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Sunday 9:00a.m., 11:00a.m.

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Sunday 1:00p.m.

CONFESSION TIMES

Saturday 9:30a.m. 10:30a.m.
Tuesday and Thursday 5:00p.m. - 6:00p.m.

ADORATION TIMES

Thursday 9:00a.m. - 6:00p.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Sunday: 7:00a.m. - 1:00p.m.
Monday - Thursday: 7:00a.m. - 3:00p.m.
Friday: 7:00a.m. - 12:00p.m.

EMERGENCY SACRAMENT ASSISTANCE

(Anointing of the Sick)
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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ by being prayerful and active stewards of the grace and resources entrusted to us by:

- ◆ Instructing all in the Truth of the Catholic Faith
- ◆ Upholding the dignity of human life by nourishing it from conception and strengthening it to the end
- ◆ Following the way of Jesus

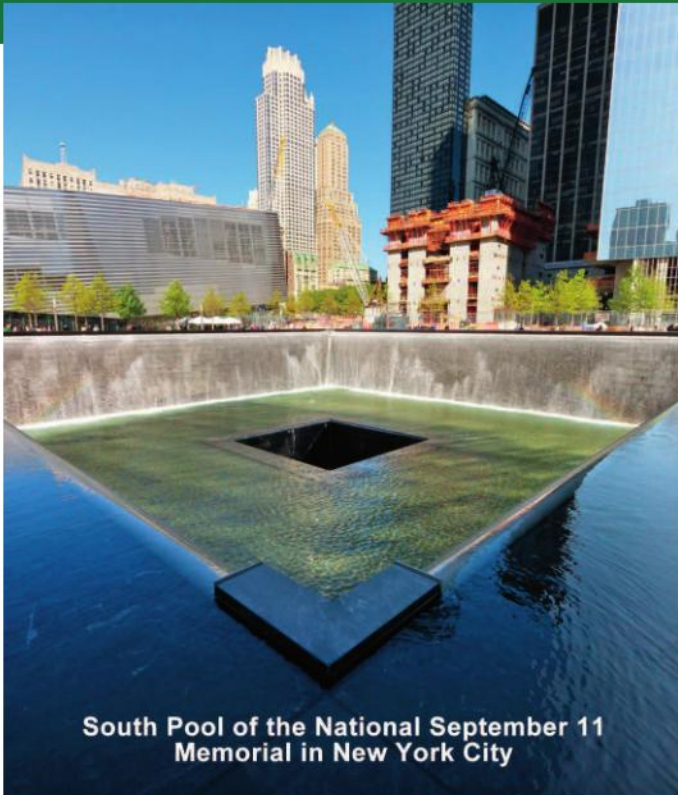


I believe that God sent us Grandparents
As our legacy from above,
To share the moments of our life,
As extra measures of His love.

-Author Unknown

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September 08, 2024



South Pool of the National September 11 Memorial in New York City



The Flight 93 National Memorial Outside Shanksville, Pennsylvania



Pentagon Memorial, Washington, DC

Patriot Day

Here, in this place of remembrance, I would ask everyone together, each in his or her own way, to spend a moment in silence and prayer. Let us implore from on high the gift of commitment to the cause of peace. Peace in our homes, our families, our schools and our communities. Peace in all those places where war never seems to end. Peace for those faces which have known nothing but pain. Peace throughout this world which God has given us as the home of all and a home for all.

Simply PEACE.

Exerpt from prayer by Pope Francis, at an interreligious prayer service at Ground Zero.

**we will
never forget**

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**Your Sacrificial Giving Totals
August 25, 2024**

Thank you for sharing your treasure!

Plate Giving (cash & check)	\$11,624.50
Mission Giving	\$1,862.00
Plate Giving (electronic)	\$14,229.00
Total Giving	\$27,715.50
Respect Life	\$1,067.92
SVdP	\$607.00
Assumption of Mary	\$210.00
Flowers	\$50.00
LP- Building Fund	\$565.00

