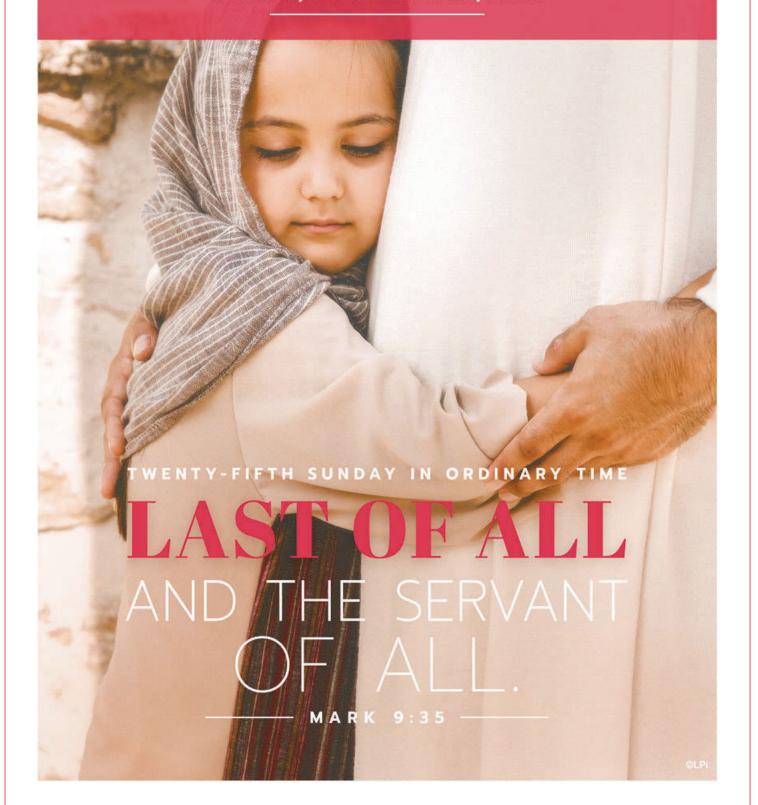
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2024



## 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time: Who is the Greatest? Mk. 9:30-37

A week after the scene of the famous confession of Peter and the first passion prediction, Jesus reiterated His coming suffering, death, and resurrection. As they return to Capernaum, Jesus asks them what they are arguing along the way. They argued among themselves - who was the greatest? Since Peter seems to be the unofficial leader, they expect him to give them an answer. Instead, Jesus gives them an unexpected answer: *If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last and the servant of all.* The greatest does not think of himself; to be the first in the eyes of God is not the goal. He is a leader who serves the least and the last.

The first reading gives us another image of the greatest. He is the one who works to fight against the evils and evildoers. He bothers them constantly and confronts them from spreading their evil ways. Courageously, he confronts the ills of society to destroy them, and God protects him from harm.

After Jesus reveals His impending passion, death, and resurrection, no disciple dares to ask any more questions. At first, they probably admired Peter because the Lord affirmed his confession of faith, but at the same time were cautious after witnessing how the Lord rebuked Peter for questioning the Will of the Father about His passion. The brothers James and John still have the transfiguration moment hangover. Because the other disciples did not witness the self-revelation of Jesus, they were afraid to ask questions. As the Lord talks about His impending death; what does this mean to His disciples?

Jesus sees our heart, just as He saw the heart of each disciple. Sometimes, we feel insecure: The more we try to boast, the weaker we become. Our true importance depends not on human adulation but on God alone. His message to them is a reminder, also to us: It is not wrong to seek greatness, but true greatness does not come from following human standards. To be great is to serve others. Jesus takes this opportunity to teach them that caring for a child can make us great. When we open our hearts to little children, we become like Jesus Himself. *I come not to be served but to serve and give My life as a ransom for many.* 

Do you know why we use pencils when we are children and bullpens when we are grown up? That is to teach children that they can erase whatever wrong they do. But a reminder for adults that we are no longer children, so stop repeating the same mistakes. Unfortunately, our biggest mistake is pride – foolish pride.

Do not fall on pride. Jesus tells His disciples that the only one greatest among themselves is the one who can humble himself like a child. Pride causes so many conflicts and divisions among us. Pride perpetuates the ills of society and disunity among people. The opposite of pride is humility, freedom, and unity. Jesus invites His disciples to be humble like a child and experience peace. True humility is giving up pride for DIGNITY.





