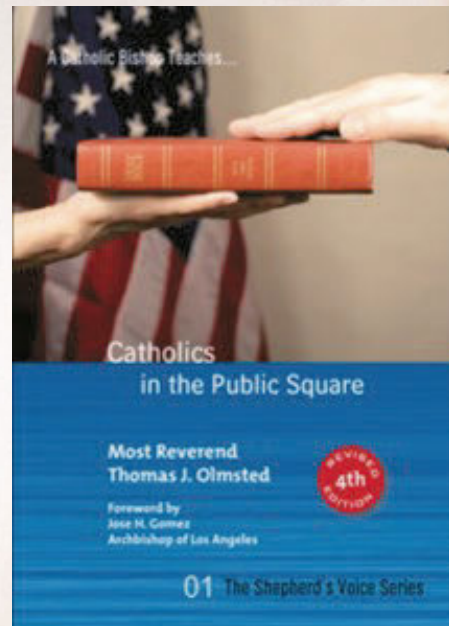




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School: 480-998-9466
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Daily Mass Times:

Monday—Friday: 7:00 & 8:30AM
Tuesday Mass & Novena: 6:00PM
Saturday Masses: 8:30AM & 4PM
Sunday Mass Times: 7AM, 9:30AM, 5PM

Confessions:

Tuesday: 5:00-5:50PM
Saturday: 9:00AM

Office Hours This Week:

Monday - Thursday: 8:30AM—4:30PM
Friday: 8:30AM—12PM
Saturday & Sunday: Closed

Gift Shop Hours:

Monday - Wednesday: 8:30AM—4:30PM
Saturday: 3:30– 5:30PM
Sunday: 7:30—11:00AM; 5:30—6:30PM

Daily Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy:

Monday-Saturday, **after Morning Mass**

Miraculous Medal Novena:

Intention Is For Vocations
Tuesday, after the 6PM Mass



First Friday Devotion:

To The Sacred Heart of Jesus:
First Friday of the month after morning Mass

First Saturday Devotion:

To The Immaculate Heart of Mary:
First Saturday of the month after morning Mass

Clergy:

Rev. Kilian McCaffrey, Pastor
Rev. Samuel Aliba, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Douglas Spina, Retired
Deacon Jeff Strom
Deacon William Schneider
Senior Deacon Bob Evans

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Shelley Stewart, Director of Liturgical Ministries

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Julie McBride, Coordinator of Liturgical Ministries

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pastoralcouncil@bscaz.org

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financecouncil@bscaz.org



Pastor's Letter:

Sept 22, 2024

Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me.”

This is one great example of what our retired Bishop Thomas Olmsted called **Catholics in the Public Square**, Christ Himself teaches us on critically-important moral issues in our modern times. Bishop writes very clearly:

“There are cases where Catholics in public life serve with great courage and distinction. They measure up to the high standards set by Christ. There are others, sadly, who obstinately persist in manifest grave sin where the risk of scandal is great. In the matter of abortion, for example, abortion is the killing of a completely innocent life and thus bad news for both unborn children and their mothers. It is a horrible wrong. It is intrinsically evil.

“We have a serious obligation to protect human life, and especially the lives of the most innocent and vulnerable among us. Whoever fails to do this, when otherwise able to do so, commits serious sins of omission.”

Catholics In The Public Square, Section 20).

This vitally important document can be read at:

<https://dphx.org/catholics-in-the-public-square/>

“Rejection of human life, in whatever form that rejection takes, is really a rejection of Christ”

(Pope John Paul II, *Evangelium Vitae*, 104).

**Fr. Kilian, Fr. Samuel, our Deacons,
Parish Staff, Disciples and Volunteers.**

**As Catholic Bishops of Arizona,
we want to express our strong
opposition to Proposition 139.**

If passed, this initiative threatens to enshrine a constitutional right to virtually unrestricted abortion in Arizona.

What makes a constitutional amendment especially grave is that our own Arizona legislators could lose the ability to regulate abortion in any meaningful way, leaving us with the potential for what would likely become nearly unrestricted abortion.

Arizona law currently allows for abortions up until 15 weeks of pregnancy. Proposition 139, however, would go far beyond even this current law.

The proposed amendment, among other things, would likely remove most safeguards for girls and women that are currently in place at abortion clinics, permit a minor to obtain an abortion without parental involvement or permission, and allow for painful late-term abortions of viable pre-born children.

While this ballot measure claims to be moderate in nature, its vague language would make Arizona one of the most extreme states in terms of abortion. We believe that even many of those who support abortion in limited instances would find this proposed constitutional amendment extreme and misleading.

Arizonans deserve far better than the measures being proposed in this initiative, which is why we strongly oppose Proposition 139.

