



# Liturgy

## Weekend

Saturday: 5:00 PM (Vigil)

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, & 5:00 PM

## Weekday

Monday - Friday: 6:30 AM

Monday - Saturday: 8:30 AM

## Holy Day

Vigil: 5:00 PM

Holy Day: 6:30 & 8:30 AM, 5:00PM

## Adoration Chapel

Open during Parish Office hours and 24 hour access with key card.

## Healing Rosary

Friday: 6:30 PM

## Reconciliation

Monday-Saturday: 8:00 - 8:25 AM

Saturday: 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Or by appointment 480-905-0221

# Sacraments

## Anointing of the Sick

Call the Parish Office 480-905-0221

## Baptism

Preparation classes required. Please contact the Parish Office for information about the preparation process.

## Marriage

Nine months notification and preparation classes required. Call Parish Office for additional information.

# Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Friday: 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Saturday & Sunday: Closed

# St. Bernadette Parish Mission Statement



We exist as a Eucharistic community to celebrate, proclaim, and live the Gospel of Jesus Christ in Word and Sacrament for the Glory of God.

# Parish Staff

Pastor ..... Fr. Don Kline, V.F.  
Associate Pastor .....Fr. John Lankeit  
Deacons.....Peter Auriemma, Al Homiski & Frank Nevarez  
Parish Administrator .....Deacon Al Homiski  
School Principal ..... Preston Colao  
Director of Sacred Music..... Brina Ziemann  
Director of Volunteers & Ministry Services..... Diane Flitcroft  
Finance Director ..... Margaret Colwell  
Accounting Managers .....Paula LoPresti & Helen Romano  
Facilities Manager .....Deacon Frank Nevarez  
Facilities Team..... Rosa Alvarado, Reyes Perez & Ruth Zamora  
Parish Secretary ..... Mary Shelton  
Director of Sacramental Preparation ..... Shirley Smalley  
Assistant to Ministries.....Kerry Fahey  
Dir. of Family Catechesis & Evangelization ..... Patrick Klein  
Asst. to the Director of Family Catechesis .....Allison Ochoa  
Director of Adult Education ..... Deacon Peter Auriemma  
Director of Marriages and Annulments.....Mitzi Palma

# Parish School

## Saint John XXIII

### Catholic School Community

16235 N. 60th Street, Scottsdale, AZ 85254



## Office Hours:

Monday - Friday: 7:30 AM – 3:30 PM

Phone: 480-905-0939

Fax: 480-905-0955

Website: [www.saintjohnxxiii.org](http://www.saintjohnxxiii.org)

### Father's Day 2023



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

The attack on the family and particularly on fathers and fatherhood seems to be a favorite pastime for many who are out of touch with reality. These attacks come in the form of promiscuity and adultery which is seemingly glorified by many in social media and other Hollywood types. Divorce rates are happening at a record pace which is leading many young couples to fear making a commitment to anyone. As a result, couples often decide to cohabit with no intention of marriage “in case things don’t work out.” This “test run” for marriage often leads to children who are then abandoned by their fathers. We also see the increase of so called “same-sex unions” in which couples are adopting children and calling this the “modern family.” Pornography, a trillion-dollar industry, is destroying lives and leading many to suffer with powerful addictions and total alienation from members of the family and from God. All this and more seems to be designed to destroy the family unit as God intended it to be.

As followers of Our Lord Jesus, how do we respond to these attacks on the family? Christians, by God’s design are a people of hope. With hope, we place our total trust in God. Yes, we all have our weaknesses. We all suffer from our sins but even in our weakness, we know that God is our Rock, our Fortress, and our Strength amid life’s difficulties and failures. On this Father’s Day, 2023, I want to emphasize the importance of fighting for the family as God intends family to be which is the center of culture and how civilization continues as designed by God.

The role of the father in the formation of wholesome, solid, and holy families is crucial to the survival of the family and our world. You may have heard it said that the mother is the “heart” of the family, and the father is the “head” of the family. That is why a good father needs to know his identity in Christ the head of the Church. We read in Sacred Scripture Ephesians 5: 23, “For the husband is head of his wife just as Christ is head of the church, he himself is the savior of the body.” Similarly, the father of the family represents and reflects the image of God the Father. Jesus taught us to call God the Father, “Abba.” This is best translated as “Daddy.” So, when a father encounters God the Father in an intimate and personal way, he will be the father whom God has called him to be to those whom God the Father placed in his care.

