We, the Catholic Church of St. Timothy, trusting in the Holy Spirit and committed to the New Evangelization, seek to bring all people to a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ.



THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE - NOVEMBER 24, 2019

"Dear God, thank you for Your Son's birthday. I have been blessed by all of the things I have. Bless the volunteers for what they have done this year"

"You really made my Christmas because I didn't know if I was going to have a Christmas. You made it happen for me."

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PASTOR: Fr. John Greb

"Sometimes people think we don't' need gifts because o f who we are. Thank you for what you did for us."

Giving Tree

Our annual Advent outreach project starts next week. Please take a tag or many tags as we reach out to bring Christ's light to our brothers & sisters in need!

1730 W. Guadalupe Rd., Mesa, AZ 85202

• (480) 775-5200 •

FAX (480) 820-7984

PAROCHIAL VICAR: Fr. Shea Bowora

www.sttimothymesa.org



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OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Th 9am-5pm & Fri 9am-12pm

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Please note: "DAP" is the Daycare and Preschool, located at 2045 South Pennington. "CC" is the Christy Center, east of the Church. UCR is the Upper Conference Room. CGS Center is the building just south of the main Church. Some events are ongoing and may require pre-registration. For details, call (480) 775-5200. Calendar and Mass celebrants (in parentheses) may vary with last-minute changes.

24 SUNDAY 2 SM 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-5; Col 1:12-20; LK 23:35-43

Incense is used during Christ the King Masses. Please exit through main doors if you need to step outside temporarily.

8am Mass: Soul of Jim Maiefski (Fr. Shea) 10am Mass: Soul of Scott Wilson (Fr. Dave) Mass: Soul of Jerry Rushing (Fr. Dave) 12pm

1:30pm Baptisms, Church

Mass: The People of St. Timothy (Fr. Shea) 5pm

Life Night, Loft 6:15pm

25 MONDAY Dn 1:1-6,8-20; (Ps) Dn 3:52-56; Lk 21:1-4

8am Morning Prayer, Church Mass: Soul of Denea Baxter 8:30am

9:30am Lord, Teach Me to Pray (Women), Christy Center Lord, Teach Me to Pray (Women), Christy Center 7pm Lord, Teach Me to Pray (Men), St. Joseph Room, DAP 7pm

26 TUESDAY Dn 2:31-45 (Ps) Dn 3:57-61; Lk 21:5-11

8am Morning Prayer, Church

8:30am Mass: Intention of the Jones Family

6:30pm RCIA, Spirituality Center 6:30pm Family RCIA, Hall

6:30pm St. Sharbel Prayer Group, Room 3 6:30pm CGS Pie & Gratitude, Amphitheater 6:30-7:30pm Reconciliation. Downstairs Confessionals 27 WEDNESDAY Dn 5:1-6,13-14,16-17,23-28; (Ps) Dn 3:62-67;

Lk 21:12-19

8am Morning Prayer, Church

8:30am Mass: Intention of Debbie Maher

12pm Parish Offices close for Thanksgiving holiday 28 THURSDAY Dn 6:12-28; (Ps) Dn 3:68-74; Lk 21:20-28

8am Morning Prayer, Church

9am Mass: Intention of the Soderberg Family

Parish Offices Closed

29 FRIDAY Dn 7:2-14; (Ps) Dn 3:75-81; Lk 21:29-33 8am Morning Prayer, Spirituality Center

8:30am Mass: Soul of Ruby Dizon Parish Offices Closed

30 SATURDAY Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22

8am Morning Prayer, Church 8:30am Mass: Soul of Emilia Fierro

9-10am Reconciliation, Downstairs Confessionals Mass: Soul of Ryan Frank Romero (Fr. Shea) 5pm 1 SUNDAY Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9; Rom 13:11-14; MT 24:37-44 Mass: Soul of Raymond V. Chaput (Fr. John) 8am

10am Mass: Souls of Lloyd, Sr. and Ruth Klofanda (Fr. Shea)

12pm Mass: The People of St. Timothy (Fr. John)

1:30pm Baptisms, Church

Mass: Soul of Heather Foley (Fr. Shea) 5pm

This week our Second Collection supports the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. More than 46 million people in the United States live in poverty today. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address obstacles as they work to make permanent and positive changes for their communities. Learn more about the CCHD at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

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We would like to connect with you! Get important updates from St. Timothy in a timely and convenient way. Flocknote lets you choose what info you'd like to receive—via email or text message—from Parish ministries and groups. You can unsubscribe any time. Text STTIMS to 84576 from your

phone or sign up at: www.flocknote.com/sttms. Then follow the prompts to subscribe to Parish updates. Help is always available at help@flocknote.com.

