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Divine Mercy Sunday
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Radio Family Rosary Program Schedule

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1	Mon	April Highlights – James Peck, President of RFR Board
2	Tue	The Resurrection – Fr. James Kubicki, SJ
3	Wed	The Road to Emmaus – Fr. Ryan Lee
4	Thu	Easter Reflection – Fr. James Kubicki, SJ
5	Fri	Divine Mercy
8	Mon	Feast of the Annunciation – Fr. John Patrick Riley, SCS
9	Tue	Easter Reflections – Fr. Tom Enneking, OSC
10	Wed	Continued
11	Thu	Eucharistic Adoration – Fr. Ryan Lee
12	Fri	Continued
15	Mon	Life-Death Experience – Paul Zucarelli
16	Tue	Continued
17	Wed	Continued
18	Thu	The Dignity of Women – Deacon Tom Phelan
19	Fri	Continued
22	Mon	Special Message – Bishop Emeritus Thomas Olmsted
23	Tue	Continued
24	Wed	Rosary – James Peck and Elizabeth Marietti
25	Thu	The Holy Spirit in Our Daily Lives – Tom Beale
26	Fri	TBA
29	Mon	St. Catherine of Siena
30	Tue	TBA

Programming Subject to Change

The Chaplet Of Divine Mercy

*Abbreviated version**

1. **Make The Sign of the Cross.** Say The Our Father. Say The Hail Mary. Say The Apostles' Creed.
2. **On the first Rosary Mystery bead say the following prayer:**
Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.
3. **On the Hail Mary beads say the following prayer:**
For the sake of His sorrowful passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.
4. **Repeat steps 2 and 3** until you complete the cycle around the Rosary.
Ending prayer, (say three times)
Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Optional prayer: Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your Holy Will, which is Love and Mercy itself. Amen.

**To have optional prayers, obtain leaflet from RFR or religious shop.*

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Welcome, New Readers. Easter & Divine Mercy Issue

Part of RFR Mission is to send monthly Newsletter by bulk mail. No obligation to donate. After reading, it can be passed on to others.

Help keep mailing list current. If you are moving in or out of town or wish to discontinue the Newsletter, write us or call **602-944-6811** or **602-903-6449**.

April Dates

- 5 First Friday
- 6 First Saturday
- 7 Divine Mercy Sunday
- 8 Feast of the Annunciation observed.

April Speakers

Bishop Emeritus Thomas Olmsted
Fr. Tom Enneking, OSC
Fr. James Kubicki, SJ
Fr. Ryan Lee
Deacon Tom Phelan
Paul Zucarelli

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 intention, see enclosed green slip or call **Dorothy at 602-944-6811**.

Your Help is Needed!

Consider being a RFR volunteer. Writing and editing of Newsletter most needed. Call **Dorothy at 602-944-6811**.

Let us Celebrate the 50 days of Easter through encountering Jesus in the Gift of the Holy Eucharist.



As we continue the time of the Eucharistic Revival, let us take the opportunity to grow in our understanding of Eucharist and His gift to humanity instituted on Holy Thursday.

From Eucharist flows an abundance of grace that empowers humanity.

“The Eucharist Is the Source and Summit of Christian Life.” Ways to Live a Eucharistic Life

- + **Attend daily Mass** when possible, even if it is with TV
 - + **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.** Make a Holy Hour. Even a short visit has great merit. Exposition is available on cable – YouTube.
 - + **View talks on the Eucharist.**
RFR highly recommends viewing during the *50 Days of Easter, The Presentation on the Eucharist*, with **Fr. Ryan Lee** of St. Bernard of Clairvaux, Scottsdale. Access by going to YouTube and searching for Fr. Ryan Lee. You will want to recommend it to others. Be an apostle of the Eucharist.
 - + **See the Eucharistic Miracle display that different Parishes are hosting.**
Call the Diocese 602-354-2001 to see Schedule.
 - + **Plan to stay 15 minutes following Mass in thanksgiving.**
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- + **RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST – Easter, March 31**
 - + **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, April 7** – Seeking and trusting in the Divine Mercy of God. The outpouring of God’s Mercy and Compassion.
- Practicing Deeds of Mercy is an excellent way to prepare for Divine Mercy Sunday.*

Clarion Call to Our Lady of Guadalupe

Cardinal Burke issued “a clarion call to all Catholics to join him in a 9 Month Novena he composed to Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas.



- **Access your Novena copy at: radiofamilyrosary.com**
- **Call us on 602-944-6811** with your email. We will send you an email blast you can immediately forward to others.
- **Go to novena.cardinalburke.com** on computer to see information and Cardinal Burke’s message.
- **View on YouTube.**
- **Order Novena Prayer from RFR.** See page 4, *Flying to Our Lady of Guadalupe for her protection.*

Devotion to the Holy Eucharist at Mass and in Adoration is the answer to transforming humanity.

Be an Apostle!

Share with others special prayers during this Holy Season.

- **Novena Prayer to Our Lady of Guadalupe for America** composed by Cardinal Burke.
- **Holy Communion Prayer of Bishop William Gomes**
- **Divine Mercy pictures and prayers.**

See back page 4 to order.

Radio Family Rosary Celebrated its 40th Anniversary



On Saturday, March 9, Bishop Emeritus Thomas Olmsted, honored guest, opened the evening by delivering an

excellent message to over 300 people in attendance. Fr. Kurt Perera, Vocation Director for the Diocese was keynote speaker.

The Serra Club of Phoenix sponsored a **Seminarians Table**.

