

St. Andrew the Apostle Roman Catholic Church

"I will make you fishers of men"

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MASS TIMES

Daily: Monday—Saturday 9:00 a.m.

Monday—Friday 12:05 p.m.

Weekend: Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.

SUNDAY

8:00, 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. (Spanish)

5:00 p.m. -Life Teen

First Friday of the month Masses followed by Anointing of the Sick.

GOOD SHEPHERD MISSION

(Route 82, west of Mustang Corners)

Saturday Vigil 6:30 p.m.

Confession: Saturday 6:00 - 6:30 p.m.

Baptism

Registration, birth certificate and baptism classes required.

Marriage

Arrangements need to be made 6 months in Advance by calling the office.

Confessions

Saturday 3:30-4:45 p.m.
30 minutes before all masses or anytime by appointment.

Anointing of the Sick

First Friday of the month after the 9:00 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. Masses or as needed by calling the office.



Please visit our website, www.standrewsv.org and go to the "Parish Life" tab and select "On-line giving". It's easy, fast and secure.

Helpline: 800-348-2886

Read the bulletin online @ www.standrewsv.org

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www.standrewsv.org



View our daily and Sunday Masses on-line

Please join us for **Bible Study** each week in Madonna Hall. Come and learn with us!



Tuesday mornings: 9:45-11:00 a.m.
Wednesday evenings: 7:00-8:00 p.m.

When you scan this QR Code you are able to make a donation to Parish's general fund. A receipt will be sent to you via e-mail. This will be your only record, so please keep it.

Thank you so much for your generosity!



Bulletin Articles are DUE by:

12p.m. on Tuesday.

Please submit all announcements in "PDF" or "WORD" Format to:
bulletin@standrewsv.org

MEMORIAL OPPORTUNITY

You may memorialize a loved one in our Prayer Garden by purchasing a brick and having it engraved with their name. The cost is only \$200, and it will be placed in our beautiful Prayer Garden. Call Kate at the Parish Office for more information at 520-458-2925.

Welcome to St. Andrew the Apostle Parish



With open hearts we welcome all who have come to the house of the Lord. If you are new to the parish, please take time to stop by the office and register. Once registered, this implies that you will participate with our faith community at Sunday Liturgy and return to the Lord by sharing your time, talent, and treasure with His Church.

**Thank You
For Your
Will to Give**



Your gift will support our life of prayer, and our prayer will be the gift we offer in return to support you and your loved ones.

FORM OF BEQUEST FOR A WILL:

I give, devise, and bequeath to Saint Andrew the Apostle Parish, 800 Taylor Dr. Sierra Vista, AZ 85635, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Arizona... (here state the amount of money or description of the property willed).

DID YOU KNOW....

that Pope Leo XIV has invited all the Faithful to pray the Rosary every day in October for the intention of peace? Next to the Cross itself, the most widely known symbol of Catholic devotion is the Rosary, and the power of this particular prayer is well-attested to over the centuries.

In his 2002 Apostolic Letter introducing the *Year of the Rosary*, Pope St. John Paul II wrote: “*there is a need to implore from God the gift of peace. . . to rediscover the Rosary means to immerse oneself in contemplation of Christ Who ‘is our Peace’, since He made the two of us one, and broke down the dividing wall of hostility.* (Ephesians 2:14) *Consequently one cannot recite the Rosary without feeling caught up in a clear commitment to advancing peace, especially in the land of JESUS, so sorely afflicted and so close to the heart of every Christian.*”

It is not difficult to recall the areas in our world, our countries and our communities — perhaps even our own homes and hearts — where we might beg for the gift of God’s peace. From political violence to ongoing wars, from religious persecution to the countless ways men, women and children are dehumanized in our culture, none of us are untouched by the conflicts of our badly broken world. What can we do in the face of such hope-shattering violence and hatred? How can we counter the culture of divisiveness and ‘hate language’?

Pope Benedict XVI wrote: “*With the Rosary, we allow ourselves to be guided by Mary, model of faith, in meditating on the mysteries of Christ, and day after day we are helped to assimilate the Gospel, so that it shapes our lives.*”

In the lifetime of many of us, the power of the Rosary was demonstrated in the peaceful collapse of the Soviet Union, which was promised to the three children at Fatima in 1917, who were told to pray the Rosary for the conversion of Russia.

