



**St. Joan of Arc Catholic Parish**  
**3801 E. Greenway Road, Phoenix, AZ 85032**  
**Fr. Daniel Cruz, Parochial Administrator**  
**Fr. Oliver Vietor, Parochial Vicar**  
**APRIL 14, 2024**

**MISSION STATEMENT**  
***Courageously following Christ by serving the community  
through Catholic liturgy, gospel values, charity  
and education.***

Parish Office: 602-867-9171

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Closed Noon-1:00p/Friday: 9:00a/Noon

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### ST. JOAN OF ARC MINISTRIES

**ALTAR SERVER MINISTRY:** Contact Coordinator

Tracy Stofflet, at [tasarizona@cox.net](mailto:tasarizona@cox.net).

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS/USHERS:** Please call 602.867.9171x308.

**FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS:** The First Friday of each month after  
8:30a daily Mass.

**FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS:** The First Saturday of each month  
after 8:30a daily Mass.

**HEALING PRAYER AND DELIVERANCE MINISTRY:**

2nd & 4th Tuesdays of the month at 6:30p in the Church.

Contact Mary Jo Orkild at 602-956-6107.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** Contact Chuck Reader at  
602-448-5171.

**LECTORS:** Brian Foley at [bjfoley1@cox.net](mailto:bjfoley1@cox.net) or 862-246-5116.

**LEGION OF MARY:** Rosemary Rosenberger at  
602-690-7702 or [r.rose@q.com](mailto:r.rose@q.com).

**LIBRARY HOURS:** 1st & 3rd Sundays/month 9:30am—Noon

**LITTLE FLOWER MINISTRY:** Please contact Coordinator

Tracy Stofflet, at [tasarizona@cox.net](mailto:tasarizona@cox.net)

**PASTORAL CARE:** Please call the Parish Office at 602-867-9171.

**PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP:** Call Josie Savino at 602-996-3887.

**PERPETUAL ADORATION:** Desiree Schlangen(Eng) at

[Desiree.SJA.Adoration@gmail.com](mailto:Desiree.SJA.Adoration@gmail.com) or

Nora Cordero (Sp) at [Nora.SJA.Adoration@gmail.com](mailto:Nora.SJA.Adoration@gmail.com)

**PORTERS OF ST. JOSEPH:** [security@stjoanofarc.com](mailto:security@stjoanofarc.com)  
for more information.

**RESPECT LIFE:** For information, please contact  
Clarice Stauble at 830-377-7718.

**ST. DAMIEN'S HELPERS:** Edye Malena @602-971-0490.

**SJA PRAYER LINE:** [4prayeronly@gmail.com](mailto:4prayeronly@gmail.com).

**SJA SENIOR MINISTRY:** Barbara Matthews at  
602-867-9171x312 or [bulletin@stjoanofarc.com](mailto:bulletin@stjoanofarc.com)

**SMALL CHURCH COMMUNITY:** John Kopala at  
480-280-2702 or [jkopala@gmail.com](mailto:jkopala@gmail.com)

Wednesdays—9:30am-Senior Lounge

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL:** Call 602-867-2288.

#### MASS SCHEDULE

DAILY/DIARIO  
8:30am (English) Mon/Sat  
6:00pm (English) Mon  
6:00pm (Espanol) Wed

#### WEEKEND MASSES

4:30pm—SATURDAY  
8:30am—SUNDAY (Eng)  
10:30am—SUNDAY (Eng)  
12:30pm—SUNDAY (Sp)

#### CONFESSION/CONFESIÓN

Mon/Sat: 8:00/8:25am(Eng/Esp)

Mon: 5:30pm-5:55pm (Eng/Esp)

Wed: 5:30pm-5:55pm (Eng/Esp)

Sat: 9:00am-10:30am (Eng/Esp)

or by appointment on above listed days.

The times for the SVdP pantry are listed below:

Mondays - 9:00 to 11:00AM

6:00 to 7:30PM

Wednesdays - 9:00 to 11:00 AM,

6:00 to 7:30 PM

Saturdays - 9:00 to 11:00 AM.

#### TROUBLE HEARING THE PRIESTS or LECTORS

St. Joan of Arc has EIGHT (8) AUDIO AIDS for use by those who are hearing impaired. Ask one of the ushers to sign one out for you before Mass and then please return the device to the ushers after Mass.