#### PARISH PODCASTS

It's easy to subscribe and listen to podcasts from the Parish. You'll find a link under the YouTube video on our webpage at www.sttimothymesa.org. Right now, homilies are available, but plans are to include additional content in the future.

Want to pray in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel? Access code is 7822# from 6:30am-9pm.

#### PARISH INFORMATION

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 5pm

**SUNDAY MASSES:** 8am, 10am (sign language interp.), 12pm & 5pm Teen Mass. Free childcare downstairs at 8am. 10am & 12pm Sunday Masses. Cry Room open at all Masses.

**MORNING PRAYER:** 8am Monday-Saturday

DAILY MASS: Mon-Sat 8:30am & Wednesday 6:30pm **HOLY DAY MASSES:** Please call the Parish office.

**RECONCILIATION:** 

6:30-7:30pm Tues, 5:30-6:15pm Wed & 9-10am Sat **ADORATION OF THE** BLESSED SACRAMENT: 24-hour Adoration in the Chapel; by key-card 9pm-6:30am.

RELIQUARIUM: Open for Veneration from 6am-9pm

Monday-Friday and 6am-7pm Saturday & Sunday.

OFFICE HOURS:

Mon.-Thurs. 9am-5pm; Fri. 9am-noon; Sat & Sun closed. (Drop-box located inside main church entrance.)

GIFT SHOP: 9am-1pm M-Th; 9am-12pm Fri & Sat; and after all weekend Masses.

CATHOLIC RESOURCE CENTER: Self-check out available during regular Parish office hours.

K-8 CATHOLIČ SČHOOL:

2520 S. Alma School Rd., (480) 775-2650

**DAYCARE & PRESCHOOL:** 

2045 S. Pennington, (480) 775-5238.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD:

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**BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS:** vjennett@sttimothymesa.org

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# FROM FR. JOHN GREB



With gratitude to God for His goodness and to you for your faithfulness...

Commitment Weekend was a success!





Pledges have exceeded our Parish goal!

Now the hard work begins.
Details and updates to follow
as we move forward doing the
Lord's work here at St. Timothy
& throughout our Diocese!



## November 24, 2019 CHILDREN & YOUTH

# ST TIMOTHY

PRAY - SERVE - GIVE I IN SERVICE OF THE NEW EVANGELIZATION

K-8 School Maureen Vick, Principal (480) 775-2650 M-Th 8am-3:45pm F 8am-2pm

**Daycare & Preschool** Angie Rice, Director (480) 775-5238

KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP: Come to an informative session from 3:35-4:30pm Tuesday, December 10, at St. Timothy Catholic School, 2520 S. Alma School Rd., Mesa (just north of Guadalupe Road). The meeting will be held in the Kindergarten classroom and give you important information about our Kindergarten program. RSVP to (480) 775-2650.

PRESCHOOL SAVE THE DATE: 2020 – 2021 Preschool enrollment for returning families will begin January 13. Open enrollment for new families will begin January 20. Contact Angie Rice or DeAnn Welter at (480) 775-5238 for more information or to schedule a tour.

#### Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) (480) 345-0542

he word Advent means "coming." It prepares us to celebrate the coming of the baby Jesus in Bethlehem at the first Christmas, and also anticipates His second coming at the *Parousia*, when God will be "all in all." Advent also reminds us that Jesus comes to us daily in His Word and in the Sacraments. In the Atrium, we begin the season with

an Advent Celebration, where we announce this time of waiting and preparing for the Feast of Christmas, by changing the liturgical color on the prayer table from green to purple.

As a family, you may want to create a prayer card with the words of the Angel's greeting to Mary, which we will hear on the Fourth Sunday of Advent (December 22): "Rejoice, full of grace and The Lord is with you." The prayer cards can be placed on your family prayer table, near your Advent Wreath.

You may also make prayer cards with some of the names of Jesus that the children will hear in the Atrium: Wonderful Counselor and Prince of Peace are some favorites.





# MIDDLE SCHOOL

We're off Nov. 25 for Thanksgiving week and will resume with our Artist Series at 6:30pm December 2 in the Hall.

Miguel Nuñez, (480) 775-5234 or mnunez@sttimothymesa.org.



MERCIFUL continues at 6:15pm this Sunday following Teen Mass in the Loft!





