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Church of the Holy Spirit

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Happenings

Adult Formation

Two Opportunities to Learn More about Your Catholic Faith

1. Four Sessions

The following four sessions will be held in Room 1 on Wednesdays beginning October 11th at 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

The Roman Catholic Church—Who We Are...presented by Fr. Cletus

Our Worship—The Mass: Source and Summit of our faith...presented by Msgr. Peter

The Creed—When I say I believe,

what does that mean?...presented by Fr. Cletus

Sacraments—An outward sign of an inward grace?...presented by Fr. Cletus

2. Ask the Pastor

If you have a question about the Catholic faith for Msgr. Peter, you can place it in the Question Box located in the narthex of the church. These will be addressed in a session for all parishioners on Wednesday, October 17th at 5:10 p.m. in Hanley Hall.

Movie Night

In celebration of the 100th Anniversary of Fatima, join us in watching *"The 13th Day."* In a world torn apart by persecution, war and oppression, three children were chosen to offer a message of hope to the world.

The movie will be shown on Wednesday, September 13th at 7 p.m. in Hanley Hall and is sponsored by the Holy Spirit Parish Council. *Refreshments will be served!*



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Religious Formation News

Parent Orientation:

*September 11 at 5 p.m. in Hanley Hall
Sessions begin September 18 & 19*

Registration is available by appointment during the week Monday through Thursday. Please call Yvette Meyer at (480) 838-3479. Applications can be downloaded and returned to the parish office.

Calendars are available in the RE office and parish website:
www.holyspirit-tempe-az.org

Classes are scheduled as follows:

Ages 3 to 6—Catechesis of the Good Shepard, Monday, 4:30-5:30 p.m. or Tuesday 5:00-6:00 p.m.

1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th Grades—Monday, 4:30-5:30 p.m. or Tuesday 5:00-6:00 p.m.

3rd - 5th Grades (Sacrament Prep) Monday, 4:30-5:30 p.m., Monday, 6:00-7:00 p.m., or Tuesday 5:00-6:00 p.m.

6th Grade (High School Sacrament Prep)—Monday, 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Youth Apostles Grades 6th-8th—Monday, 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Thanh Linh K-12 Grades—Sunday 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Thanh Linh Sacrament Prep—Sunday 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Knights of Columbus Monthly Pancake Breakfast

Please join the Knights in Hanley Hall for a delicious breakfast on Sunday, September 17th after the 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.



Masses. They will be offering pancakes, eggs, bacon, chorizo, potatoes, coffee and juice. All for only \$6.00 per adult and \$3.00 for children 10 and under.

Employment Opportunity

The parish is looking for a full-time maintenance worker. Minimum qualifications: High school or trade school, three years experience, valid AZ drivers license, ability to carry 50 lbs. To apply, contact Jose at (480) 838-7474, ext. 109.

Helping Hands Food Pantry

We currently need: canned fruit, cereal, canned vegetables (no corn or green beans as we have plenty of both), pasta sauce, tomato

sauce, jam and jelly, pie shells, pie filling, cake and dessert mixes, cake frosting, mac and cheese, Hamburger Helper - any flavor, Tuna Helper, toilet tissue.

Donations can be brought to the parish office during the week. (Mon.-Thurs., 9-5 p.m., Fri., 9-3 p.m.). Thank you for lending a helping hand!

Donut Rangers Return September 24

Our Donut Rangers are a wonderful group of volunteers who serve coffee and donuts following the 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday Masses, September-May. Additional volunteers are needed and the time commitment is just one hour - once a month! This ministry of hospitality is a great way to meet parishioners and become involved in a parish ministry. For ministry information, contact the parish office, (480) 838-7474.



Mandatory Training for Employees and Volunteers

Holy Spirit Church is presenting "Protecting God's Children for Adults," a program mandatory for all employees and volunteers (over the age of 18) who have not previously completed the foundation Safe Environment Training.

Details for the next "Protecting God's Children for Adults" (2 hour) class to be offered on Thursday, September 14th at 6:00 p.m. in the Social Hall.

You may register by calling Sue Hake, Receptionist at (480) 838-7474.

Periodic Renewal Training

If you have already completed a foundation class, please visit the Safe Environment website www.safeenvironmenttraining.org and click on "My Obligations" to complete your renewal class.

If you prefer to take the renewal class in person (30 minutes), please call Sue to reserve a time to come to the parish office.

Questions? Please contact Sue

Hake, Safe Environment Coordinator/Receptionist (480) 838-7474.

RCIA

- **Curious about Catholicism?**
- **What does it take to become Catholic?**
- **Need to be confirmed?**

The RCIA/Adult Confirmation 2017-2018 program is an open format for faith formation of adults. The program will be held on Wednesday evenings beginning October 11th from 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., in Room 1. The sessions will be led by Rev. Msgr. Peter Dai Bui and Rev. Cletus Kulah.

If you have never been baptized, or if you have been baptized in another Christian church and would like to consider your faith journey in the Catholic Church, you are invited to attend. There is absolutely no pressure to become a Catholic. This is your time and your decision.

If you were baptized as a Catholic but never received any formation or never received the remainder of the sacraments of initiation (i.e., Confirmation/and or Eucharist) this process is for you as well.

For additional information and to

register, contact Mary Beth Elbin at (480) 838-7474, ext. 114. Leave a message with your name, phone number and the best time to reach you, OR email her at seemee@earthlink.net. Include RCIA in the subject line. Msgr. Peter would like to meet with everyone before classes begin. Classes begin October 11th, so now is the time to register. The Integrated Class Schedule and the Adult Inquirer Information Form are available on the parish website, www.holyspirit-tempe-az.org

Friday Night Bingo

The excitement of Friday Night Bingo has returned to the Social Hall. Doors open at 6:15 p.m. Tickets go on sale at 6:30 p.m. Early Bird Special 50/50 is called at 6:55 p.m. Regular games start at 7:00 p.m. The prize payouts have increased. Don't be late, as there is no admittance after 7:00 p.m. See parish website for Bingo Calendar.

Just a reminder: All attendees must be at least 18 years of age.

