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**Ash Wednesday
February 14**

February 2018 Issue

*See you at the Dinner
Saturday, March 3*

FREE

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NOW *Twice a Day* **6:00 A.M. and 9:30 P.M.**

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Radio Family Rosary Program Schedule

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FEBRUARY 2018

1	Thur	Presentation of the Lord – Sr. Anthony Mary Diago, RSM
2	Fri	St. Blaise – Bart Tesoriero
5	Mon	The Angelus – Fr. Greg Adolf
6	Tue	Continued
7	Wed	Continued
8	Thur	Annual O.L. Lourdes Healing Mass – Richard Hannon
9	Fri	Our Lady of Lourdes – Sr. Anthony Mary Diago, RSM
12	Mon	Our Lady of Solitude Monastery – Sr. John-Mark Maria
13	Tue	Annual Nun Run – Sr. John-Mark Maria
14	Wed	Ash Wednesday – Merits of Cross – Fr. Tom Enneking, OSC
15	Thur	Continued
16	Fri	A Lenten Moment with Divine Mercy – Fr. Chris Alar, MIC
19	Mon	Relevant Radio Pledge Drive
20	Tue	Continued
21	Wed	Continued
22	Thur	Continued
23	Fri	Continued
26	Mon	Our Lenten Sorrowful Mysteries – Fr. Greg Adolf
27	Tues	Continued
28	Wed	Forty Days for Life – Nancy Brady

Programming Subject to Change



Our Lady of Lourdes Novena

Feb. 3-11 OR Feb. 12-20

O glorious Mother of God, so powerful under your special title of Our Lady of Lourdes, to you we raise our hearts and hands to implore your powerful intercession in obtaining from the gracious Heart of Jesus all the helps and graces necessary for our spiritual and temporal welfare and for the special favors we so earnestly seek.

(Mention your intentions.)

*Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for us.
Saint Bernadette, pray for us.*

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Welcome, New Readers

Help keep mailing list current. If you are moving in or out of town or want to discontinue the Newsletter, write us or call **Georgia** at 480-213-2387. Return postage is costly. If you prefer Newsletter by email go to www.radiofamilyrosary.com or email radiofamilyrosaryphx@gmail.com. **Thank you for your help.**

Special February Dates

- 2 First Friday
- 3 First Saturday; Feast of St. Blaise, Blessing of Throats
- 10 Saturday – O.L. of Lourdes
World Day of the Sick
Healing Mass
- 14 Ash Wednesday – Lent begins
Valentine's Day

February Guests

Fr. Greg Adolf
Fr. Chris Alar, MIC
Fr. Thomas Enneking, OSC
Sr. Anthony Mary Diago, RSM
Sr. John-Mark Maria

Sponsor a Rosary Program

If you would like to have a Rosary Program dedicated in memory of a loved one, in thanksgiving, for a special occasion or special intention, see enclosed green slip or call **Georgia** at 480-213-2387. **We need your help!** Consider being a RFR volunteer. Call Georgia.

Great to Hear

Holy Rosary is aired three times daily on Relevant Radio.

6:00 – 6:30 a.m. Local RFR

6:00 – 6:30 p.m. "Family Rosary
Across America"

9:30 – 10 p.m. Local RFR

What a blessing!



The Angelus Unites Us in Prayer Three Times Daily

Beautifully commemorating the Archangel Gabriel's world-changing visit to the young maiden Mary, the *Angelus* can be traced to the 11th century. In the 16th century it was called the *Three Hail Mary* prayer.

The beloved 1857 *Angelus* painting by Jean-Francois Millet illustrates the importance of work, along with the efficacy of pausing to pray. The *Angelus* is meant to be prayed at 6 a.m., Noon and 6 p.m. However, many find it a fruitful practice at anytime of the day or night. See prayer on next page.

In a three-part series of talks, Fr. Greg Adolf will lead us to a deeper grasp of Mary's role in salvation, which the Angelus honors. See Program Page.

February 10 Observance of 26th Annual World Day of the Sick

In 1992 St. John Paul II instituted The World Day of the Sick, to be observed on or near February 11, the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. He called it "a special time of prayer and sharing, of offering one's suffering." He said, "It is in care for the sick more than in any other way that love is made concrete and witness of hope in the Resurrection is offered."

Pope Francis said that "time spent with the sick is holy time. It is a way of praising God, who conforms us in the image of His Son."