**HELP NEEDED!** We've had a huge

increase of relational ministry this semester with YMs and Core members joining teens for coffee and hosting open Loft hours. If you'd like to help, donations of gift cards to any grocery store or coffee shop are greatly appreciated and

can be dropped off at the Parish office any time. Please mark "Youth Ministry."

> Youth Ministry Director: Meagan Martinez, (480) 775-5234 or mmartinez@sttimothymesa.org.

CGS sessions are held weekly from September to May. Registration for each year is from June 1 to August 31. One full year of formal religious education is required prior to preparing to receive sacraments.

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# Men, Women, Families



# Book of the V Month

Every couple of months, we'd like to suggest a book to accompany you on your Faith journey. For November, it's <u>Clear & Simple: How to Have Conversations that Lead to Conversion</u>— a great follow-up to our Parish Mission. If you have questions or would like to discuss the book, please call Joe Cady at (480) 775-5260.



We're all called to share our faith, but understanding just how to do this might not be all that intuitive. You'll be inspired by André Regnier's straightforward discussion about how we can change the world with a renewal of Faith. Stop by the Gift Shop to purchase your copy for \$16.95.

The Knights of Columbus at St. Timothy are involved with dozens of programs in support of our faith, charity, unity, fraternity & patriotism. Want to learn more about becoming a Knight? Please call any time for information about the Knights of Columbus: (480) 766-3409.



# WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

No meeting this week.
HAPPY THANKSGIVING. Please join us
from 9:15-11:15am next Thursday in the
Spirituality Center.

Info: Sue at (602) 803-9927

## Join Magis Women for Lost and Found in the Desert: A Spiritual Survival Course!



By studying spiritual truths in the guise of a desert survival course, you'll discover attitude as owning your faith, shelter as taking refuge in the Lord, water as true satisfaction, fire as the Holy Spirit, & food as the Word & Eucharist. \$30 includes workbook & experiences that will deepen

your relationship with Jesus. Based on the publications of Fr. Michael Barry, SSCC, and Fr. Robert Spitzer, S.J., Ph.D. Opening night is Jan. 9 in the Hall. Info: Lorraine at <a href="mailto:lorraine:l



# Start your Thanksgiving Day with Mass at 9am this Thursday in the Church!

Please bring non-perishable food items and new blankets for homeless and needy individuals and families served by Paz de Cristo. The Paz truck will be in the parking lot to accept your donations prior to Mass. Items most needed include full size blankets, boxed food products (Hamburger Helper-type meals), tuna, soup, ground coffee and grocery store gift cards.

Our Thanksgiving collection will support the St. Timothy Fund to provide evangelization grants to parishes that otherwise could not provide services and educational opportunities.

#### Strength & support for your marriage

#### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"This I command you: Love one another." Learn how to love your spouse as Christ asks by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Sign up today to attend the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. Dates & details at www. wwmearizona.com or call our Parish representatives, Joe and June, at (480) 354-7430.

#### SUPPORT FOR INFERTILITY

Sarah's Hope & Abraham's Promise Support Group (SHAP) meets the second Monday each month to support and pray for one another while we bear the cross of struggling to achieve pregnancy or carry a baby to term. Email <a href="mailto:PhxSHAP@gmail.com">PhxSHAP@gmail.com</a> for details about the next meeting at the Diocesan Pastoral Center, 400 E. Monroe St., Phoenix.

#### RETROUVAILLE

Having a difficult time in your marriage? Angry, hurt or frustrated with your spouse? Maybe it's time to rediscover your marriage. The January 24-26 weekend is designed for couples experiencing problems in their marriage and offers a lifeline to help heal and renew marriages. Info: (602) 254-6723 or www.helpourmarriage.com.

#### **CURSILLO**



Cursillo is a unique opportunity to explore your URSILLO faith journey and the love of Jesus. Have you thought about the next step in your Christian journey? Find Cursillo news at www.phoenix

cursillo.com, or call Brenda Halpain at (602) 549-1440 or Kathy Norton at (480) 244-9374.

#### **MULTI-PARISH SINGLES**

For a list of (MPS) activities, please see www.multiparishsingles.org.

#### TALK RADIO FOR CATHOLIC LIFE

Tune in to Relevant Radio, KIHP Phoenix; 102.9 FM and 1310 AM.

#### COURAGE

"Courage," an apostolate of the Roman Catholic Church, ministers to those with same-sex attractions and their loved ones. Support groups are offered for men and women who struggle with same-sex attractions and need help. If you or someone you know is interested in Courage or Encourage (for loved ones whose family member struggles with same-sex attraction or is involved in the homosexual lifestyle), contact Fr. John Greb at (480) 775-5200.