Most Rev. John P. Dolan
Bishop of Phoenix

Most Rev. Edward J. Weisenburger
Bishop of Tucson

Most Rev. James S. Wall
Bishop of Gallup

Most Rev. Eduardo Nevares
Auxiliary Bishop of Phoenix

**WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS
AND OBSERVANCES ©LPi**

Sunday September 22:

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 (6b)/
Jas 3:16-4:4/Mk 9:30-37

**Monday September 23: St. Pius of
Pietrelcina, Priest**

Prv 3:27-34/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/
Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday September 24

Prv 21:1-6, 10-13/Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35,
44/Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday September 25

Prv 30:5-9/Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104,
163/Lk 9:1-6

**Thursday September 26: Sts. Cosmas
and Damian, Martyrs**

Eccl 1:2-11/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/
Lk 9:7-9

**Friday September 27: St. Vincent de
Paul, Priest**

Eccl 3:1-11/Ps 144:1b and 2abc, 3-4/
Lk 9:18-22

**Saturday September 28: St. Wences-
laus, Martyr; St. Lawrence Ruiz and
Companions, Martyrs**

Eccl 11:9-12:8/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14
and 17/Lk 9:43b-45

Next Sunday September 29:

**26th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Priest-
hood Sunday:**

Nm 11:25-29/Ps 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14 (9a)/
Jas 5:1-6/Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

**WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THIS WEEK**

Saturday, September 21st

8:30 am The Holleran Family
(Living & Deceased)

4:00 pm † Pam Maurseth

Sunday, September 22nd

7:00 am † George Odish Family

9:30 am LePon & Susack Families
(Living)

5:00 pm Pastoral Mass (Special Intention)

Monday, September 23rd

7:00 am † Ann Heryak

8:30 am † Teresa Carotenuto

Tuesday, September 24th

7:00 am † Mr. Martore

8:30 am † Guillermina La Cunza Marquez

6:00 pm † Susan & Bob Jr. Van Wickler

Wednesday, September 25th

7:00 am † Karen Estelle Toomy

8:30 am † James Silhasek

Thursday, September 26th

7:00 am † Mike Tyree

8:30 am † Vincent, Anthony, Louis,
and Mama

Friday, September 27th

7:00 am † Nanci Petra

8:30 am † Ben Ward

Saturday, September 28th

8:30 am The Holleran Family
(Living & Deceased)

4:00 pm Pastoral Mass (Special Intention)

Sunday, September 29th

7:00 am † Michael Tyree

9:30 am † Nina Guzzardlo

5:00 pm † Aida & Nilo Filoteo (Filoteo)

Prayer REQUESTS

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PRAYERS FOR DECEASED: Katherine Rebecca

PRAYERS FOR HEALING:

SERVING OUR COUNTRY: Men & Women in the Military and for their families.

PRAYERS REQUESTS? Please call the Parish Office.

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Genesis 15:15

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Session 1: Covenantal Foundations - September 16-October 14
Introduction, The Creation Covenants (Adam, Noah), Abraham, Isaac, Jacob

Online Registration Available at:
<https://blessedsacrament.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/40/responses/new>



Join us for the

**Celebration of Catholic Charities
Mass with Bishop John Dolan**

Wednesday, October 2, 2024

Mass at 6pm

Blessed Sacrament Roman Catholic Parish
11300 N 64th St, Scottsdale, AZ 85254

Mass will be followed by a light reception, fellowship, and program to learn more about Catholic Charities and our Hope Society.

Please RSVP by contacting Erik Stauber at
EStauber@cc-az.org
by September 25, 2024



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A video on this season's theme *Apostles of the New Springtime* followed by an honest group discussion of men's issues.

You don't have to make every meeting. Come when you can.

For more information, contact John at 602-505-2379

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING (SET)

The Safe Environment Training year runs from July 1st and ends June 30th.

It is time to complete your ANNUAL Safe Environment Training for the 2024-2025 fiscal year!

Begin your Safe Environment Training by going to the link: <https://phoenix.cmgconnect.org>.

REMINDER: DO NOT CREATE A NEW ACCOUNT. If you have forgotten your password or never signed into CMG Connect, please contact Julie McBride at jmcbride@bscaz.org.

If you have any questions or need your log in and/or password, please contact our Blessed Sacrament SET Co-Coordinator Julie McBride or Farah Olsen at the office at 480-948-8370.

50th Jubilee 1974-2024

THANK YOU

Parish Family for Joining in Celebration at **Father Kilian's Installation Mass with Bishop Dolan and Our 50th Jubilee Family Reception and Ice Cream Social!**

Special thanks to Committee Members:

Jan Consolino, Lauri Cooney, Charles Clarke, Janet Darveaux, Rosemary Stelmach, Addie Mocca, Donna Rau-Link, Betsy Sherf and

Blessed Sacrament Women's Community

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LOOK FOR MANY MORE FAITH

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IN THE COMING MONTHS!

Please join the Blessed Sacrament Women's Community for a morning of fellowship, prayer and breakfast

Tuesday
Sept 24th
9:00 am

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Please RSVP to Patti Costello at 602-992-2972

IF THERE'S NO ANSWER, KINDLY LEAVE A MESSAGE AND YOUR NAME

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Thank you Bishop Dolan

and Parish Family
for celebrating our

50th Jubilee at the
Family Reception
and Ice Cream Social!
Congratulations to our
officially installed
Pastor, Father Kilian!



