



Immaculate Conception Church

Roman Catholic Parish & Guadalupe Mission

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Office Hours : Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

August 25, 2024 / 25 de Agosto, 2024



“MASTER, TO WHOM
SHALL WE GO?”
- JN 6:68

21ST SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

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MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS

WEEKDAY MASSES / MISAS DIARIAS

Monday thru Saturday 8:00 a.m. - English

Lunes a Sábado 7:00 a.m. - Spanish

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS - Immaculate Conception Church

5:30 p.m. English / Inglés

SUNDAY MASSES / MISAS DOMINICALES - Immaculate Conception Church

7:30 a.m. English, 9:30 a.m. Spanish, 11:30 a.m. English,
1:30 p.m. Spanish, 5:00 p.m. English, and 7:00 p.m. Spanish

SABADO MISA ANTICIPADA - Misión de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

Sábado/ Saturday Misa Anticipada a las 6:00 p.m. - Spanish Domingo/

Sunday 7:30 a.m. Mass Spanish

Misa cada Jueves 7:00 p.m. seguido con Alabanza

CONFESSIONS / CONFESIONES

Saturdays 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. or by appointment,
please call the Parish office

EUCARISTIC ADORATION / ADORACION EUCARISTICA

Every Thursday / Cada Jueves 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

Every Friday at 3:00 p.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel

PLEASE CONSIDER

ONLINE GIVING

Thank you for your support.

Visit:

<https://www.osvhub.com/icyuma/funds>



August 25, 2024

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

The famous Russian novelist Fyodor Dostoyevsky said, "Love in action is a harsh and dreadful thing." In the Gospel reading this week, Jesus does something harsh and dreadful — he watches his own disciples abandon him. What could possibly be loving about that?

Well, we notice the context is Jesus' teaching about eating and drinking his body and blood. His followers hear this and say, "This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?" (John 6:60). We shouldn't imagine we'd do anything different, because not even the ones who stay, like Peter, seem to understand what Jesus is saying. Then we hear this devastating line, "Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him" (John 6:66). Besides the night of the Last Supper, only now do Jesus' disciples abandon him. And, painfully, Jesus just lets them go.

The best way to make sense out of this is love. Jesus is God's love in action. He wants to become one with those whom He loves. He wants to love them as His own body. Yes, the oneness manifested in the Eucharist sounds harsh and dreadful because it is rooted in love which is willing to risk abandonment and separation to attain its goal: to be one body with the beloved. It is both terrifying and wonderful that Jesus will risk losing us in order to be one with us. Our response? Lord, we cannot grasp a love so great, but please help us never to abandon it, either.

— Father John Muir
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BULLETIN DEADLINE
Please have bulletin announcements at the Parish office by 12 noon on Mondays.



SAVE THE DATE
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2024
Immaculate Conception Parish Festival

Dear families in Christ,
You are invited to the Immaculate Conception Parish Festival! Join us for a day filled with fun activities, delicious food, and entertaining performances for the whole family. We greatly appreciate your support for our fundraising efforts.

The celebration will unfold at the Immaculate Conception Ramada from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Food tickets can be purchased from the ministries of Immaculate Conception after Mass or at the rectory. For tickets, please feel free to contact the IC office at 928-782-7516.

We are looking forward to your enthusiastic participation in the festival!



RESERVA LA FECHA
DOMINGO, 15 DE SEPTIEMBRE DE 2024
Fiesta Parroquial de la Inmaculada Concepción

Querida familia en Cristo,
¡Estás invitado al Festival Parroquial Inmaculada Concepción! Únase a nosotros para un día lleno de actividades divertidas, comida deliciosa y entretenimiento para toda la familia. Apreciamos enormemente su apoyo a nuestros esfuerzos de recaudación de fondos.

La celebración se desarrollará en el Ramada Inmaculada Concepción de 8:00 am a 3:00 pm.

Los boletos de comida se pueden comprar con los ministerios de la Inmaculada Concepción después de la Misa o en la rectoría. Llame a la oficina de IC para obtener boletos al 928-782-7516.

