



**St. Thomas the Apostle
Parish
DECEMBER 4, 2022**

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Parochial Vicar

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Pastor Emeritus

*Fr. Ken Wolfe, Deacon Joe Cruz,
Deacon Phil Garcia, Deacon Ed Sheffer*
Pastoral Associates

MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY OBLIGATION MASSES - CHURCH

**Friday, *5:00 p.m., Saturday, 5:00p.m.,
Sunday, 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 5:00 p.m.**
*Masks Required

**ADDITIONAL HOLYDAY MASSES THIS WEEK
- CHURCH**

*Vigil, Wednesday, Dec. 7, 5:30 p.m.
Thursday, Dec. 8, 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 6:30 p.m.*

DAILY MASSES Monday-Saturday - CHAPEL

Divine Mercy Chaplet/ Rosary 7:15
Mass 8:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Tues., Thurs. before Mass; Wed. after Mass
4:15 Saturdays Parish Hall & By Appointment
ciyorembor@diocesetucson.org (Fr. Callistus)

**RENTAL, UTILITY OR GROCERY
ASSISTANCE**

Contact our St. Vincent de Paul Conference
577-8780, x 171

PARISH OFFICE

(Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.)

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FAX..... 577-0441
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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

By appointment only

Telephone 577-8780, ext. 124

PRESCHOOL/KINDERGARTEN

Telephone 577-0503

*A complete Parish staff listing,
including phone numbers and email addresses,
can be found on the last page.*

BAPTISMS (Saturdays, 3:00 p.m.)—Please
contact the Parish Office.

MARRIAGES—Please call the Parish Office at
least six months in advance to begin preparations.

We, the faith community of St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church, commit ourselves to leading others to Christ by the lives we live each day. As intentional Roman Catholic Christians, our lives are centered and grounded in Christ in word, sacrament and action. We further commit ourselves to fulfill our personal call to holiness and discipleship thus reflecting the life and love of Christ in the world.



December 4, 2022
2nd Sunday of Advent

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 35:1-10/Ps 85/Lk 5:17-26
 Tuesday: Is 40:1-11/Ps 96/Mt 18:12-14
 Wednesday: Is 40:25-31/Ps 103/Mt 11:28-30
 Thursday: Gn 3:9-15, 20/Ps 98/
 Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38
 Friday: Is 48:17-19/Ps 1/Mt 11:16-19
 Saturday: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Ps 80/
 Mt 17:9a, 10-13
 Sunday: Is 35:1-6a, 10/Ps 146/Jas 5:7-10/
 Mt 11:2-11



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Jesus is the reason for the season! This Christmas slogan summarizes it well. This week and next week, we hear Sunday Gospels about Saint John the Baptist. He would agree. This time is about Jesus. Saint John's mission was to announce the coming of the Christ. No matter how many people came to listen to him or how many followed him as disciples, Saint John pointed to Jesus. "I am baptizing you with water, for repentance, but the one who is coming after me is mightier than I. I am not worthy to carry his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." [Matthew 3:11-12]

Sometimes, we may feel overwhelmed with the holidays. Our personal expectations or the expectations of others can weigh on us. I would suggest that as we shop for gifts, attend parties, decorate trees, and travel, it would be spiritually beneficial to hold onto "Jesus is the reason for the season." In simple ways, we can keep the focus on Christ's presence. That is, see God's love expressed in our gifting. At Christmas dinners, gatherings, and travel thank God for bringing family and friends together. And when decorating, not only set out a Nativity, but offer prayers before the scene of the Incarnation.

Yours truly in the Sacred Heart,
 Father Pat

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Patronal Feast Day of the United States of America—Holyday of Obligation

All in the Church:

Vigil, Wednesday, December 7, 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, December 8, 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. And 6:30 p.m.

The parish offices will be closed on December 8.

