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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm Tuesday through Thursday 8:30 am - 8:00 pm Friday 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

LITURGY:

Weekend Mass: Saturday 4:30 pm and Sunday 8:30 am, 10:30 am and 5:00 pm Weekday Mass: Monday through Friday 8:00 am Tuesdays and Thursdays 5:30 pm Holy Days: 8:00 am, 12:05 pm and 5:30 pm

SACRAMENTS:

Baptism: To arrange a baptism and begin the required preparation class, call 480-998-3843 a minimum of three months in advance.

Marriage: Arrangements must be made a minimum of nine months in advance. Call the Parish Office for an appointment.

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:00 - 4:00 pm

Anointing of the Sick or Communion to the Sick: To request either sacrament, call the Parish Office.

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CHRISTIAN DISCIPLES IN MISSION



First Down with Fr. Eric5 0 4 0 30 20 10



Dear Friends,

Once the hosts on the altar have been consecrated by the priest and have been consumed by the community, we might not be aware of what happens to the remaining consecrated hosts. The hosts are placed in a tabernacle as each parish is asked to have a place that is noble and prominent according to our liturgical documents. When one reads the General Instructions of the Roman Missal (GIRM), it states that it is placed in a chapel area. Great care should be given to where that is placed, and it should be beautifully decorated. It also states that if this is not

possible for a chapel, then it may be placed in a prominent area in the sanctuary.

Our tabernacle is placed at the center of our property and is open for prayer anytime our campus is open. First thing in the morning until our last function at night, anyone is invited to pray before the Blessed Sacrament. The placement is confusing for some, as the belief is that it has to be behind the altar, and some are upset that it is not. Reading the Church documents on liturgy, it states that the chapel is a proper placement for the tabernacle. And if that is not possible in a parish, then it is to be placed somewhere in the sanctuary.

The history of our parish was that we only had one building on the property (Fenlon Center), which was a multi-purpose building, so there were all types of activities in the building. There really was no dedicated place for prayer. So, in building our main building, we thought that the Blessed Sacrament chapel should be dedicated solely to prayer. No other activities or sound is found in that sacred chapel.

Parishioners and all people are encouraged to come and pray in our chapel. A refuge from a busy world, a place to listen to God, a place to remember God is with us in our joys and challenges.

Peace in Christ,

Fr. Eric



Christian Disciples in Mission Living Beyond Sunday

BY ERIC TAMAYO, Pastoral Associate

St. Bonaventure on God and Creation

Have you ever been on top of a mountain, or listened to the crashing of the Ocean waves, or just stared up at the thousands of stars in the night sky and have been struck by the beauty of it all? We live in a world full of beauty and wonder. Unfortunately, many times we become so focused on the negativity of life that we lose sight of the beauty of creation. In modern times, especially with technology, our lives move so fast that it can be easy to lose sight of the beauty of nature and creation. We see pictures of exotic places and animals and we share posts and like pictures online, but rarely do we take the time to think why we find those things to be beautiful or what they mean to us.

St. Bonaventure (1217-1274) was a Franciscan friar who followed in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi in pointing out the beauty of creation. In his work, St. Bonaventure talks about three routes by which we journey to know God. One of those routes is the material world of creation which Bonaventure described as "traces" of God. He viewed the world sacramentally and referred to the natural world as a book or a mirror because it points beyond itself to the Triune God. For Bonaventure, the material world is intimately connected to the spiritual life and our relationship to God. He describes how the soul progresses along a journey by contemplating the way God is reflected in the material world. St. Bonaventure shows our ascent to God begins with the material world and our senses which leads to contemplation of God himself. He states, "in relation to our position in creation, the universe itself is a ladder by which we can ascend into God." One of his most famous analogies compares the natural world to a stained glass window. Just as you see rays of light entering through stained glass that is colored differently, so the divine rays of light shine forth in each and every creature in different ways and in different properties. Bonaventure teaches us that creation is like a book which can be opened and read to understand and grow closer to God. Creation is a product of God's love; our only appropriate response is to return that love.

Next time you see and experience something beautiful in the world, maybe take the time to stop and think about how that beauty is a reflection of God's love. On Tuesday, July 15 the

church celebrates the feast of St. Bonaventure, hopefully this week we can all be reminded that the proof of God's love and his existence is all around us.