The power of prayer is undeniable: “*where two or three are gathered together in My Name, there am I in their midst.*”

Pope St. John Paul II again said: “*With the Rosary, the Christian People sits at the school of Mary and is led to contemplate the beauty of the Face of Christ and to experience the depths of His peace.*”

Pope Francis said: “*The Rosary is a school of Prayer.*”

The Rosary is a school of Faith.”

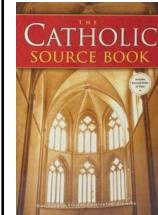
There are many opportunities to pray the Rosary with others – check the bulletin! – and, of course, to pray the Rosary with your family! (Remember Fr. Peyton, “The Rosary Priest”: “*The family that prays together, stays together!*”)

And now *Pope Leo*, with his holy predecessors in Peter’s Chair, encourages us to pray the Rosary and to do something effective, something practical, for world peace and to curb the violence of language and actions: as an act of hope pray the Rosary every day for peace!

CATHOLIC QUIZ:

This week’s Question: “*Why do Popes change their names at the time of their election?*”

The answer to last week’s Question: “*What is a ‘pallium’?*”



The pallium is a liturgical vestment worn by the Pope and metropolitan archbishops as a symbol of their jurisdiction and unity with the Holy See. Made from lamb's wool, the Y-shaped white band features six black crosses and hangs around the neck, resting on the shoulders and crossing at the chest and back. (This past February, our Diocesan Bishop Edward Weisenburger was appointed Archbishop of Detroit and received the pallium in Rome from Pope Francis)

(If you would like to be as smart as the “Quiz Master” – pick up a copy of the Catholic Source Book, available in the Parish Office, for only \$15!)

SOUL FOOD:

“For Christians, the most important book is the Gospel of JESUS Christ, and the Rosary is actually the abridgment of the Gospel.”

– Henri Baptiste Lacordaire, OP (1802-1861)

STEWARSHIP CORNER

St. Andrew: \$14,897.31

Good Shepherd Mission: \$173

Catholic Schools: \$3,764

*Upcoming Second Collection:
October 12th : Care Net*

The next Baptism preparation class in English for parents and Godparents will be on:



Tuesday, October 7. 2025
At 6 p.m. in the Church.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK	
Saturday, October 4th	
9:00 AM	1st. Anniversary Charles Desgrossillier
†Chris Gamponia †Emiko Desgrossillier`	
5:00 PM *Vigil of the Twenty—Sevent Sunday in Ordinary Time*	
†Philip Maack	Mom
†Raul Diaz	Family
6:30 PM *GSM*	
†All Souls in Purgatory	Friend
†Andy Mendoza	Friend
SUNDAY, October 5th *Twenty-Seven Sunday in Ordinary* Time*	
8:00 AM	
†Richard Bisol	Leida Bisol
†Jame & †Veronica Anyanwu	Family
10:00 AM	
The Communities of St. Andrew & Good Shepherd Mission	
12:00 PM	
†Jose Pedro Montaño	Durazo Family
†Li Ding	Holland Family
5:00 PM	
†Ed Graveline	Family
†Michael Rosado	Family
Monday, October 6th	
9:00 AM	
†Norma Lopez	1st. Anniversary
†Leonard McGlynn	Geraldine McGlynn
12:00 PM	
†Rita Monarez	Estela Quiles
†Robert, †Adele & †Gary	Christine Anderson
Tuesday, October 7th	
9:00 AM	
†Leo Nazicka	1st. Anniversary
Joseph Duarte	Family
12:00 PM	
Babies †Joe & †Maria Ruiz	Panchita
†Margaret Williams	Geraldine McGlynn
Wednesday, October 8th	
9:00 AM	
†Irene Doyle	1st. Anniversary
Eugene Borbas	Merlyn Borbas
†Albert Stuppi	Mom
12:00 PM	
†Edward Pierce	Dan & Sincha Pierce
†Saturnino Andoy	Merlyn Borbas
Thursday, October 9th	
9:00 AM	
†Andrew Briseño Jr.	Family
†Gina San Nicolas	1st. Anniversary
12:00 PM	
†Kyung S. Dillon	Dan & Sincha Pierce
†Emma Reyes	Estela Quiles
Friday, October 10th	
9:00 AM	
Sonia Marroquin	Castañeda Family
†Andy Stuppi	Ida Stuppi
12:00 PM	
+Deacon Mike Denton	Helen Denton
Larry Walton	Davidson Family
Saturday, October 11th	
9:00 AM	
Carmelite Community	Benefactor
†Michael Joe Estes	Colleen
5:00 PM *Vigil of the Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time*	
†Greg Lund	Ann Lund
†Brian McDaniel	Tom & Pauline Fredericks
6:30 PM *GSM*	
†Marjorie Lee Stewart	Family
†Lionel Richardson	Friend
SUNDAY, October 12th *Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time*	
8:00 AM	
†Manuel Bringas	1st. Anniversary
†Bill Seyfer	Frank Zamudio
10:00 AM	
†Ana Alicia Montaño	Durazo Family
Cursillo Movement	School of Leaders
12:00 PM	
Las Comunidades de San Andrés y La Misión del Buen Pastor	
5:00 PM	
Louis & Julia Anyanwu	Wedding Anniversary
†Wick McKean	Friends