¡Esperamos contar con su entusiasta participación en el festival!



Immaculate Conception Parish Festival
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2024
Place: Immaculate Conception Ramada
505 S Ave. B, Yuma AZ 85364
8:00 am - 3:00 pm

Banner order for business sponsors

Name: _____
 Business: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone: _____

The donation for one 4X4 banner is \$125 or more.
La donación por un banner 4X4 es de \$125 o mas.

Benefit to business: The Banner will be prominently displayed at the Immaculate Conception Celebration on Sunday, September 15, 2024 from 8 AM - 3 PM

Please attached business card for the banner

Note: One banner per business

Please make the check payable to IC Church and return it to the IC office by September 6, 2024. Thank you!

Thank you for your generosity!

MASS INTENTIONS

August 26 - September 1, 2024

Monday, August 26

- *7:00 a.m. - Para Nuestros Benefactores
- 8:00 a.m. - For Our Benefactors

Tuesday, August 27

- *7:00 a.m. - Para Nuestros Benefactores
- 8:00 a.m. - Ann Marie Kendrick †

Wednesday, August 28

- *7:00 a.m. - Julio Muñoz †
- 8:00 a.m. - Trinidad Aguirre †

Thursday, August 29,

- 7:00 a.m. - Por Nuestros Benefactores
- 8:00 a.m. - For Our Benefactors

Friday, August 30

- 7:00 a.m. - Roselia Fuentes THG
- Rosa Bernal †
- 8:00 a.m. - For Our Benefactors

Saturday, August 31

- 7:00 a.m. - Salvador † & Zenaida Martinez †
- 8:00 a.m. - For Our Benefactors
- 5:30 p.m. - Kristi Newcomb Ramirez HLT

Sunday, September 1

- 7:30 a.m. - Marie † & Julian Presloid †
- Dionisia † & Beatriz Duclayan
- Pimentel Atkison THG
- Piatt Family THG
- *9:30 a.m. - Carlos Martinez †
- 11:30 a.m. - For Our Benefactors
- 1:30 p.m. - Benito Macias Bravo †
- Luis Manuel Macias Bravo †
- 5:00 p.m. - For Our Benefactors
- *7:00 p.m. - Elsa Guadalupe Galindo †

Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission

Sábado, 31 de Agosto

- 6:00 p.m. - Jose Angel Perasa †
- Bernarda Muñoz †
- Juan † & Porfiria Caudillo †
- Maria † & Faustino Caudillo †

Domingo, 1 de Septiembre

- *7:30 a.m. - Felicitas Rodriguez †
- Almas de Purgatorio

- * Spanish Mass
- † Deceased
- HLT Health
- THG In Thanksgiving, A Special Intention, Special Favor, Birthday, Anniversary, etc.



**Immaculate Conception School
Catholic School Education
NEWS**

IC Faculty and Staff would like to thank our IC Community for their continued support and prayers.

Preschool: IC School has a preschool program licensed by the state. It is one classroom only; we have spots available for this school year. Our program does offer full and part-time schedule. Please call the school office if you have any questions.

Donor Tree: The Franciscan Sisters of Christianity Charity donor tree located in St. Anne's Hall was created to recognize sisters who have impacted Yuma Community in their service to God, the church, and the field of Education deeply rooted in the Franciscan tradition. The first Franciscan sisters arrived in Yuma in the 1930's and began teaching at Immaculate Conception school located on Fourth Ave and 4th street. These pioneers have paved the way for generations of Franciscan Sisters to continue to serve Immaculate Conception Parish and School, St. Francis of Assis, and Yuma Catholic High School. Please help us fill the leaves with all 193 sisters who have been in the Yuma area. Come by the school office or purchase one online with the name of a Franciscan sister. Each leaf is \$150 which includes the engraving. All proceeds to benefit the school expansion plan. Help us grow in space so we can serve all Catholic families in Yuma County.

School Office hours: If you have any questions about our school, please call 928-783-5225 or email Mrs. Mata at emata@icyuma.com or Mrs. Nieves at cnieves@diocesetucson.org.

