

# St. Andrew the Apostle Roman Catholic Church

800 Taylor Drive, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635 Phone (520) 458-2925 Fax (520) 452-0235—www.standrewsv.org

## "I will make you fishers of men"

### Office Hours

**Monday—Friday**  
**9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.**

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### MASS TIMES

#### **SUNDAY**

8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.  
12:00 p.m. (Spanish)  
5:00 p.m. -Life Teen

#### **Monday- Friday Daily Mass**

9:00 a.m. & 12:05 p.m.

#### **Saturday**

9:00 a.m. &  
Vigil at 5:00 p.m.

### **LIVESTREAMING MASS**

**Monday to  
Saturday 9 a.m.**

**Sunday  
10 a.m. & 12 p.m.**

**GOOD SHEPHERD  
MISSION (Route 82, west of  
Mustang Corners)**

**Saturday  
6:30 p.m. Vigil Mass  
Confession: Before Mass**

### **CLASSES**

**Adult Christian Initiation  
Deacon Mike Denton**

If you are interested in learning more about our Catholic Faith and or becoming a Catholic, call the Parish Office.

**Religious Education  
Genevieve Rivera**

Faith formation prepares students Pre-K-12 for the Sacraments of Reconciliation, 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion and Confirmation. This is a comprehensive program in which students will continue to learn about our practices and beliefs as Roman Catholics.

**Teen Sacraments  
Deacon Bill Polakowski**

If your teenager is in need of Confirmation or another Sacrament, contact the Parish Office.

### **SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS**

#### **Reconciliation**

Monday - Saturday morning  
30 minutes before ALL MASSES  
Saturday from 8:15 - 8:55 a.m. 3:30 - 4:55 p.m.  
Sunday from 7:30 - 7:55 a.m.  
4:30 - 4:55 p.m.  
Or anytime by appointment.

#### **Baptism**

Parents requesting baptism for their children are required to:

- \* Pre-register at the Parish Office.
- \* Bring a copy of the child's birth certificate.
- \* Parents and Godparents are required to attend one baptism prep class.

Held on the first Tuesday of the month in English, last Tuesday of the month in Spanish.

#### **Marriage**

Please make arrangements at the Parish Office six months in advance.

#### **Anointing of the Sick:**

1<sup>st</sup> Friday of each month after the 9:00am and 12:05pm Masses or as needed by calling the Parish Office.

### **LIBRARY HOURS**

Tuesday 10:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.  
Thursday 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Sunday 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.



Please visit our website, [www.standrewsv.org](http://www.standrewsv.org) and go to the “resources” tab and select “On-line giving”. It’s easy, fast and secure.

**Helpline: 800-348-2886**

Read the bulletin online @ [www.standrewsv.org](http://www.standrewsv.org)



Find us on the Web:

**[www.standrewsv.org](http://www.standrewsv.org)**



View our daily and Sunday Masses on- line

## Welcome to St. Andrew the Apostle Parish



Please join us for **Bible Study** each week in Madonna Hall. *Come and learn with us!*

Tuesday mornings: 9:45-11:00 a.m.

Wednesday evenings: 7:00-8:00 p.m.

When you scan this QR Code you are able to make a donation to Parish’s general fund.

A receipt will be sent to you via e-mail.

This will be your only record, so please keep it.

*Thank you so much for your generosity!*



**SCAN ME**

*With open hearts we welcome all who have come to the house of the Lord. If you are new to the parish, please take time to stop by the office and register. Once registered, this implies that you will participate with our faith community at Sunday Liturgy and return to the Lord by sharing your time, talent, and treasure with His Church.*

*Thank You  
For Your  
Will to Give*



Your gift will support our life of prayer, and our prayer will be the gift we offer in return to support you and your loved ones.