*Inputs for Bulletin for December 18 are due by ****December 5**** Please note change. Email elacomb@diocesetucson.org*



DECEMBER 2—DECEMBER 11

Friday	*5:00 p.m.	- Thomas P. McMahon † - Frank Barrett †
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	- Hildegard Elia † - Carlota Lopez Ramirez †
	5:00 p.m.	- Marty Ronstadt † - Michael Lacovara †
Sunday 12/4	7:30 a.m.	- Celia Rodriguez † - Terry Hitzler †
	9:30 a.m.	- Lawrence Balistreri † - Carlota Lopez Ramirez †
	11:30 a.m.	- For the People of St. Thomas
	5:00 p.m.	- Cosmo Ali † - Bill & Betty Vitalie†
Monday	8:00 a.m.	- Alvaro Tolentino † - Lyle Boyea, Sr. †
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	- Tita Huitron † - Eugenia Elia †
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	- Wally & Judy Austin - Intentions of Arden Maas
	5:30 p.m.	- Edward Bevacqua † - Ellen Cremin †
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	- Kathy Davis Ball † - Maria Tolentino †
	10:00 a.m.	- Mary Bognanno † - Mary Brushmiller †
	6:30 p.m.	- Dean Maas † - Dave Hentz †
Friday	8:00 a.m.	- Alma Buena Rillorta † - Ben Rillorta, Jr. †
	*5:00 p.m.	- Len Mahony, Jr. † - Frank Barrett †
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	- The Lindsay Family
	5:00 p.m.	- Ramon Murillo, III † - Jim Pratt †
Sunday 12/11	7:30 a.m.	- Delphine Colica † - Vivian Freeh †
	9:30 a.m.	- For the People of St. Thomas
	11:30 a.m.	- Larry McDonough Family - Intentions of Arden Maas
	5:00 p.m.	- Cosmo Ali † - Craig Brooks†

† deceased * Protocol Mass - masks required

READINGS CAN BE FOUND -

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MASS SCHEDULE

Friday, December 2	*5:00 p.m.	Fr. Callistus
Saturday, December 3	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Pat
	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Callistus
Sunday, December 4	7:30 a.m.	Fr. Pat
	9:30 a.m.	Fr. Pat
	11:30 a.m.	Fr. Ken
	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Callistus
Monday, December 5	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Pat
Tuesday, December 6	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Ken
Wednesday, December 7	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Callistus
	5:30 p.m.	Fr. Callistus
Thursday, December 8	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Ken
	10:00 a.m.	Fr. Ken
	6:30 p.m.	Fr. Pat
Friday, December 9	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Callistus
	*5:00 p.m.	Fr. Pat
Saturday, December 10	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Callistus
	5:00 p.m.	Msgr. Al
Sunday, December 11	7:30 a.m.	Fr. Callistus
	9:30 a.m.	Fr. Ken
	11:30 a.m.	Fr. Pat
	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Pat

Subject to change.

*** Protocol Mass - Masks required**

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: 2nd Sunday of Advent; St. John
Damascene, Priest and Doctor of the
Church



Tuesday: St. Nicholas, Bishop

Wednesday: St. Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor of
the Church

Thursday: The Immaculate Conception of the
Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday: St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatatzin

Saturday: Our Lady of Loreto

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON - O People of Sion,
behold, the Lord will come to save the nations, and the
Lord will make the glory of his voice heard in the joy of
your heart.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON - Jerusalem, arise
and stand upon the heights, and behold the joy which
comes to you from God.

THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4 CHILDRENS LITURGY /PANCAKE BREAKFAST/TAMALE SALES

8:30 a.m.	-Pancake Breakfast.....	Parish Hall
8:30 a.m.	-Religious Education Classes	Classrooms
12:30 p.m.	-RCIA.....	Room 6
3:00 p.m.	-Life Teen Choir.....	Church
4:00 p.m.	-Outside Communion.....	Courtyard
6:30 p.m.	-Life Teen.....	Classrooms/OLH

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5

7:15 a.m.	-Divine Mercy Chaplet, Rosary, Daily Mass [Monday-Saturday].....	CHAPEL
9:00 a.m.	-Endow	Room 6
11:30 a.m.	- NO Spanish Ministry	
12:30 p.m.	-Preschool Enrichment Activities.....	Room 00
3:00 p.m.	-Preschool Activity	Parish Hall
5:00 p.m.	-Boy/Girl Scouts	Campus
6:00 p.m.	-Knights/Ladies of Holy Sepulchre	Chapel/Rm6

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6

8:30 a.m.	-Fr. Ken's Advent Teaching Series	Chapel
9:00 a.m.	-"Chinese" Mahjong.....	O'Leary Hall
12:30 p.m.	-Preschool Enrichment Activities.....	Room 00
4:30 p.m.	-Religious Education Classes	Classrooms
6:00 p.m.	-LifeTeen Core Meeting.....	O'Leary Hall
7:00 p.m.	-SVDP	Conf. Room