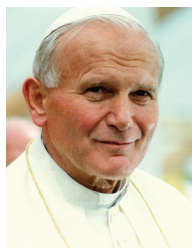
The evening was a tremendous success. So many of you made it so. Thanks are due to those who:

- Bought tickets and hosted tables
- Donated and bought items
- Helped with many tasks

The evening was ushered in by **The Thorn and the Rose**, husband and wife acoustic duo, St. Cecelia Circle.

Feast of the Annunciation

Moved to Monday, April 8 because it fell in Holy Week. Remember Our Lady's yes to be the mother of Jesus.



"Prayer joined to sacrifice constitutes the most powerful force in human history."

— St. John Paul II

Divine Mercy Has Become a Leading Devotion



It was to St. Faustina, a humble Polish nun with only three years of formal education, to whom Jesus revealed **His Unfathomable Mercy**. He referred to Sister Faustina as "His Secretary of Mercy."

St. John Paul II canonized Sister Faustina as the first saint of the 21st Century. Today throughout the world, Divine Mercy is one of the most popular devotions. The Sunday after Easter, Divine Mercy Sunday, is universally celebrated.

The Novena of Divine Mercy begins on **Good Friday and concludes on Saturday before Divine Mercy Sunday**, which is celebrated the Sunday after Easter. A plenary Indulgence can be gained under the usual conditions, which include Confession. Remember this Novena can be prayed any time.



Divine Mercy Celebration

April 7, 2 p.m. – Mass

St. James Parish

19640 N 35th Ave., Glendale, AZ 85308
(South of 101 on 35th Ave.)

Followed by reception

Radio Family Rosary Book Sale before and after the Celebration

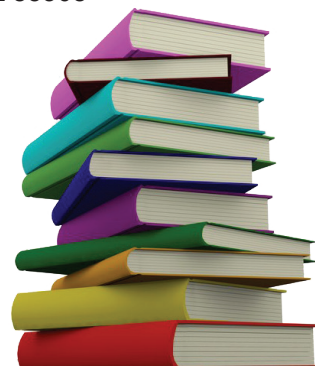
Radio Family Rosary Book Sale

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TIMES: Saturday, April 6
Following 8 a.m. Mass
until after 4 p.m. Vigil Mass.

Sunday, April 7
Following 7:30 a.m. Mass until 4:00 p.m.

Excellent collection of Catholic Books, religious items, CDs and DVDs.
Free book for every \$10 purchase.



Pray and Fast for America

Restoring America to its True Foundation

America is at war against immorality on all fronts. Attacks are on marriage, value of life (abortion) and many other evils. **The soul of America is at stake.** Respond by living Holy Lives. This practice will honor God and bring about a tsunami of grace for our country - if enough people participate. It all begins with our commitment and perseverance. Let us inspire others.

Upcoming Events

First Friday Fish Fry

Special Event to Benefit Radio Family Rosary

Friday, April 5, 2024 - 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

St. Cecilia Circle, Fray Garces Colombian Hall
8066 N. 49 Ave., Glendale AZ 85302

“Best Fish Fry in Town” according to Fr. James Kubicki, SJ



Annual Legion of Mary Acies Celebration

All Active, Auxillary and Friends of the Legion are invited.



Sunday, April 14, 2024, 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Ss. Simon and Jude Cathedral
6351 N. 27th Ave., Phoenix
between Bethany and Glendale

Fr. Kurt Perera speaker.
Reception to follow in the Hall



Arizona Rosary Celebration

Saturday, May 11, 9 a.m.
Planning Meeting

Fray Garces Colombian Hall
8066 N. 49 Ave., Glendale AZ 85302

Learn important info about AZ Rosary Celebration to be held, **Sunday, October 27, 2024**

Fr. Zachary of the Mother of God will the speaker.

Consider being a Rosary Celebration Rep. It is an excellent way to honor Our Lady. **Call Dorothy at 602-944-6811.**

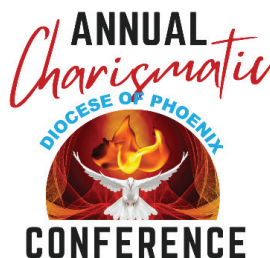


Annual Charismatic Conference

Friday, May 24 | 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 25 | 9:00 am - 9:00 pm

St. Paul's Catholic Church
330 W. Coral Gables, Phoenix

For information call Laurie Walsh at 623-670-1120



Available through RFR

- **“I am the bread of life.”** Eucharistic Adoration 8 x 10 color photo. A visual aid to help for making a Holy Hour at home. Suggested donation \$3 includes postage.



- **Consecration Prayer to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.** Donation only.
- **Novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe by Cardinal Burke.** Donation .25 each
- **Divine Mercy Pamphlet – Novena, Chaplet.** Entrust the world and ourselves to God’s Mercy. Suggested donation .25 each.
- **Receiving Holy Communion leaflet** by Bishop Wm. Gomes. Suggested donation .25 each.
- **“How to Make a Holy Hour,”** by the late Fr. George W. Kosicki, CSB. Excellent. Donation for mailing only.
- **Five First Saturdays Leaflet** by Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC. Suggested donation .25 each. Order several to share.
- **Surrender Prayer.** Small print suggested donation \$1 or larger print suggested \$2
- **Prayer Cards for the Sanctity of Life.** Includes Litany of the Unborn to save unborn babies. Suggested donation .10 each.
- **St. Michael Prayer Card.** Excellent for including in Easter Cards and sharing with others any time. Suggested donation .25 each.
- **The Lord Asks for an Hour.** Free CD by Ven. Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen is a masterpiece. Donation for mailing only.
- **Brown Scapular plus Booklet.** Suggested donation \$5.

Place your orders now.

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Happy Easter Greeting