### May 7, 2023 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

First Reading: Act of the Apostles 6:1-7 (52A) Responsorial Psalm 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Letter of Saint Peter 2:4-9 Gospel: John 14:1-12

#### MASS SCHEDULE

| Saturday 5 PM<br>May 6, 2023     | † <b>Melissa Oatis</b><br>Req. by: Louie Rabago& Evvy<br>Oatis                         |  |
|----------------------------------|--|--|
| Sunday- 8 AM<br>May 7, 2023      | † Mary Diaz-Gonzalez<br>Req. by: Family  |  |
| Sunday - 10 AM<br>May 7, 2023    | All Parishioners   |  |
| Monday<br>May 8, 2023            | No Mass  |  |
| Tuesday – 8 AM<br>May 9, 2023    | Felix P., Felix Tomas & Jennie Gutierrez Req. by: Gloria Gutierrez                     |  |
| Wednesday – 8 AM<br>May 10, 2023 | Vincent Ulibarri Req. by: Esther Ulibarri & Tina                                       |  |
| Thursday – 8 AM<br>May 11, 2023  | † Richard Ulibarri<br>Req by: Esther Ulibarri & Tina                                   |  |
| Friday – 8 AM<br>May 12, 2023    | † Steven Besich<br>Req. by: Tina B-Lopez   |  |
| Saturday- 5 PM<br>May 13, 2023   | ** Secundino Elizondo, Yolanda L. Romero & Yolanda L. Badilla Req. by:Gloria Gutierrez |  |



#### THIS WEEK AT SAINT FRANCIS



- The Choir meets every Friday for practice at 7:00 pm in the church.
- Knights of Columbus meet every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm at St. Mary's Center.
- CYM meets on Wednesdays at 7:30 pm at SMC.



#### Sick List

#### Please

remember the sick of our parish in your prayers. You may call the Parish Office to let us know when a loved one is ill or in the hospital and in need of prayers. Names maybe removed the first Monday of every month. Please keep the office staff informed on your loved ones so that we will keep them on the list.

Rose Jaime Vicki Garcia JoAnn Marquez Antonio Rangel Rav Ramirez, Jr. Renee McConnell Martha Guzman Miguel Denogean Michael David Real Roman Rafael Tovar Natalie Perkins Denise Aceves George Otero Damian Guerra Camarino Lopez Jr. Ryan Kipp Margaret Salazar Jack Gorham Stella Castro

Jeanette Gonzales Helen Madrid Steve C. Lopez Lisa Watson Adrian Contreras Ricardo "Brown" Amado Lupe Holguin Pete Garcia Pancho Nunez Karleen Montano Juan Carlos Baca **Becky Ramirez** Nicole Trujillo Frank Massey Thomas Gomez, Sr. Joaquin Mendez Roberta Contreras Sonia Rodriguez Gilbert Michael Olmos

#### **Offerings**

#### Collection for April 30, 2023

Offertory (Envelopes): \$1,389.00 On-Line: \$505.00

Total: \$ 1,894.00

<u>Thank you</u> for your generous support of our church.

#### **Weekly Financial Review**

Last Sunday's Collection: \$ 1,894.00 One Year ago: \$ 2,008.33

Decrease: \$ 114.00

Second Collection for Catholic Home Mission Total: \$166.00

#### **2023** Annual Catholic Appeal

Francis of Assisi Parish As of May 4, 2023

#### We Are the Mission of the Church

| Goal             | \$13,700  |
|------------------|-----------|
| # Donors         | 51        |
| Pledge           | \$ 11,064 |
| % of Pledge      | 80%       |
| Fulfilled        | \$ 8,865  |
| % Goal Fulfilled | 65%       |

If you have not responded to the 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal, please do so at this time using the ACA envelopes available at the back of the church.