Readings for the week of October 5, 2025

Sunday:

Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/
2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14/Lk 17:5-10

Monday:

Jon 1:1-2:2, 11/Jon 2:3, 4, 5, 8/Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday:

Jon 3:1-10/Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8/
Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday:

Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10/Lk 11:1-4

Thursday:

Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/
Lk 11:5-13

Friday:

Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3, 6 and 16, 8-9/
Lk 11:15-26

Saturday:

Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday:

2 Kgs 5:14-17/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 (see 2b)/
2 Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19

Observances for the week of October 5, 2025

Sunday: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Respect Life Sunday

Monday: St. Bruno, Priest; Bl. Marie Rose Durocher,
Virgin

Tuesday: Our Lady of the Rosary

Thursday: St. Denis, Bishop, and Companions, Martyrs;
St. John Leonardi, Priest

Saturday: St. John XXIII, Pope

Next Sunday: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Grupo de Oración Cristo Rey Los invita a
sus miércoles de Alabanza a las 7 p.m.
en La Capilla de la Divina Misericordia.



RESPECT LIFE MONTH STATEMENT

October 2025

Most Reverend Daniel E. Thomas
Chairman, USCCB Committee on Pro-Life Activities

With great joy we celebrate October as Respect Life Month amid the Church's Jubilee Year of Hope. This Jubilee Year "offers us the opportunity to appreciate anew, and with immense gratitude, the gift of the new life that we have received in Baptism, a life capable of transfiguring death's drama."¹ The life, death, and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ is the foundation of our hope. Through Christ, our sins are forgiven, death is overcome, and life is victorious.

Yet, the daily headlines remind us of how desperately our world is thirsting for the hope that only God can provide. Every day we witness the overwhelming disregard for human life: through rising rates of abortion and assisted suicide; the killing of innocent school children, even at prayer; the mistreatment of our immigrant sisters and brothers as they endure an environment of aggression; and political and ideological violence inflicted against unsuspecting victims. These attacks threaten life precisely when it is most vulnerable and in need of protection.

Despite these realities, the gift of human life exists as a sign of hope to our world today, defying the powers of darkness and the culture of death. It is of the utmost importance that we work to ensure that every life, in every stage and circumstance, is protected in law.

Earlier this year, history was made when Planned Parenthood and other big abortion businesses were banned from receiving federal Medicaid dollars for one year. I thank Catholics across the country who

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have embraced a [nationwide call to prayer](#) for the end of all taxpayer funding of abortion centers, and I ask that we continue those prayers throughout the month of October.

This Jubilee Year we are challenged to be agents of hope to those whose hearts are burdened by trial, difficulty, or suffering, offering them the hope that comes from Christ Jesus alone. [Walking with Moms in Need](#) and [Project Rachel Ministry](#) are just two examples of how the Church continuously reaches out with love, compassion, and mercy to those most in need of a message of hope.

As we begin Respect Life Month, together we embrace the words of Pope Leo XIV, "How important it is that each and every baptized person feel himself or herself called by God to be a sign of hope in the world today."² Each of us is called to be a witness to the Gospel of Life, proclaiming in word and deed the innate goodness and dignity of every human person.

For information on Respect Life Month, visit .

¹ Pope Francis, *Spes non confundit*, 20.