Stewardship

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Stewardship

In today's gospel, the parable of the Good Samaritan teaches us that love of neighbor is not defined by boundaries or convenience, but by compassion and action. This passage challenges us to see all people in need as our responsibility. Stewardship calls us to generously use our time, talents, and resources in service to others, even when it is uncomfortable or sacrificial. Perhaps, particularly when it is uncomfortable and sacrifical. The Samaritan didn't just feel compassion-he acted, offering his own provisions and care. Likewise, we are called to be intentional and merciful stewards of God's love in a hurting world.

How am I responding to the needs of others with the gifts God has entrusted to me?

To make a onetime or recurring gift, please go to stpatcc.org/give.





Are you looking for a way to serve the St. Patrick community, but not sure where to start? The Hospitality Ministry is for you!

All that is required is a friendly personality and a welcoming smile. The Hospitality Ministry greets, seats and assists with the collection and Communion. It's an easy and rewarding way to serve. If you are interested in hearing more, decide what Mass works for you!

email Peggy McFarland at hospitalitysat430@stpatcc.org

Saturday, 4:30 pm Mass 🔊 Sunday, 10:30 pm Mass email Jan Sagnella at hospitalitysun1030@stpatcc.org



Email your prayer request to: weprayforyou@stpatcc.org

A team of men and women in Arizona and beyond are honored to pray for your intentions. All requests are confidential; first names only are encouraged.

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The Music Ministry needs you!!

We invite you to join our Music Ministry this fall. We will begin Christmas Music SOON! We rehearse on Thursdays from 6:30 to 8:00 pm. Our rehearsal is a combined one so you can sing for Saturday evening or either Sunday morning Mass. Tryouts are not expected but are available if you want to know which part to sing or play! All are welcome!

Call Paul Hillebrand, Director of Music, on his direct line **480-264-4212** with any questions...this could be your big break into ministry!!!

P.S. We have a need for percussionists, male singers and bass players!!



Our Children's Choir Ministry, the Singing Angels, (Grades 2-8) will be starting the new season on Monday, Sept. 15. Rehearsals are every Monday before Edge and ROCK45 from 5:40 to 6:20 pm. There will be registration forms available in the music area after all Masses. The Singing Angels sing once a month at a weekend Liturgy. Come join this beautiful ministry - space is limited! Questions? Call Paul at **480-264-4212** for more information.

PROTECTING YOU FROM FRAUD & SCAMS

An Overview of Common Financial Crimes presented by Maricopa County Sheriff's Office

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3 | 11:45 am – 1:45 pm FENLON HOSPITALITY CENTER ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

The Maricopa County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) Financial Crimes Unit (FCU) regularly participates in public awareness events showing how to avoid becoming a victim of fraud and scams.



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We will be collecting school supplies such as backpacks, notebooks, colored pencils, pens, pencils, refillable water bottles, Kleenex, etc.

We will also collect gift cards in increments of \$25 from Walmart or Target.

Supplies donated will benefit St. Matthew and Roadrunner Elementary Schools. Gift Cards will benefit Children of the Incarcerated (Diocesan Prison Ministry).

Collection at all Weekend Masses July 12/13, 19/20 and 26/27

Thank you for your generosity and prayers for our children and teachers as we prepare for the '25/'26 school year! Please contact Leah Hill at **Ihill@stpatcc.org** or 480-998-3843 ext. 120 for any questions or information.



PLEASE FOLLOW THESE EASY STEPS:

- Go to phoenix.cmgconnect.org
- Sign in with your User Name and Password. If you are unable to log in, please contact your SET Coordinator Eric Tamayo at etamayo@stpatcc.org.

PLEASE DO NOT CREATE A NEW ACCOUNT

 Go to My Trainings and click on the Online Renewal.



Safe Environment Training for LAY PERSONS

ONLINE RENEWAL

Safe Haven: Religious Ed

- Complete all pages
- You will need to submit a new background check if your existing one expires before July 1, 2026.

IMPORTANT NOTE

All trainings expire June 30 of every year. Renewals for the following year start July 1 every year. If you do not complete a renewal each year, you will need to retake the Foundation Training.

We thank you for your dedication to our ministries at St. Patrick as well as your commitment to creating a safe environment for all!

Vleed help? Eric Tamayo at etamayo@stpatcc.org.



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- Go to: My Trainings and click on the Online Foundation Training



- Complete all pages
- To know whether you have completed a page, look at the boxes on the left side of the screen. They will turn from yellow to green when your page is complete.
- Complete and submit the background check.
 If everything is correct, please click on submit and allow 7-10 business days for processing.

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THEOLOGY OF AI

Join us for an engaging evening with Dr. Lenard Kelley as we explore how faith and artificial intelligence intersect in our rapidly changing world. From questions of human dignity to the soul of technology, this event will challenge your assumptions and deepen your understanding.