- Anointing and Blessing of the Sick will be every first Friday of each month at the 8:00 am Mass.
- Birthday Announcements Every month there will be a blessing of those celebrating their birthday at the end of mass of very first Sunday of the month

#### Announcements

- 1. **Second Collection** for Building Fund will be this weekend at all masses.
- **2. Lectors Needed** If there is anyone who would be interested been a lector for our parish. Please contact Anna Campos at 520-827-0258
- **3. Please Remember**, that **May** is a special month for honorir Blessed Virgin Mary by recitation of Rosary in families ar groups.
- 4. **Fiesta Meeting** to be held on May 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm at SMC, all are invited who would be interested in helping
- 5. Fiesta Golf Tournament Fundraising on Saturday May 13, 2023 at Queen Valley. For registrations Contact Robert Mendoza at 520-483-1142. Monetary donations & raffle items are needed. Also seeking for any volunteers to help.
- 6. **Mother's Day** Blessing to honor all mothers after each Mass next Sunday
- 7. **Parish Bells** from Chime Master Company to ring at 12 noon, 6 pm and time for Mass and Sacraments.
- 8. **2023 Annual Catholic Appeal** (ACA) We Are the Mission of the Church, Giving generosity with an open heart and mind shows that we are obedient to God's will in our lives. Brochures are located in the pews, for addition information or visit website <a href="www.cathfnd.org/aca">www.cathfnd.org/aca</a>. Thank You for all that have already responded
- 9. **2023 Fiesta Queen candidates** seeking for anyone who would be interested in participating for this year fiesta queen. Please contact parish office for more details.
- 10. Fiesta Raffle Tickets 2023 will be mailed out soon. This will kick off the start of preparations for the fiesta in September. We are still looking for volunteers to help in this year's fiesta. Anyone interested in volunteering to help is welcome and encouraged to call the rectory office



- Holy Hour of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament has started again every Friday at 5 pm.
- Knights of Columbus still have raffle tickets available until May 20, 2023



## **NEWS**

People are looking for your business. Help them find it by advertising here.

Contact the Parish Office at 520.689.2250





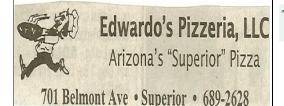
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#### **Save Money Market**

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LOS HERMANOS Restaurant & Lounge

835 Highway 60 Superior, Arizona 85273 CATERING SERVICE

Tortilla Factory

(520) 689-5465

(520) 689-5898





433 West Hwy 60 Superior, AZ 85173 (520) 689-0159 or 0168



#### If interested in joining

Contact Mike Zavala at 520.689.5629 Ruben Castro Jr. at 520.689.2724

|   | (520) 605 6155 61 6166                                     |   |   |   |
|---|--|---|---|---|
| In Loving Memory  | In Loving Memory   | In Loving Memory                                    | In Loving Memory                                    | In Loving Memory  |
| Cecilio Hernandez<br>1920 - 1999<br>Amelia Hernandez<br>1914 – 1989 | Manuel Guzman<br>1930 – 1995<br>Mary Guzman<br>1930- 2015  | Joey Lopez<br>1951-2012<br>Tommy Lopez<br>1972-2020 | Leo & Belia Ybarra Tino Tameron Charlene Orlick     | Oscar P. Reyna Sr.<br>1937 – 2015<br>Oscar Reyna Jr.<br>1961-2020 |
| In Loving Memory  | In Loving Memory   | In Loving Memory                                    | In Loving Memory                                    | In Loving Memory  |
| Eugene B. Jaime<br>1920-2006  | †<br>Mike, Anna &<br>Richard Zavala                        | Christina A. Magallanez<br>Samantha G. Brown        | Maria Valenzuela<br>Adelia Duarte<br>Ramona Herrera | "Lalo"& Esperanza<br>Denogean                                     |
| In Loving Memory  | In Loving Memory   | In Loving Memory                                    | In Loving Memory                                    | In Loving Memory  |
| †   | †  | †   | †   | 7   |
| Loretta D. Saenz<br>1954-2019                                       | John R. Ybarra<br>Armando O. Navarro<br>Bettina M. Navarro | Israel Bueno<br>1925-2012                           | Lazaro & Josephina<br>Sandoval<br>Reuben Flores     | Benito F. Medina<br>Reyna P. Medina                               |
| In Loving Memory  | In Loving Memory   | In Loving Memory                                    | In Loving Memory                                    | In Loving Memory  |
| †   | †  | †   | †   | †   |
| Joe "Cuate" Castillo<br>1928-2010                                   | Marcella G. Garcia<br>1948-2018                            | Carlos & Gloria<br>Martinez                         | Frank Urbina<br>1966-2014                           | Julissa Rose Garcia<br>2002-2016                                  |