#### HALL USAGE...

St. Joan of Arc Parish has two halls available.

For information, please call 602.867.9171.

3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER—APRIL 14, 2024



APRIL 15, 2024, 2023 -  
APRIL 21, 2024

**MONDAY/LUNES**

8:30am—Children/Grandchildren of  
Judith Fullmer

6:00pm—E. Charlie Taft†

**TUESDAY/MARTES**

8:30am—Saveria Sibilia†

**WEDNESDAY/MIERCOLES**

8:30am—Grace B. Mullin†

6:00pm—Lorraine T. Miller†

**THURSDAY/JUEVES**

8:30am—Frona Garrison†

**FRIDAY/VIERNES**

8:30am—Dan Morrison†

**SATURDAY/SABADO**

8:30am—John J. Crosson†

4:30pm—SJA Parishioners

**SUNDAY/DOMINGO**

8:30am—Barbara Harndent†

10:30am—Magdalena Franco†

12:30pm—Lazaro Cervantes†



LARRY SMITH

*“I am the resurrection  
and the life. He who  
believes in Me will  
live, even though he  
dies and whoever  
lives and believes in  
Me will not die.”*



**ADORATION CHAPEL  
CANDLE SPONSORS**

PRISCILLA STIERSTORFER

**In Memory of**

ALBERT “BOB” STIERSTORFER

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SONIA TAFT

**In Memory of**

OSCAR HOCHSTRASSER

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SONIA TAFT

**In Memory of**

ALBERT “BOB” STIERSTORFER

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SONIA TAFT

**In Memory of**

ERWIN “CHARLIE” TAFT

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April 14, 2024

**Catholic Charities Community Services**

To learn more about our services, programs, to volunteer and support our residents, or donate, call 602-285-1999 and visit us at [www.catholiccharitiesaz.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesaz.org).

**RCIA & Sponsoring New Christians**

As baptized Catholics we all have the great joy of fulfilling Christ's Great Commission of making disciples of all nations. (Matthew 28:19-20)

If you are willing to walk with an inquiring soul towards full initiation into the Church, please reach out to Brett Gilfillan [bgilfillan@stjoanofarc.com](mailto:bgilfillan@stjoanofarc.com) for more information.

**2. ALL WERE ITALIAN**

The Small Church Community meets every Wednesday following the morning Mass and recitation of the Rosary at approximately 9:30 AM in the Senior Lounge in Weidner Hall.

**PERPETUAL ADORATION/  
PRO-LIFE CANDLES**

Our Adoration Chapel/Pro-Life Shrine Candle program allows parishioners to honor/memorialize family/friends with lighted candles on the altar in the Adoration Chapel. Names of the sponsors and those being remembered will be in the weekly bulletin. Please come to the parish office to set up your sponsorship of a \$10/candle. Each sponsorship is for one week. (Sunday/Saturday)

**INFANT BAPTISM**

If you want to have your child baptized or have questions about the process, please call 602-867-9171x316 or email: [bgilfillan@stjoanofarc.com](mailto:bgilfillan@stjoanofarc.com)

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**BAUTISMO INFANTIL...**

Póngase en contacto con JOSEFINA SANCHEZ a 602-688-1777 o RAFAEL ROJAS a 602-565-3530 para programar una reunión. La información también está disponible en el sitio web y en la oficina principal. Llame a la oficina parroquial para obtener más información.

**COMMUNION FOR THE HOSPITALIZED &  
HOMEBOUND**

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COMUNION PARA LOS QUE ESTAN EN HOSPITAL O IMPOSIBILITADOS PARA SALIR DE CASA.

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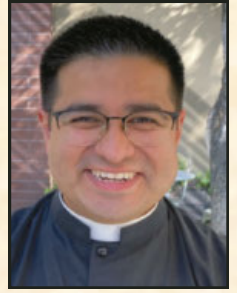
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**ANointing OF THE SICK &  
LAST RITES-24 HOURS-602-867-9171**

UNCLON A LOS ENFERMOS Y ULTIMOS RITOS.  
24 HORAS-602.867.9171.

## FROM OUR PAROCHIAL ADMINISTRATOR

FR. CRUZ



Happy Easter!