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7

8:30 a.m.	-Adoration	Chapel
9:00 a.m.	-Room Mom Meetings	Room 3
10:00 a.m.	-Parish Staff Meeting.....	Conf. Room
12:00 p.m.	-Parish Staff Appreciation.....	Room 4
12:30 p.m.	-Preschool Enrichment Activities.....	Room 00
1:00 p.m.	-"American" Mahjong	O'Leary Hall
5:30 p.m.	-More Than Words	O'Leary Hall
5:30 p.m.	-Marian Club Meeting.....	Parish Hall
5:30 p.m.	-Immaculate Conception Vigil Mass.....	Church
6:30 p.m.	-Life Teen Confirmation.....	Classrooms/OLH
7:00 p.m.	-Acclamation Choir Practice	Church

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8

8:00 a.m.	-Immaculate Conception Mass.....	Church
9:00 a.m.	-Preschool Community Prayer	Chapel
10:00 a.m.	-Immaculate Conception Mass.....	Church
10:00 a.m.	-Grief Support Group	Room 7
12:30 p.m.	-Preschool Enrichment Activities.....	Room 00
6:30 p.m.	-Immaculate Conception Mass.....	Church
6:30 p.m.	-Young Adults.....	Parish Hall

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9

5:00 p.m.	-Sunday Mass Vigil [PROTOCOLS REQUIRED]	Church
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THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE, Cont.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10

8:30 a.m.	-Holy Sepulchre Retrat.....	O'Leary Hall
9:00 a.m.	-Holy Sepulchre Retreat Mass	Chapel
10:30 a.m.	-Special Service	Church
3:00 p.m.	-Special Service	Church
4:15 p.m.	-Confessions	Parish Hall

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11 FOOD BANK SUNDAY/COFFEE & DONUTS (SCOUTS)

8:30 a.m.	-Coffee & Donuts.....	Parish Hall
2:00 p.m.	-Scouts Patrol Leader Council Meetings	Room 00/3
2:30 p.m.	-EDGE.....	O'Leary Hall
3:00 p.m.	-Life Teen Choir	Church
4:00 p.m.	-Outside Communion	Courtyard
6:30 p.m.	-Life Teen.....	Classrooms/OLH

New ENDOW Group! Starting January 2023



ENDOW stands for Educating on the Nature and Dignity of Women

Website: endowgroups.org Study: Pope St. John Paul II's Letter to Women

Cost: \$35 for the book. Sessions will take place on Tuesday's from 6:15-8pm in room 6 starting January 2023 The group is limited to 15 people. Sign-up for Endow with facilitator Barbara Hughes: blhughes5967@comcast.net How it works: We read and discuss the particular Church document working through it each week. There is no home-work except to read if you miss a session. Frequent attendance is beneficial for the study.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Not by appearance shall he judge, nor by hearsay shall he decide, but he shall judge the poor with justice, and decide aright for the land's afflicted. (Is 11:3-4)

Psalm: Justice shall flourish in his time, and fullness of peace for ever. (Ps 72)

Second Reading: Welcome one another, then, as Christ welcomed you, for the glory of God. (Rom 15:7)

Gospel: John the Baptist appeared, preaching in the desert of Judea and saying, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!" (Mt 3:1-2)

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MAY WE, THE CHURCH'S MEMBERS,
RISE TO HELP MOTHERS IN NEED
OF ASSISTANCE AND SUPPORT

Every year, the Spanish Ministry has been helping a community in need. This year with your generous help, we would like to address the needs of St Francis Homeless Shelter for men. Items most needed: twin size blankets, towels, men's toiletries, socks, gloves, winter jackets, caps, and any gently used clothing; please mark your bags for St Francis Shelter. Thank you for your cooperation, God bless! Please, take or send your Donations through December 11, at the parish office, Thank you!

Queridos amigos en Cristo,

Cada año el Ministerio Hispano, ha ayudado a alguna comunidad en necesidad. Este año con su generosidad, ayudaremos a "St Francis Homeless Shelter for men." Los artículos que más se necesitan son: cobijas tamaño individual, toallas, artículos de aseo personal para caballero, calcetines, guantes, sombreros, ropa usada en buen estado, café, crema en polvo, chocolate en polvo, etc. Favor de marcar las bolsas para "St Francis Shelter, Mil gracias por su cooperación!