Could we, perhaps, accompany a person who is ill, disabled, addicted or disturbed to a church, adoration chapel or healing service? We can serve the sick by prayer, sacrifices, visits and cards, as well as assistance in any way needed.



February RFR Appreciation Month

February, the month in which Valentine's Day occurs, always prompts us to give special recognition to all who have given so generously of their time, talents and resources. We shall always be grateful to them.

Our appeal for volunteers last month was fruitful, although we need at least five more volunteers. Many tasks are available. **PLEASE** call Dorothy at 602-944-6811 if you can possibly give a few hours monthly.



February 14 – Ash Wednesday

So many of us have the desire to make this Lent the best ever. This desire is the first step. The next step is to call upon the Holy Spirit for guidance and help. Our Lady, also, is eager to help us on our Lenten journey. RFR is planning great Lenten programming to deepen our relationship with the Lord Jesus. Let us seize every opportunity to make Lent a time of fruitful and lasting transformation.

Auction and Boutique Items Needed

We especially like religious items and Catholic books, CDs, DVDs, etc. We are known for our great Book Sales. For item donations, call **Georgia, 480-213-2387** or **Dorothy, 602-944-6811**.

PLEASE PUT THIS ANNOUNCEMENT IN YOUR PARISH BULLETIN

Radio Family Rosary

You are invited to Radio Family Rosary Benefit Dinner, Saturday, March 3 at St. Paul's Hall, 330 W. Coral Gables. The evening includes entertainment, auctions, boutique and gigantic Catholic Book Sale. Fr. Greg Adolf, Pastor, St. Andrew's Parish in Sierra Vista, guest speaker. **Pre-dinner mini Lenten Retreat starts at 5 p.m.** Dinner at 6:30 p.m. For reservations or information call **Dorothy at 602-944-6811** or **Georgia at 480-213-2387**.

Gigantic Catholic Book Sale opens Saturday at 9 a.m.

Radio Family Rosary is in its 34th year. Join the Holy Rosary twice a day, M-F 6 a.m. and 9:30 p.m. on KIHP Relevant Radio 1310 AM or on 102.9 FM or on internet anytime at **www.radiofamilyrosary.com**

The Angelus

The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.
R. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary, etc.

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.

R. Be it done unto me according to thy word.

Hail Mary, etc.

V. And the Word was made Flesh.

R. And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary, etc.

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

LET US PRAY

Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts, that we to whom the Incarnation of Christ, Thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by His Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of His Resurrection, through the same Christ Our Lord. Amen.

Radio Family Rosary Benefit Dinner

Saturday, March 3



Fr. Greg Adolf - Guest Speaker

St. Paul's Church Hall, 330 W. Coral Gables Dr., Phx. West of 7th Street between Greenway and Thunderbird.

Dinner donation \$23 per person.

Fr. Adolf in an eloquent way extolls Our Lady's great love for humanity. He will focus of *Life's Journey with Our Lady*.

The Event will honor the Travelers of the Radio Family Rosary Pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes and Spain, and salute the Volunteers and Supporters of the Rosary Program.

Friday, March 2

10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Preview Book Sale/Boutique

Saturday, March 3

9:00 a.m. Book Sale/Boutique Open

5:00 p.m. Mini retreat and Rosary with Fr. Greg Adolf

6:30 p.m. Dinner, Auctions, Entertainment and Talk by Fr. Adolf

FOR MORE DETAILS SEE ENCLOSED FLYER.

You Can Still Get a Dinner Table Together Today

We invite your parish, group, organization or friends to get a table together for dinner. For 8 to 10 or more, we will reserve tables for your party. Table hosts traditionally name their tables. We have a gift for each table host. For reservations call **Dorothy at 602-944-6811**. **Please note: Individual reservations are welcomed.**

The following organizations have reserved a table:

- + Arizona Peace Center + Schoenstatt
- + East Valley Pro-life Alliance + Legion of Mary + Magnificat
- + Tuesday Night Casa Rosary + Monthly Rosary for America Group
- + State Council of Knights of Columbus + St. James Parish
- + Life Choices Women's Clinics
- + Court O.L. of Guadalupe, Catholic Daughters of the Americas
- + O. L. of Compassionate Protection of AZ

Everyone Can Be Part of the Dinner

UNDERWRITING DONATIONS ARE ESSENTIAL

Individuals, businesses and organizations are urged to help underwrite the dinner by making donations. The \$23 dinner donation barely covers the cost for the catered dinner, facilities and set-up. Last year the generosity of many donors helped us immensely. ***Underwriting businesses and organizations will be acknowledged in the Dinner Program.***

More Dinner Helpers Are Needed

Please offer a few hours of your time, before the event or that evening, to make the Dinner very special for those who attend. Call **Dorothy at 602-944-6811**.