IC School office # 928-783-5225

- <https://www.icyumaschool.com/>
- <https://www.facebook.com/ImmaculateConceptionSchoolYuma/>
- <https://www.instagram.com/ic.catholic/>

"How wonderful and pleasant it is when brothers live together in harmony!" Psalm 133:1

**Month of September 2024
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion**

- Saturday
5:30 p.m. Judy Urias & Patricia Ribble
- Sunday
7:30 a.m. Barbara Acosta
- 11:30 a.m. Sister Many Ann & Veronica Guzman
- 5:00 p.m. Bonnie Irr & Diana Chavez

Lector/Commentator

- Saturday
5:30 p.m. Ray Urias
- Sunday
7:30 a.m. Sister Janet
- 11:30 a.m. Terry Zacher
- 5:00 p.m. Steve Irr



2024 - 2025 AVISO DE CATECISMO

Ya estamos listos para comenzar un nuevo año de Catecismo, por lo que los invitamos a que registren a su niño/a para recibir sus sacramentos. Registros son los Lunes y Martes de 5:00 a 7:00 p.m.

PRIMERA COMUNION: Primer año de preparación - Fe de bautizo.

SEGUNDO AÑO: Si el primer año asistió a otra Parroquia, traer fe de bautismo y carta de verificación de haber completado el 1er año.

PRIMER AÑO DE CONFIRMACION: Fe de bautismo y certificado de primera comunión.

SEGUNDO AÑO DE CONFIRMACION: Fe de bautismo y certificado de primera comunión.

Costo: \$45.00 Primer año de preparación
 \$65.00 Segundo año - Primera Comunión
 \$75.00 Primer año - Confirmación
 \$50.00 Segundo año - Confirmación

Se necesitan Catequistas para el programa de Catecismo, interesados, favor de llamar a Luis o Miriam Palencia al (928) 210-9016 o (928) 783-6678.

CCD English Registration is now open for students 3rd to 12th grade!!

Registration is open from June 3rd, 2024 to September 27th, 2024

See below for the two options to register your child
for Confirmation or First Holy Communion.

Option 1

Register them online by visiting the online website on <https://form.jotform.com/240637758280059> or scan QR Code below. Complete all fields and click on submit in order to complete registration. If you have more than one child, please complete a form for each child. You will need to stop by the CCD Office to pay for the tuition fees on the days listed below.

Option 2

Register your child by stopping by the CCD Office at the hours listed below

Office hours are as follows:

Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays 12 p.m. to 2 p.m.
 Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

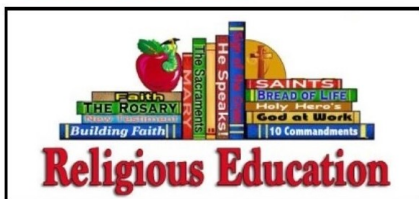


CCD CLASSES are held on the following days

First Year—First Holy Communion: Thursday 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.—1st day of class September 12th, 2024

Second Year—First Holy Communion: Sundays 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.—1st day of class September 8th, 2024

First and Second Year Confirmation: Sundays 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.—1st day of class September 8th, 2024



For more information contact

CCD Office at

(928) 783-1324

CCD NEWS Dear Parishioners,

Another school year is fastly approaching! Have you ever asked yourself; is God calling me to be a Catechist? The role of the catechist is a beautiful opportunity to grow in faith while participating in such a crucial ministry. As a catechist you will be teaching our youth their faith, which may be the influence that helps these children decide for a vocation to the priesthood or religious life. Most of all, as a catechist, you will be joining a "family of faith"—a small faith group in which you and the other catechists will find support for your personal and spiritual lives.

Immaculate Conception's Religious Formation Program is always in need of loving adults (Grandparents Welcome!) who would like to teach and share our Catholic Faith with the youth and children of our parish. So, please consider volunteering as a catechist or an assistant, we promise you that you will love it!

For more information please contact the Religious Formation Program at our office between the hours of 12 - 2pm & 5:30 - 8pm, Monday, Wednesday & Friday at (928) 783-1324.