Sus donaciones por favor del domingo 27 de Noviembre, al domingo 11 de Diciembre en la oficina, mil gracias! Bendiciones !



Sunday, December 18, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Room 8

**COSTUME FITTING and
REHEARSAL FOR ALL CHILDREN**

Who Signed Up

to participate in the Children's Nativity Mass

All children need to be present at this costume fitting and rehearsal.
Children will be dismissed at approximately 3:00 P.M.

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Friday, December 24, 4:30 p.m., ASSEMBLE FOR CHILDREN'S MASS

All children will put on their costumes and prepare for the 5:15 p.m. Mass.

Parent volunteers needed on Sunday, December 18 * 1:30-3:00 p.m. * We need 4 or 5 volunteers to assist with the costume fitting and with rehearsal. We ask that these same volunteers assist during the Mass on Christmas Eve. Volunteers will sit at the back of the Church during Mass to assist the children. If you have any questions or can volunteer for this special event, please call MaryCarmen Cruz Orr, (520) 577-1721.

WE HAVE GREAT NEWS! The Individual Tax Credit limits have increased



The amount you can now contribute to Arizona's Catholic Tuition Support Organization (CTSO) has increased. If filing as a single taxpayer you can give up to \$1,243, and a married couple filing jointly can contribute up to \$2,483, and you, the donor can receive a dollar-for-dollar tax credit off your Arizona tax liability. Brochures are in the vestibule or visit www.ctso-tucson.org to make an online contribution.

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might have eternal life. *Jn 3:16*



Advance Care Planning in Catholic Teaching Workshop

January 21, 2023

9 a.m.– 3p.m. Parish Hall

Registration required. To register for this workshop, please call Patsy Klein at 520-392-4999 or email patsyk@ccs-soaz.org. Any

other questions, call Erin in the parish office.

Needed!

We are currently accepting applications for several positions at the church—bookkeeper, maintenance tech, and administrative assistant (part-time for RE) and preschool staff

To learn more or to apply for any of these positions:

[**Employment Opportunities - St. Thomas the Apostle Parish - Tucson, AZ \(statucson.org\)**](http://statucson.org)



Men's ACTS Retreat

You are the light of the world... Your light must shine before others

The Diocese of Tucson ACTS Chapter will be conducting its third Men's Retreat to be held at Triangle Ranch in Oracle. Come and enjoy this wonderful retreat with other Catholic men to increase your faith. The retreat is open to men from all parishes. Beginning Thursday evening February 2 and concluding at noon on Sunday February 5, 2023.

Please sign up quickly due to limited spots. For more information about the ACTS retreats visit the website www.actsmissions.org or contact Keven Birck 520-742-2211 or email kbirck@comcast.net. Deacon Ed can speak to how valuable this retreat is to a man wanting a closer relationship with Jesus. We look forward to having you join us.



CHRISTMAS GIVING TREES

Christmas is just a few weeks away, so we again offer the opportunity to share generously with the needy families of our “adopted” Tucson parishes. There are Giving Trees located in the back of the church. If there are ornaments left, you are invited to choose an ornament, purchase the listed Christmas gift, and return it **WRAPPED—with the ornament attached please—to the narthex by SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18, 12:00 noon.**

If there are no ornaments left, please check back next week.

The ornaments are sorted by shape. If you do misplace your ornament (we all know how that can happen), please try to make a note of its shape (Christmas tree, ball, stocking, etc.) Thank you so much for your participation.

Revelation

The Kingdom Yet to Come

Perhaps no book in the Bible fascinates people more than Revelation. Yet relatively few people have studied the book, especially from a Catholic perspective. *Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come* is an intriguing Bible study that shows how the kingdom established by Christ in this Church is intimately connected with the kingdom of heaven.

St Thomas the Apostle parish will begin an eleven-week Bible study ***Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come*** on **January 8th, 2023** at 6 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Participants will meet every week for a time of lively group discussion followed by an engaging video presentation and fellowship.

For more information (or to order your study guide), visit <https://ascensionpress.com/collections/revelation-the-kingdom-yet-to-come>, or contact Tom Mouch at 520-331-8242 or mouchs@comcast.net.