² Pope Leo XIV, Vatican News, May 26, 2025: <https://www.vaticannews.va/en/pope/news/2025-05/pope-leo-xiv-africa-day-pilgrimage-blessing-vatican-basilica.html>.

Ladies of Saint Andrews Parish
51st Annual
BAZAAR & RUMMAGE SALE
7am-2pm
800 Taylor Drive, Sierra Vista
Crafts, Jewelry, Toys, Christmas,
Kitchen Items, Tools, Gadgets,
Garden, Food, Bakery, Money
Raffles,
Afghan Raffle
Much, Much, More!
Don't miss this event!
Come and join the fun!

Arizona Rosary Celebration

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Pray for Us
Bring family, friends, and your heartfelt prayer petitions.
Saturday October 18, 2025
10:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
8650 N. Shannon Rd.
Tucson, AZ 85742
Information
Dave Chohon (520) 539-5528
info@AzRosary.net
www.AzRosary.net

GUEST SPEAKER
Fr. Emanuel Franco Gomez




Let's Pray the Rosary, Arizona!

DO YOU HAVE CONCERNs ABOUT FALLING?



Many older adults experience concerns about falling and restrict their activities. This class is designed to manage falls and increase activity levels by teaching practical strategies to help prevent falls.

YOU WILL LEARN TO:	WHO SHOULD ATTEND?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> View falls as controllable Set goals for increasing activity Make changes to reduce fall risks at home Exercise to increase strength and balance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Anyone concerned about falls Anyone interested in improving balance, flexibility, and strength Anyone who has fallen in the past Anyone who has restricted activities because of falling concerns Is age 60 or older, community dwelling and able to problem-solve

This is a FREE 2-week course.
 Classes are twice a week at 10AM
 Dates: Oct. 20th, 23rd; Oct. 27th, 30th

Please call Connie Sayers for more information or to sign up for this class: (520) 456-7351

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 SIERRA VISTA, AZ
 520-458-0870
 M-F 9AM-5PM SATURDAY 9AM-4PM

Games Games Games

Father of Lights Festival

Family Fun at St Andrew's

(800 Taylor Dr.)

Where: St Andrew's

When: October 31

Time: 6:00-8:00 PM

Jumping castle
Games & Activities
Prayer table
Popcorn
Snow cones
Hot chocolate
Corndogs
&
Lots and lots of Candy

Stop by before, or after, trick-or-treating to celebrate the light of Jesus with community and family-friendly fun!

You're encouraged to come dressed as your favorite saint (parents too!). Just no gory or inappropriate costumes please.

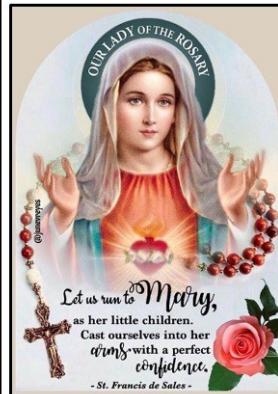
Ministries — are you willing to come do trunk or treat, or run a game or activity for our parish community?
Contact Deacon Bill or Genevieve. 520-458-2925

Please bring candy donations (WITHOUT any reference to Halloween) to St Andrew's by Tuesday Oct 28th!

Diocese of Tucson - Alive in Christ

Our Lady of the Rosary

Thursday October 9, 2025 at 6:45 PM



Lively praise & worship

History & promises of rosary

The Mystical Rose miracle

The Rosary prayed for your intentions in different languages

Eucharistic Adoration

Bring Your Rosary! Invite your family & friends!

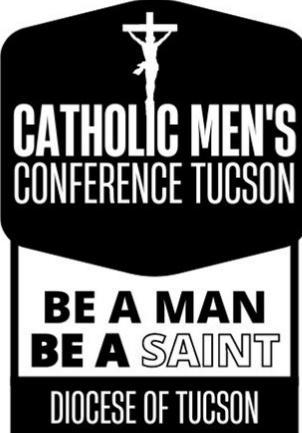
Our Lady of La Vang / St. Frances Cabrini

3201 E. Presidio Rd., Tucson

YouTube recording of this event will be available after October 13 at TucsonCCR.org website

SCAM ALERT FROM SAINT ANDREW'S

NO ONE FROM SAINT ANDREW'S STAFF WILL TEXT/EMAIL YOUR REQUESTING THAT YOU SEND ANY ITEMS OF VALUE, THIS IS ALWAYS A SCAM. PLEASE CALL OUR OFFICE AT (520) 458-2925 TO ALERT US IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED SUCH A REQUEST—AND DO NOT OPEN OR REPLY!



ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH
8650 N. Shannon Road
Tucson, AZ
8:30 AM - 6:00 PM,
Saturday, 1 November 2025

Join men from all over the Diocese of Tucson at the Catholic Men's Conference!

Energize your faith with keynotes: Paul George, author and international speaker, and Sam Blair, a former Navy Seal and Catholic speaker.



Contact Deacon Bill Polakowski at 520-266-9393 for more info. Lunch and T-shirt provided with \$35 registration prior to Oct 1st. The \$45 after Oct 1st! Discounts for college & high school students.
<https://tucsonmensconference.org/>

El Grupo del Rosario Hispano los invita a rezar con ellos los lunes a las 7 p.m. en la Capilla de la Divina Misericordia.



Este mes la clase de bautismo en Español ha sido cambiada al martes 21 de octubre a las 6 p.m.



Knights Corner - Bishop Salpointe Council #4584

Grand Knight: Tom Felix

- Thank you to everyone who assisted with the Pro-Life Booth at the County Fair! We are still looking for Co-Chairs to help lead this event next year.
- The next officers' meeting will be held on 7 October 2025, starting at 6:00 PM.
- The next business meeting will be on 14 October 2025, with the Rosary beginning at 7:00 PM.
- The Knights have been asked to assist the St. Thomas More Catholic Newman Center with their fall retreat from 17–19 October at the La Purisima Retreat Center. The Knights will be cooking meals for the event, which is expected to host approximately 80 young men and women. Contact the Program Director at Program_Director@kofc4584.org if you would like to help.
- The Arizona Rosary Celebration will take place on 18 October at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton in Tucson. Contact Deputy Grand Knight Doug Slone for more information if you're interested in assisting.
- We will hold a CUF Degree on Tuesday, 21 October 2025, in the lower hall of the Columbian Hall. The Rosary will begin at 6:00 PM. Please contact the Financial Secretary at finsec@kofc4584.org if you need to complete your 3rd Degree or are interested in becoming a full member.
- The Knights have a table reserved for the CareNet Banquet. Please contact either the Grand Knight at grand_knight@kofc4584.org or the Program Director at Program_Director@kofc4584.org if you would like to attend.
- The annual Father of Lights Festival will be held on 31 October at St. Andrews. Contact Mike Zehr if you would like to help with the program.
- Please consider assisting the council with Bingo, which is currently our main source of income for events. We are in need of a Bingo Captain, Bingo Caller, and floor workers. This is a commitment of two nights per month. The Knights earn \$75 per Knight per session, and proceeds also support the Columbian Hall.
- We are soliciting ideas for additional fundraisers to support our events and programs, including aid for Seminarians, Youth, and Brothers in need. If you have a suggestion, please attend the next council meeting.
- If you have suggestions for Knight of the Month or Family of the Month, please contact either the Grand Knight at grand_knight@kofc4584.org or the Program Director at Program_Director@kofc4584.org.

Please pray for our sick and distressed.



Celebración del Rosario en Arizona

Traiga a su familia.
Invite a sus amigos.
Rezaremos juntos por
sus peticiones de oración.



Sábado
18 de Octubre de 2025
De 10:00 a.m. a 12:15 p.m.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
8650 N. Shannon Rd.
Tucson, AZ 85742



CONFERENCISTA
Padre Emanuel
Franco Gomez

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Diocese of Tucson



¡Recemos el Rosario, Arizona!



Devotions, *Explained!*

This popular phrase is an affirmation of God's faithfulness amidst the trials of life, a theme that is presented again and again in Scripture: come what may, God will be with us.