# St. Francis of Assisi Parish

11 Church Avenue Superior, Arizona 85173



#### Mission Statement

St. Francis of Assisi Parish invites all on our spiritual journey to strive to become holy through prayers, the Sacraments, Scriptures and Charity. Our goal is to evangelize. To reach out with God's love to all in need in our parish community and the word.



#### Mass Schedule - Sunday Liturgy

Saturday – 5:00 PM Sunday – 9:00 and 11:00 AM

#### Weekday Liturgy

Tuesday through Friday 8:00 AM (May thru Oct.) 9:00 AM (Nov. thru Apr.)

#### **Holy Days Of Obligation**

Vigil Mass – 7:00 PM Day Mass - 8:00 AM Confessions –Saturday 4:00 – 4:45 PM or upon request

#### **Parish Corporation Board of Directors**

Rev. Peter Nwachukwu April Juarez Michael Ruben Castro Most Rev Edward J. Weisenburger

#### Parish Pastoral Council President

Tony Solis – 520-689-5755

#### **Parish Finance Council President**

Andrea Robles – 520-827--0707

**Date Publication** is a very informative report about what is happening in the Diocese of Tucson. The report can be read by visiting the Diocesan Website at: <a href="https://www.diocesetucson.org">www.diocesetucson.org</a> or by requesting a copy from

www.diocesetucson.org or by requesting a copy from the Parish office.

#### **Parish Directory**

| Tarish Directory                                    |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| Fr. Peter Nwachukwu, Pastor520-689-2250             |  |  |  |
| E-mailinfo@stfrancissuperior.org                    |  |  |  |
| Parish Websitewww.stfrancissuperior.org             |  |  |  |
| Fax Number520 689-5810                              |  |  |  |
| St. Mary's Center, 100 Sunset Dr520 689-2116        |  |  |  |
| Rectory & Parish Office Secretary: Velma Alvarado   |  |  |  |
| 520 689-2250  |  |  |  |
| Office Hours9 am to 12 & 1 to 3 pm, Mon. thru Fri.  |  |  |  |
| Altar & Rosary Society: Donna Still480-229-8517     |  |  |  |
| Yolanda Guzman520-827-1137                          |  |  |  |
| <b>Choir:</b> Tony Solis520-689-5755                |  |  |  |
| Compliance Officer: Anna Campos520 827-0258         |  |  |  |
| <b>Knights of Columbus:</b> Mike Zavala520-827-0777 |  |  |  |
| Ruben Castro, Jr                                    |  |  |  |
| Ministry and Lector: Anna Campos, Lector            |  |  |  |
| Coordinator   |  |  |  |
| Michael Diaz-Gonzales, Altar Servers Coordinator    |  |  |  |
| 520-827-1862  |  |  |  |
| <b>Prayer Group:</b> Manuel Ruiz520-689-5430        |  |  |  |
| Religious Education: Kathy Zavala, Director         |  |  |  |
| 520-827-7770  |  |  |  |
| Sacristans: Donna Still, Sacristy480-229-8517       |  |  |  |
| Ruben Castro, Sacristy602-478-4856                  |  |  |  |
| Youth Ministry: Jessica Castillo, CYM Coordinator   |  |  |  |
| 520-827-0098  |  |  |  |

#### **Sacrament of Baptism**

To schedule for infant baptisms and additional information please contact the Parish Office at 520-689-2250.

#### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Church regulations require a five-month preparation period for the Sacrament of Marriage from the first appointment with the Pastor to the date of the wedding. Please contact the Parish office at 520-689-2250 for more information.

#### **Parish Registration**

It is important that every family, including children or independent adults register in the Parish so that we become aware of the needs of our Parish Family and to plan to meet those needs. Registration forms are available in the vestibule of the church and at the parish office