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Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 16, 2018

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Sunday Mass Times

Saturday 5:30pm Vigil Patagonia

8:00am Sonoita

10:30am Patagonia

Daily Mass

Tuesday – 5:30pm

Wednesday – Friday 8:00am

Confessions

Saturday – 4:00pm to 4:30pm

Announcements

- Join us for the St. Therese Feast Day celebration on Sunday, September 30th following the 10:30am Mass in the church hall. Please bring a dish to share. A sign-up sheet will be in the church entrance. Teens enrolled in Catechism, please contact Margie if you can help set up and/or take down the morning of the event. Credit hours will be made available. Text Margie at (520) 841-2607.

Announcements

- The 9 day novena in honor of St. Therese of Lisieux will begin on Sunday September 23. Prayer leaders are still needed for the following days: September 27, 29, 30 & October 1.

Prayer Request

Steve Biddle
Millie Benedict
Ramon Quiroga
Rafael Padilla
Dora Barela
Walter Wolosik
Virginia Fain
LT Schroeder & Family
Nancy Swyers
Bob Bilodeau
Dr. Jesse
Cruz Quiroga
Sadie G.
Joseph Hann
Waclaw Wolosik
Don Wilson Jr.
Pelagia Wolosik
Ana Maria Miranda
Bill Swyers
Jeannette Swyers
Harold Swyers
John Swyers
Don Witt
Art Pena
Delfina Madrid
Amelia Barrios

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Lord GOD is my help; who will prove me wrong? (Isaiah 50:5-9a).

Psalm — I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living (Psalm 116).

Second Reading — Faith, if it does not have works, is dead (James 2:14-18).

Gospel — Jesus asked his disciples, "Who do you say that I am?" (Mark 8:27-35).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-10, 17;
Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1-5;
Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31 — 13:13; Ps 33:2-5, 12, 22;
Lk 7:31-35
Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28;
Lk 7:36-50
Friday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13
Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-14;
Lk 8:4-15
Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-8; Jas 3:16 — 4:3;
Mk 9:30-37

A Word from Fr. George

I want to remind everyone that our program by Bishop Barron on The Mass continues every Thursday at 5:30 pm in the parish hall. A great number of Catholics choose not to participate in the celebration of the Mass. As we understand the Mass more fully perhaps, when given the opportunity, we can draw family and friends back to the Source and Summit of our faith. God Bless, Fr. George.

CCD NEWS

- Registration for the 2018-2019 school year is ongoing Sundays after 10:30 am Mass.
- Classes began on Wednesday September 5, 3:30 pm.
- Confirmation parents and those to be confirmed meeting on Sunday Sept. 23 after 10:30 am Mass.

BINGO NEWS

New Bingo Season Starting Monday September 17, parish hall 6:00 pm
Join us for food, fun & drinks!

Week of 09/09/18	Patagonia	Sonoita	Total
Regular Offering	\$1,092.00	\$616.00	\$1,708.00
Goal			\$1,650.00
Over /Under Goal			\$58.00
2 nd Collection- CCD Program	\$84.00	\$238.00	\$322.00

Parish Office Hours

Monday 11:00am – 1:00pm
 Tuesday 8:30am-12:30pm
 Wednesday 8:30am – 10:30am
 Thursday 8:30am – 12:30 pm
 Friday **Closed**

Upcoming 2nd Collections:
 September 16- Parish Priest Salary
 September 23- Dioc. Catholic Schools
 October 7- Parish Priest Salary

Mass Intentions

Sunday September 16, 2018 8:00am
 † Judith Kabara

Sunday September 16, 2018 10:30am
 † Marilou Kelly

Tuesday September 18, 5:30pm
 † Arcenio Lorta

Friday September 21, 8:00am
 † Cecilia M. Miranda

Sacramental Life

Baptism: Contact Parish Office one month prior to desired date
Confirmation: Contact Parish Office for information and schedule
Marriage: Contact Fr. George at least 6 months prior to desired date

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

. In this country, we don't name our churches "The Fourth Avenue Catholic Church," but rather seek a patron saint or mystery of faith. We inherit this tradition from an old Roman custom via medieval England. Interestingly, that has not been the practice elsewhere, and parishes abroad often do carry just the name of the neighborhood. In Ireland, the Roman (English) practices didn't take hold, and so churches are known simply by the street they are on, or by a nickname. Saint Francis of Assisi in Dublin is often called "Adam and Eve" after a pub in the same street. The pub sign is an interesting carving of our first parents, so they become patrons by default.

Increasingly in the United States, we are seeing a familiar European pattern emerge when a few churches, each bearing the name of a patron saint or mystery, are gathered into one parish that bears a different name. Thus, we might hear of a parish of "Midvalley City" comprised of Saint Mary, Saint Francis, and Saint Ursula churches. Once a church has been consecrated, its name may not normally be changed. Therefore, when parishes are merged, a new name is given to the parish, which may or may not be that of a heavenly patron, but the church buildings retain their names. In the process, we have lost sight of some worthy patrons of old, but have also seen new parishes open dedicated to twentieth-century saints like Edith Stein, Katharine Drexel, and Mother Teresa.