#### PAZ DE CRISTO



At the 9am Thanksgiving Day Mass, we will continue our St. Timothy tradition of collecting food and new blankets for homeless and needy individuals and families served by Paz de Cristo. Please bring your items to the

Paz truck in the parking lot prior to Mass. Items needed include full size blankets and non-perishable items. Food items most needed include boxed product (Hamburger Helper-type meals), tuna, soup, ground coffee and grocery store gift cards. Thank you!

#### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Today as we celebrate Christ the King, may we open the door of our heart so wide that we may listen to the voice of Jesus calling us to help build His kingdom here on earth. Thanks for visiting us at the Ministry Expo, we

appreciate it. If you are in need or know someone who is, please call SVdP at (480) 733-2790 and leave a message. We will return the call. We provide assistance to parishioners and non-parishioners within our parish boundaries. See the "ministries" tab at http:// www.sttimothymesa.org/ and select "outreach" to see how we can help. The Arizona individual income tax credit is available for contributions to Qualifying Charitable Organizations like St. Vincent de Paul.

#### RENEW SAFE ENVIRONMENT (SET)!

Still need to renew?

Go to https://phoenix.cmgconnect.org/. Questions, contact Lisa Law at (480) 775-5212 or <u>llaw@sttimothymesa.org</u>.

THE GIVING TREE is our Parish Advent tradition to reach out to brothers and sisters with simple gifts from the heart to help meet their basic needs. We offer Volunteer Opportunities for the entire family: (1) IMMEDIATE NEED: To hang tags Tuesday, 11/26, at 6pm in the Church, (2) To replenish tags, and move and sort gifts before and after weekend Masses during Advent and (3) To sort and count gifts for the agencies at 9am Monday, 12/16, in Upper Conference Room. To help, please contact Jan Ruh (480) 345-2979 or janr02@cox.net.



#### PLENARY INDULGENCE FOR THE SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING — SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

A plenary indulgence is granted to the faithful who, on the Solemnity of our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, publicly recite the Act of Dedication of the Human Race to Christ the King. Praying the prayer softly in church can count as public recitation. Three additional conditions must also be met for a plenary indulgence: (1) receive the Sacrament of Confession, within a week before or after the Solemnity of Christ the King, (2) receive Holy Communion on that day, (3) recite prayers for the intentions of the Holy Father (one Our Father and one Hail Mary is the minimum, but any other additional prayers may be added). "An indulgence is a remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sins whose guilt has already been forgiven" (CCC 1471). It is extremely beneficial to offer up plenary indulgences for the souls in Purgatory, as it will help them become Saints in the Church Triumphant (Heaven), moving them along from the Church Suffering (Purgatory).

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## PRAYER & SACRAMENTS



#### LORD HEAR OUR PRAYERS

- For all who are sick, and for all who have entered eternal life, including Eolis Crowell, Maria de los Angeles Perez.
- For the courage and conviction to stand strong in affirming our belief in marriage as the union of one man and one woman.

#### **RECONCILIATION**

Tuesdays: 6:30-7:30pm Saturdays 9-10am (No Wednesday Confessions this week.)

#### **ENGAGED COUPLES**

Welcome to our Marriage Preparation Program! Arrangements for the Sacrament of Matrimony must be made with a Parish priest or deacon at least nine months in advance of the planned wedding date. Please call Jeannie Ricciardi at (480) 775-5262.

#### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call (480) 775-5200 to schedule an anointing if seriously ill or if you wish to be anointed after 8:30am Monday Mass. (If selecting this option, also stop by the Sacristy before Mass.) Please remember that in order to receive the Sacrament, the recipient must be in a state of grace. Recent reception of Penance & Holy Eucharist are prerequisites. Parishioners in hospitals, care homes or who are home bound may call for Eucharist and prayers: Debbie at (480) 775-5233.

#### **INFANT BAPTISM**

The next Baptismal Preparation Classes are December 3 & 17. Parents who wish to have a child baptized must show a minimum of three months active registration at St. Timothy, including weekly Mass attendance and tithing. Parents may obtain baptismal intake forms at the front desk or Parish website. Submit completed forms to the Parish office. Info: Jeannie Ricciardi at (480) 775-5262.