Walking in the Light

17th Annual Community

Hymn Festival

Date/Time: Sunday, Oct 12, 2025, 2pm

Place: St. Andrew's Church, 800 Taylor Dr. ,
Sierra Vista AZ

Director: Reynaldo Romo

Join other hymn-lovers and lift your voice in praise to God as we sing a variety of sacred music accompanied by a volunteer choir, pipe organ, piano, brass and strings

There is no charge for this event.
A freewill offering will be taken to benefit
Warrior Healing Center

For additional information contact: Maryann Hockstad, 520-456-5555,
Michelle Mitchell, 520-226-5574 or
Rebecca Williams, 520-234-0888

Christmas Afghan Raffle

Our Ladies' Community Afghan Bee started in April and is finally completed and ready for a raffle this coming fall. There will be 3 drawings with this raffle: the afghan and two sets of a lapghan with a pillow. I would like to thank these ladies for all the help crocheting squares, embroidering the poinsettias, and sewing the pieces together.

- Suzanne McMackin

Kari Devere, MaryAnn Hockstad, Mary Ellen Lewis, Susie Smith, Rosie Bernal, Emelita Harris, Rita Thompson, Gert Mackey, Victoria Ashmead, Shannon Sontag, Michelle Novosel, and Fran Cassidy.



UPDATE

THE WALK FOR THE POOR

Over 65 participants joined us on the 1 mile walk.
The weather was perfect.

GUESS WHAT?

Over 2,757 lbs of non-perishable food item were received for your community foodbank
(and more is still coming in).

AND

We received \$400 in cash donations!!

As long as they remain in a state of charity,
they will always be in God and God in them.

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- If the abuse happened in Arizona, call the Police or Sheriff's Office in the specific area.
- If the abuse happened in any other state, call the Police or Sheriff's Office in the specific area of that state.
- Call the diocese in which the abuse happened.

If the abuse happened in the Diocese of Tucson, call the Victim Assistance Program of the Diocese of Tucson at **520-623-0344**; (**1-800-234-0344** in Arizona) and/or the Office of Child, Adolescent and Adult Protection of the Diocese of Tucson at **520-838-2513**.

<https://www.diocesetucson.org/reportabuse>

St. Andrew the Apostle / Good Shepherd Mission

Annual Financial Report for Fiscal Year 2025

Summary:

“Let your light shine so brightly that all may see the good that you do and give glory to your Father Who is in heaven!” (Matthew 5:16)

These words which were spoken to you at your Baptism, YOU have embraced with wonderful generosity and joy!

And it is YOUR light, our dear Parishioners, which is a beacon of hope here in our own Community and Diocese, but most beautifully, in poverty-stricken regions around the world, particularly our sponsored Parishes in Haiti, Nigeria, Nepal, Kyrgyzstan and Ecuador! Needs have been met and **exceeded** by your generosity. We are truly a Parish that embodies a spirit of mission and letting our light shine!

Inflation here at home is everyone's concern, impacting on all the absolutely necessary things needed to run a household.

The Church – the “Household of God” --is no exception! Utility bills, supplies, necessary maintenance for our two-campus Parish, have risen sharply. We are managing State and Federal mandated wage increases, essential office supply costs, insurance, as well as liturgical supplies, to name but a few. You who are trying to balance your own household budgets can appreciate the challenges that we face in managing the resources of the Household of God!

The fact is that our Offertory for our ordinary expenses has just not kept pace with rising costs, in spite of our very best efforts to economize! We understand that many, especially our young families, are struggling to make ends meet – but the Church is not just ‘one more charity’ but the means by which we live out our Baptismal vocation to “let our light shine!”

And so, we DO ask that you prayerfully consider increasing your weekly gift to the Parish – literally, **a cost-of-living increase** for the “Household of God”! A small sacrifice from each family can and does make a huge difference in meeting our needs. We do, very respectfully, now ask for your timely generosity to maintain the level of Parish services that you have come to expect and that you deserve!

With YOUR help we can meet this challenge!