To register, please visit: stpatcc.org/registration/?registrationinstanceID=135

Tuesday, July 15 6:30 – 8:00 pm Fenlon Hospitality Center

All are welcome!

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COME. THINK. BELIEVE.

Social Justice

Mental Health Matters

Did you know that St. Patrick Catholic Community has counseling available?

At some point in life, everybody could use a little help navigating. For some, that help comes in the form of a professional counselor.

Shirley Daley,

Licensed Counselor Catholic Charities Community Services For an appointment, 602-314-0243.



HE WHO HAS HEALTH HAS HOPE; AND HE WHO HAS HOPE HAS EVERYTHING."

"Where did Judas shop for groceries?"



Mass Readings

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time First

Reading: Deuteronomy 30:10-14 Second Reading: Colossians 1:15-20 Gospel Reading: Luke 10:25-37

Next Sunday:

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time First Reading: Genesis 18:1-10a Second Reading: Colossians 1:24-28 Gospel Reading: Luke 10:38-42

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, July 14

8:00 am 🛛 🕆 Fred D. Handler

Tuesday, July 15

8:00 am 5:30 pm For the mentally ill

Wednesday, July 16

8:00 am PMarie March

Thursday, July 17

8:00 am 5:30 pm For the people

Friday, July 18 8:00 am 하Do

Dorothy Herrmann

Sunday, July 20

8:30 am 10:30 am	∜Kerry Shey Houser
	ੇ Jon Hanna
5:00 pm	ੇMargaret & Joseph Reidy

If you would like a specific Mass Intention offered for someone, living or deceased, please come to the Parish Office to schedule one.

Nurses Corner

Water safety tips for swimmers of all ages

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Learn to swim

Teach children at an early age -- it's the best defense against drowning



Pool barriers/fences

Install a fence that surrounds a residential pool on all sides to keep wandering children out



Avoid alcohol

Designate a "water watcher" who is not distracted or under the influence of drugs and alcohol to watch swimmers



Use the buddy system

If one person has a problem in the water, the other may be able to help



Vigilant supervision

If it looks like a swimmer needs assistance, intervene immediately



Don't hold your breath

Avoid games where you hold your breath underwater for long periods of time

Sources: Dr. Michael Boniface, Mayo Clinic Florida; Tom Gill, United States Lifesaving Association; American Academy of Pediatrics Swim Safety Tips

CARE and SUPPORT AT ST. PATRICK

Cancer Support This support group is for those dealing with the effects of cancer in their lives and their families' lives. Group meets virtually the first Wednesday of the month, September to May, 7:00 - 8:30 pm. For more information please contact Gloria Yturralde at 602-370-7042.

Divorced/Separated The "Catholic Divorce Survival Guide" is a twelve part program of sharing, comfort, and healing for divorced or separated people. It is a journey of learning, reflection, and prayer. All are welcome. This course is offered in the spring and fall. For more information contact Benny Jetson at 602-920-1671 or Therese Mexas at 480-278-3805.

Family, Personal Support Catholic Charities Counselor available Mondays from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. For an appointment call 602-749-4405. Fees based on sliding scale.

Annulment Support—A group of annulment ministers help people navigate the system of annulments in the Phoenix Diocese. For an appointment call 480-264-4319.

Prayer Support Small Christian Communities is a support for people who have a desire to pray with others in a supportive community. For prayer requests email to **weprayforyou@stpatcc.org**.

Grief Support Help and encouragement after the death of a loved one GriefShare is a special weekly Monday or Tuesday seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life. We know it hurts, and we want to help. Please contact Kathleen Trilk at **ktrilk@stpatcc.org**.

Benefits Assistance Program Assistance with Medicare and other health insurance benefits available for seniors, the disabled and caregivers. For information, please call Connie Jada at 480-998-3843 ext. 138.

The Next Chapter A group for men and women further along on their grief journey to address the ongoing needs after the loss of a loved one through spiritual, educational and social activities. Please contact Peg Bohnert at **thenextchapter@stpatcc.org.**

NAMI Family Support Group - This group is a free, confidential and safe place, open to family members, partners and friends of individuals living with a mental illness in order to support each other. Group meets the first and third Tuesdays of the month, 6:00-7:30 pm in the House of Mercy/Pope Francis Room. Questions: **email: I.boman@namivalleyofthesun.org** or **web: namivalleyofthesun.org**



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COUPLES COMMUNICATION PROGRAM



Would you like to feel closer to your spouse by resolving conflicts effectively? The more we can work through our issues effectively, the closer we will feel to each other, and the more we will feel heard!!