As a father who knows himself to be God’s beloved son and who seeks to be in right relationship with God, he is then better able to love his children and see them as a precious treasure that God has entrusted to his care. A father who knows Our Lord is better equipped of fulfilling his primary purpose of bringing his children to their ultimate destiny which is heaven. A child is a gift given to father and mother but with the primary purpose of the parents being ladders by which the children can climb to heaven.

We need to pray, protect and defend fatherhood as God intends. An authentic father is called by God to provide for the spiritual need of his child(ren). The means that authentic fathers will teach their child(ren) to pray as soon as possible. My experience with the children in our school is that they are like sponges. Sponges can absorb dirty water and clean water. That means that a child can absorb the dirt of the modern world or, through the help of a good father, absorb that which is pure, noble, and uplifting.

One of the greatest gifts my parents gave me was the gift of prayer. They taught me how to pray by showing me how to pray. They put into practice the immortal saying of Father Patrick Peyton: “The family that prays together stays together.”

My dad was and still is a man of prayer who was not afraid to pray publicly. I once read that “the man is greatest when he is found on his knees!” A memory of my dad praying on his knees is something I will always remember from my childhood. I will always treasure that fact that we would pray together as a family. Prayer always included the blessing of the meal (even at restaurants), the family Rosary and Sunday Mass even when we were on vacation, which is of course the greatest of all prayers.

I see my dad and all good fathers to adopt the posture of Moses. Remember, it was Moses who elevated his arms so that the Jews could win the battle against their enemies. Fathers, I encourage you to pray daily for your family for their protection from all evils - physical, moral, and spiritual. Pray for your family’s holiness and foster a desire for heaven within your family. An authentic Christian father should have his eyes always fixed on heaven while being aware of the snares and tangles of the enemy who seeks to destroy the family.

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The greatest desire of the father for his family should be the salvation of their immortal souls. Jesus said, "What would it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his soul in the process? What can we offer in exchange for our immortal soul?" I truly believe that until the vital role of the father is restored in the family, the family and our world will suffer deeply. The one who is called to the vocation of marriage aspires to a lofty calling from God. Marriage assumes an extremely important responsibility. The end of the vocation is holiness of life and the heavenly reward among the Saint with God for all eternity.

Let us turn to the best of earthly fathers, the virtuous Saint Joseph, and beg for his powerful intercession. I encourage you to pray this beautiful prayer to St. Joseph for fathers.

Wishing you all a blessed Father's Day.

Fr. Don Kline



Pastor

*St. Joseph, guardian of Jesus and chaste husband of Mary,  
you passed your life in loving fulfillment of duty.  
You supported the holy family of Nazareth with the work of your hands.  
Kindly protect all the fathers who trustingly come to you.  
You know their aspirations, their hardships, their hopes.  
They look to you because they know you will understand and protect them.  
You too knew trial, labor and weariness.  
But amid the worries of material life your soul was full of deep peace and  
sang out in true joy through intimacy with God's Son  
entrusted to you and with Mary, his tender Mother.  
Assure those you protect that they do not labor alone.  
Teach them to find Jesus near them and to watch over  
him faithfully as you have done.  
-St. John XXIII*

### GOSPEL REFLECTION—JESUS GIVES HIS DISCIPLES AUTHORITY TO HEAL AND SET FREE

Do you believe in the life-changing power of the Gospel and experience its transforming effect in your life? The core of the Gospel message is quite simple: the kingdom (or reign) of God is very near! What is the kingdom of God? It is that society of men and women who know God's love and mercy, and who willingly obey and honor God as their Lord and King. In the prayer which Jesus gave to his disciples (the Lord's Prayer or Our Father), he taught them to pray for God to reign in their daily lives and in the world around them.