### **FORM OF BEQUEST FOR A WILL:**

*I give, devise, and bequeath to Saint Andrew the Apostle Parish, 800 Taylor Dr. Sierra Vista, AZ 85635, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Arizona... (here state the amount of money or description of the property willed).*

**Bulletin Articles are DUE by:**

**12p.m. on Tuesday.**

**Please submit all announcements in**

**“PDF” or “WORD” Format to:**

**[bulletin@standrewsv.org](mailto:bulletin@standrewsv.org)**

### **MEMORIAL OPPORTUNITY**

You may memorialize a loved one in our Prayer Garden by purchasing a brick and having it engraved with their name. The cost is only \$200, and it will be placed in our beautiful Prayer Garden. Call Kate at the Parish Office for more information at 520-458-2925.

**Sign up for our St. Andrew's weekly update! Text the letters **StAndrewSV** to 84576**



## DID YOU KNOW....

what the word “CATHOLIC” means?

It means “UNIVERSAL”: the widest possible vision of who we are, with whom we pray, and how far we are willing to go to extend the riches of the Gospel of JESUS Christ!

*St. Andrew's/Good Shepherd* is a very CATHOLIC parish – because of YOU!

In November in response to a special appeal on behalf of the *Via Christi Society* of Priests – *Fr. Samuel's* Missionary Community in *Nigeria* – you donated over \$25,000 to support the Seminarians of *Via Christi* and to complete construction projects at their Seminary!

At the Thanksgiving Day Mass, you donated over \$3,000 to keep the doors of our local Homeless Shelter (*Good Neighbor Alliance*) open and serving our neighbors seeking “shelter from the storms of life”! In December, in response to the Appeal for our Retired Religious Sisters you donated over \$5,500!

Your support for Missionaries is also extraordinary: for our “sister parish” – *Mole St. Nicolas* in the *Diocese of Port-aux-Paix, Haiti*, in the village of *Beaudoin, Haiti*, you funded a new water system this year; with *Fr. Eduardo Guerrero* you have provided for pressing needs in the poor *Diocese of Santo Domingo, in Ecuador*, and with *Fr. Silas Bogati* you have kept Catholic Schools open in *Nepal*! *Bethlehem University* in the Holy Land is also a beneficiary of your generosity – through two Scholarships! *All* of these missions have benefited from your generosity this past year!

Here, in the “mission field” at home, you have responded enthusiastically! Through your extraordinary generosity, the *Ladies of St. Andrew's*, *Parish Social Concerns Committee*, *St. Vincent de Paul Society*, *Moms of Mercy*, *Operation Christmas Child*, *Catholic Community Services*, and many other apostolates, have been able to bless many, many people – and families – supporting *Care Net Crises Pregnancy Center*, and *Good Neighbor Alliance* in our own Community! You have generously supported our young FOCUS and NET Ministry missionaries in reaching out to High School and College students across the US.

You regularly and routinely support our *St. Vincent de Paul Society* and *Community Food Bank* with monthly offerings between \$6,000 and \$10,000! Extraordinary generosity!

And, of course, special thanks must be given to the *Knights of Columbus*, *Bishop Salpointe Council #4584* – who reach out in so many ways to meet needs in our Parish and Community.

Finally, your support for the *Annual Catholic Appeal* each year makes our Parish one of the leading donor-Parishes of our Diocese, and, because each year you surpass our Parish Goal, we are able to ‘fill the gap’ for less blessed Parishes and keep our Diocesan ministries funded, in these very difficult times for so many ‘on the margins of life’.

On a very personal note, we – your Priests, Deacons, and Staff – are overwhelmed by your generosity to us, especially at Christmas! We are unbelievably blessed by your many, many kind expressions of love and support – the cards, spiritual bouquets, food and gifts, have filled and overflowed the Rectory, Office – and our hearts!!! THANK YOU!