Parish Calendar

Monday, September 9, 2024

8:30am - Morning Mass

**9:00am - Our Lady's Guild General Meeting
- Hall**

Tuesday, September 10, 2024

5:00pm - Confession - Church

Wednesday, September 11, 2024

9:00am - Guild Workshop - Hall

Thursday, September 12, 2024

9:00am - Adoration - Church

9:00am - Divine Mercy Devotion - Church

10:00am - Divine Mercy Fellowship - Hall

5:00pm - Confessions - Church

6:00pm - Benediction - Church

Friday, September 13, 2024

1:00pm - Mental Health Training - Hall

Saturday, September 14, 2024

8:30am - Morning Mass

9:30am - Confessions - Church

4:00pm - Evening Mass

Sunday, September 15, 2024

8:00am - OCIA Inquiry - Fr. McGivney Room

All events subject to change based on parish needs



In July we were able to help 6 families pay their water bills and 6 pay their APS bills. In addition we helped 2 families with rent, 1 family with their SW Gas bill and 1 family received a much needed washing machine. Your generosity changes lives. Recently two Vincentians made a home visit to a grandmother raising 2 grandchildren. She had just come home from a long hospital stay which included 3 months on a ventilator. While she was gone, the water bill did not get paid and the water was subsequently turned off. Like God sent the morning dew to Moses and His people in the desert, your kindness has allowed this family to have running water again. THANK YOU.

Mass Intentions

Monday, September 9, 2024

8:30am † Blessed Frederic Ozanam Canonization Feast Day

Tuesday, September 10, 2024

8:30am † Soul of Marie Azemar

Wednesday, September 11, 2024

8:30am † Soul of Gary Bird and all 9/11 victims

Thursday, September 12, 2024

8:30am † Soul of Joseph D. Everitt

Friday, September 13, 2024

8:30am † Soul of Ed Psota

Saturday, September 14, 2024

8:30am † Soul of Dillon Donka and Roy Boudreau

4:00pm † Soul of Shawn Manser

Sunday, September 15, 2024

9:00am For the Parishioners of Our Lady of Lourdes and The Mission at Lake Pleasant Parkway

11:00am † Soul of Cathrine Agresto

1:00pm † Soul Joseph C. Sasnauskas

* Important note: The Our Lady of Lourdes/Mission at Lake Pleasant Parkway Mass Intention book is full for the year.

Readings for the Week

Scripture Readings for the Week of September 8, 2024

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, September 8, 2024

Is 35:4-7a; Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10; Jas 2:1-5; Mk 7:31-37

Monday, September 9, 2024

Memorial of Saint Peter Claver, Priest

1 Cor 5:1-8; Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12; Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday, September 10, 2024

1 Cor 6:1-11; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday, September 11, 2024

1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17; Lk 6:20-26

Thursday, September 12, 2024

Memorial of the Most Holy Name of Mary

1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24; Lk 6:27-38

Friday, September 13, 2024

Memorial of Saint John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12; Lk 6:39-42

Saturday, September 14, 2024

Feast of The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

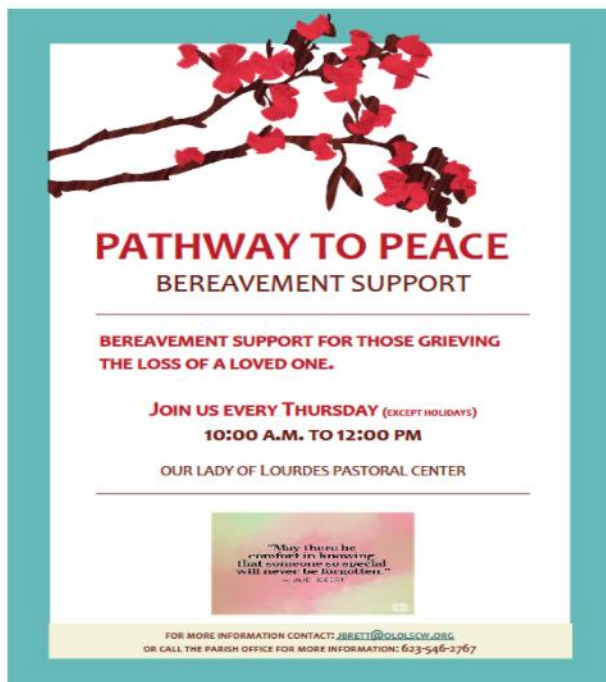
Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, September 15, 2024

Is 50:5-9a; Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jas 2:14-18; Mk 8:27-35

Support group for those who have suffered the loss of a loved one by suicide

Thursdays 5:30-7:30pm
Sep 5, 12, 26
Oct 3, 10, 17



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 — JIM KELLY

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: JEETI@LOLDSW.ORG
 OR CALL THE PARISH OFFICE FOR MORE INFORMATION: 623-546-2767



Mass of Remembrance
For those who have lost a loved one to suicide.

