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Our Motto: "To strengthen the spiritual growth of the community and to nurture personal relationship with Jesus Christ"

Church Office Hours

Monday: Day off
Tuesday Through Friday: 9:00 a.m. -12:30 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Weekends: Saturday Vigil Mass: 5.00 p.m.
Sunday: English Mass: 9.30 a.m.
Spanish Mass: 12.00 a.m.
Weekdays: Tuesday & Wednesday: 6.00 p.m.
Friday: 9.00 a.m.
First Friday: One hour adoration after the Mass

Special Celebrations

Baptism: Saturday 11.00 a.m.
Quinceañera and Wedding: Saturday 12.00 or 2.00 p.m.

Faith Formation

Children: Wednesday 6.30 p.m.
Adults: Tuesday 6.30 p.m.

Confession

Weekends: Half an hour before all masses
Weekdays: By appointment

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism, First communion, Confirmation, Matrimony
Please call the church office

Sick Calls

If you or a member of your family is sick or in the hospital, please call the parish office. You will be included in our prayers, and the priest will be able to visit you.

For more information

Please contact the church office during the office hours

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Holy Father's Intention for July 2015

Universal: That political responsibility may be lived at all levels as a high form of charity.

Evangelization: That, amid social inequalities, Latin American Christians may bear witness to love for the poor and contribute to a more fraternal society.

From the Pastors Desk



The spirit of sharing

Which of the 3 characters in the miracle of the multiplication of loaves we want to be?

Philp, Andrew, the small boy!

Mother Teresa relates a story showing how the poor generous and ready to share what little they have with others because they have experienced hunger and poverty. Learning a poor Hindu family in Calcutta who had been starving for many days, Mother Teresa visited them and gave a parcel of rice to the mother of the family. She was surprised to see that the woman divided the rice into two equal portions and gave one to her Muslim neighbor. When Mother Teresa asked her why she had done such a sacrificial deed, the woman replied: "My family can manage with half of what you brought. My neighbor's family is in great need because they have several children who are starving. Today's gospel tells us the story of a small boy who showed this same kind of generosity by sharing his small lunch which consisted of five slices of barley bread and two pickled fish. He became the instrument of miracle in Jesus's hands.

Three characters other than Jesus in the miracle teach us the attitude of sharing.

First, **to provoke sharing**: in today's gospel, the apostle Philip provokes sharing. Though Jesus knew what he was going to do, in order to test Philip, when Jesus asked him, where we can buy enough for them to eat? Philip answered him, "Two hundred days' wages worth of food would not be enough, for each of them to have a little." Therefore, Philip's answer provokes the minds of the people to positively think about the possibility of feeding the people.

Second, **to promote sharing**: the apostle Andrew promotes sharing through a small boy. How? Andrew told Jesus, "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?" Thus, the attitude of Andrew promotes the attitude of sharing through a small boy.

Finally, **to practice sharing**: actually the small boy was first one who practiced sharing by giving what he had, five loaves and two fishes. Following these three characters in the miracle, as Catholics, we are supposed to provoke, promote, and practice sharing with God, to the church, and with those who deserve our need.

Perhaps, this miracle also invites us to imitate the other models of sharers in the bible as well. Perhaps, **in a more generous manner**, Jesus wants us to share from our surplus like Zacchaeus the tax collector (Lk 19) whose family Jesus blessed because Zacchaeus repented and shared. Perhaps, **in a more loving manner**, Jesus wants us to share what we have like the poor widow (Lk 21) whom Jesus appreciated because she made an offering to God in spite of her poverty. Perhaps, **in a more radical manner**, Jesus wants us to share ourselves like Jesus himself who shared his own body and blood, may be through our genuine sharing to the family, the church, and society.

Prayers and Blessings, Rev. Dr. Lawrence Rasaian, JCD, PhD

Weekly Readings

Mon July 27 Reading: Exodus 32: 15-24, 30-34 Gospel: Matthew 13: 31-35

Tues July 28 Reading: Exodus 33:7-11, 34:5b-9, 28 Gospel: Matthew 13: 36-43

Wed July 29 Reading: Exodus 34: 29-35 Gospel: John 11: 19-27

Thu July 30 Reading: Exodus 40:16-24, 34-38 Gospel Matthew 13:47-53

Fri July 31 Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:31 –11:1 Gospel: Matthew 13: 54-58

July 2015

Sunday Offerring: \$ 1719.00

Second Collection: \$ 228.00

Second Collection this week:

7/19—Church in Africa

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1. There is no Second Collection this weekend.
2. Everyone is invited to join us for the Adult Faith Formation Class on Tuesdays @ 6:30pm in the Community room. Fr. Lawrence is beginning a program on the Creed. If you have not signed up for this class there is a sign-up sheet in the community room. The Church will provide photo copies of the class materials for each session, but if you want your own personal copy of the workbook the cost of these are \$27.95, please let Father Lawrence know if you want to order your own workbook. All Catechist are encouraged to participate in this class and also be able to receive credit.
3. CCD registration papers for the 2015-2016 School year are available in the community room, please turn those into the church office.
4. We are in need of someone with music experience to play for our Sat. Mass. If anyone is interested in leading this choir, please let Fr. Lawrence know.
5. Everyone is invited to join us after Mass for breakfast in the community room, all proceeds go to our Building Fund.
6. There will be a Fundraising Committee Meeting, August 7, @ 5:00 pm. In the church office
7. August 5 there will be a Teachers Meeting for our Catechism Classes to draw the plan for the upcoming Faith Formation Year. @ 6:30 pm. in the community room. Just a reminder, all catechism teachers are required to have their Ethics and Integrity basic or recertification updated. If you are in need of these certifications, please look on the church bulletin board where these classes are being offered in our diocese.
8. Thank you to Ben Delmonico and Chandler Nursing Center for sponsoring our Fundraising Breakfast for the month of July.
9. July Raffle Made \$151.00 for the New Church Building Fund. Julie New of Arlington Tx was the Winner of the \$50.00 Hobby Lobby Gift

