

# Holy Nativity Catholic Church

"Knowledge, love and service to God."

## Weekly Schedule

Monday Mass: Noon

"Lead me, O Lord, in Your righteousness."

Tuesday Mass: Noon

"I will greatly rejoice in the Lord."

Wednesday Mass 10 am

"Hear, O daughter, consider, and incline your ear."

Thursday Mass: Noon

"Lead me, Lord, in the way everlasting."

Friday Mass: Noon

"How lovely is Your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts!"

Saturday: no Mass

Sunday Mass: 8 am and 10 am

**Confession:** one hour before every mass except the 8 am Sunday Mass and as requested. *Don't hesitate!*

**Holy Hour:** The Holy Eucharist will be unveiled for adoration one hour before each of the weekday masses.

## Announcements

**Phone number:** Please update your records, the church has a new phone number: (928) 363-1028. My cell phone number remains the same.

Financial Report to the Parish

	Income	Expense	Parish Reserve Fund
July	6936	6705	Target 100,000
Aug	8304	9307	Balance 61,678

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1414 North Easy Street, Payson, Arizona 85541

The Most Rev. Steven J Lopes—Bishop

The Rev. Fr. Joseph F Vieira—Pastor

The Rev Mr. Tom Fox —Deacon

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*A Catholic Church under the Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter*



## THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

SEPTEMBER 6, 2020

SUNDAY, 10:00 AM

# Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

September 6, 2020

Rev. Fr. Joseph F. Vieira, Celebrant

## Responsorial Psalm

**“O that today you would listen to His voice! Harden not your hearts.”**

## Hymns

Out of an abundance of caution we will not have congregational singing for the next few weeks. This does not exclude the Great Amen at the end of the Eucharistic Prayer and other responses to the end of prayers.

## Communion is taken by intinction

The Host is dipped in the Precious Blood and placed on the tongue.

If you wish NOT to receive the Precious Blood, place your finger over your lips.

When the Priest comes to you, he will give you the Host only.

## Prayer Requests

For the conversion of sinners.

To place requests call Fr. Vieira at 512-815-4760

or email at frvieira.holynativity@gmail.com

## Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Fellowship will be suspended until further notice

## A message from Father Vieira.....

Have you ever gone out to eat with friends at a restaurant and experienced that awkward moment when you start to pray before the meal? It is often the moment you gain an insight into the spiritual health of a family. Now, granted, when I was growing up, in certain situations my mother would suggest we say our grace privately by suggesting that we “scratch our eyebrows”. Since then we have thrown caution to the wind. Prayer before meals is part of the rhythm of life and is not to be shortcut. This is not a prayer so long and convoluted that the meal is cold before the amen is pronounced. But we must remember that this is the way we teach the next generations the importance of their faith. This prayer in common with the family demonstrates to children that God is waiting to hear from them even in thanksgiving for a meal. In the Gospel, our Lord tells us “wherever two or more are gathered in My name, there I am in the midst of them.” Parents who demonstrate for their children the value of gathering as a family for prayer will see their children develop a sense of the centrality of God in their lives. He will truly be “...in their midst.”

This does not suggest that private prayer is to be ignored. Jesus repeatedly in His life and teaching demonstrated the value of time in prayer alone with God. This time can be greatly enhanced through time spent together with family or close friends in communal prayer. Our family prayer should not be restricted to prayer before meals. Another valuable daily prayer is the family Rosary. As Pope St. John Paul II told us in “Rosarium Virginis Mariae” the Rosary is a “prayer of and for the family.”

## Who Are We?!

**Holy Nativity Catholic Church** is a member of an administrative structure [“ordinariate”] under the Roman Catholic Church offering one of three forms of the Mass in the Latin Rite. With guidance and encouragement of Pope Benedict XVI, we were formed to accommodate the traditions of the Anglican communities as they entered in the Catholic Church, in full communion with Rome. All Catholics are welcome!

