



Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church

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December 14, 2025 Third Sunday of Advent

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MASSES

Saturday:

5:30 PM-Vigil Mass

Sunday:

7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM, 1 PM, & 6 PM

Daily Masses:

Monday-Friday 7:00 AM and 12:00 PM

Saturday 7 AM

Confessions: (Sacrament of Reconciliation)

Saturday: 10:30 AM and 3:30 PM

Adoration/ Benediction:

Friday: 6 PM-7 PM

BAPTISMS

Parents please contact the Parish Office to begin the preparations.

MARRIAGES

Please call the Parish Office six months in advance. We want to help you prepare for your marriage.

PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday 12/14

MASSES-7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., and 6:00 p.m., Church

Monday 12/15

MASSES-7:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m., Church

PRAY THE ROSARY-After 7:00 a.m. Mass, Church

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL-6:30 p.m., Madonna

Tuesday 12/16

MASSES-5:30 a.m., 7:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., Church

PRAY THE ROSARY-After 7:00 a.m. Mass, Church

MILLIONS OF MONICA'S-1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m., Church

Wednesday 12/17

MASSES-5:30 a.m., 7:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., Church

PRAY THE ROSARY-After 7:00 a.m. Mass, Church

Thursday 12/18

MASS-5:30 a.m., 7:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., Church

PRAY THE ROSARY-After 7:00 a.m. Mass, Church

Friday 12/19

MASSES-5:30 a.m., 7:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., Church

ADORATION and BENEDICTION-6:00 p.m., Church

Saturday 12/20

MASS-5:30 a.m., 7:00 a.m., 5:30 p.m., Church

PRAY THE ROSARY-After 7:00 a.m. Mass, Church

CONFESSIONS-10:30-11:30 a.m. and 3:30-5:00 p.m., Church

Sunday 12/21

MASSES-5:30 a.m., 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., and 6:00 p.m., Church



Third Sunday of Advent

12/13 SAT.	5:30 p.m.	Michael & Anna Abeyta
12/14 SUN.	7:00 a.m.	Special Intention
	9:00 a.m.	SSPP Parishioners
	11:00 a.m.	All Souls in Purgatory
	1:00 p.m.	John Ulevich
	6:00 p.m.	†Luke Lea Callaway
12/15 MON.	7:00 a.m.	†Agnes Davison
	12:00 p.m.	†Ben Callaway
12/16 TUE.	7:00 a.m.	†Helen Reyna
	12:00 p.m.	Rebecca Schaefer
12/17 WED.	7:00 a.m.	All Souls in Purgatory
	12:00 p.m.	†Deacon Dan Nagy
12/18 THU.	7:00 a.m.	†Ben Moore
	12:00 p.m.	Fred Campoy
12/19 FRI.	7:00 a.m.	†Frank Wang
	12:00 p.m.	†Rosalinda J. Ault
12/20 SAT.	7:00 a.m.	†Jack Hammond

TODAY'S READINGS



Is 35:1-6a, 10/Jas 5:7-10/Mt 11:2-11

Readings for the Week

Monday:	Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a/Mt 21:23-27
Tuesday:	Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/Mt 21:28-32
Wednesday:	Gn 49:2, 8-10/Mt 1:1-17
Thursday:	Jer 23:5-8/Mt 1:18-25
Friday:	Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Lk 1:5-25
Saturday:	Is 7:10-14/Lk 1:26-38



Misa de Gallo (Mass of the Rooster)

The Filipino community will be celebrating their annual Misa de Gallo (Mass of the Rooster) nine-day Novena in preparation for Christmas. It will be held here at Saints Peter and Paul from December 16th-24th at 5:30 a.m. Breakfast to follow in the patio. Everyone is invited.



Short Advent Prayer

Dear Lord, please allow me to embrace Advent in the way the Church intends: as a way to prepare for Your arrival. May everything I do—every gift I send, every party I attend, every meal I share—remind me to prepare space in my heart for You. Amen.

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School Family Mass

The 9:00 am Mass Sunday, December 14th, will be celebrated with our 7th Grade school children. Parking will be limited so please plan accordingly. Thank you for your understanding.

Mandatory Reporting Information Safe Environment

In accordance with the Mandatory Reporting law of the State of Arizona, all employees and volunteers are responsible to immediately report reasonable suspicion of the abuse of any vulnerable person/minor, regardless of the source of the abuse.

For Diocesan information please visit
<https://diocesetucson.org/our-call-to-protect-1>.

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OPPORTUNITY TO SPONSOR CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

Parishioners who would like to assist with the Christmas poinsettias and decorations in the Church for the Christmas season are urged to personalize their sponsorship by making a dedication either "In Honor Of" or "In Memory Of" loved ones. The sponsorships will be published in the parish bulletin at Christmas.

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Please return this form and your donation in an envelope marked "Christmas Dedications". Drop it in the Sunday collection or deliver it to the Parish Office. Please make your requests by **Wednesday, December 17th**.



Respect Life Walking With Moms Giving Tree

On November 30th, you'll find a baby crib and a Christmas tree set up near the St. Joseph's altar at the front of the church. Select an ornament, purchase the suggested baby item, and bring both the ornament and baby goods, unwrapped, back to church. Return the ornament to the tree for others, and put baby items in the crib. Your donations support local mothers and children. Thank you for your generosity.

If you find yourself pregnant and in need of accompaniment, Walking with Moms in Need is here for you! Please don't hesitate to call the parish office at (520) 327-6015 to learn more.



STRENGTHEN OUR FAITH TOGETHER!

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 \$1,535, and a married couple filing jointly can contribute up to \$3,062, 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.

SECOND COLLECTION

This week's second collection is for the Diocesan Priest Retirement Collection. Thank you for your continued support.



Finance Corner

Fiscal Year July 1, 2025- Present

Budget YTD:	\$ 212,577
Income YTD:	\$ 217,888
YTD Surplus:	\$ 5,311
Sunday Collection 11/30/25:	\$ 7,636
Online Donations 11/30/25:	\$ 1,451
Total Collection:	\$ 9,087
St. Vincent de Paul:	\$ 18,417

Thank you for your generosity as we continue the mission of Saints Peter and Paul Church.

Ss. Peter and Paul Parish
Campbell Ave., Tucson, AZ, 85719

Christmas Mass Schedule 2025

Wednesday, December 24th - **NO** 7:00am or 12:00 Noon Mass
Mass at 4:00pm, 8:00pm, and 12 Midnight

Parish Office will be closed and will reopen on
Monday, December 29th

Thursday, December 25th - Christmas Day
Mass at 7:00am, 9:00am, and 11:00am

Wednesday, December 31st - Mass at 7:00am and 5:30pm
NO 12:00 Noon Mass

Parish Office will be closed and will reopen on
Monday, January 5th

Thursday, January 1st - Holy Day of Obligation
Mass at 7:00am, 9:00am, and 11:00am



HOLY NIGHT

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