## Readings for the week of January 7, 2024

### Sunday:

Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13  
see 11)/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

### Monday:

Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 (3)/1  
Jn 5:1-9/Mk 1:7-11

### Tuesday:

1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/  
Mk 1:21-28

### Wednesday:

1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a,  
8b-9, 10/Mk 1:29-39

### Thursday:

1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/  
Mk 1:40-45

### Friday:

1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/  
Mk 2:1-12

### Saturday:

1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/  
Mk 2:13-17

## Saints and Special Observances

### Monday:

The Baptism of the Lord

### Saturday:

St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor  
of the Church

## Weekly Offering

**St. Andrew: \$22,001.29**

**Good Shepherd: \$74**

*2nd Collection January 14th :  
Bethlehem University*

**Please Silence  
Your Cell Phone**





# THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." - Mt 2:1-2

## SUNDAY JANUARY 7th

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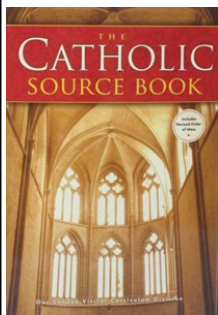
### M A S S I N T E N T I O N S

Saturday, January 6th	
Jeanette & Felix Soto Legion of Mary	<u>9:00AM</u> Family Curia
+Luciano Lopez Carol O'Donogue	<u>5:00PM</u> Wysong Family Dicky Family
Brandon & Kimi Olsen	<u>6:30PM GSM</u> Powers Family
SUNDAY, January 7th	
+John Malarchik +Matilde Cruz	<u>8:00AM</u> Meny & Rosie Bernal Cruz Family
Fred Barley +Pedro & +Emiliana Rivera <u>+Michael Rosado</u>	<u>10:00AM</u> Family Frank & Laura Liebsch Family
The Communities of St. Andrew &	<u>12:00PM</u> Good Shepherd Mission
+Javier Portillo +Maurice Taillie	<u>5:00PM</u> Dcn. Lauro & Lupita Taillie Family
Monday, January 8th	
+Deacon Bob Sadorf +Francisca & Armagastes Abugho	<u>9:00AM</u> Rita Thompson Familia
Maria Shepherd +Robin Wright	<u>12:00AM</u> Ed Graveline Jesus y Alicia Velarde
Tuesday, January 9th	
+Justin Syphurs +Felicitas Oquendo	<u>9:00AM</u> Deborah Syphurs Eladia Arnim
Meny & Rosie Bernal +Juluis A. Rodriguez	<u>12:00PM</u> Family Eladia Arnim
Wednesday, January 10th	
+Ana Maria Barley Hyon Guffey	<u>9:00AM</u> Family SVDP
+Ellen Reed +Anita Fernandez	<u>12:00PM</u> 1st. Anniversary Valencia Family

Thursday, January 11th	
+Edward Earnest Wety +Earl & +Inez Abel	<u>9:00AM</u> Family Joe & Fran Abel
Frank Portillo +Tom Carteaux	<u>12:00PM</u> Birthday Lorraine Draeger
Friday, January 12th	
+John Malarchik +Ma Linda Jugoo Alcasid	<u>9:00AM</u> Nancy & Jim Johnson Rubi Farkas
+Maria Alicia Terán +Nancy Hessler	<u>12:00PM</u> Dcn. Lauro & Lupita Terán Diane & Glenn McDaniel
Saturday, January 13th	
+Nancy Hessler Carmelite Community	<u>9:00AM</u> 1st. Anniversary Benefactor
+Mathew McCormick +John Malarchik	<u>5:00PM</u> 1st. Anniversary Veronica Romero
+All Babies' Souls +Clergy and Religious Souls	<u>6:30PM GSM</u> Friend Friend
SUNDAY, January 14th	
+Bob Rogers Karen Acosta	<u>8:00AM</u> Dicky Family SVDP-OLM
+Roberto & +Herlinda Aguilar +Louis Gawdreau Cursillo Movement	<u>10:00AM</u> Roberto Aguilar Adeline Gawdreau School of Leaders
Charles Benge +Hector Villalobos	<u>12:00PM</u> Family Wife
The Communities of St. Andrew &	<u>5:00PM</u> Good Shepherd Mission