On this third Sunday in Easter I am filled with so much gratitude and appreciation to all the hard work from the staff and volunteers to make our Holy Week one to remember. Reflecting back to the festivities, so many moving parts culminated at the Easter Vigil. As I blessed the Easter fire for the first time as a priest, the noticeable prayer granted us to celebrate the paschal feasts in such a way that we may be so inflamed with heavenly desires and unending splendor. Here we are on the third Sunday after the Octave and Solemnity of the Annunciation. I want the unending splendor of the Easter season to continue and so should you.

When you get a moment come close to the Paschal Candle near the ambo where the readings are proclaimed. The vertical line of the cross, "Christ yesterday and today," the horizontal line, "the beginning and the end." Then notice the Greek alphabet above the cross, the Alpha and the Omega. The year 2024 is traced as "All time belongs to Him and all the ages, to Him be glory and power through every age and forever. Amen." Finally, during the Easter Vigil, five grains of incense in the form of a cross were inserted, "by His holy and glorious wounds, may Christ the Lord guard us and protect us. Amen."

The Paschal Candle remains with us in the sanctuary throughout the Easter season to remind us of the glorious Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Continue to celebrate this feast and may you and your families be blessed this Easter season.

In the Hearts of Jesus and Mary!

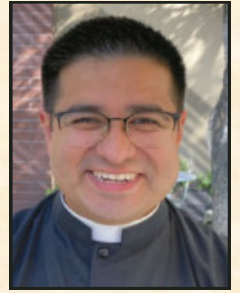
Fr. Cruz



### WELCOME VISITORS

**We are happy to have you join us today and every Sunday. You enrich our Masses by your presence and your participation. We hope that you find our liturgies here to be an inspiring celebration of our faith. Please come back again...and often.**

PADRE CRUZ



¡Felices Pascuas!

En este tercer domingo de Pascua estoy lleno de mucha gratitud y aprecio por todo el arduo trabajo de nuestro personal y voluntarios para hacer que nuestra Semana Santa sea especial y hermosa. Tantas partes móviles culminaron en la Vigilia Pascual. Al bendecir el fuego pascual por primera vez como sacerdote, la notable oración nos concedió celebrar las fiestas pascuales de tal manera que estemos inflamados de deseos celestiales y de esplendor sin fin. Estamos en el tercer domingo después de la Octava y Solemnidad de la Anunciación. Quiero que el esplendor interminable de la temporada de Pascua continúe y tú también deberías hacerlo.

Cuando tengas un momento acércate al Cirio Pascual cerca del ambón donde se proclaman las lecturas. La línea vertical de la cruz, "Cristo ayer y hoy", la línea horizontal, "el principio y el fin". Luego observe el alfabeto griego sobre la cruz, el Alfa y la Omega. El año 2024 se traza como "A Él le pertenecen todos los tiempos y todos los siglos, a Él sea la gloria y el poder en todos los tiempos y por los siglos. Amén." Finalmente, durante la Vigilia Pascual, se insertaron cinco granos de incienso en forma de cruz, "por sus santas y gloriosas llagas, que Cristo el Señor nos guarde y proteja. Amén."

El Cirio Pascual permanece con nosotros en el santuario durante todo el tiempo pascual para recordarnos la gloriosa Resurrección de nuestro Señor Jesucristo. Continúen celebrando esta fiesta y que ustedes y sus familias sean bendecidos en esta temporada de Pascua.

¡En los Corazones de Jesús y María!

Padre Cruz



**Reciben a los visitantes**

**Estamos encantados de que te unas a nosotros hoy y todos los domingos. A enriquecer nuestras misas por su presencia y su anticipación. Esperamos que encuentre nuestras liturgias aquí para ser una celebración inspiradora de nuestra fe. Por favor, vuelve otra vez ... y con frecuencia.**

**BEST YEARS FELLOWSHIP SENIOR MINISTRY...**



The next Senior Lunch will be April 18. Our guest speaker will be a representative from Hospice of the Valley who is coming to tell us of the many features that Hospice has available.

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Lunch will be Arby's roast beef sandwiches, potato salad, sherbert & beverage.

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A new (or current) parishioner 55+ and wish to learn about or to participate in the SJA Best Years Fellowship Senior Ministry? Please contact Barb Matthews at 602-867-9171x312.