Saturday
September 28, 2024
11:00 am

19002 N 128th Ave, Sun City West, AZ 85375

Call the Parish Office to enlist the name of your loved one to be entered into the Book of Remembrance and to confirm your attendance at this special remembrance Mass.

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 **Pathway to Peace**
 Mental Health Ministry



Dear Parishioners,

First of all, I just wanted to express my deep gratitude to all of you for welcoming me here to Our Lady of Lourdes Parish and the Mission at Lake Pleasant Parkway. Thank you for your welcome and hospitality. As your new pastor, it has been wonderful to experience your hospitality and love.

I cannot believe it has already been four months since my coming here! How time flies! Over the last several weeks, I have been getting to know you all. I have also been learning as much as I can about you the parish, and it has been a delight.

In my short time here, it has become abundantly clear that God is, and has been at work here at Our Lady of Lourdes for some time now. He has already been working in dynamic ways. I also get the sense that this God, who is evidently at work here at our parish, wants to move in even bigger and better ways as we go forward.

This is especially the case given the unique period of history that we are living through, with all the circumstances and unique challenges that we are facing both in our wider society and even in the Church. God wants to pour out special graces on those who are willing and open to receive them, in order to accomplish great things for his Kingdom through them.

As such, by God's providence, we find ourselves in a situation where we are being called to not only witness to our faith in the world around us, but we have also been chosen for the special task of quite literally building up the body of Christ. This, of course, is the task of building the new Church community at Lake Pleasant Parkway.

This is truly amazing folks! If we can think about it; in the times we are living through, it has become all too common that Catholic Churches are closing and consolidating all over the place due to decline, yet here we are, opening and building a new Catholic Church due to growth and spiritual vitality! My friends, this is awesome! We get to be a part of this. God is truly working here!

It is my hope therefore, that in the coming weeks and months, I continue to meet and get to know as many of you as possible. I am really excited about the fact that in the coming weeks our community will be growing as our winter residents return. I look forward to meeting all of you too. I also pray that as we go forward, we may remain open to receive the special graces that I believe, God wants to pour out on us for his purposes. May God bless you all and keep you in His peace.

Please be assured of my prayers and pray for me too.

Thank you

God Bless

Fr. Sheunesu Bowora

Pastor



Safe Environment Training Information

PLEASE NOTE: ONLY those folks who wish to serve in any capacity in any ministry within the Diocese of Phoenix are required to take the Foundation portion, (including back ground check) and must maintain their SET training as a means to stay in compliance with this PHOENIX DIOCESAN REQUIREMENT. The annual July 1st renewal time is now up and running. Please visit the website at: <https://phoenix.cmgconnect.org>

If you only plan to attend meetings/events and NOT serve in any capacity you do not need to take this step.

If you have ANY questions, concerns or problems contact Julie Gradillas in the parish office at 623-546-2767

Join the Our Lady of Lourdes growing online community!

Here's how:

- Navigate to Facebook and type 'OLOL Sun City West' into the search bar to find Our Lady of Lourdes.
- Click the "Like" and "Follow" buttons.
- On the "Follow" dropdown menu, choose "See first" and you'll always get Our Lady of Lourdes updates at the top of your newsfeed.

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- Updated news from the parish.
- Keep in touch with your fellow parishioners.
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Are you interested in learning more about the



Catholic Church but you have questions?
Sessions have started
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Sundays 10:00am to 11:30am

O.C.I.A. is a year round process with the Inquiry Sessions held weekly.
For more information contact Jan Brett
by email jbrett@ololscw.org or call her at 602-550-3451 or 623.214.3576.

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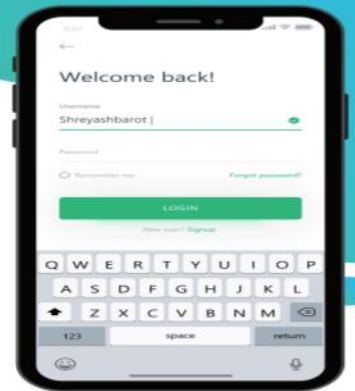
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