**CATHOLIC QUIZ:** *This week's Question: "Who were the 'Wise Men'?"*



*The Answer to Last Week's Question: "What is the tradition of lighting candles in the home at Christmas?"* During the English persecution of the Church in Ireland – the time of the 'Penal Laws' – seeking the eradication of Catholicism, 'outlawed' Catholic priests were driven to visiting homes in secret, where Mass could be said at night, or only with the greatest precautions. At Christmas time, Catholic families would leave their door unlocked and put candles in the windows – to guide expected priests and the Faithful to these 'safe houses'. And patrolling English soldiers, noticing the open doors and lit candles, were simply told that it was to welcome Mary and Joseph on Christmas. The soldiers dismissed the story as 'harmless Catholic superstition, and the 'safe house' was safe for the priest to celebrate Mass! The trimming of the "Christmas Candle" is still an important tradition in many Irish homes!

If you would like to be as smart as the "Quiz Master" — you can purchase a copy of the Catholic Source Book, available in the Parish Office.

**SOUL FOOD:**

"In the ordinary providence of your everyday lives, you are the Church and you have the grace. You have the capacity and you are conditioned to make yourself responsible for the Catholic Church – at home, in the street care coming and going to work, in your place of employment. Where you are – there is the Church!"

**Congratulations to:**

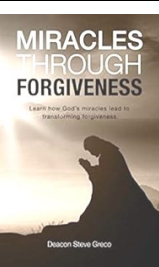
**Grayson Barkume Taylor  
Leopold Otto Barker  
Josiel Adhair Santillan  
Augustus Joseph Graveline**



**For receiving the Holy Sacrament of Baptism  
in the month of November, 2023**

*Congratulations to Ann Dickson, who was nominated by Fr. Greg to serve a new three-year term as St. Andrew's Corporate Board Secretary. In accordance with Diocesan guidelines, a notice of this nomination was published in the Parish bulletin and through pulpit announcements. Since there were no additional nominations, Ann will continue as Parish Corporate Board Secretary for a new term beginning on January 20, 2024.*

*When you see her, please extend your thanks to Ann for all she does to support our parish, and especially for her willingness to continue as Corporate Board Secretary.*



**From Your Parish Library**

***Miracles Through Forgiveness***, by Deacon Steve Greco. "Lack of forgiveness is like a poison to our soul. When we learn how to forgive, it leads to grace upon grace and God's miracles. This book teaches how to ask for forgiveness and to experience abundant life!" This book teaches the reader not only how to forgive others, but to forgive yourself and learn the powerful forgiveness of God.

## Cor ad Cor Loquitur

Heart Speaks to Heart



**Calling all men 18 and older.**

**Join us for a Cor Dialog – an hour of Faith, Formation and Fraternity**

**When: Saturday January 20, 2024**

**Where: St Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church, 800 Taylor Drive, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635**

**When: After the 9:00 AM Mass**

What: Cor is Latin for “heart”. The inspiration for this name is drawn from the expression “cor ad cor loquitur”, “heart speaks to heart.” This was the episcopal motto of St. John Henry Newman and a variation of St. Francis de Sales “cor cordi loquitur.” This phrase holds multiple meanings. How God speaks to man, how man speaks to man, and how man speaks to God. . As brothers in Christ and members of his holy Church, we understand the importance and necessity of how the masculine heart speaks to each other within true Christian friendship. True Christian friendship, that is committed to building each other up in imitation of Christ, is a crucial component of a vibrant Catholic life.

Any Questions? Contact Larry Powers (702) 827-8135, [lapowers1@msn.com](mailto:lapowers1@msn.com)

### Contributions Statements

For those of you who itemize your tax deductions and would like a Contributions Statement for your donations to St. Andrew the Apostle Parish, please call the office to request one. You may then pick it up at your convenience or ask that it be mailed to you. We will not be printing or sending statements unless you request one. Online Giving donors may sign into the web site, <https://www.osvhub.com/standrewsv/giving/funds> and then the Account tab and print a copy of your donations made through Online Giving.

### OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

“Do not be afraid, for you have found favor with God.” Consider following Christ more closely as a priest or in consecrated life. Talk to your priest or reach out to Deacon Bill at: [bsaski@live.com](mailto:bsaski@live.com)

“No temas, porque has allado favor ante Dios”. Considere seguir a Cristo más de cerca como sacerdote o en la vida consagrada. Hable con su Sacerdote o comuníquese con el Diácono Lauro Terán por correo electrónico:

[deaconlaurot@standrewsv.org](mailto:deaconlaurot@standrewsv.org)



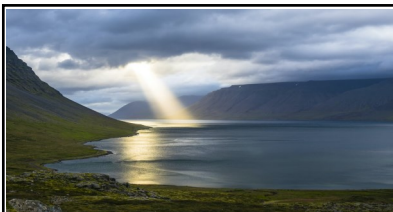
The Roman Catholic  
Diocese of Tucson

### SOMETHING GREAT JUST GOT BETTER!

Taxpayers contributed over \$12 million dollars to Arizona’s Catholic Tuition Support Organization (CTSO) last year and provided tuition scholarships for students in schools throughout the Diocese of Tucson.

Thank you!

For additional information brochures are in the vestibule or visit: [www.ctso-tucson.org](http://www.ctso-tucson.org) for online giving.



Acompáñenos a  
noches de Alabanza  
miércoles a las 7 p.m. en la  
Capilla de la Divina Misericordia

## THE LADIES OF SAINT ANDREW THE APOSTLE CHURCH



**JANUARY 8, 2024 MEETING!**

**TO ALL THE WOMEN OF THE PARISH OF ALL AGES  
BIENVENIDO! MABUHAY! ALOHA! WILLKOMMEN!  
PLEASE JOIN US IN FAITH, FUN, AND FELLOWSHIP!  
When: Monday JANUARY 8, 2024 at 5:30 PM**

Where: Madonna Hall

Main Topic: DISCUSS POSSIBLE DONATIONS FROM PROCEEDS  
FROM THE BAZAAR AND SAINT NICHOLAS FAIR



Fran Cassidy – President 520-803-0298  
Viollaunda Ruiz - Vice President 520-456-7870  
Mary Ellen Lewis – Treasurer 520-458-4869  
Rita Thompson –Secretary 520-459-0918

**Alive in Christ**

## New Year's Charismatic Mass 2024

**Thursday, January 11th, at 6:45 PM**

*"Whenever you begin any good work you should first of all make a most pressing appeal to Christ our Lord to bring it to perfection."*  
- St Benedict

Therefore if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old things have passed away. Behold, all things have become new.  
2 Corinthians 5:17



- Lively praise & worship
- Praise reports
- Prayers for your intentions



Fr Bala Kommathoti

**Invite your family & friends!**

- Attend in person at: Our Lady of La Vang Parish, at St. Frances Cabrini Church, 3201 E. Presidio Rd., Tucson
- Or Join on Zoom, Meeting ID: **814 4930 0841**  
Passcode: **352734**

View this using Zoom app on a computer / tablet / smart phone,  
Or listen on a traditional phone: Dial (346) 248 7799 or (669) 900 9128 (*not toll-free*)  
-If you have problems joining the meeting, please text Diana at: 520-981-8800.  
- For Zoom training videos, and videos of past meetings, go to [TucsonCCR.org](http://TucsonCCR.org)

## The Breaking of the Bread

*In the earliest Church: "...they devoted themselves...to the breaking of the bread and to the prayers..." Acts 2:42*



**9 AM Mass, Sat, January 27, 2024 at**

**St Andrew the Apostle Church**

800 N. Taylor Drive,  
Sierra Vista, AZ

*Followed by*

**Pot Luck Brunch, in Kino Hall, and  
Charismatic prayer meeting with  
Eucharistic Adoration, in  
The Divine Mercy Chapel**