#### CHRISTMAS YOUTH CHOIR



We invite all children and youth (Grades 2-8) to join in our Christmas
Youth Choir for the

4pm Christmas Eve Mass. Rehearsals will be at 4pm Thursdays in the Church beginning December 5. To sign up, simply attend the first rehearsal and fill out a sign up sheet.

Visit sttimothymesa.org/music for a schedule of rehearsal times for the Youth Choir. For questions, contact David Mares, Director of Music, at (480) 775-5272 or dmares@sttimothymesa.org.

#### CHRISTMAS INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE

All adults and teens (grade 9 and up) who play a woodwind, string or brass instrument are invited to audition for our Christmas Instrumental Ensemble by contacting David Mares. The Instrumental Ensemble will play for the Christmas Midnight Mass. Rehearsals are Thursday evenings beginning December 5.

Visit <u>sttimothymesa.org/music</u> for a schedule of rehearsal times for the Ensemble. For questions, contact David Mares, Director of Music, at (480) 775-5272 or dmares@sttimothymesa.org.

Do you have an hour to spend with Jesus every week?



Our goal is to have two adorers in the Chapel 24/7! To see openings in our schedule, visit the "forms/register" tab of the Parish website or call Carla at (480) 775-5200. Your prayer will serve the entire Church!

#### Prayer Opportunities at St. Timothy Catholic Church

- SUBMIT PRAYER requests to <a href="mailto:prayers@sttimothymesa.org">prayers@sttimothymesa.org</a> or call Carla at (480) 775-5200. Note: Prayer requests for others need their prior permission.
- MORNING PRAYER: 8am Monday through Saturday in the Church (Wednesdays during the school year in the Spirituality Center).
- DAILY ROSARY in the Chapel at 7:40am M-F. If questions, please leave a message at front desk for Frank. All are welcome to join in prayer.
- 24-HOUR ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: In the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Code 7822# 6:30am-9pm or stop by the Gift Shop to purchase (\$5 deposit) a night-time entry card. (The Chapel is cleaned daily after 9pm.) This is a silent Adoration Chapel.
- RELIQUARIUM: Open for Veneration of Relics from 6am-9pm Monday-Friday and 6am-7pm Saturday & Sunday.
- PRAYER ROOM: Most second and fourth Wednesdays of the month from 7:30-9pm in the Christy Center. Call Gail for more information at (480) 272-2183.
- CHARISMATIC HEALING SERVICE: Third Wednesdays after 6:30pm Mass in the Church. All are welcome to bring their needs before the Lord!
- ROSARY & DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET: Prayed at 5pm Wednesdays (except third Wednesdays and holidays/holy days) upstairs near the image of the Divine Mercy. Please join us! Information: Tess Emiliusen at (480) 703-5180.
- VIETNAMESE PRAYER GROUP meets in the Church at 7pm most Thursdays.
- PRAYING PARENTS: We gather to pray the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy in front of the image of Divine Mercy following 8:30am Mass every Friday.
   We intercede for our children who have wandered from the Church, that they will return to their Faith.
- PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY: Please contact Jean Brown at (480) 273-3874 or jean.brown357@gmail.com for information about this ministry.



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Help us decorate the Church for the Christmas Season! Donate a poinsettia in honor of a loved one! It's easy, stop by the Gift Shop or see

the "forms/register" tab of the Parish website to reserve your plant for \$16 each.





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## THE CULTURE OF LIFE



- LET US CONTINUE TO PRAY with the Holy Father for an end to abortion, contraception, euthanasia, child abuse and capital punishment, and that all world leaders will come to recognize the personhood of every human being, both born and unborn.
- † From 7am to noon every Saturday, you have an opportunity to spend time in **ADORATION** at the Aid to Women Center Chapel, 1849 E. Baseline Rd. in Tempe. Join us in praying for life and for an end to abortion. Info: Susan, (480) 491-8232.
- The Kingship of Jesus is based on the unmitigated fact the He Is GOD, a member of the Blessed Trinity. Based on this fact as a person of the Trinity, as GOD, He is the CREATOR just as are the Father and the Holy Spirit. As followers of Christ, we cannot find anything in His creation that does not deserve a definite measure of reverence. All creation came through Christ and all creation exists for Christ. For us to stand with Christ is to stand for life. He is "King" because He is at the very heart of all that exists, especially the supreme gift of human life, which belongs only to Him and is eternally deserving of respect beyond description.