#### **The power of the Gospel to heal and set free**

When Jesus proclaimed the good news of God's kingdom he also demonstrated the power of the Gospel with supernatural signs and wonders. Jesus healed people who suffered physical, emotional, and mental illnesses. He freed people from spiritual bondage to sin and demonic powers. Jesus gave his disciples the same authority he had to heal and set people free from spiritual bondage.

The Gospel (which literally means "good news") which Jesus proclaimed is just as relevant and real today, the kingdom of heaven is at hand. If we believe in the Lord Jesus, the Word of God made flesh, and in the power of the Gospel, we will know and experience the freedom, joy, and power he gives us that enables us to live and witness as his disciples. No one can buy heaven; but if we know the love and mercy of Jesus Christ, then we already possess heaven in our hearts!

#### **Jesus chose ordinary people to do extraordinary work**

Jesus commissioned his disciples to carry on the works which he did - to speak God's word and to bring his healing power to the weary and oppressed. In the choice of the twelve apostles we see a characteristic feature of God's work - Jesus chose very ordinary people. They were non-professionals, had no wealth or privileged position. They were chosen from the common people who did ordinary things, had no special education, and no social advantages.

Jesus wanted ordinary people who could take an assignment and do it extraordinarily well. He chose these men, not for what they were, but for what they would be capable of becoming under his direction and power. When the Lord calls us to serve, we must not think we have nothing or very little to offer. The Lord takes what ordinary people, like us, can offer and uses it for greatness in his kingdom. Do you believe that God wants to work in and through you for his glory?

*Lord Jesus, you have chosen me to be your disciple. Take and use what I can offer, however meager it may seem, for the greater glory of your name.* [www.dailyscripture.com](http://www.dailyscripture.com)





# St. John XXIII Catholic School

## SCHOOL NEWS

### SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Throughout the summer the school office will be open from 8am - 2pm, Monday - Friday.

### INSTRUCTIONAL ASSISTANTS NEEDED

Saint John XXIII is currently accepting applications for full and part time Instructional Assistants.

Responsibilities include assisting the classroom teacher in the instruction and supervision of students and helping to provide a well-organized and functional class environment.

If interested, please contact the school at 480-905-0939 or visit the Diocese of Phoenix Catholic Schools Job Listings at <https://catholicschoolsphx.org/en/careers/>



With joyful hearts we welcomed  
Into God's Family:

*Casey Argue on May 20, 2023*

*Valentino Rumore on May 20, 2023*

*Daniel Velazquez on May 20, 2023*

*James McWherter on May 28, 2023*

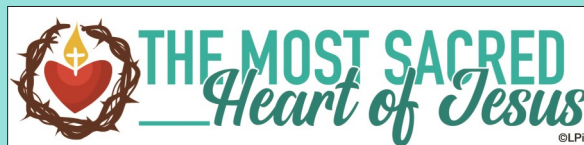
*Cassandra VanOmmering on May 28, 2023*

*Richard Ribero on June 3, 2023*

### IT'S ALMOST TIME TO COMPLETE YOUR ANNUAL SAFE ENVIRONMENT RENEWAL

The Diocese of Phoenix requires all ministers and volunteers to complete a Safe Environment process. Each year all previously approved clergy, staff, ministers, and volunteers are required to take an SET renewal class either online or in person. The Safe Environment year runs July 1st through June 30th.

Please watch this church bulletin and parish email updates for more information on the process of renewing your Safe Environment Training.



Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus is an ancient practice. We can see its Scriptural origins in Jesus' own references to His Heart.

*"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest ... for I am meek and humble of heart"* (c.f. Matthew 11:28, 29).

The devotion received a surge of popularity in the late 1600s. Jesus appeared several times to a French religious sister, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, pointing to his heart. During this time, the Jansenist heresy had risen in France, which preached limited predestination for salvation. When appearing to Margaret Mary, Jesus affirmed his love for all mankind: *"Behold the Heart which has so loved men that it has spared nothing."* He asked for a special feast celebrating his Sacred Heart on the Friday following the feast of Corpus Christi. Over time, June has become known as the month of the Sacred Heart.