DONATIONS NEEDED

We are currently needing donations to support and care for adults and families in need. Join us and help us combat hunger and poverty. "For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in." Matthew 25:35

We accept non-perishable food, hygiene supplies, baby diapers, formula & cash donations. Donations may be dropped off at our boxes located at the entrance of IC or Mission of Guadalupe Church. Cash & checks should be payable to St. Vincent de Paul & dropped off at the IC Church Parish Office.

Thank You & may God Bless You!

YOU CAN CONTACT US AT OUR PARISH OFFICE AT (928) 782-7516 OR MONSIGNOR O'KEEFE CENTER AT (928) 782-3679

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SE NECESITAN DONACIONES

Actualmente necesitamos donaciones para apoyar y cuidar a los adultos y a las familias necesitadas en todo el condado de Yuma. Unase a nosotros y ayúdenos a combatir el hambre y la pobreza. "Porque tuve hambre y me diste de comer, tuve sed y me diste de beber, era forastero y me invitaste a entrar". Mateo 25:35

Aceptamos comida enlatada, comida en caja, suministros de higiene y donaciones en efectivo. Las donaciones se pueden dejar en nuestras cajas ubicadas en la entrada de la Parroquia. El efectivo y los cheques pueden pagarse a St. Vincent de Paul y entregarse en la oficina parroquial de la Iglesia Inmaculada Concepcion.

¡Gracias y que Dios los bendiga!

PUEDEN CONTACTARNOS EN NUESTRA OFICINA PARROQUIAL AL (928) 782-7516 O MONSIGNOR O'KEEFE CENTER AL (928) 782-3679

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LA RENOVACION CARISMATICA CATOLICA DE LA PARROQUIA INMACULADA CONCEPCION TE INVITA A SU



RETIRO DE Mujeres

“MUJER, VUELVE A LOS PIES DE JESUS”

MATEO 28:9

SABADO 31 DE AGOSTO, 2024
8AM - 6PM EN SALON SANTA ANA
505 S AVENUE B, YUMA, AZ 85364

TEMAS IMPARTIDOS POR: ISaura TREVIÑO,
GRISELDA RODRIGUEZ, LAURA CORONA Y NORMA VALLE



DONACION DE AMOR

\$15.00 usd
NO INCLUYE COMIDA

INFORMES CON LAURA ESQUER
AL (928) 388-8353



FIAT WELCOMES YOU!

Would you like to know more about your identity in Christ?

Would you like to grow in your relationship with Him?



COME AND JOIN

Fiat
Grupo de jóvenes adultos
Young adults group

Fellowship. Faith formation. Community

Monday, August 26th @ 6pm
Immaculate Conception Church
Location: main church



TALLERES DE ORACION Y VIDA

Una Nueva Evangelizacion

¡TE ESPERAMOS!

¡Date la Oportunidad de Vivir la Experiencia!
Son 15 Sesiones, una sesión por semana 2 horas.

¡Ya iniciaron el lunes, 12 de Agosto!

Hora: 9:00 - 11:00 am

(Salón de San Juan Diego)

en la Misión de Guadalupe, Yuma, Arizona

¡Te invitamos a conocer y vivir los Talleres de Oración y Vida!

Aprender a Escuchar y Hablar con Dios. Para más información: Martha Rguez-Sanchez
(928) 246-9082

Fundador

Padre Ignacio Larrañaga

¿Quieres aprender a conseguir silencio y paz? ¿A liberarte de angustias y temores? Ven, aprende a vivir, asiste al Taller de Oración y Vida.

¡SEGUNDA OPORTUNIDAD!

¡Empiezan el Viernes, 6 de Septiembre

Hora: 6:00 a 8:00 p.m.

En la escuela de Inmaculada en el Salon #8

¡TE ESPERAMOS!

¡Date la Oportunidad de Vivir la Experiencia!

Son 15 Sesiones, una sesión por semana 2 horas.

II COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND - SOS Sunday

II COLECTA EL PROXIMO DOMINGO - Domingo de Ayuda





2024-2025 ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The "OCIA" is designed for adults who consciously and freely seek the living God and wish to enter the way of faith and conversion as the Holy Spirit opens their hearts. It is a series of Rites conducted in the context of learning about the Catholic faith and spiritual formation, through which a person is fully, incorporated into the Body of Christ the Church.

Those who have not been baptized and who wish to enter the Catholic Faith are invited.

Adults who have been baptized Catholic and would like to complete their Christian Initiation by preparing for and receiving the sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion are also invited to participate.

Registrations are now open, and classes begin Sunday, September 8, at St. Ann's Hall from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. For more information, please call Deacon Clark at (928) 581-9317 or the Parish office (928) 782-7516. You can also stop by the Parish office to register.

2024-2025 ORDEN DE INICIACION CRISTIANA PARA ADULTOS



"Vengan a mí todos ustedes que están cansados y agobiados, y yo les daré descanso. Carguen con mi yugo y aprendan de mí, pues yo soy apacible y humilde de corazón, y encontrarán descanso para su alma. Porque mi yugo es suave y mi carga es liviana" Mateo 11:28-30.

¡Descubre la buena nuevas de Jesucristo!

¿Estás interesado en aprender más sobre la iglesia católica?

¿No has sido bautizado pero reconoces la necesidad espiritualidad en tu vida?

¿Estás bautizado en la Iglesia Católica o en otra denominación pero no recibiste ninguna educación religiosa formal? ¿Estás casado con un/a

católico/a y lo acompaña a Misa, pero no sabes cuál es el siguiente paso para convertirse en uno de los fieles católicos? ¿Anhelas algo más en tu vida?

Entonces el Orden de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (OCIA) es para ti. Cada año los adultos son recibidos en la comunidad católica a través de RICA. Es un proceso de aprendizaje y amor en el que la conversión del corazón te acerca a Jesucristo nuestro Señor y Salvador. **Inicio de clases- Miércoles, 11 de Septiembre de 7:00 a 9:00 p.m. en Salón 7 de la Inmaculada.** Si aún está interesado en registrarte, favor de pasar a la oficina Parroquial. Para más información, comuníquese con Laura y Oscar Esquer al (928) 726-9515.

ATTENTION ACTIVE VOLUNTEERS - SAFE ENVIRONMENT RENEWAL - CMG

If you completed the Safe Environment Training three years ago, you will be required to renew the Safe Environment Program two months prior to the expiration date. To complete the CMG Renewal, please log in: <https://cmgconnect.org/accounts> and complete the RENEWAL MODULE you will need your USERNAME and PASSWORD when logging into the CMG account.

Renewals are required every three (3) years.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact: Maria Robles at (928) 782-7516.

ATENCION VOLUNTARIOS ACTIVOS - RENOVACION DE AMBIENTE SEGURO - CMG

Si completaste el entrenamiento de Seguridad para voluntarios requerido por la Diócesis de Tucson hace 3 años, tendrás que renovar el Entrenamiento de Seguridad dos meses antes de la fecha de vencimiento. Para completar el entrenamiento de CMG ingrese a; <https://cmgconnect.org/accounts> y complete el MÓDULO DE RENOVACIÓN usando el NOMBRE DE USUARIO y la CLAVE que utilizó cuando completó el entrenamiento de seguridad. Se requieren renovaciones cada tres (3) años.

Si tiene alguna pregunta por favor comuníquese con: Maria Robles al (928) 782-7516.

HOW TO REPORT ABUSE

1. Call 911 to make a police report.
2. If the abuse happens in any other state, call the Police or Sheriff's Office in the specific area of that state.
3. Call the Victim Assistance Program of the Diocese of Tucson 1.800.234.0344 and/or the Office of Child, Adolescent and Adult Protection at 1-877-767-2385.

Our Call to Protect >>>How to Report Abuse

Diocese of Tucson Abuse Reporting (520) 838-2513
(520) 838-2500
Yuma Police Department (928) 373-4700
Yuma County Sheriff's Office (928) 783-4427

Child Protective Services (928) 247-8200
Adult Protective Services 1-877-767-2385