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The Ascension of The Lord June 2, 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 8:00am

Confessions

Saturday – 4:00pm to 4:30pm

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The paschal candle, blessed at the Easter Vigil, carried in procession into the darkened church, and aflame with the light of Christ to be passed hand to hand to renew our baptism, burns for the fifty days of Easter whenever we gather as Christ's risen body. In the last fifty years, we have grown to see this candle as the sign of Christ's enduring presence with us. Before then, it was often seen more as a kind of signpost pointing backwards to events in Christ's life. Therefore, in some places, on the fortieth day after Easter, in order to portray the disappearance of Jesus at the Ascension, the candle was hidden.

Now we see the paschal candle as a sign of the great baptismal season of grace and it remains in a prominent place throughout the entire fifty days. We do know of some churches that did not hide the candle after the Ascension. In England before the Reformation, the candle was left in place for fifty days, since on Pentecost Eve there was a vigil, and the candle was used to consecrate the waters of the font. In Salisbury cathedral, the candle was thirty-six feet high, and in Westminster Abbey weighed over three hundred pounds. On Pentecost, the candles were melted to make tapers for the funerals of the poor.

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Prayer Request

Paul Mihalik, Sr.
Alicia Martinez
Ana Paola Melendez
Daren and Becky
Pam D.
Estela Padilla
Dick Klosterman
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 — Because Stephen professes his faith in the Son of Man, he is stoned to death (Acts 7:55-60).

Psalm — The Lord is king, the most high over all the earth (Psalm 97).

Second Reading — I, the Alpha and the Omega, am coming soon (Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20).

Gospel — Jesus prays that the love of the Father may be in those who believe (John 17:20-26).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab;
Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21;
Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab;
Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11;
Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab;
Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7;
Jn 21:20-25

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or
Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35,
27-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34;
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17;
Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

ANGEL WINGS THRIFT & GIFT SHOP

Will be closed for the month of June. Re-opening Thursday July 11, 2019.
Please hold your donations during this time. Do not drop off at the shop.
Thank you.

Religious Education for the 2019-2020 school year,
Class registration will start in July 2019.

New Bingo Season will begin September 2019.

Week of 05/26/19	Patagonia	Sonoita	Total
Regular Offering	\$740.00	\$331.00	\$1,071.00
Goal			\$1,650.00
Over /Under Goal			\$(579.00)
2 nd Collection- Parish Priest Salary	\$249.00	\$155.00	\$404.00

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: June 2- June 9- June 16- Cath. Communications Camp. Poor & Needy Parish Priest Salary

Mass Intentions

Saturday June 1, 5:30pm
Paul Mihalik, Sr.

Sunday June 2, 8:00am
Missa Pro Populo

Sunday June 2, 10:30 am
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 the Parish Office at least 6 months Prior to the desired date

St. Therese Parish Fundraiser

Win a Mercedes Benz

1985 300-D (Diesel)

320,753 Miles, One Owner

\$20.00/Ticket

Only 100 Tickets Will Be Sold

Drawing when 100 Tickets are sold or July 4th whichever comes first

See Ramon at the Office or Steve Finch