## Sunday September 22, 2024 K of C Pancake Breakfast Agua Frescas - GSM

• 9:00 am RE Class Grades 1 - 5

## Monday, September 23, 2024

- 7:00 pm Pastoral Council Meeting
- 7:00 pm Troop 432

## Tuesday, September 24, 2024

- 8:30 am Adult Bible Study
- 7:00 pm Charismatic Prayer Group

#### Wednesday, September 25, 2024

- 8:30 am SVDP Bricks Meeting
- 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet/OLPH
- 4:30 pm RE Classes Grades 1 5

## Thursday, September 26, 2024

- 5:00 pm La Pieta Prayer Group
- 5:30 pm Finance council
- 6:00 pm Cub Scouts

#### Friday, September 27, 2024

• 5:30 am Men's Ministry

#### Saturday, September 28, 2024

- 7:30 am Spanish mass
- 8:30 am Guadalupanos Meeting



### **DAILY MASS TIMES**

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

## WEEKEND MASS TIMES

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, 8:30 am, **1**0:30 am

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

Closed 1st and 3rd Monday of the month 2 pm - 3 pm for Staff Meetings

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## MISSION OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

**WEEKEND MASS** 

Sunday 9:00 am

RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

Sunday 8:30 am

ADORATION - Thursdays 7:00 am

This Week's Worship Aide



# Mass Intentions

## Sunday, September 22nd

7:00 am All Parishioners

9:00 am Madison Wood Tumulty

(Thanksgiving)

9:00 am G † Donald Ciolli

11:00 am † Don Chludzinski

4:00 pm Karen Young

(Special Intention)

## Monday, September 23rd

7:30 am Bill Moreland (Healing)

12:15 pm † Tom Mulligan

## Tuesday, September 24th

7:30 am † Benjamin & Lourdes

Manzano

12:15 pm † Seeta Kodumal

## Wednesday, September 25th

7:30 am Jennifer Cook

(Thanksgiving)

6:00 pm Skip and Alice Walsh

(Special Intention)

## Thursday, September 26th

7:30 am † Judy Turner

12:15 pm † Frances Howlett

## Friday, September 27th

7:30 am Shay Martineau

(Thanksgiving)

12:15 pm † Kim Moseley

## Saturday, September 28th

7:30 am † Kathryn Hobbes

4:00 pm † Robert Beeman

## **Adult and Youth Safe Environment Training**

Hello St. Rose & GSM Parishioners, Please take time to renew your training on https://phoenix.cmgconnect.org/

If you have a different Primary Site/location listed for your training please contact cbosn@stroseanthem.com

# Safe Environment Training Deadline is October 1, 2024

Please have your Safe Environment Training completed by October 1st, in order to volunteer on campus or serve at Mass.



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Join us on Sunday, September 22nd and every 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month for a FREE breakfast hosted by the Knights of Columbus after the 7 am and 9 am Masses.

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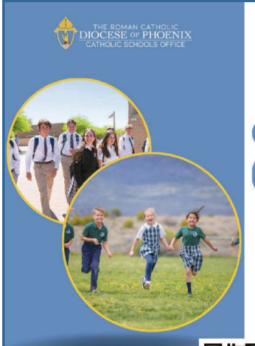
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## St. Rose "Angels"

Have you seen any of our teens in these red "Angels" Shirts?

These are our Teen YM leaders! This program aims to develop our youth to be leaders in our community and to help lead our program. They will have an opportunity to help form others, choose topics for Life Teen Sessions, monthly activities, and the fundraisers. They also help work with bringing in new teens to our youth ministry program, organize mission trips, and ensure community engagement. After serving as an "Angel" they have an opportunity to serve as a Teen Missionary with Life Teen!



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## DIOCESAN SCHOOL BOARD

Do you have a heart for our Catholic Schools?

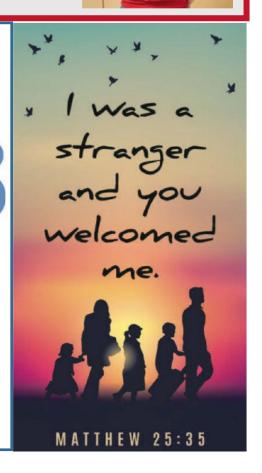
Have you ever considered lending your expertise to a cause that shapes young minds?

We're seeking dedicated, dynamic individuals to serve on the Diocesan School Board, a group that advises the Bishop and the Catholic Schools Superintendent. This is more than a role; it's a mission to foster excellence in education aligned with our faith's values.

Questions? Contact the Catholic Schools Office at 602-354-2340



Apply at: catholicschoolsphx.org/advisory-board Or scan the QR code



# There will be a Blessing of the Animals in honor of St. Francis' Feastday



October 6th
1:30 pm
In the church east parking lot.

Please have your animals on a leash, in a kennel, or in the car. See you there!

Please take a moment to watch the Catholic Bishops of Arizona Statement Opposing Prop 139

To watch video in ENGLISH: https://vimeo.com/1003336453/96ec121fb3

To watch video in SPANISH: https://vimeo.com/1003336533/17465f353a

Here's how to take part in the 40 Days For Life Fall 2024 Campaign:

\*Vigil location- Planned Parenthood 5771 W. Eugie Ave, Glendale, AZ 85304

\*Vigil hours: 6am to 6pm daily

Help us pray for an end to abortion. For more information feel free to call:

(608)385-6790 or dmalone0511@gmail.com St. Rose Philippine Duchesne Respect Life Coord.



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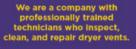
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