—God bless, Dcn. Dick, (480) 775-5271



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# EVENTS & PARISH INFO



he streets of downtown Phoenix will be alive with a spectacle of swirling colors and vibrant faith Dec. 7 as hundreds of Catholics gather for the annual Honor Your Mother event that celebrates Our Lady of Guadalupe, patroness of the Diocese of Phoenix. Honor Your Mother is an exciting familyfriendly procession begins at 10am from Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish to the Diocesan Pastoral Center. In the procession? Gather at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish at 8:30am. Want to enjoy it as a spectator? Gather outside the DPC/ Convention Center at 5th and Monroe by 10am Stay for a beautiful outdoor Mass with Bishop Olmsted and Bishop Nevares following the procession.

- SETON CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL cordially invites prospective students and their parents to attend its annual Open House from 12-3pm Sunday. December 8, at 1150 N. Dobson Road in Chandler. Come and enjoy student-led tours of campus, meet teachers, observe academic demonstrations and visit multiple displays. Lunch will be provided. Tours every 10 minutes. RSVP to (480) 963-1900.
- MANTLE OF HOPE is a confidential and safe place where anyone hurting from abortion can come for understanding, support, healing, prayer and love. Meet at the Aid to Women Center, 1328 E. Apache in Tempe. Call Karen at (480) 329-6795 for next meeting date.
- TEARS SPEAK—BUT SPIRITS SOAR is an ongoing support group for women who have lost a child(ren) to abortion and wish to heal that loss through sharing. Group meetings take place the second Tuesday of each month, at 7pm at Mt. Claret, 4633 N. 54th Street, Phoenix, Library Room. For details about the next meeting, please confidentially call (480) 838-7474 and ask for Patty with Tears Speak.

#### PARISH REGISTRATION

Catholics living in the area and regularly participating in the liturgy are encouraged to register as members of St. Timothy. As registered members, you will receive The Catholic Sun and Parish mailings, as well as year-end donation e-mails. Registration is easy: Go to www.sttimothymesa.org. Under the "Forms/Register" tab you will find the Parishioner Registration form. Complete and submit. (Once a young adult is 18, remember to register under your own name, even if living at home.) "Active membership" is determined by:

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- Being properly registered in the Parish for a minimum of three months before enrolling in sacrament preparation or serving as a sponsor/godparent; and one year to receive reduced-rate tuition at Catholic schools in the Diocese;
- Faithful attendance at Mass every Sunday and all Holy Days of Obligation;
- Regular support of the Parish through tithing via our secure website or giving envelopes (if unable to tithe, please submit empty envelope with name & address);
- Being active in at least one Parish ministry.

#### **SAFETY & COURTESY**

- Thank you for helping us maintain prayerful reverence during Holy Mass. Using the restrooms during Mass is sometimes necessary. When you need to get up during Mass, please try your best to be aware of appropriate times to leave your seat (for example, when the congregation stands for the Alleluia or sits after the intercessions; and especially not during the Consecration.) To assure safety, when children under age 10 use the restroom, they must be accompanied by an adult. - To honor our worship space, food & drink are not permitted in the Church,

except small water bottles when needed for health reasons.





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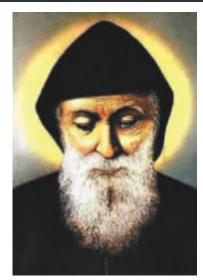


As we celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Diocese of Phoenix and the Jubilee Year of the Family, Bishop Olmsted invites us to consecrate our families to Jesus through Mary.

There are many ways to prepare for and make a consecration to Jesus through Mary. Stop by the Gift Shop if you'd like to purchase 33 <u>Days to Morning Glory</u> or see <u>33day.org</u> in preparation for the Consecration that will take place at St. Timothy during 5pm Mass Sunday, December 8.

Do you want to celebrate a life event? Honor a baptism, marriage or confirmation? Maybe a "thank you" to a favorite saint? Or a memorial to a deceased friend or family member?

Honor them with
a leaf on our
St. Timothy Family Tree.
(Being installed this weekend.) To learn more, please get a flier in the Gift Shop or see the "forms/register" tab of the Parish website.



The St. Sharbel Prayer Group from 6:30-7:30pm Tuesday, November 26, in Room 3 downstairs. We will pray the Chaplet of St. Sharbel. Everyone attending will receive a St. Sharbel medal. Info: borikgroup@gmail.com.

You are invited to join us for...

Next Sunday is the first Sunday of Advent. Watch for our weekly Advent specials in the Gift Shop.

Be sure to pick up the Magnificat Advent Companion, a great addition to your Advent Season.

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If you qualify and are interested, please contact Debbi Mesa at (480) 775-5200.