



6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Again you have heard that it was said to your ancestors, Do not take a false oath, but make good to the Lord all that you vow.”
 - Mt 5:33

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MISSION OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

WEEKEND MASS	
Sunday	9:00 am
RECITATION OF THE ROSARY	
Sunday	8:30 am
ADORATION	
Thursday	7:00 am – 4:00 pm

February 12, 2023

DAILY MASS

Monday - Saturday	7:30 am
Monday, Tues., Thurs., Friday	12:15 pm
Wednesday Evening	6:00 pm

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday	4:00 pm
Sunday	7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 4:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday	7:00 am - 7:25 am
Wednesday	5:15 pm - 5:45 pm
Saturday	2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

Monday - Saturday	7:00 am
Sunday	6:30 am and 10:30 am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Friday	8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Closed for Lunch	12:00 pm - 1:00 pm
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Sunday February 12, 2023

CDA

Monday, February 13, 2023

- 7:00 pm Scouts Troop 432

Tuesday, February 14, 2023

- 8:30 am Adult Bible Study
- 7:00 pm KOC Council Meeting

Wednesday, February 15, 2023

- 3:00 pm Chaplet & Perpetual Help Novena
- 3:30 pm SVDP Conference Meeting

Thursday, February 16, 2023

- 7:00 am Adoration at GSM
- 7:00 pm Genesis to Jesus Bible Study

Friday, February 17, 2023

- 6:00 pm La Pieta Prayer Group

Saturday, February 18, 2023

CDA

Sunday, February 12, 2023

- 7:00 am All Parishioners
- 9:00 am +Mary & Gary Larkins
- 9:00 am-G +Eileen Johns
- 11:00 am Shiela Domingo - Thanksgiving
- 4:00 pm Tom Bonvicini - Healing

Monday, February 13, 2023

- 7:30 am +Francisca Domingo & Josefa Garcia
- 12:15 pm Gabby Bautista - Thanksgiving

Tuesday, February 14, 2023

- 7:30 am Tom Bonvicini - Healing
- 12:15 pm Jeanette Daniels - Healing

Wednesday, February 15, 2023

- 7:30 am- +Bob Ottaviani
- 6:00 pm- +Eulogio Domingo

Thursday, February 16, 2023

- 7:30 am Debruin Family - Thanksgiving
- 12:15 pm Till Lindmann - Healing

Friday, February 17, 2023

- 7:30 am +Corazon & Mariano Manzano
- 12:15 pm +All Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, February 18, 2023

- 7:30 am +All Souls in Purgatory
- 4:00 pm +The Brabazon Family

Contributions: January 23 - 29, 2023

	St. Rose	Good Shepherd		Building
Week	\$ 12,233	\$ 1,335	Week	\$ 1,800
			Month	\$ 12,178
Month	\$ 75,396	\$ 6,617	Fiscal Year 2023	\$ 1,308,170
Target	80,000	8,000	Pre-FY 2023	799,753
Over / (Under)	\$ (4,604)	\$ (1,383)	Together Camp.	344,000
			Fall Festivals	158,672
			At 1/29/2023	\$ 2,610,595

Thank you!

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MEET AND GREET

Come meet the Pastoral Council after Masses on February 18th and 19th.

Message From Fr Bing

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time: **Spirit of the Law** [Mt 5:17-37](#).

In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus continues to calm the fears of the religious leaders that He is out to abolish the laws. But He reminds them that the LAW must not remain engraved in stone tablets but must live in the hearts of men. The LAW must be observed not only according to the intent of the *letter*; but by its SPIRIT. The demands to live by the SPIRIT as to simply imposing the letter of the LAW takes higher importance. Because the former requires an honest, selfless, and patient pursuit of the truths of God in prayer, asking the help of the Holy Spirit for inner freedom, creativity, and intelligence.

I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. Though the religious leaders had a sigh of relief hearing this kind of statement from Jesus: it did not keep them from sending spies to monitor Jesus' movements, activities, and teachings. Thus, it did not help to allay their fears every time reports of Jesus healing on a Sabbath reached them. Or their belief of the many infractions against the LAW committed by Jesus: allowing His disciples to pick grains on a Sabbath, touching lepers, and acquitting a woman caught in adultery is too much for the Law-oriented Jewish leaders! But in Jesus' heart, He pities the ordinary Jewish believers who try their best to live by the Ten Commandments but are burdened by the 613 rules imposed by their leaders - side by side with the Decalogue. Before He leaves, He will identify the greatest commandment for them: The LOVE of God and neighbor - together and teach them to accomplish them together.

