



**SAINT AGNES ROMAN CATHOLIC
PARISH AND SCHOOL
PARROQUIA CATÓLICA DE SANTA INÉS
Iglesia y Escuela**



23th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 6, 2026

St. Agnes Catholic Church

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Phoenix, AZ 85006
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Priests

Rev. Paul Sullivan, Pastor
Rev. Joseph Nguyen, Parochial Vicar

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Masses:

Weekdays 8am

Saturdays 8am & 4:30pm Sunday Vigil

Sunday 9am

Misas:

Domingos 12pm y 6pm

Confessions/Confesiones:

Saturdays/Sábados 8:30am-10am

Baptisms: 4th Sunday of the month 10:15 am

Bautismos: El segundo domingo del mes 1:30 p. m.

Sacrament of Matrimony:

Call the office for appointment.

Sacramento de Matrimonio:

Llame a la oficina para hacer una cita.

Marriage Preparation & Nullity Minister

Email: info@stagnesphx.org

San Vicente de Paul: 602-332-5660

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Dear Friends in Christ,

As I walk through the Mass, my hope is to highlight the importance of the various parts of the Mass. At this moment, I would like to write a bit about the Alleluia verse that is sung right before the Gospel (except during Lent).

This may seem like a rather small or even insignificant part of the Mass. The truth is, that this is a very important part of the Mass. This is the moment when we eagerly stand up, showing our attention and respect, so that we can hear the very words of Jesus within a story of His life. It is an honor that God came to be among us and speak to us through His words and actions and so we praise Him with an Alleluia just prior to the Gospel.

In fact, the word Alleluia means just that: Praise God! This is actually a Hebrew word so it is nice to speak in an ancient biblical language in preparation to hear the Gospel. Traditionally, it has been seen as the chief term of praise of the choirs of angels, as they worship around the throne of God in Heaven.

While the Alleluia is being sung the priest or deacon goes to the Altar to solemnly process with the Book of the Gospels. This whole movement just highlights the importance of the moment of hearing the life and words of Jesus.

During most of the year we sing this, but during Lent, another acclamation is substituted, as the Alleluia, a joyful word, is not said as we are participating in a time of deep conversion and preparation. The Alleluia triumph ally on Easter week when the double Alleluia is prescribed to be sung at the end of Mass. Alleluia is not prescribed at the end of the Mass during any Sundays outside the Easter Octave.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Paul

Queridos amigos en Cristo:

Al recorrer las partes de la Misa, mi deseo es resaltar la importancia de cada una de ellas. En esta ocasión, quisiera escribir brevemente sobre el versículo del Aleluya que se canta justo antes del Evangelio (excepto durante la Cuaresma).

Puede parecer una parte menor o incluso insignificante de la Misa; sin embargo, la realidad es que se trata de un momento de gran importancia. Es el instante en que nos ponemos en pie con entusiasmo, demostrando nuestra atención y respeto, para escuchar las palabras mismas de Jesús narradas en un episodio de su vida. Es un honor que Dios haya venido a estar entre nosotros y a hablarnos a través de sus palabras y acciones; por ello, le alabamos con el Aleluya justo antes de la proclamación del Evangelio.

De hecho, la palabra Aleluya significa precisamente eso: ¡Alabad a Dios! Al tratarse de un término hebreo, resulta hermoso emplear una antigua lengua bíblica como preparación para escuchar el Evangelio. Tradicionalmente, se considera la expresión principal de alabanza de los coros angélicos mientras adoran ante el trono de Dios en el Cielo.

Mientras se canta el Aleluya, el sacerdote o el diácono se dirige al altar para realizar la procesión solemne con el Libro de los Evangelios. Todo este movimiento subraya la importancia del momento en que escuchamos sobre la vida y las palabras de Jesús. Cantamos esta aclamación durante la mayor parte del año, pero en Cuaresma se sustituye por otra; al ser el Aleluya una palabra de júbilo, no se pronuncia mientras participamos en este tiempo de profunda conversión y preparación. El Aleluya resuena triunfalmente en la Semana de Pascua, cuando está prescrito cantar el doble Aleluya al final de la Misa. Cabe señalar que el Aleluya no está prescrito al final de la Misa en los domingos fuera de la Octava de Pascua.

Suyo en Cristo,
Padre Paul

This Week At St. Agnes

Esta Semana en Santa Inés

Saturday September 5, 2026

8:30– 10:00AM Confessions

Sunday September 6, 2026

No Meeting Schedule

Monday September 7, 2026

6:00-8:30PM Marriage Prep-Spanish

Tuesday, September 8, 2026

6:00-9:00PM: Catholics in Action - Cafeteria

7:00-9:00PM: Grupo de Oración - Parish Hall

Wednesday, September 9, 2026

No Meeting schedule

Thursday, September 10, 2026

7:00 - 9:00PM Grupo de Oración - Parish Hall

Friday, September 11, 2026

6:30-9:00PM Militia Immaculate

Saturday, September 12, 2026

8:30-10:00AM Confessions

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, September 5, 2026

8:00AM All Parishioners

9:00AM Confessions

4:30PM +Flora Avila Carrera

Sunday, September 6, 2026

9:00AM +Roberto Ruiz

12:00PM Todos Los Feligreses

6:00PM +Eufrocina Sierra

Monday, September 7, 2026

8:00AM +Maria Maestas

Tuesday, September 8, 2026

8:00AM +Gloria Veronica Guaderrama

Wednesday, September 9, 2026

8:00AM Walter Maestas

Thursday, September 10, 2026

8:00AM Diana Maestas

Friday, September 11, 2026

8:00AM Ellie Macias

Saturday, September 12, 2026

8:00AM All Parishioners

9:00AM Confessions

4:30PM +Amelia Avila Pacheco

Sunday, September 13, 2026

9:00AM +Graciela Morales

12:00PM +Juan Jose Garcia

6:00PM +Cruz Brito Gonzaga & Cruz Apolinar Zaragoza



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Our parish is hiring a part-time receptionist, ~ 25 Hours per Week, Bilingual English-Spanish Preferred.

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Arizona Rosary Celebration

Bring family, friends, and your heartfelt prayer petitions.

**Sunday
October 18, 2026**
2:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Doors open at noon for adoration, confession, exhibits.

Phoenix Convention Center
South Building, 31 S. 3rd St.
Phoenix, AZ 85004

Free Admission

Visit: AzRosary.net
E-mail: info@AzRosary.net

GUEST SPEAKERS:

Most Reverend Artur Bubnevych
Bishop of the Holy Protection of Mary Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix

Monsignor James Patrick Shea
President of the University of Mary, Bismarck, North Dakota

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