**All are Welcomed Bring a Friend & *your Bible***

For info, call Kathleen or Phil  
(520-459-0669),

***No charge; Please come even if  
you cannot bring any food!***

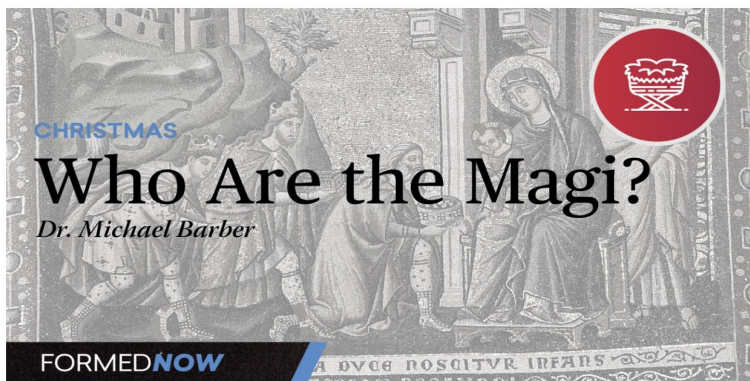


The Catechism of the Catholic Church says in #1816 All, however, must be prepared to confess Christ before men and to follow him along the way of the Cross, amidst the persecutions which the Church never lacks." **Service of and witness to the faith are necessary for salvation:** We have bricks that look like fish nets outside our Church. Those are evangelization nets because our Bulletin says "I will make you Fishers of Men". As Catholics, we are to go and share our faith in these trying times. St. Paul Street Evangelization has many new things on its site. How to Share Your Faith and a new one called "Healing in Evangelization."

Go to <https://stpaulsevangalization.com/> and click on the street evangelization link. Then click on "I want to learn how to share my faith" Then click on "Support the School" it will take you to a donation page and if you can make a donation please do, but if you can't then click on the "More Pledge Options" and scroll to the bottom where it says "FREE ACCOUNT". They will ask you once more for a donation but click on the FREE ACCOUNT and then give your name and email address and you are in.

**FORMED**

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## Who Are the Magi?

In this FORMED Now! special episode, Dr. Michael Barber sits down to reflect on the Magi from the Gospel accounts and what spiritual lessons can be learned from this historical event recorded in Scripture.

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Visit [formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup) and select our parish.  
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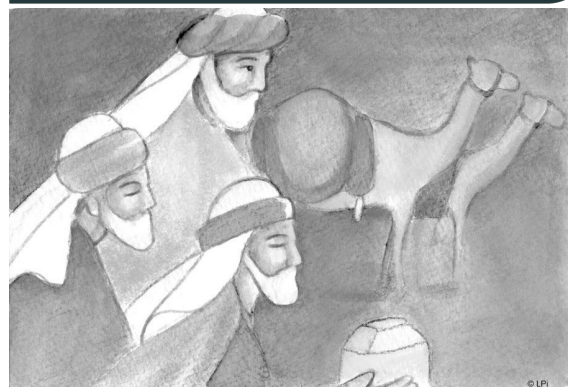
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## Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Though the magi did not know where the star of Bethlehem would lead, they trusted that God would be with them along the way. Let us all embrace that same faith as we go about the journey God has planned for us this year.



**El Grupo del Rosario Hispano  
los invita a rezar con ellos,  
todos los lunes  
a las 7 p.m. en la Capilla de  
la Divina Misericordia.**

## REPORT ABUSE

### Call 911

- Call law enforcement to make a report.
- If the abuse happened in Arizona, call the Police or Sheriff's Office in the specific area.
- If the abuse happened in any other state, call the Police or Sheriff's Office in the specific area of that state.
- Call the diocese in which the abuse happened.

