

St. George

Roman Catholic Church

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Office Hours: M-F 8 a.m.-12 noon & 1-4:30 p.m.

Adoration Chapel closed at 4:15 p.m.



LITURGY SCHEDULE

Masses

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

**Sunday: 6:30, 8:15, 10:00 11:30 a.m. and
6:00 p.m. (Life Teen Mass)**

Weekdays: 8:00 a.m.

Confessions: Saturday 3:00 p.m.

Holy Days: 8:00 & 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 21, 2018

Through his suffering, my servant shall justify many.

— *Isaiah 53:11b*



COMMUNION TO THE SICK

If you or someone you know is sick or homebound, please call for the assistance of a Minister of Care. Ministers of Care bring communion to those who cannot come to Mass. Please call Gina Brown 602-999-5067.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR EMERGENCY

If you or someone you know is in critical condition or near death call 480-982-2929 weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. After hours and on weekends call 480-303-1253. Please do not use this service for any other reason.

INFANT BAPTISM

Parents requesting baptism for their children under 7 years old must attend a mandatory preparation class offered every other month. Please call the Parish Office in advance for scheduling or other information. Infant baptisms are the last Sunday of each month.

MARRIAGES/MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Couples seeking the sacrament of marriage must be registered parishioners who are actively participating in the life of St. George Roman Catholic Parish. Notification of intent to marry must be provided six months in advance. For more information on the marriage preparation process, please call the Parish Office.

PASTORAL STAFF

Father Domenico Pinti, Pastor

Father Stanley Nadolny, Parochial Vicar

Caroline Hodges, Bookkeeper

Grace Vozel, Parish Secretary

Christine Ollive, Coordinator of Religious Ed

Debbie Wohlforth, Receptionist

Denis McDonald, Maintenance

Ext. 104

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WINTER PRIESTS

Fr. Vince Lieser

PARISH DEACONS

Deacon Bill Jones

Ministries

Youth Altar Server Training, Fr. Stan

Eucharistic Ministers, Fr. Pinti

Lectors, Cindy Nuttall 602-312-6667

RCIA, Fr. Pinti

Ushers, Fr. Pinti

Divine Mercy, Joetta Carlos—735-8471

Grief Support Group, Susan Insalaco—250-3522

Adult Choir—Sheryl Johnson—480-354-5985

Organizations

Knights of Columbus, Tom Wolf 982-4441

Our Lady of the Desert Guild, Barbara Reddington—671-0719

Respect Life Ministry, Fr. Pinti

Finance Council

Susan Insalaco

Arlene Showers

Caroline Hodges

Ray Kimble

Will Bublitz

29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MONDAY, October 22

- 9:00 a.m. Prayer Shawls (Room 6)
- 1:30 p.m. Divine Mercy Movie (Room 3)
"Pope John Paul II"
- 3:30 p.m. Legion of Mary (Room 2)

TUESDAY, October 23

- 1:00 p.m. Bridge (Social Hall)
- 3:00 p.m. DMC (Chapel)
- 6:30 p.m. R.C.I.A. (Room 3)
"The Beginning"

WEDNESDAY, October 24

- 9:00 a.m. Rosary Makers (Social Hall)

THURSDAY, October 25

- 8:30 a.m. Quilters (Social Hall)
- 9:30 a.m. Grief Support (Room 3)
- 1:30 p.m. Rosary for the Unborn (Chapel)
- 6:30 p.m. Bible Study

FRIDAY, October 26

- 3:00 p.m. DMC (Chapel)

SATURDAY, October 27

- 9:00 a.m. "Show Your Ride Car Show"

SUNDAY, October 28

- After 11:30 a.m. Mass—Baptisms

DIVINE MERCY MINISTRY OCTOBER MONDAY MOVIE SERIES

Learn about the Divine Mercy of God through the "Communion of Saints" with host Steve Peterson in Room 3

Monday, October 22, 1:30 p.m.

Pope John Paul II

Video based on the Powerful True Story

Monday, October 29, 1:30 p.m.

Seelos Tireless Intercessor

Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos

St. John Paul II

Karol J. Wojtyla, known as John Paul II since his October 1978 election to the papacy, was born in Wadowice, a small town near Cracow, on May 18, 1910. In 1942, aware of his call to the priesthood, he began courses in the seminary of Cracow. He continued his studies in the faculty of theology of the Jagiellonian University, until his priestly ordination in Cracow in 1946. He then went to Rome where he finished his doctorate in theology in 1948. At that time, he exercised his pastoral ministry among the Polish immigrants of France, Belgium and Holland. He then returned to Poland and was vicar of various parishes until 1951. Later he became professor of moral philosophy and lectured for 25 years until his election for the Pope in 1978. Since his start of his Pontificate on October 16, 1978, he had completed over 95 pastoral visits outside of Italy and 142 within Italy. As Bishop of Rome, he had visited 301 of the 334 parishes. He was a major part in Vatican Council II.



