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February 18, 2024



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Pastor: Fr. David Ostler

Retired Priests: Fr. Julian Reginato, Fr. Hans Ruygt, Fr. Richard Ryan

The First Sunday of Lent



Image: The Temptation by the Devil by Victor Marie Leduc, Sacred Art Bible, Public Domain

"This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel." – Mark 1:15

Mass Times

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 4 pm

Sunday: 7 am, 9 am, 11 am

Monday, Wednesday – Saturday: 8 am

Confession Times

Monday: 6 to 7 pm

Wednesday, Thursday &

Friday: 9 to 10 am

Office Hours

Sunday: Closed

Monday – Thursday:

8 am to 3 pm

Friday & Saturday: Closed

Annulments & Marriage Prep

For more information regarding annulments or if you are planning to marry at Prince of Peace Parish, please contact Nanci Lukasik-Smith, Catechesis & Marriage/Annulment Ministry Director, at 623-344-7294 or Nanci@popscw.org.

Baptisms

To schedule a baptism, please contact Nanci Lukasik-Smith, Catechesis & Marriage/Annulment Ministry Director, at 623-344-7294 or Nanci@popscw.org. Baptisms are held on Sundays at 2:00 p.m.

I SET MY BOW
IN THE CLOUDS
TO SERVE AS A SIGN OF
THE COVENANT BETWEEN
ME AND THE EARTH

Genesis 9:13

Prayer Opportunities

Divine Mercy Chaplet - Fridays following 8:00 a.m. Mass in Church

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

- Sundays - 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Monday to Saturday - 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Commit to an hour before our Lord at:
princeofpeace.weadorehim.com

Healing Prayer Ministry - Thursdays at 8:45 a.m. in St. Michael's Hall

Litany of the Sacred Heart - Fridays at 4:30 p.m. in St. John Paul II Chapel

Patriotic Rosary - Mondays at 9:00 a.m. in St. John Paul II Chapel

Rosary - Approximately 30 minutes prior to each Mass

Sacred Heart Charismatic Prayer Group - Thursdays at 10:00 a.m. in St. Michael's Hall



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Meeting Times

Officers Meeting: 10:00 a.m. on Second Saturdays

Council Meeting: 10:00 a.m. on Fourth Saturdays in St Michael Hall

Contact: Rudy Grom, DGK

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Queen of Peace Women's Guild

Meeting Times

Monthly Meeting: 9:00 a.m. Social & 9:30 a.m. Meeting on First Wednesdays in St. Michael's Hall.

Ladies' Night Out: 6:00 p.m. Dinner and Program on Second Thursdays in St. Michael's Hall. Contact Gerry Zopf at 623-214-8504 for Ladies' Night Out reservations.

Contact: Linda Osgood, 623-203-8999 or TheOzzz@msn.com

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Mass Intentions & Daily Readings

Sunday, February 18th - First Sunday of Lent

Readings: Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Pt 3:18-22, Mt 4:4b; Mk 1:12-15

7:00 a.m. Brian & Kenneth Hauff †
9:00 a.m. Parishioners of
Prince of Peace Parish
11:00 a.m. Simon & Margaret Ferenczi †

Monday, February 19th

Readings: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mt 25:31-46

8:00 a.m. Intentions of the
Lauderback Family

Tuesday, February 20th

Readings: Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Mt 6:7-15

Wednesday, February 21st

Readings: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Jl 2:12-13; Lk 11:29-32

8:00 a.m. Gerry Gelazela †

Thursday, February 22nd - Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter, Apostle

Readings: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6; Mt 16:18; Mt 16:13-19

8:00 a.m. Richard Cox †

Friday, February 23rd

Readings: Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8; Mt 5:20-26

8:00 a.m. Gerry Gelazela †

Saturday, February 24th

Readings: Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48

8:00 a.m. Gloria Thompson †
4:00 p.m. Veronica & Walter Leese †

Sunday, February 25th - Second Sunday of Lent

Readings: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19; Rom 8:31b-34; Mk 9:2-10

7:00 a.m. Jim Russell †
9:00 a.m. Louise J. Fay †
11:00 a.m. Parishioners of
Prince of Peace Parish

CHRIST SUFFERED
FOR SINS ONCE,
THAT HE MIGHT
LEAD YOU TO GOD

1 PETER 3:18

Save the Date -

Father Julian's 60th Anniversary of Ordination Celebration

You read that right...we will be celebrating Father Julian Reginato's **60th Anniversary** of Ordination next month.

Sunday, March 10th

11:00 a.m.

Reception in St. Michael's Hall following Mass

Be on the lookout for more details on Flocknote and in next week's bulletin.

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Fridays during Lent

February 23rd

March 1st, 8th, 15th, & 22nd

6:00 p.m.

Church

"We are convinced that the Way of the Cross of the Son of God was not simply a journey to the place of execution. We believe that every step of the Condemned Christ, every action and every word, as well as everything felt and done by those who took part in this tragic drama, continues to speak to us."