Semana XVII del Tiempo Ordinario

1. No hay ninguna colecta este fin de semana.
2. Todos están invitados a unirse con nosotros para la clase de formación de adultos de fe los martes a las 6:30 en la sala de comunidad. El padre Lawrence está comenzando un programa en el credo. Si no han firmado para esta clase, estará una hoja de inscripción en la sala de comunidad. La iglesia se proporciona copias de la foto de los materiales de clase para cada sesión, pero si desea su propia copia personal del libro el costo de estas son \$27,95. Por favor infórmale al padre Lawrence si usted quiere pedir su propio libro. Animamos a todo los catequista a participar en esta clase y también podrán recibir crédito.
3. Los papeles de registro para el año escolar de CCD para el año 2015 - 2016 están disponibles en la sala de comunidad. Por favor entrégelos en la oficina de la iglesia.
4. Necesitamos alguien con experiencia en música para tocar en el coro en nuestra misa de los sábados. Si alguien está interesado en la dirección de este coro, comuníquense con Father Lawrence.
5. Todos están invitados a unirse con nosotros después de la Misa para el desayuno en la sala de comunidad, todos los ingresos van al fondo de nuestro edificio.
6. Habrá una reunión del Comité de recaudación de fondos, el 7 de agosto, a las 5:00 de la tarde, en la oficina de la iglesia.
7. El 5 de agosto habrá una reunión de maestros para las clases de Catecismo. Esta reunión será para elaborar el plan para el próximo año de formación de fe y comienza a las 6:30 en la sala de comunidad. Un recuerdo, se requiere que maestros de catecismo tengan su certificación básica o rectificación de ética e integridad. Por favor, mira en el tablón de anuncios de la iglesia donde se ofrecerán y podrán tomar estas clases en nuestra diócesis.
8. Tambien, le damos gracias a Ben Delmonico y al hogar de ancianos de Chandler, Texas por patrocinar nuestro desayuno de recaudación de fondos para el mes de julio.
9. La rifa del julio hizo \$151.00. Es para el fondo de edificio de la nueva iglesia. Julia New de Arlington, Texas era la ganadora de \$50 Hobby Lobby carta de regalo.

LET US REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

Esmeralda Chavez, Susan Weaver, Peggy Marks, Joyce Dye, Betsy Mamo, Sandra Reynolds, Rhonda Brown, Lisa Kephart, LeRoy Clary, Maya Harper, Beverly Camp, Ellen Wallace, Michael Sharum, Talon Dyess, Kay Chavez, Helen Littler, Eric Duran, Beverly Flores, Christina Grochowski, MaryAnn Hubl, Jim Bloodworth, Buddy Snyder, Billy Wheat, Esperanza Gutierrez, Conradita Sanchez, Donna Wallace, Phyllis Wood, Bill Hall, and Mary Lou Marino, Sam Fisher, David Bartz, Evelyn Schroeder. Marilyn Hare

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN OUR ARMED FORCES

Monthly Raffle !!!!

July Raffle Made \$151.00 for the New Church Building Fund.

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Hobby Lobby Gift Card.

Fundraising Breakfast

Thank You to Ben Delmonico and Chandler Nursing Center for Sponsoring This Sunday's Breakfasts

Happy Birthday to those who Celebrate their Birthday's this Month: July

7/3– Karla Marquez	7/7– Luciano Velazquez	7/8– Jacob Mashburn	7/8– Josh Mashburn	7/11–Elizabeth Tran
7/15–Isabella Gomez	7/16–Jesenia Gomez	7/16–Ismael Ledesma	7/17–Gabriel Duran	7/17– Laura Duran
7/21–Mark Saunders	7/21– Buddy Snyder	7/23– Sue Beams	7/25 Robert Fletcher	7/25 –Katheryn Gonzalez
7/25– Gregorio Rojas	7/26– Miriam Alvarez	7/28–Charles Maldonado	7/28– Joshua Fletcher	7/28– Emily Ledesma
7/29– Florina Rojas				

Baking List

7/5– Patrecia Bloodworth
 7/12– Mary Hoffman & Frances Grochowski
 7/19– Sue Beams & Wanda Taylor
 7/26– Barbara Jaremczuk &
 Stephanie Adams

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July Fundraising Breakfast Menu:

***Breakfast Ham, Fried Potatoes & Onions,
 Scrambeled Eggs, & Toast
 Coffee, Tea, Milk & Juice***

Funeral Mass For Iris Mamo

Monday July 27, 2015 Viewing from 5:00—7:00 pm
 with the Rosary beginning at 7:00 pm. At Chandler
 Memorial Funeral Home.

Tuesday July 28, 2015 - Funeral Mass at St. Boniface
 10:30 am.

Burial—Tyler Memorial Cemetery Hwy 64 West

**Lunch will be at St. Boniface following the Burial and
 the family has invited everyone to have lunch with
 them.**

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