IN LOVING MEMORY

Remembering our deceased
Richard Varnum
Robert Sempowski

UPCOMING EVENTS

- November 1—All Saints Day (parish office closed)
- November 6—Help for the Needy Meeting/Lunch
- November 7—Our Lady of the Desert Guild Meeting
- November 18—Ireland Meeting
- November 22-23—Thanksgiving (parish office closed)
- November 25—Baptisms

For the full monthly calendar of Parish Events please visit our website at: www.stgeorgeaj.com.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Mission Sunday

Monday: St. John Paul II

Tuesday: St. John of Capistrano

Wednesday: St. Anthony Mary Claret

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

St. George Help for the Needy Volunteer Information
Volunteer Meeting/lunch, Tuesday, November 6, 2018
11:30 a.m. Social Hall

PANTRY & OFFICE VOLUNTEERS

The sign up rosters for December and January will be available at this meeting.



We have started our Holiday Food Drive and will also have sign up for Monday Pantry to put away the food collected on weekends.

Welcome back to our winter visitor volunteers. See you at the meeting.

Holiday Volunteers
(Thanksgiving & Christmas)

During this meeting, we will be taking Volunteer sign up for collecting turkeys, preparing the Thanksgiving boxes, distributing the Thanksgiving boxes, doing the Christmas ornaments, sorting toys, and gift distribution.



OUR LADY OF THE DESERT GUILD NEWS

REVIEW OF OCTOBER MEETING

Our October meeting had 47 members and 2 new members. Welcome to those new members! We would also like to thank the October Hostesses: Mary D., Bea G., Micki D., and Naty H. Great job ladies. Wonderful lunch.

NOVEMBER MEETING

The next meeting will be Wednesday, November 7 at 9:30 a.m. in the Social Hall. ALL ladies of the parish are invited to attend. Our lunch for the November meeting will be prepared by Barb R., Rita R., Barb G. and Elaine W.

GIFT SHOP

The gift shop is operated by Our Lady of the Desert Guild. The gift shop is only open on Sundays during October, but will be opening on Saturday and Sunday starting in November. This is a GREAT place to do some Christmas shopping! Shop early and shop often. We also carry greeting cards for every occasion.

Special Note: The New St. Joseph Sunday Missals for Liturgical Year 2019 have arrived! They are \$5 each in the Gift Shop.

Religious Education Has Begun!

St. George Religious Education classes have begun on Sunday mornings, please be extra careful in the parking lot and watch for the children.

“We shouldn’t need to tell people that we’re Christian. It should be obvious not by how we label ourselves, but by the lives we live.” Matthew Warner

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.	October 22
8:00 a.m.	John Lang Bruce Lawrey
Tues.	October 23
8:00 a.m.	Frank & Carmen Pacheco 42nd Anniversary +Jack Gruzlewski
Wed.	October 24
8:00 a.m.	+Karl Brauch +Kathy Murzynowski
Thurs.	October 25
8:00 a.m.	+Irma Arroyo
Fri.	October 26
8:00 a.m.	Colten Michael Whitehill
Sat.	October 27
4:00 p.m.	+Soukup Brothers +Blondine Smolinski +Devon Vaenuku
Sun.	October 28
6:30 a.m.	+Alfredo Enriquez +Gaylia Hall +Pam Topper
8:15 a.m.	+Florencio Bribiesca +Ed Fontecchio +Timothy Keohen
10:00 a.m.	Merlin Battcher John Lang +Patti Weisner
11:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
6:00 p.m.	Maria Dalila Armenta Fr. Stanley Nadolny Birthday Celebration

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday:	Eph 2:12-22; Ps 85:9ab-14; Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday:	Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 12:39-48
Thursday:	Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53
Friday:	Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59
Saturday:	Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 13:1-9
Sunday:	Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-6; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

MASS TIMES CHANGE IN NOVEMBER

Starting the weekend of November 3 & 4, We will be changing the Saturday Mass schedule. There will be 1:15, 3:00, and 4:30 p.m. Masses. Confessions will be at 12:00 p.m. The Sunday Mass schedule remains the same.

MINISTRIES

Altar Flowers—Betty Bublitz 480-671-1028 or Mary Dikes 480-983-0897

Prayer Shawl Makers—Mon. 9:00 a.m. room 6
Carol 480-380-2634

Legion of Mary—Mon. 3:30-5:00 p.m. room 2
Christine Smith 480-354-4310
Martha Rodriguez 480-544-1683

Knights of Columbus—7:00 p.m. room 3
Grand Knight: Tom Wolf 982-4441

Council: 1st Mon. of month

Assembly: 2nd Mon. of month

Divine Mercy Chaplet—

Joetta Carlos-480-735-8471

Tues. & Fri. 3 p.m. in the Chapel

Daily after 8 a.m. Mass in the Cry Room

Bridge Players—Tuesday 1:00 p.m.
Margie 602-316-4174

Rosary Makers—Wed. 9:00 a.m. social hall

O. L. of the Desert Guild

1st Wednesday of each month

Barbara Reddington—480-671-0719

Quilters—Thurs. 8:30 a.m. social hall

Jacque Florez-Ball 480-310-0126

Grief Support—Thurs. 9:30 a.m. room 6
Susan 480-250-3522

Secular Franciscans

Edna Yugel OFS—480-983-5560

Catholic Discussion Group—October 20, 2018

For Today Times DVD Catholic and the Culture War.