Upcoming Events

Monthly Rosary for America

Monday, February 5

Mt. Claret Center, 4633 N. 54th St. (N. Camelback)

Rosary for America would be a great event to have in every parish. Call Manny at 602-920- 506



Our Lady of Lourdes World Day of the Sick Healing Mass

Saturday, February 10 at 1 p.m.

Ss. Simon & Jude Cathedral

6351 N. 27th Ave., Phoenix

Bishop Thomas Olmsted, Celebrant.

Includes Anointing of the Sick

Reception to follow. Sponsored by the Order of Malta. For those unable to attend, the Mass will be broadcast live on AZTV Channel 7.



8th Annual Phoenix Catholic Women's Conference

Saturday, February 10 – 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Theme: *"The Lord will fight for you; you need only to be still."* (Exodus 14:14)

Xavier College Preparatory (7th St. and Highland)

Website: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2018-phoenix-catholic-womens-conference-tickets-40922781140> or call **602-471-1944**.



40 Days Kickoff Mass Rally

Monday, February 12, 6:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Basilica, 3rd & E. Monroe

Celebrant: Bishop Thomas Olmsted

Two Bible Series at St. Francis Xavier Parish

Fr. Sam Conedera, SJ, will lead two different Bible Series at **St. Francis Xavier Parish**, Anderson Hall, beginning in February and extending through March. A great Lenten activity. See parish website www.SFXphx.org.

Fr. Sam has a unique way of bringing the scripture messages into our lives.

Morning Retreat by Sr. Sarah O'Malley, OSB

Saturday, February 24, 9 a.m - 12 noon

8:30 check-in and coffee.

Most Holy Trinity, McHugh Hall, 8822 N. 7th St, (7th St.& Alice). PLEASE CALL **Annette 602-997-9387**

Join the Tuesday Night Casa Rosary

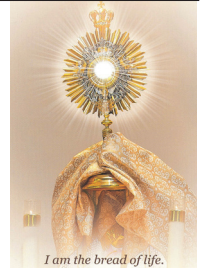
Tuesday evenings at 6 p.m. in the new church, Our Lady of the Angels, 5802 E. Lincoln Dr., Scottsdale

Available through RFR

- **Our Lady of Good Remedy Prayer Card.** Contains history of O.L. of Good Remedy. Suggested donation .50 each.
- **The Lord Asks for an Hour.** Free CD by Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen is a masterpiece. Donation is for mailing only.
- **54-Day Rosary Novena.** Special offer. \$3 suggested donation.
- **Divine Mercy Pamphlets – Novena Chaplet.** Pray for personal intentions and the salvation of the world. Entrust the world and ourselves to God's Mercy. Suggested donation .25 each.
- **Five First Saturdays Leaflet** by Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC. Suggested donation .25 each. Please order several to share.
- **Receiving Holy Communion Leaflet** by Bishop Wm. Gomes. Suggested donation .10 each.
- **Brown Scapular plus Booklet.** Suggested donation \$5.
- **Prayers for the Conversion of Terrorists Prayer Leaflet.** Donation appreciated.

"I am the bread of life."

Eucharistic Adoration 8½" x 11" framed color photo. A visual aid to help for making a Holy Hour at home. Suggested donation \$6 including postage.



I am the bread of life.

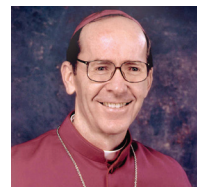
Fr. Kenneth Walker's Rosaries.

A 2-CD set of Fr. Walker's Rosaries: Joyful, Luminous, Sorrowful and Glorious. Includes several talks by the late Fr. Walker. Suggested donation \$15.



Bishop Thomas Olmsted

Rosary with all four Mysteries. 2-CD set. Suggested donation \$15.



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Lent begins Wednesday, February 14

"There is no cross, big or small, in our life, which the Lord does not share with us."

— Pope Francis