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Fourth Sunday of Lent March 31, 2019

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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 9:00am

Confessions

Saturday – 4:00pm to 4:30pm

- **Daily Mass changes to 8:00 am as of Wednesday April 3.**
- **St. Therese Stations of The Cross Fridays at 6:00pm during Lent.**
- **Penance Service Sunday April 14, 3:00pm**

Prayer Request

Ana Paola Melendez
 Henry Ramirez
 Daren and Becky
 Pam D.
 Estela Padilla
 Dick Klosterman
 Ana Maria Miranda
 Steve Biddle
 Dora Barela
 Walter Wolosik
 Nancy Swyers
 Bob Bilodeau
 Dr. Jesse
 Cruz Quiroga
 Sadie G.
 Joseph Hann
 Waclaw Wolosik
 Don Wilson Jr.
 Pelagia Wolosik
 Bill Swyers
 Jeannette Swyers
 Harold Swyers
 John Swyers
 Don Witt
 Art Pena
 Delfina Madrid
 Amelia Barrios

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Israelites ate of the yield of the land of Canaan (Joshua 5:9a, 10-12) *or* 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a.

Psalm — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34) *or* Psalm 23.

Second Reading — Whoever is in Christ is a new creation (2 Corinthians 5:17-21) *or* Ephesians 5:8-14.

Gospel — This man welcomes sinners and eats with them (Luke 15:1-3, 11-32) *or* John 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38].

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from *Lectionary for Mass* © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18;
 Jn 5:17-30

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23;
 Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53

Sunday: Is 43:16-21; Ps 126:1-6; Phil 3:8-14;
 Jn 8:1-11
 Alternate readings (Year A):
 Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11;
 Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today, “Laetare Sunday,” breaks the somberness of Lent for a little rejoicing, and the readings all summon us to an awareness of reconciliation. One of the best-loved stories of our tradition is today’s Gospel story of the runaway son and the prodigal father. Prodigal, of course, is an adjective meaning “spendthrift or extravagant to a degree bordering on recklessness,” and although the boy maxes out the credit cards, it is really the father who is prodigal with forgiveness.

Part of the excitement of this Laetare Sunday is rooted in the ancient catechumenate. Long ago, midway through Lent, the “elect” were focusing more and more on the gift of reconciliation accomplished for them by Christ and about to be realized in the Easter sacraments they were preparing to celebrate. In some places, the elect were even bedecked with roses on this day. A person bedecked with roses sticks out in a crowd; a person formed by the Eucharist and committed to living a life of reconciliation does, too. That’s you!

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CCD NEWS

- Classes Wednesday from 3:30 pm- 4:30pm
- Youth confirmation class March 31, 2019 after 10:30am Mass

BINGO.....MONDAY APRIL 1, 6:00 PM

Week of 03/24/19	Patagonia	Sonoita	Total
Regular Offering	\$840.00	\$463.00	\$1,303.00
Goal			\$1,650.00
Over /Under Goal			\$(347.00)
2 nd Collection- Poor & Needy	\$154.48	\$118.00	\$272.48
Upcoming 2 nd Collections:	March 31- April 7- April 14- April 28-	Parish Priest Salary Parish Priest Salary Parish Priest Salary Home Missions	

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**

Mass Intentions

Saturday March 30, 5:30pm
Missa Pro Populo

Sunday March 31, 8:00am
Norma H.

Sunday March 31, 10:30am
Missa Pro Populo

Sacramental Life

Baptism: Contact Parish Office one month prior to the desired date

Confirmation: Contact Parish Office for information and schedule

Marriage: Contact Fr. George at least 6 months prior to desired date

OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS –SERVICES DURING LENT

Mass: 9:00am Tuesdays, Stations of The Cross: Fridays 3:00pm

❖ Breakfast will be served after 8:00am Mass on Easter Sunday.

St. Therese Parish Rummage Sale
April 12-14. If you would like to donate any items for
this sale please contact
Telma Gonzalez at 520-360-4140 or
Ramon at the parish office to arrange delivery. .