God bless & have a great week!

**SJA ALTAR SERVERS...**

We are always looking for young men who have made their First Reconciliation & First Communion Sacraments to join our wonderful ministry.



Boys must possess a deep passion for Jesus, the desire to assist our priests and deacons during Holy Mass and be willing to take instruction from older, experienced Altar Servers.

Being an Altar Server is a privilege!!!

Please contact Tracy Stofflet, Altar Server Coordinator, at [tasarizona@cox.net](mailto:tasarizona@cox.net) for more information.

**Morning Prayers...**

Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 8:00 AM daily before Mass; Liturgy of the Hours at 8:10 AM following the Chaplet.

Rosary follows Mass Monday/Saturday.

For more information of questions, please contact Mary Sitto at 602-561-4063.

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION...**

**ADORERS NEEDED:**

SUNDAY—12:00PM—1:00PM

MONDAY—2:00AM

TUESDAY—2:00AM

WEDNESDAY—1:00AM—12:00PM

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**PRAYER PARTNERS ALWAYS NEEDED**

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If you are interested in volunteering as an Hourly Captain or becoming an Adorer, please contact Desiree at 763-807-7015.

**LEGION OF MARY...**

How do you Join the Legion of Mary?

There is no age limit to membership. .

For more information, please contact Rosemary Rosenberger at 602-690-7702 or email at [r.rosey@q.com](mailto:r.rosey@q.com)

**WEEKLY READINGS-  
WEEK OF APRIL 14, 2024**

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/  
Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1a/  
Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab/Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/  
Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/  
Jn 6:60-69

Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/  
Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29/  
Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

3 COMMUNION

**ARE YOU PREGNANT & NEED HELP?**

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CONTACT: [Help4Her.com](http://Help4Her.com)

WE NEED YOUR HELP IN KEEPING THE CHURCH AND THE CAMPUS IN PRISTINE CONDITION.

PLEASE DO NOT PLACE ANY FLOWERS/CANDLES THROUGHOUT THE CHURCH OR ANYWHERE ON THE CAMPUS WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL.

PLEASE CONTACT ANNETTE GARRISON, LITURGY COORDINATOR FOR MORE INFORMATION.

Please pray for our men & women in the armed forces and also for their families.

## ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA...

### ADORADORES NECESARIOS:

DOMINGO—12:00PM—1:00PM

LUNES—12:00PM

MARTES—2:00AM

MIÉRCOLES—1:00AM—12:00PM

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### NECESITO COMPAÑEROS DE ORACIÓN

Por favor Nora.SJA.Adoration@gmail.com

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**Si está interesado en ser voluntario como Capitán por hora, comuníquese con Nora al 602.731.1174.**



## ¿POR QUÉ DEBO SER ADORADOR?

¡Hay muchas razones! Lo más importante es visitar y pasar tiempo con Nuestro Señor Jesucristo que es siempre. Presente en la Sagrada Eucaristía (también llamado Santísimo Sacramento). Como cualquier relación, lo que ponemos en es lo que vamos a volver y nuestro Señor no está superado en la generosidad! Como un adorador comprometido también tiene la increíble responsabilidad de mantener al Señor no sólo compañía sino también seguro en la Capilla de la Adoración. Los feligreses y otros generalmente se comprometen a una hora (o más) por semana. Venir a la adoración es una manera perfecta de acercarse cada vez más a Jesús e intensificar nuestra vida espiritual. ¡Que Cristo sea siempre

Rey de nuestros corazones!

Para más información, llame a

Nora at Nora.SJAAdoration@mail.com

## Perdida y Encontrada

Si ha perdido uno o dos artículos... consulte con la Oficina Parroquial. Los artículos dejados o entregados se guardarán en la oficina por un período de 2 semanas. Si no se reclaman y son elegibles para donación, los artículos se donarán a la tienda de segunda mano de St Vincent de Paul. Gracias.

## OPORTUNIDADES ORACIÓN DIARIA

- Misa diaria a las 8:30am
- Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento las 24 horas del día en la Capilla de Adoración
- Rezar el Rosario diario
- Siga las nuevas presentaciones religiosas en EWTN.