In this intriguing look at one of the most talked-about books in Scripture, Jeff Cavins explores Revelation to demonstrate how the kingdom established by Christ in his Church is intimately connected with the kingdom of heaven, especially through the celebration of the Mass.

You will learn what all the mysterious figures and images of Revelation present, as well as what will happen during the Second Coming of Christ, what has already happened, and what is happening now in salvation history.



CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR (PARISH HALL)	Tuesday, November 29, 10 a.m.
ADVENT TEACHING SERIES (CHAPEL)	Tuesdays, Nov. 22, 29, Dec. 6, 13, 20 8:00 a.m.
COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE (CHURCH)	Thursday, December 15, 5:30 p.m.
<i>With at least 20 confessors, you should be in and out in less than 35-40 minutes. Do join us and partake of the special grace of this Sacrament.</i>	
ADDITIONAL CONFESSION TIMES	Tuesday & Wednesday, December 20 & 21 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

CHRISTMAS MASSES



Friday, December 23

Christmas Eve Mass Song Leader..... 5:00 p.m.
...**5:00 p.m. Mass is a Mask required protocol Mass...**

Saturday, December 24

Christmas Eve Laudate Choir..... 3:30 p.m.
Children's Choir..... 5:15 p.m.
Choral Group Singing..... 7:00 p.m.
Festival of Carols..... 9:00 p.m.
"Midnight" Mass—Parish Choir..... 10:00 p.m.
No 4:15 p.m. Confessions



Sunday, December 25

Christmas Day Song Leader/Congregational Singing 7:30 a.m.
Song Leader/Congregational Singing 9:30 a.m.
Song Leader/Congregational Singing 11:30 a.m.
Outside communion..... 1:30 p.m.
No 5:00 p.m. Mass

NOTES

- I urge those who regularly come to one of the first two Christmas Eve Masses to consider attending the 7:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass or on Christmas Day. You will be glad you did!
- We expect the Children's Mass at 5:15 p.m. on December 24 to be **crowded**. Unless you have a child or grandchild attending or participating in the Liturgy, you would be well advised to attend a different Mass.
- The Festival of Carols begins at 9:00 p.m. before the 10:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass. Please plan to be in church early if you want to sit in your usual pew.
- Those who wish to attend Mass on Christmas Day free from parking or seating issues would be well advised to attend the 7:30 a.m. Mass.
- **Please carpool as much as possible. 5:00 p.m. Friday Mass - masks required.**
- **Please be fair to others. Please DO NOT save seats.**



*From all of us at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish,
Merry Christmas!*



A STEP AHEAD

2022 Five-Week Advent Teaching Series

Fr. Ken Wolfe, Facilitator

St. Thomas the Apostle Chapel

8:00 AM Mass/8:45 AM Teaching



Tuesday, November 22

*Reflection – First Sunday of Advent
Are Naps Really Good for You?*



Tuesday, November 29

*Reflection – Second Sunday of Advent
Preparing for the Coming of Jesus – Which Coming?*



Tuesday, December 6

*Reflection – Third Sunday of Advent
Was Christmas Ever Politically Correct?*



Tuesday, December 13

*Reflection – Fourth Sunday of Advent
“The Virgin Shall Conceive . . .” Really?!*



Tuesday, December 20

*Reflection – The Nativity of the Lord
Are You Afraid of the Dark?*



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

2022 CAR RAFFLE!

2022 FORD MAVERICK LARIAT HYBRID

2nd Prize: Two Round-Trip First-Class Airline Tix - 3rd Prize: \$5,000.00 CASH

One more time ... thanks to the generosity of Jim Click we have an opportunity to continue our Knights of Columbus fundraising efforts to meet our charitable donation goals. Jim Click has donated a 2022 FORD MAVERICK LARIAT HYBRID as this year's grand prize. Raffle on December 15, 2022! 100% of Raffle Income supports our Knights of Columbus Charities.