# INFORMATION



<b>Saturday, June 17</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>	✠ Janice Skeen
<b>Sunday, June 18</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	Carl and Jerilyn Thornton
	<b>10:00 AM</b>	St. Bernadette Parishioners
	<b>5:00 PM</b>	Frank and Cheryl Celico
<b>Monday, June 19</b>	<b>6:30 AM</b>	✠ Geraldine Ann Hackman
	<b>8:30 AM</b>	✠ Quinton Frisby
<b>Tuesday, June 20</b>	<b>6:30 AM</b>	Father Kline
	<b>8:30 AM</b>	✠ Quinton Frisby
<b>Wednesday, June 21</b>	<b>6:30 AM</b>	Father Barber, S.J.
	<b>8:30 AM</b>	✠ Quinton Frisby
<b>Thursday, June 22</b>	<b>6:30 AM</b>	Father Lankeit
	<b>8:30 AM</b>	✠ Roberto Robles
<b>Friday, June 23</b>	<b>6:30 AM</b>	Bob and Michele Halloran
	<b>8:30 AM</b>	✠ Barbara Dugan
<b>Saturday, June 24</b>	<b>8:00 PM</b>	✠ Frank Shortsleeve
	<b>5:00 PM</b>	Hector Sanchez
<b>Sunday, June 25</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	Holy Souls in Purgatory
	<b>10:00 AM</b>	St. Bernadette Parishioners
	<b>5:00 PM</b>	✠ Greg Goumas

## ST. BERNADETTE'S ADORATION CHAPEL

**“Jesus waits for us in this Sacrament of Love. Let us be generous with our time in going to meet Him in adoration. May our adoration never cease.” ~ St. John Paul II**

### Did you know?

- St. Bernadette’s Adoration Chapel has 150 Adorers who have made a weekly hourly commitment to pray and spend time with the Most Blessed Sacrament.
- Visitors may use the Adoration Chapel during parish office hours by picking up a keycard from the parish office.
- If you are interested in committing to an hour every week, create a We Adore Him account at <https://stbernadette.weadorehim.com/> and you will be contacted by parish staff.



## Readings of the Week

Sunday: Ex 19:2-6a/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5/Rom 5:6-11/  
Mt 9:36—10:8  
Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1-4/Mt 5:38-42  
Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-9a/Mt 5:43-48  
Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1-4, 9/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18  
Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1-4, 7-8/Mt 6:7-15  
Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-7/Mt 6:19-23  
Saturday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-15/Acts 13:22-26/  
Lk 1:57-66, 80  
Next Sunday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35/  
Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33

### PARISH STAFF UPDATE

Two people on St. Bernadette’s parish staff have recently assumed new roles.

**Mitzi Palma**, who served as the parish secretary for 9 years, has been appointed Director of Marriages and Annulments.

**Mary Shelton** is our new parish secretary. She previously served as the parish office receptionist.

## Culture of Life Committee

Thank you to all who have helped us make the Culture of Life Committee CarePortal Initiative successful in assisting the vulnerable children in our community. We continue meeting requests and are currently in need of manpower and trucks for deliveries.

If you would like to offer your help moving furniture, have a truck to assist us with deliveries, or would like to donate furniture items, please contact Kelly Sarotte at [sarottekelly@gmail.com](mailto:sarottekelly@gmail.com).



### St. Bernadette's Gift Shop

**Do you have gently used Catholic books or other Catholic items? Please consider donating them to the Grotto Gift Shop.**

**HOURS:**

**Mon.-Thurs. 9:15 AM - 3:15 PM  
Friday 9:15 AM-12:15 PM Sundays after the  
8:00 & 10:00 AM Masses**



### Service Sunday June Project

#### Summer Food Drive for SVdP

*Those who are generous are blessed for they shared their bread with the poor.*

**Bags will be distributed  
This Weekend after Masses  
June 17 & 18**

**Food will be collected on  
Saturday/Sunday  
June 24 & 25**

Food supplies have decreased while demand has increased. Please donate food so that you can help us help others.