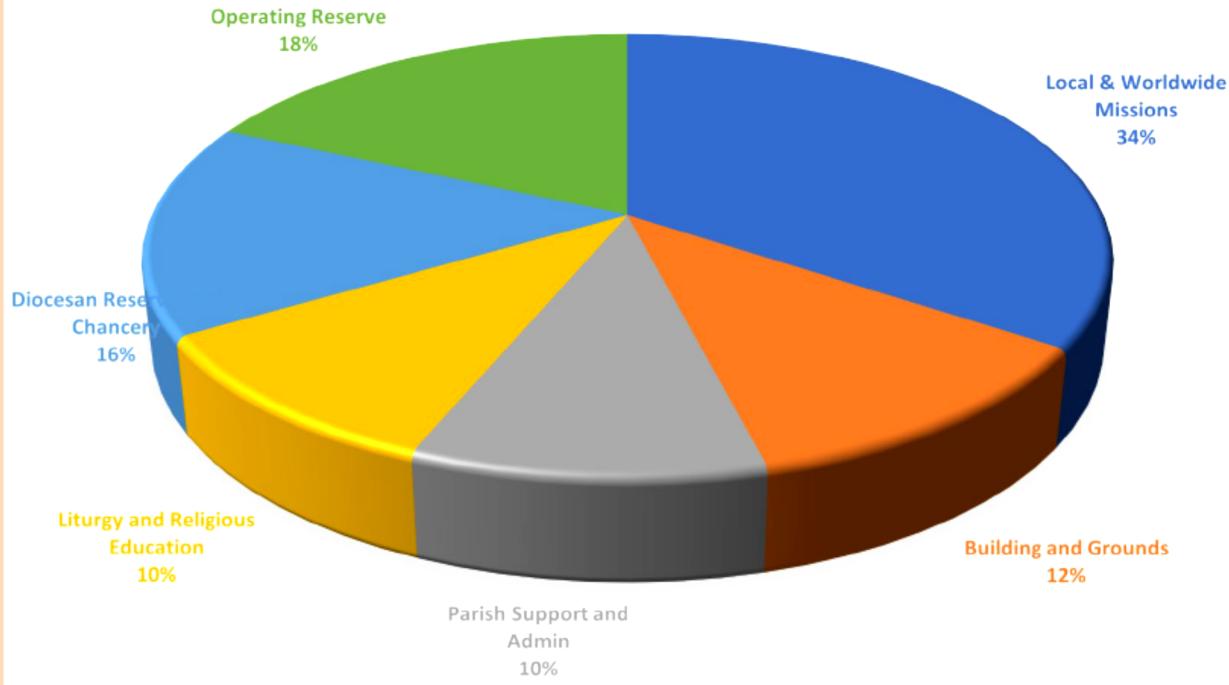
One other suggestion that you might consider is to create a ‘legacy’ by remembering St. Andrew's in your Will or estate plan. This ‘legacy of light’ by Parishioners now in Eternity has been a tremendous help! Please consider making a bequest to St. Andrew's when structuring your estate plans.

Our **GOALS**, established by our Parish/Finance Council, will continue to be:

- Managing with great care all of the resources you provide responsibly and transparently!
- Increasing the use of online giving!
- Expanding our Mission outreach here at home and with our Mission partners abroad, letting our light shine around the world!
- Letting our light shine in our local community through the *St. Vincent de Paul Society*, the *Knights of Columbus*, *Good Neighbor Alliance*, and the *Ladies of St. Andrew's*!
- Letting our light shine by expanding and 'fine tuning' our social media outreach!
- Inviting young men and women to seek their vocation as Priests, Deacons and Consecrated Religious Women and Men! (*Please pray for our own Ethan Salerno as he begins his first year of discernment for the Priesthood*)
- Increasing opportunities to volunteer – and let our light shine!
- Encouraging worship and adoration of the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist, as part of the National Eucharistic Revival taking place in the Church!

Your offerings come from your in-pew and online giving donations; Second collections, Building Fund Donations, St. Vincent de Paul donations, the Annual Catholic Appeal, and donations to the Catholic Tuition Support Organization (CTSO).

WHERE DO MY DONATIONS GO?



MINISTRY DIRECTORY

Adoration : Frances Huertas	253.640.7734
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AL-ANON: Betina G.	520.456-5550
Alcoholic Anonymous: Doug M.	520.270.6485
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Annulments: Deacon John Klein	520.458.2925
Audio/Visual: Karen Acosta	520.458-2925
Building Committee: Maryann Hockstad	520.456.5555
Carmelite Community: Helen Garcia	520.591.0278
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Detention Ministry: Lupita Terán	520.458.2925
Dir. Religious Ed: Genevieve Rivera	520.305.9301
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Finance/Parish Council: Linda Klein	520.266.0188
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Life Teen Choir: Ron Rivera	520.266.3125
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Youth Choir: Rebecca Williams	520.234.0888
Wedding Coordination: Ann Lund	520.227.3179

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