CONFIRMATION

Life Teen Students (grades 10-12)
For those needing to be confirmed in the spring of 2019 that missed the confirmation meeting:

Contact: Christine Ollive
480-982-2929 Ext: 102



CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

Saturday, November 3, 2018

Join men from all over the Diocese of Tucson as we learn and share from one another while holding each other up in our Christian calling. IRON SHARPENS IRON, men strengthen men, and faith strengthens love...of families, communities, self and God. Mr. Jesse Romero and Mr. Greg Wasinski, nationally known presenters, will be with us for the day offering their insights through presentations and a panel discussion with Bishop Weisenburger.

Saturday, November 3, 2018

8 a.m. Rosary, 9:00 a.m. Program begins

3:00 p.m. Mass

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

Register online at

www.TucsonMenConference.org

NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL BEST OF IRELAND

11 DAYS: MARCH 4—14, 2019

Visiting

**BELFAST-DERRY-KNOCK-GALWAY
CONNEMARA-KILLARNEY-DUBLIN
BLARNEY-RING OF KERRY**

Next Meeting:

Sunday, November 18, 2018

10:00 a.m. Room 3

10 spots left!

Hosted by:

Erin Blanchette—Executive Director

Vine of Grace Retreat Ministry

Spiritual director—

Father Stan Nadolny

Cost: \$3,599

For a brochure with complete details:

Contact Erin Blanchette

520-631-1408

Email: vineofgrace@att.net

THANK YOU

Mountain View Funeral

Home & Cemetery

**FOR ADVERTISING IN OUR
BULLETIN**

Knights of Columbus

14th Annual

SHOW YOUR RIDE

Saturday, October 27, 2018

9:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

Benefit for the Boys and Girls Club

Apache Junction

Location: St. George Catholic Church

300 E. 16th Ave.

Entry forms are in the East & West vestibules and in the parish office.

Contact Person: Doug Hughes

Fr. Stan's Birthday

Sunday, October 28

Help us celebrate after the 11:30 a.m. Mass and also after the 6:00 p.m. Life Teen Mass

Help for the Needy Food Collection

We have started collecting for our Holiday Food Drive, but our pantry also needs the following items for our regular food boxes: Soup, spaghetti sauce, ravioli, rice, jelly, crackers, and boxed potatoes. Thank you for your continued support.



DEVOTIONS

Daily Rosary: 7:30 a.m. Monday through Friday

Adoration daily: Until 9:30 a.m.

First Friday: 8:00 a.m. Mass, Anointing of the Sick, Adoration until 9:30 a.m.

First Saturday: 8 a.m. Mass/Adoration until 9:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. Rosary for the Unborn (Cry Room) by the Knights of Columbus.

Divine Mercy Chaplet: Daily 8:30 a.m. in Cry Room Tues. & Fri. 3:00 p.m. in the Adoration Chapel.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS PAGE



St. George Celebrates



WORLD YOUTH DAY 2018

World Youth Day is a time to acknowledge and affirm the gifts and talents of our young people and to welcome and appreciate their participation in our Church—it is also our commitment to them that we will be there as they continue their faith journey.



On **Sunday, October 28th**, St. George will celebrate World Youth Day at the 11:30 a.m. Mass and again at our 6:00 p.m. Life Teen Mass .

At the 11:30 a.m. Mass we will commission our younger Youth Lectors, Ushers, Altar Servers and Choir.

At our 6:00 p.m. Life Teen Mass, EDGE and Life Teen students who are Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Ushers, Altar Servers, and our Life Teen Choir will be commissioned.



On this special day for the youth—how appropriate is it that we will also be celebrating Fr. Stan's Birthday!!!

A reception celebrating Fr. Stan and our youth will follow each of our Masses



Sunday, October 21, 2018

TRI—Trinity

The trinity is always a difficult topic to tackle. Most of us know that God is Father, Son and Holy Spirit, but do not know how to relate to each Divine Person and why God would chose to reveal Himself in three natures. This evening will give the teens an opportunity to relate to each person of the Trinity as distinct, yet each revealing the one true God.

For more information contact:
Christine Ollive
480-982-2929 ext. 102
Coordinator of Religious Education



Tuesday, October 23, 2018

The Holy Trinity

We continue our semester on God, Revelation, and Faith with The Holy Trinity. During this session we will delve into the mystery of the Holy Trinity and how our one God is the union of three unique Persons.

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