**Please, non-perishable food only!  
Sample of Items needed:**

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| Canned Meat         | Peanut Butter & Jelly |
| Tuna                | Canned Soups          |
| Pasta               | Canned Tomatoes       |
| Spaghetti Sauce     | Canned Fruit          |
| Macaroni & Cheese   | Canned Vegetables     |
| Rice Mixes          | Salad Dressing        |
| Boxed Skillet Meals | Cereal                |



*In the Gospel today we hear Jesus say to his disciples, "The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send laborers for his harvest."*

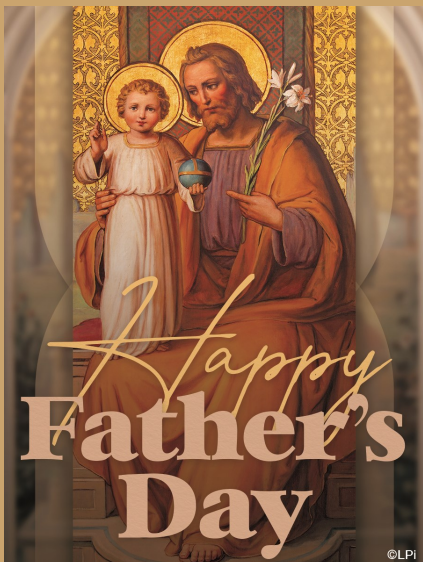
**Have you considered answering the call to join the Society of St. Vincent de Paul?**

### FATHER'S DAY BLESSING

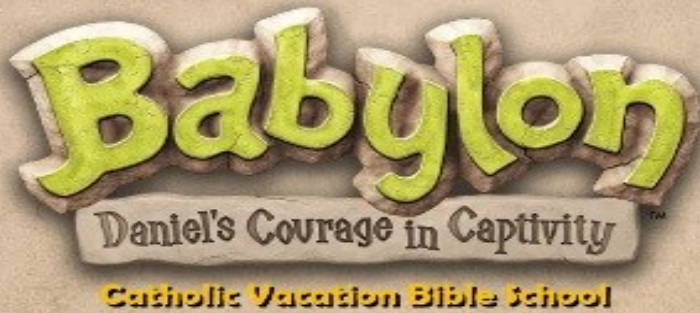
God and Father of all creation,  
we come before you today with humble hearts.  
You are our model of a loving father.  
When we fail and fall short of your expectations,  
you are there with open arms,  
ready to heal the cuts and scrapes of the day  
and to encourage us not to give up.

We hold up the men in our midst who act as fathers  
to their children or models of fathers for others.  
Bless them in their moments of doubt and frustration with their children.  
Give them warm and open hearts to forgive failures.  
Provide them with the words needed for encouragement and perseverance.  
We ask all this in the name of Jesus.

*Amen.*







WISH LIST

Please consider supporting our VBS program with your charitable donations! We appreciate your help!

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| Baskets (woven) .....                | Washi Tape .....                              |
| Snack Items (NO NUTS) .....          | Cups .....                                    |
| Crafting Items .....                 | Tennis Balls .....                            |
| Paper Towel Rolls (empty) .....      | Faux plants, trees, flowers, fruit, etc. .... |
| Large Cardboard Boxes (intact) ..... | Clay (air dry) .....                          |
| Greenery Decor .....                 | Tape .....                                    |
| Fabric (assorted colors/sizes) ..... | Paper Plates .....                            |
| Glue Sticks .....                    | TIME, TALENT, TREASURE! .....                 |

**We are still seeking both teen and adult volunteer support!**  
 Parish Contact: Patrick Klein (pklein@saintbernadette.com / 480-905-4435)



**Is God Calling You To Learn More About The Catholic Faith?**

Are you or someone you know searching for answers? Are you or anyone you know interested in exploring or learning more about the Catholic faith? Do you have questions about the Catholic Church and what we believe and profess? Have you been sitting for years in a Catholic Church next to your spouse or family members wondering what you would have to do to become a Catholic? If so, we would love to have you join our Catholic Initiation group.

Current statistics show that most people respond best to a personal invitation. So this is your personal invitation to come and explore the faith to see if this is where God is calling you. We meet on Monday evenings and our group has participants from a variety of age groups and backgrounds.

You can find out more about the process and the group by contacting Shirley Smalley at 480-905-4434 or at [ssmalley@saintbernadette.com](mailto:ssmalley@saintbernadette.com). We would love to hear from you!