Mire la Santa Misa en el canal de YouTube de nuestro [www.youtube.com/PhoenixDiocese](http://www.youtube.com/PhoenixDiocese)

## MISIONEROS SERVIDORES DE LA PALABRA...

Soy América Pérez.

Pertenezco a los Misioneros Servidores de la palabra a qui en Santa Juana de Arco llevo 6 años de ser misionera y soy parte del ministerio del rosario, me siento feliz que nuestro Señor me aya puesto en te ministerio porque el rosario es la oración más importante y poderosa de nuestras vidas

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La comunidad CERS de Santa Juana de Arco ofrece:

Cursos bíblicos

Rosario en los hogares

Novenario para difuntos

Oración por los enfermos

Para más preguntas puede comunicarse con ` nosotros:

Coordinadora: Julia Pérez (602)696-1401

Secretaria: Nayeli González (602)554-3469

## ¿Interesada en tener una Bendición de Quinceañera?

Se requiere un aviso de un año. Nuevos requisitos junto con disponibilidad de horarios. Comuníquese con Annette Garrison para obtener más información.

## ESTÁS EMBARAZADA & ¿NECESITAS AYUDA?

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CONTACTO: [Help4Her.com](http://Help4Her.com)

## LECTURAS SEMANALES-SEMANA 14 DE ABRIL 2024

Lunes: Hch 6, 8-15/Sal 118, 23-24. 26-27. 29-30/

Jn 6, 22-29

Martes: Hch 7, 51—8, 1/

Sal 30, 3-4. 6 y 7 y 8. 17 y 21/

Jn 6, 30-35

Miércoles: Hch 8, 1-8/Sal 65, 1-3. 4-5. 6-7/

Jn 6, 35-40

Jueves: Hch 8, 26-40/Sal 65, 8-9. 16-17. 20/

Jn 6, 44-51

Viernes: Hch 9, 1-20/Sal 116, 1. 2/Jn 6, 52-59

Sábado: Hch 9, 31-42/Sal 115, 12-13. 14-15. 16-17/

Jn 6, 60-69

Domingo: Hch 4, 8-12/

Sal 117, 1. 8-9. 21-23. 26. 28. 29/

Jn 3, 1-2/Jn 10, 11-18

## RADIO CATOLICA

En Famlia Radio sintonícela en el 740 AM de su radio o también por internet en [www.enfaemilia.com](http://www.enfaemilia.com)

Por favor oren por nuestros hombres y mujeres en las fuerzas armadas y también para sus familias.



Dear Parishioner,

I love going to St. Joan of Arc Preschool & Kindergarten! I can pray and say the pledge of allegiance at my school and I get to wear a uniform. Not only am I learning solid academics but I am also learning about morals and values. I am taught that God and Jesus have a place in my school and my heart. My Catholic School is funded through tuition and the generosity of others. My tuition stays low because of donations and fundraising activities which provide financial assistance to families in need and improve school resources,

This April 20th, 2024 we are hosting a School Prom Fundraiser. Please help us make this fundraising event a huge success by making a monetary donation, offering a prayer or by attending the fun event! If coming, please call the School Office to make your payment (\$50/family) ahead of time to ensure an accurate headcount. The number is 602-867-9179. Your support in my Catholic education is very much appreciated!

Love, St. Joan of Arc Students

# Vacation Bible School

Registration for Vacation Bible School 2024 is now open for St. Joan of Arc parishioners! Our theme this year is *"Wilderness Adventure through the Sacraments!"* VBS will take place from Monday, June 3 - Friday, June 7, from 8:00am - 1:15pm! Then registration will be open to all families, until spaces are filled. Registration will take place in person, so please go to the St. Joan of Arc parish office during business hours to complete registration. Children must be between 4 years old (and potty-trained, able to use the bathroom completely by self) up to just having finished 5<sup>th</sup> grade. The cost is \$50 per child (Maximum \$150 per immediate family for 3 children or more). For more information, please contact Laura Gallant at lgallant@stjoanofarc.com.

**#1 CATHOLIC SCHOOL TUITION ORGANIZATION**



**Four Ways You Can Change a Life!**

- AZ Individual Tax Credit
- AZ Corporate Low Income Tax Credit
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602-218-6542 OR WWW.CEAZ.ORG

**Catholic Education ARIZONA**  
Changing lives one scholarship at a time.

"Thank you for making my education possible!"