– Pope John Paul II

In Loving Memory

Please pray for the following parishioner:

Theresa Vuksanovic

*Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord,
And let perpetual light shine upon her.
May the souls of all the faithful departed,
Through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen*

Choir Notes



Photo Credit: Father Hans Ruygt

The Parish's 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass choir, seen above rehearsing in the chapel, is thriving under the direction of Paul Yoder. We are so grateful for their gift of sacred music for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Let them know you appreciate them.

Arizona March For Life

When: Friday, March 1st

Where: Wesley Bolin Memorial Plaza
1700 W. Washington Street Phoenix, AZ 85007

Schedule:

11:00 a.m. - Rally at Wesley Bolin Plaza

12:00 noon - Arizona March For Life

For more information and FAQ's visit
az.marchforlife.org.

Baby Goods Collection **February Recap**

Below is a recap of the baby goods collected by the St. John Paul II Pro-Life Ministry on February 3rd & 4th, benefitting 1st Way Pregnancy Center.

Thank you for your kind and generous support to this life-affirming mission.

Requested items

Aquaphor Ointment - 7
Baby Wipes - 50 packages
Bath Tub - 1
Bibs - 1
Bottles - 23
Booties/Socks - 26 pairs
Clothes - 167 items
Diapers:

Size NB - 5 packages; Size 1 - 1 package
Size 2 - 2 packages; Size 4 - 10 packages
Size 5 - 8 packages; Size 6 - 1 package

Diaper Bags - 4
Healthcare Kit - 1
Pacifiers - 2
Thermometers - 7
Toiletries - 8
Pac-N-Play - 1
Toys - 18

Other needs

Blankets/Afghans/Quilts - 26
Formula - 1 box
Baby Food - 8 containers
Pillow - 2
Hangers - 5
High Chair - 2
Paper Towels - 1 large package
Toilet Paper - 5 large packages



The Adventures of **Ted E. Bear**

Ted E. Bear checking out all the donations before being picked up by 1st Way Pregnancy Center.

St. Dymphna's Mental Health Ministry Training Scheduled

Bishop John Dolan has made it top priority to support parishioners in the Diocese of Phoenix, with Mental Health concerns. At a parish level, Fr. David is bringing this ministry to Prince of Peace to offer a place of safety, support, and respite to our parishioners who suffer from mental illness; along with providing resources of support for their loved ones or families.

We are creating a core team of parishioners interested in accompanying others. **This is NOT counseling**, rather, it is about walking with others, to provide resources and support. Volunteers should have a generous heart, wise listening skills and a strong understanding of confidentiality.

We will be hosting a day long training program which is designed to gain sight when walking with others suffering mental health crisis.

**MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AIDE TRAINING
SATURDAY, MARCH 2nd beginning at 8:00 a.m.
(Breakfast, lunch, snacks and soft drinks, water
will be provided)**

To register to attend this training OR for more information on how you can be involved, please contact Nanci Lukasik-Smith at 623-344-7294 or via email at nanci@popscw.org. Space for this training is limited, and registration is required by Friday, February 23rd.

St. Vincent de Paul News

In today's Gospel, Jesus overcomes the temptations to wealth, power and esteem. As we begin Lent, may we open our hearts to the grace of prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

SVdP Prince of Peace Charity Weekend is next weekend, February 24th and 25th. We will collect before and after Saturday's Anticipated Mass and all three Masses on Sunday. May God bless your continued support.

SVdP Prince of Peace Conference, phone number is 623-738-3822.

Men's Night Out

RSVP DEADLINE EXTENDED

**Thursday, February 22nd
5:00 p.m.
St. Michaels Hall.**

The Knights of Columbus are hosting this Parish Men's event, as food will be provided by one of the potential caterers for the April KC Golf Outing. Don't miss your chance to have an enjoyable evening, sample a fine dinner, meet other men of the Parish, plus provide an input to the eventual dinner menu selection for the Golf Outing. \$10 donation requested to help offset food costs.

To assist with planning - Dinner count **RSVP** by **Monday, February 19th** to Ken Oliphant email: kenoliphant@comcast.net.

You won't be disappointed, if you attend this Good Time Event.

CDA: TV MASS FOR MANY!



Televised Mass has become very important since Covid-19. Countless newly "homebound" people long to stay connected to their faith from the safety of home. Mass from the Cathedral is televised every Sunday at 9am on AZTV Channel 7. Sunday and daily Masses are also live streamed on Facebook and YouTube.

Every gift to the CDA helps thousands of people share in the Mass every week.



**PLEASE GIVE TODAY!
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Hours

Sunday: 8 am to 1 pm
Monday - Thursday: 8 am to 3 pm
Friday & Saturday: Closed
623-344-7291

Lenten Books



Lent may have already started but that does not mean that you cannot add to your Lenten practices.

Consider reading spiritual books that will help you grow in your faith and understanding of the Church.

Ministry Contact List

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