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50TH JUBILEE
1974 - 2024



GOLDEN GALA OCTOBER 19, 2024 BSC SOCIAL HALL

Come and celebrate our Jubilee year at the October 19th Gala and fundraiser! The evening will include an amazing dinner, entertainment, wonderful memories, and a live and silent auction benefiting the entire community with improvements to the Social Hall. We hope to see you there! Please consider donating an auction item by contacting Melissa at kapanicasgroup@gmail.com for a list of items needed or to let her know about your special donation.



Use this QR Code
to Purchase
your Tickets Now!



JUBILEE BOOK

The 50th Jubilee Commemorative Book will soon be here!

Remember, we want to continue telling our parish story on-line. If you have a parish memory please email us at Bsc50thjble@gmail.com.

Look for more details on how and when the book will be available.

Peace and Blessings, The Jubilee Book Team

Senior Friendship Group

We will be gathering for friendship, conversation and card playing!

We welcome both men & women.

We will be playing Bridge and Progressive Rummy. We are happy to teach anyone interested to learn either game or add any other games when there are sufficient players.

For additional information, contact Rita Hubalik at 480-948-6240.

Come over to the hall to check us out.

**Join us
Every Monday**

**WHERE: SOCIAL HALL WEST
TIME: 10:30AM TO 1:30PM**



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chrysalis



The Blessed Sacrament Women's Community is once again collecting for **Chrysalis** this year. **Chrysalis** is a shelter that helps those who have been through any kind of abuse.

Their motto is: **No abuse is okay.**

They are leading our community to broad-based solutions to prevent domestic abuse.

**MONTH OF SEPTEMBER
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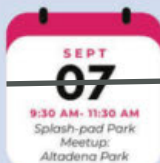
There is a large grey collection box by the parish office.

Thank you in advance for your kind and generous donations to help those in need.

No abuse is okay.

BLESSED SACRAMENT YOUNG FAMILIES GROUP

Upcoming Events



email Dani at youngfamilies@bscaz.org for more info

The Young Families Group at Blessed Sacrament is for parents and their children, ages 0-12.

A variety of activities can be planned including family hikes, outings, picnics, and more.

These activities welcome our young families in our parish to grow relationships and engage all in service, faith, and fun in His name.



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December 7th and 8th


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CATHOLIC NIGHT

SAVE THE DATE!



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH


A NIGHT OF FELLOWSHIP AT A D-BACKS GAME

Join the Arizona Diamondbacks and the Roman Catholic Dioceses of Phoenix and Tucson for the second annual Catholic Night at Chase Field.

On this special night, the D-backs will take on division rivals the San Diego Padres.

Tickets are discounted and \$5.00 from every ticket sold will go to Catholic School Support 365.

Each participant will receive a D-backs co-branded Catholic cap.



Please bear with us while
we continue to fix
Our Listening Loop

We hope to have
this fixed by
end of September



Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

The apostles argue, each one claiming to be the greatest of Christ's followers. But Christ shows them who is truly the greatest — a child, one who has no thought of his own importance, one who has no ambition. Let's seek to be like that child.

As part of the US Bishops
October Catholic Mental
Health Campaign,
we will be offering
Whole Hearted,
a free parish-based
trauma awareness
program **FOR ALL** adults.

Join us after the 8:30AM Mass
at **9:00AM**

Saturday, October 12
in the **Church Classroom**
RSVP by October 7

Questions?
Contact

Mary Ellen Brown
in the Parish Office
at
mebrown@bscaz.org



BLESSED SACRAMENT 50 YEARS OF SERVICE ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH



"Our Jubilee, our 50th year as a parish, provides us with the opportunity to renew our parish, to breathe new life back into and rebuild our community." Father Kilian McCaffrey

Blessed Sacrament Roman Catholic Parish was established in July of 1974. We have now marked the beginning of the Blessed Sacrament Parish 50th Jubilee! This milestone is a testament to the faith, dedication, and love of God that has flourished within our community over the past fifty years.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SUPPORT OUR COMMUNITY!

We are accepting monetary donations, gift cards and certificates, sporting event tickets, spa services, home services, sports memorabilia, concert & theater tickets, just to mention a few. If you or someone you know can donate to our cause reach out to Butch Mars at butchroy@me.com.

Join us for a night filled with gourmet dining, prestigious auction items, and a jubilant atmosphere.

October 19, 2024 at 6:00pm following the 4:00pm Vigil with Bishop John Dolan

Simply click below or scan codes to buy tickets, donate money and auction items, or become a sponsor.



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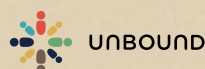
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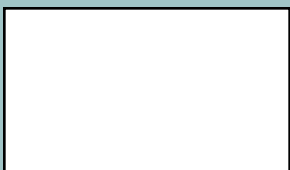
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