## Support our Kindergarteners

Did you know that you can direct your state tax liability to Catholic Education Arizona, and specify St. Joan of Arc Preschool & Kindergarten (#724,) and it will provide tuition assistance to our kindergarten families? Why pay the government when you can help a child receive a quality Christ-centered education? Contribution limits for 2023 are \$1,307 for single filers, and \$2,609 for married couples. You may even be able to double or triple the impact of your tax credit contribution if your employer sponsors matching gift programs. Visit the Matching Gift Opportunities page at [www.CEAZ.org](http://www.CEAZ.org) to see if your employer participates. Please direct any questions to our school at 602-867-9179



## THE LITTLE FLOWER MINISTRY...



The young ladies in the Little Flower Ministry prepare flower arrangements for our altar to honor our Blessed Mother as well as various other feast days in the Church.

THANK YOU to our recent sponsors:

ANONYMOUS  
LOLITA LATIMER  
PRISCILLA STIERSTORFER

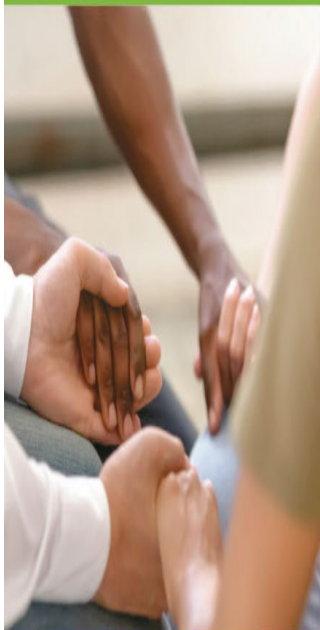
Please contact Tracy Stofflet,  
Little Flower Coordinator at  
[tasarizona@cox.net](mailto:tasarizona@cox.net) for more Information.

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If you've lost an item or two...please check with the Parish Office. Items left or turned in will be kept at the office for a 2-week period. If not claimed and are eligible for donation, items will be donated to St Vincent de Paul Thrift Store - Thank you.

### 1. THE DIDACHE

## Catholic Charities Counseling Services



Catholic Charities provides  
low cost Counseling Services...



for individuals, families, couples, children and adolescents to deal with a variety of issues, including, but not limited to: Abuse, trauma, grief and loss, depression, communication and more! Services are provided at multiple sites throughout the valley. Fees on a sliding scale, based on income and family size, and we are now providing counseling through some AHCCCS plans.

To set an appointment call 602.749.4405

Monetary donations are needed to help our community's most vulnerable have access to affordable counseling services.

To learn more about this program or to donate to this cause, call 602-285-1999 and visit us at [CatholicCharitiesAZ.org](http://CatholicCharitiesAZ.org)

"The Lord hears the cry of the poor." Job 34:20-28



St Vincent de Paul Society  
*good works*

### March Statistics

- Number of families provided food boxes = 84
- Number of people in all families provided food = 404
- Number of food boxes provided = 209
- Number of families provided rent and utility assistance = 4

Please remember to purchase ONE CAN OF TUNA when you go grocery shopping this week.



Thank you and God bless...

SVdP Helpline: 602-867-2288

MON: 9/11AM, 6/7:30PM—WED: 9/11AM, 6/7:30PM  
SAT: 9/11AM

## Come visit the SJA GIFT SHOP



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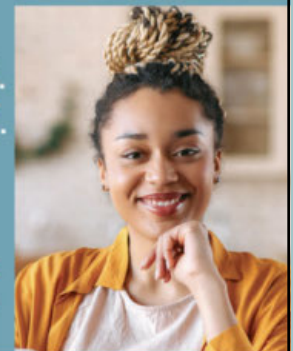
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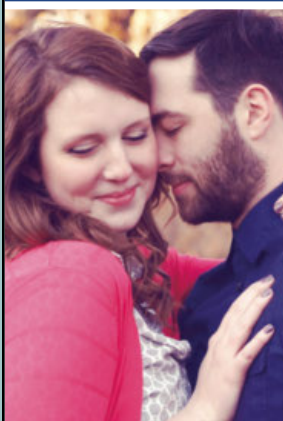


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