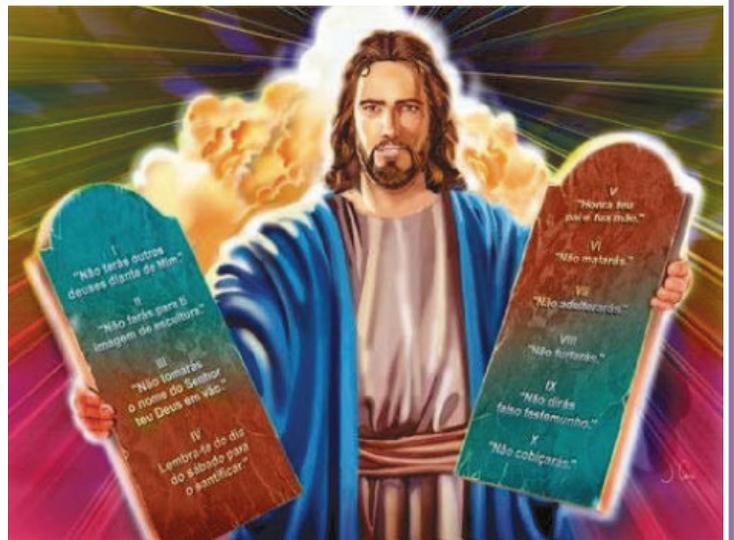
The law of God directs and gives guidance so that we can avoid falling into grave sins, intended to be fulfilled not by external observances or by simply avoiding sins. The true SPIRIT of the LAW calls for a conversion of the heart. The way of Jesus is the way of pure and faithful LOVE to transform untamed hearts; and the way of honesty to address any duplicity in a person. Jesus teaches us the way of God's wisdom, *a mysterious and hidden wisdom* - that only through Him is revealed to us. Because God reveals His WISDOM through the Holy Spirit, He made sure that the heart understands His Divine Love. Psalm 119 celebrates this of all who treasure this gift in their hearts: *Blessed are they who follow the law of the Lord.*

Let us go beyond the demands of the letters of the law and move toward the spirit of the law. Being too legalistic leads us to be controlling, calculating, judgmental and impersonal. Let us live not according to the letter of the law but according to the spirit of the law. The love of God is broader, deeper, and inclusive - so let us not limit His love according to our laws, traditions, and standards. Mere adherence to the law does not excuse us from practicing true righteousness. *Antoine de Saint-Exupéry* says in the story of *The Little Prince* that somehow captures this idea: *It is only with the heart that one can see rightly. What is essential is invisible to the eye.*

Kingdoms of the world operate, live, and thrive on human laws. The Kingdom of God also operates, lives, and prospers on human laws; but goes beyond > because of the natural law and His Divine Law. If we are strict, unbending, and uncompromising, we live only by human law. The coming of Jesus redefined the parameters of laws: beyond justice, beyond the law, is love.

Beyond *The Decalogue* is Jesus' commandment of LOVE. May we have no regrets that we focused more on the work of our hands and somehow forgot the *love in our hearts* or that we focused more on our *functions and neglected to love people*.

Lord, help us to live with a heart and not to belittle matters of the heart.



7 Benefits of Praying the Stations of the Cross

1. It gives us a way to make a spiritual pilgrimage.

Our hearts walk along with Jesus on His final steps as we pray.

2. We can gain a plenary indulgence to shorten our time in Purgatory.

There are a few conditions to receive this indulgence. First, we must receive the sacrament of Confession and be in a state of grace (detached from sin). It must be within 20 days (before or after) praying the devotion. We must also receive the Eucharist within that timeline. Next, we pray for the Pope's intentions. An extra requirement is that we (or a leader) move from station to station as we pray. We can still gain a partial indulgence if we cannot meet every condition.

3. Praying the Stations of the Cross helps inspire deep prayer.

God gives us the grace to contemplate the suffering of Jesus and feel deep empathy and love for Him. As we meditate on the events, they become more vivid and take root in our hearts.

4. We can look at suffering from a different perspective.

Our Lord understands our struggles and gives us the grace we need to bear them well. We can learn how to do this from His example. We learn to love with humility and patience despite our broken world.