COUPLE COMMUNICATION PROGRAM

August 16 and 23 - 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Cost: \$200 per couple, includes a continental breakfast and materials. Held at the House of Mercy, St. Patrick.

After our August workshop, the next one will not be until Spring 2026!! Contact Bonnie to sign up or get more information! **bonnie@therapywithheart.com**

This Program will teach Talking and Listening Skills and a Conflict Resolution Process. It is a wonderful Marriage Enrichment and it is also offered to our Engaged Couples at St. Patrick as they prepare for their Marriage. Married couples and engaged couples have attended and it has been most rewarding for all involved! Join us and improve your communication skills and have some fun!

Contact Gerry Blakeman, *Marriage Preparation Coordinator* gblakeman@stpatcc.org

Join the St. Patrick Team!

- Do you have a passion for Social Justice?
- Do you love to advocate for those less fortunate than yourself?
- Do you love to do outreach in the community?

If so, St. Patrick would love for you to join our Social Justice and Outreach Team. We have two positions currently available:

Coordinator of Parish Nurse Ministry Part Time 20 hours.

Social Justice and Outreach Associate Part Time 20 hours.

Please visit: **https://stpatcc.org/iwantto/work** to view the full job description for each position and to apply

COMMUNITY NEWS



Retrouvaille (*retro-vi*) simply means 'rediscovery'.

This program presents the opportunity to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. Retrouvaille is for struggling couples. Every marriage deserves the opportunity to survive, be healed and thrive as a covenant of life and love.

Our Next Program in Phoenix: July 18-20 For a confidential inquiry, please email us at 4001@helpourmarriage.org | 602-254-6723



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Diane Kar 480-998-3843 ext. 209 dkar@stpatcc.org **ROCK45** is off for the summer and will resume in the Fall. In the meantime, we'll share some fun, creative ways to nurture your tweens' faith this summer. Enjoy!



Looking for a way to "unplug" and engage the imagination?

Growing up, our children loved to listen to Adventures In Odyssey, which is an award-winning, original audio drama series created for kids ages 8-12 and enjoyed by the whole family. Many a lazy summer day in the Kar house was filled with listening to these adventures. The episodes teach lasting truths and bring biblical principles to life, with just the right balance of fun, faith and imagination. BONUS: NO SCREEN needed! Just our ears to hear and brain to imagine!

You can find out more about Adventures in Odyssey online, at **adventuresinodyssey.com**. Tune into an episode while creating Legos, coloring, doing crafts or driving in the car. D.Kar



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Jesse Rodriguez 480-998-3843 ext. 205 jrodriguez@stpatcc.org

Website: splifeteen.com Facebook Page: facebook.com/splifeteen Instagram: splifeteen Please contact Matt Curran at mcurran@stpatcc.org for information.

Life Teen Water Games – July 27!

All teens are invited to cool down with us after the 5:00 pm Mass on Sunday, July 27 for an epic evening of water games, food, and fun! Bring a towel, some friends, and get ready to beat the heat together!

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Family Faith Formation is our at home catechetical program, where we support parents with enriching materials to bring faith alive in the home.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) is our weekly formation program for children age 4 through 3rd grade, incorporating Montessori principles to help children hear and respond to the loving call of Jesus, the Good Shepherd, who has loved them first and calls them by name. Classes meet after school and early evening for an hour and a half, once a week, September through April. Contact: Renee Genetti at **rgenetti@stpatcc.org**, 480-998-3843 ext. 223.

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) is taking a summer break! What a wonderful year it's been—filled with joy, learning, and growing together in God's love. We're so grateful for the children who joined us and can't wait to welcome everyone back in September during the 8:30 and 10:30 am Masses.

We're also looking for kind and enthusiastic adults to help bring the Word of God to life for our young ones. No experience? No problem! We provide all the training you'll need.

If you're interested in being part of this meaningful ministry, please reach out to Yasmine Rodriguez at the parish office: **yrodriguez@stpatcc.org**. We'd love to have you join the team!

Young Disciples is on summer break! What a fantastic year we've had—full of learning, laughter, crafts, and creativity! We're so grateful for all the little ones who joined us and can't wait to welcome them back this September during the 8:30 and 10:30 am Masses.

Young Disciples is specially designed for potty-trained preschoolers (ages 3–5) to experience the Gospel in a fun and meaningful way—through stories, puppets, drama, and song.

Want to learn more or interested in becoming a volunteer minister? Reach out to Yasmine Rodriguez at **yrodriguez@stpatcc.org**.



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