades:

Classes resume today from 8:00 a.m. to 9:05 a.m. Students learned this Sunday that Jesus will come again. We bring our whole selves to worship every Sunday. We focus on praising God as Our Creator. We are experiencing and accepting feelings through us praying always. We pray in sad, fearful, and happy times through our lives. We are living with hope.

Reminder: If you come after **8:10**, you will have to enter through the gate located at the **North End** of school by the Church and The Parish Center.

Important Dates:

No classes on **November 25th**, Thanksgiving Weekend.



STOP BY
Produce on Wheels
70 lbs of vegetables/fruit for \$12

Date: Saturday, December 1

Time: 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

LOCATION
ST. JOSEPH CHURCH
215 S. Craycroft Road

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS

We are seeking volunteers for St. Vincent de Paul. This is a great opportunity for parents earn volunteer hours. We are open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. We also need help the first Saturday for Produce on Wheels from 7:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. or 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Please contact us at 747-3100. Thank you.



7th Grade to High School Students

Life Teen / Confirmation:

Classes resume today from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

We continue the series of sessions on the Mass.

Session #4: **You Are Sent**

Students watched three videos and had small group discussions.

Video #1: **I Do** Video #2: **Sent Forth** Video #3: **Will You Let Him?**

Students discuss 3 objectives:

Unveil for teens the intimate relationship God desires with them through Mass.

Empower the teens with a sense of "mission".

Inspire the teens to take pride in their Catholic Faith and to strive for sainthood.

We invite the Teens to invite a friend or family member to attend Mass with them.

Please visit us at our Facebook Page at <https://www.facebook.com/StJConfirmation/>

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“SPECIAL THANKS TO E-GIVERS”

St. Joseph would like to thank the families who are currently giving electronically. You may not see these fellow parishioners place an envelope in the basket every week, but their consistent giving does not go unnoticed in our Parish Office. Each month our parish receives a steady stream of income from those donors who have made the commitment to give to God first by having a designated contribution automatically transferred to our parish through our Online Giving Program. If you like to learn more about this easy, safe and secure way of giving, please contact the Parish Office or check out our website at

<https://stjosephchurchtucson.weshareonline.org/>

Marriage Help – Retrouvaille helps married couples show each other mercy through the opportunities it provides to listen, to forgive, to be reconciled and to move into their futures believing that God loves them. With His help and your efforts, your marriage can be healed and restored! Register Now for the Weekend Program in Tucson beginning Friday evening, January 18 - Sunday, January 20, 2019. Visit: www.retrouvaille.org or Call 520-686-1598.

Retrouvaille es un programa para parejas casadas que se sienten aburridas, frustradas o enojadas en su matrimonio. Retrouvaille ayuda a las parejas a través de las oportunidades ofrecidas para escuchar, perdonar, reconciliarse y avanzar hacia su futuro. Para información confidencial sobre o para inscribirse en el próximo programa en español, llame al 623-877-9105 o visite: www.retrouvaille.org/es/

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

November is a month of remembrance for the dead, and cemeteries have long been a focus for prayer. Our tradition holds great respect for bodily remains, since the body was created and redeemed by God, was once the “dwelling place of the Holy Spirit,” and has a destiny of life with God in glory. The funeral practices of the early church contrasted greatly with those of the pagans, who had a great dread of the dead body. The ancient Christian funeral liturgy ended with the relatives and friends giving a final kiss to the body. It expressed affection and showed their faith that the grave would not be the last word. This kiss horrified pagans, who thought that any contact with the dead was degrading.

Every year on their loved one’s “birthday to life,” the Christians would return to the place of their burial to mark their profound communion with those whose lives were hidden in Christ. Typically, they buried the dead with their faces turned toward the east, symbolizing the rising of the Sun of Justice, Christ, at the end of days. They were attracted to the catacombs or burial grounds just as we are today. They would often celebrate the Eucharist at the tomb. Before long, as soon as Christians were allowed to build places for worship, they relocated cemeteries from beyond the city walls to surround the church. This was not so much because the church made the ground holy, but because the bodies of the saints hallowed the ground on which the church was built, a subtle but beautiful difference.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



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. When choosing godparents, if they are married, they must be married through the Catholic Church, if single you must not be living with a partner. Donation is \$20.00

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— Arrangements need to be arranged by a **family member** by contacting the Parish Office. Please indicate the status of the family member.