5. Praying this devotion helps us grow in our love for God.

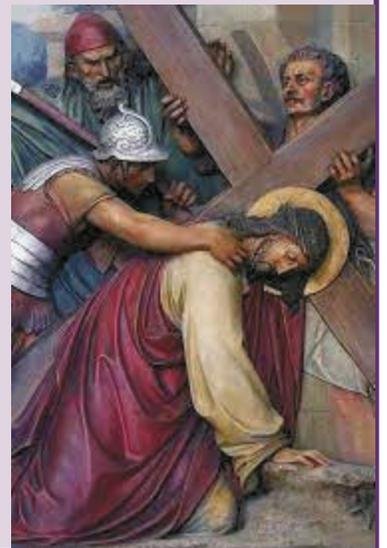
We can express our love for Him as we pray the stations. It reminds us that we are not alone in our struggles. Through grace and our union with His suffering, we can learn to offer up our struggles out of love for others.

6. Praying the stations helps us to become holy.

We learn to have more compassion for those who suffer. It pulls us out of our selfishness and teaches us to sacrifice for others. We can learn to be patient in situations of unavoidable suffering. It helps us to examine our conscience. We can think about how we have sinned, how it makes our Lord suffer, and then have remorse.

7. We learn to hope in the promise of salvation.

When we unite our struggles with our wounded Savior, we can learn to bear them well. We can find courage and strength in times of difficulty because of His merciful love. We can trust in Him.



Parish News



Feb-23

5	SU	2:00	Edge	St. Rose Office
	SU	5:15	Life Teen	St. Rose Office
19	SU	OFF	President's Day Weekend	
25	Fri	\$50 deposit for Steubenville is due!		
26	SU	2:00	Edge	St. Rose Office
	SU	5:15	Life teen	St. Rose Office



We are super excited to announce that our teens will attend the Steubenville camp Golden State at Whispering Winds this Summer!

July 23—28

We have a limited number of spots! Register today!



St. Vincent de Paul St. Rose/Good Shepherd/St. Philip Benizi Conference

Blessed is he who keeps faith forever, secures justice for the oppressed, gives food to the hungry (Psalm 146)

The Vincentians of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul would like to express our deepest gratitude to all who contributed to our Society. Your efforts raised a total of \$1,510.20 for the January, 2023 5th Sunday Collection. Your support enables us to continue to perform our outreach to the community.

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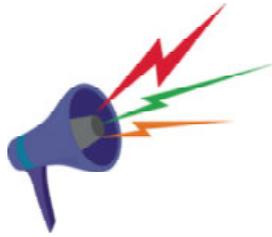
BLOOD DRIVE

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**Children's Ministry - Faith Formation Classes
Grades 1 - 5**

Location Change

Beginning **Sunday, February 26th** and **Wednesday, March 1st**,
Faith Formation classes will be held at Anthem Elementary School.
We will finish our year at this location

Anthem Elementary is located at
41020 N. Freedom Way in Anthem

Class times will remain the same. Classroom locations by grade will be assigned in the upcoming week.

BAGEL SUNDAY

Hosted by Children's Ministry

Join us Sunday, Feb. 19th
after the 7am, 9am, & 11am
masses at St. Rose

AND

9am mass at Good Shepherd
Mission



Doughnut Sunday

RETREAT !!!!

For Year 2 students

Sacrament Preparation of

RECONCILIATION

This is a **STUDENT & PARENT** Retreat
Saturday, March 25th beginning at 8:30am

Sacrament of First Reconciliation

Saturday, April 1st beginning at 8:30am

Two New Bible Studies:

February 28 & March 7 from 8:30-10 am in the Church Office - Free two-week study, open to all parishioners, no registration required! Join us as we study "A Lent to Remember," which explores the ways God reaches out to each of us with his mercy. Through Christ's suffering on the cross in the Paschal Mystery and his perpetual reception of his people in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, God makes his love, his very self, present to us in the world. By reflecting on the Paschal Mystery and making a step-by-step examination of the Rite of Confession, A Lent to Remember communicates God's invitation to each one of us to come experience his indescribable love this Lent. Questions? rebeccadcase@gmail.com



March 21 - May 22 - Join us Tuesday mornings in the St. Rose Church Office from 8:30-10 am, as we delve into the new "Salvation" Bible study from the Augustine Institute. In this study we will learn that at every Sunday Mass, Catholics confess that Jesus came down from heaven "for us men and for our salvation." But what does "salvation" mean? In this remarkable 10-part video series, Scripture scholar and theologian Michael Patrick Barber provides a thorough, deeply Catholic, and deeply biblical, answer. The video study is free and open to all, but if you would like to purchase the full-color Bible study workbook, it is \$12 and can be purchased through this link: <https://form.jotform.com/230244960240043> through March 1st. Questions? rebeccadcase@gmail.com

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