Jim Click 2022 Ford Maverick Raffle Ticket Request

Name: _____ Phone # _____

- ☐ Deliver me electronically or in person one raffle ticket for \$25.00
☐ Deliver me electronically or in person five raffle tickets for \$100.00
☐ Deliver me electronically or in person _____ raffle tickets for \$ _____

Charge to my Debit / Credit Card _____ VISA _____ M/C _____ AMEX _____ DISCOVER

Card # _____ CSC# _____ Exp. Date _____
 (3-4 digit security code)

Signature: _____ Cr. Card Zip Code _____ Date: _____

Five Ways to Virtually Order Your 2022 Maverick Raffle Tickets

- Call Edd, Patrick or Larry (#'s below) or...
- Send photo of raffle tix request via text to:
 GK Edd Ruiz (520) 440-7849 or
 SK Patrick McMahon (520)-990-6418
 SK Larry Lewis (520) 225-8827
- Scan & email your raffle ticket request form to:
eddrui@comcast.net
patrick48@comcast.net
larryklewis@gmail.com
- FAX your raffle tix request to 520-232-9299
- MAIL TO: Larry Lewis
 5788 E Paseo Cimarron, Tucson AZ 85750

2022 Charities Supported

Salpointe Scholarship Fund
 Reachout Pregnancy Ctr.
 Dominican Sisters - UofA
 Fatima Women's Center
 Habitat for Humanity
 Veterans to Lourdes
 Rachael's Vineyard
 St. Vincent de Paul
 Villa Maria Chapel
 Special Olympics
 BSA Troop 007
 Coats for Kids
 Casa Maria
 Life Teen



Please join Neighborhood Artists for an Open Studio Tour

Sunday, December 4, 10 a.m.—5pm

*Enjoy original gifts of Art for the Holidays and light refreshments at
each studio!*

Ellen Campbell

4560 E. Calle del Pantera
Medium: Colorful Ceramic pottery and paintings
www.ellencampbell.com

Kathryn Gastelum

5085 N. Valley View Rd.
Medium: Abstract oil/cold wax paintings, hand painted silk scarves
www.KathrynGastelumArt.com

Judy Johnson

5220 N Valley View Rd.
Medium: Plein Air Oil Painter
www.judithjohnsonart.blogspot.com

Virginia Belser

4601 E. Camino de Oro
Medium: Plein Air Pastel Painter
www.virginiabelser.com

Elizabeth & Tony von Isser

6650 N. Montezuma Drive
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"rusty art" in various sizes
www.elizabethvonisser.com
www.imdb.me/elizabethvonisser.com
www.CreativeReflectionsArt.com

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[Prayer List]..... Religious Education, R.C.I.A. and R.C.I.C.

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Preschool & Kindergarten (577-0503...FAX 577-0441)

Michelle Garmon.....Director.....Ext. 120stthomaspreschool@gmail.com

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE/BECOME INVOLVED

Alpha.....Herman Johannesmeyer...971-5366
Altar Guild . Mary Ann Gretka577-5153
Bible Study Tom Mouch331-8242
Book Club... Katherine Maglaya.....403-0200
Boy/Girl Scouts
..... Laurene Huelsman.805-390-8481
Bridge Marathon...Betty Woj.....299-8296
Children's Liturgyneeded
Coffee & Chats....Louann Costa.....299-9832
Endow Michele Grantham235-1400
Food Bank.. Michelle Bratton548-0584
Get Carded Jean Masquelier.....661-4440
Knights of Columbus
Council .. Edd Ruiz440-7849
Assembly .Patrick McMahon.....751-1614
Loss & Healing....Betty Stejskal990-1318
Lunch Bunch ..Brian Mathews299-5179
Mahjong "American"..Linda Armijo.299-2423
 "Chinese"....Linda Boyea..990-5408
Marian Club ..Katherine Maglaya.....403-0200
More Than Words
..... Brenda Lloyd.....603-496-9331
Quilt/Toy Ministry Carol Habra297-4068
Spanish Ministry...Maria Garcia260-2431
SVDP Conference.... Ron Arlt.....577-1227
Walking with Moms
..... Lara Williams.....512-762-2026

MUSIC MINISTRY (Mid-September to May)

Matthew Holter,
.....Dir, *Parish Choir Sunday 11:30 a.m.*
.....music.sta.tucson@gmail.com
Julie Huerstel,
.....Dir, *Acclamation Choir Sunday 9:30 a.m.*
Matthew Holter,
.....Dir. *Children's 1st Sunday 9:30 a.m.*
Tyler Irving,
.....Dir. *Laudate Choir Sunday 5:00 p.m.*
Gregg Reynolds,
.....Organist/Pianist/Harpist

*If you are interested in joining one of the Choirs,
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