Week 1  
July 10th-14th  
Week 2  
July 17th-21st

# Babylon

Daniel's Courage in Captivity™

Catholic  
Vacation Bible  
School

## REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

### *Week 1:*

This epic Babylonian adventure engages the whole tribe. At Babylon, kids travel back in time and discover firsthand the story of Daniel's courage—from his capture in Jerusalem to his miraculous rescue from the lion's den.



### *Week 2:*

Week two of our epic Babylonian adventure takes children deeper into the Bible story of Daniel! By introducing more elements of our rich Catholic Faith, our journey continues with a call to greater intimacy with our Lord!



**check the website or visit the  
parish office to pick up your  
registration!**

**PARISH CONTACT: Patrick Klein ([pklein@saintbernadette.com](mailto:pklein@saintbernadette.com) / 480-905-4435)**

## This Week at St. Bernadette

### Mass

Monday through Friday mornings at 6:30 & 8:30 AM  
Saturday mornings at 8:30 AM

### Daily Confessions

Before daily mass 8:00 - 8:25 AM  
Saturdays 3:00 - 4:00 PM

**Sunday 18** LITURGY 8 & 10 AM, 5 PM **In the Church**

**Monday 19** 6:00 PM Spiritual Warfare Rosary **In the Church**  
6:30 PM RCIA **In Rooms 5/6**

**Tuesday 20** 9:00 AM Women's Bible Study **In Room 7**

**Wednesday 21** No scheduled events

**Thursday 22** 7:00 PM Men's Bible Study **In Room 7**

**Friday 23** 7:00 AM Men's Bible Study **In Room 7**  
9:30 AM Sociable Seniors **In Rooms 5/6**  
6:30 PM Healing Rosary **In the Church**

**Saturday 24** LITURGY: 5 PM **In the Church**

**Sunday 25** LITURGY: 8 & 10 AM, 5 PM **In the Church**



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## Friday Night Healing Rosary

every Friday in the Church & on Zoom at 6:30 PM

Please use meeting ID 674 186 578; password Rosary and the link below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/674186578?pwd=dkJFVWVowMTJ5R0tQYUpNc1Q2aThlZz09>

## Parish Ministries & Organizations

### SACRAMENTAL MINISTRIES

RCIA	Shirley Smalley	480-905-0221
Infant Baptism	Shirley Smalley	480-905-0221
Marriage Prep	Mitzi Palma	480-905-0221

### PASTORAL MINISTRIES

Annulments	Mitzi Palma	480-905-0221
Funerals	Deacon Frank Nevarez	480-905-0221
Funeral Hospitality		
Ministers of Care - Homebound	Deacon Al Homiski	480-905-0221

### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Linens	Barbara Nevarez	480-905-0221
Knights of the Altar	Gene Arvizu	480-905-0221
Art & Environment	Chita Dilema	480-797-0145
Lectors	Donna Homiski	480-905-0221
Ushers	Mike Smalley	602-799-2256

### EDUCATION & FORMATION MINISTRIES

Family Catechesis	Patrick Klein	480-905-0221
Lisieux Sorority	Andrea Boring	480-905-0221
Men's Bible Study	Jim McLaughlin	480-694-1297
Women's Bible Study <i>(Info only)</i>	Parish Office	480-905-0221

### PRAYER & WORSHIP MINISTRIES

Eucharistic Adoration	Kerry Fahey	480-905-0221
Friday Night Healing Rosary	Mike Smalley	480-905-0221

### SERVICE MINISTRIES

Culture of Life	Margaret Hinski	480-905-0221
St. Vincent de Paul	Help Line	480-905-4439
Meals for Families in Crisis & New Moms	Rachel Bears	602-402-0220

### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Boy Scouts	Tim Whitney	602-403-4121
Knights of Columbus	Dennis Logue	603-667-3957
Sociable Seniors	Shirley Shanholtz	480-905-0221

### PARISH LIFE MINISTRIES

Finance Council	Mike Smalley	602-799-2256
Parish Council	Don Tellis	602-370-3271

### HOSPITALITY MINISTRIES

Sunday Donuts	Volunteer Office	480-905-0221
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