**If the abuse happened in the Diocese of Tucson,** call the Victim Assistance Program of the Diocese of Tucson at **520-623-0344** (**1-800-234-0344** in Arizona) and/or the Office of Child, Adolescent and Adult Protection of the Diocese of Tucson at **520-838-2513**.

<https://www.diocesetucson.org/reportabuse>

# Eucharistic Day of Discernment

FOR YOUNG ADULT CATHOLIC WOMEN

**January 20<sup>th</sup>**  
**San Xavier Mission**



**Discernment  
Reflections, Prayer,  
Adoration and a Meal  
with Franciscan Sisters  
of Christian Charity**



Visit [fscc-calledtobe.org](https://fscc-calledtobe.org)  
for more information  
and to register



**Text or call Sr. Mary Ann**  
**920-320-1627**

**FRANCISCAN SISTERS**  
*of Christian Charity*

**God Calls You. We Invite You**



GriefShare is a nondenominational program that features biblical teachings that focuses on grief associated with the death of a loved one. The DVD seminar features nationally respected grief experts, workbook and group discussions about what the DVD and your grief process.

Many grieving people find they are only beginning the work of healing when friends or family have returned to their daily life routines. Your bereavement experience may be recent or not so recent.

You will find encouragement, comfort, and help in grieving the death of a spouse, child, parent, sibling, other family member, or friend. No matter what the cause of your loved one's death, this is an opportunity to be around people who understand what you are feeling and how your life has changed.

GriefShare support group meets every Wednesday Dec 6th - Feb 28th, 2024, in Madonna Hall, room #3 from 5:00pm to 6:30 pm., Saint Andrews Church .

To register or for questions or to speak with a GriefShare Facilitator please call 520-458-2925.

## **Are you looking for a way to enrich your prayer life in 2024?**

Come join us every Tuesday afternoon at 3:00p.m.  
an St. Andrew the Apostle Church to pray:

- \* The Divine Mercy Chaplet
- \* The Seven Sorrows Rosary
- \* The Golden Arrow Prayer
- \* The Litany of the Month (January Litany: Holy Name of Jesus)

*All materials and Rosaries are provided free of charge!*



Walking with  
*Moms* in Need

# | Pray for *Moms*



## INTERCEDE



## PRAY

*Our Father, 3 Hail Marys, Glory Be*

## REFLECT

Each year on January 1 the Church celebrates the Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God. When we approach the manger to adore the infant Son of God, we cannot help but recognize that Mary is indeed *Mother of God*. The holy Nativity calls us to meditate more deeply on the mystery that God used the womb of a woman to bring salvation to the world.

This feast of Mary reminds us of the great miracle of motherhood, and it reveals how God has elevated and sanctified the vocation of mothers. We therefore invite the Blessed Mother to guide us as we seek a deeper understanding of the difficulties of motherhood. We pray that through her intercession each of our hearts may be renewed with empathy and increased awareness of the challenges that so many mothers face in welcoming and caring for the gift of life. May Our Blessed Mother inspire in us a desire and resolve to increase our compassionate care and support of mothers in need.

## ACT *(choose one)*

- Pray the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Life ([bit.ly/mother-of-life](http://bit.ly/mother-of-life)) for the featured intention.
- Create a list of ways that you can personally increase your support of mothers in need. Take your list to prayer, asking the Lord for guidance on what he is asking of you and the grace to faithfully respond.
- Offer some other sacrifice or prayer that you feel called to do for the featured intention.

## ONE STEP FURTHER

Learn more about the challenges that mothers face and the inspiration for *Walking with Moms in Need* in this brief article: [bit.ly/wwwmin-inspiration](http://bit.ly/wwwmin-inspiration)

## DID YOU KNOW?

Each year on January 22, the Church in the United States observes a Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children ([respectlife.org/january-22](http://respectlife.org/january-22)). As individuals, we are each called to observe this day through the penitential practices of prayer, fasting and/or giving alms.

For additional prayers, resources, and ideas on supporting mothers in your local area:

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