



## Stewardship: It's not just about money

What a blessing to be a member of a community, for each member shares in the good done by all.

St. Vincent DePaul

Please pray for the poor and suffering, knowing that you are bringing the love and peace of Jesus to those who live in fear and doubt, loneliness and dread.

Contact Leonard Begay to join SVDP



### HELP US MEET OUR MONTHLY GOAL OF \$8,500.00

January: \$1,414.00

February: \$343.00

2/4: \$343.00

## The Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation

### How Often Should I Celebrate This Sacrament?

We're encourage to do so often enough that when we really need the sacrament, it doesn't feel like an alien or strange experience. It should feel like coming home. Many people find more frequent, even monthly, celebration of this sacrament to be helpful. Catholics are obligated to confess serious sins at least once a year. Mortal sins must be name explicitly, number and type, in the sacrament of penance and reconciliation (Canon 988, CCC 1456).



Advent and Lent are traditional times when the Church beckons for her children to know and celebrate God's mercy in this sacrament. Most parishes provide communal penance services or schedule extra times for reception of the sacrament. Parishes also offer regular times throughout the year, such as Saturday afternoons, and anyone can request an appointment with a priest.

### **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday after 8 am Mass or by appointment. Contact the office.



# StJude

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**“The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.”**

### PARISH MISSION

#### STATEMENT

Rooted in Christ and our Catholic Tradition We:

**Strengthen One Another *through***

- The Word, The Eucharist, and Shared Prayer

**Ongoing Education of Our**

**Children & Families,**

**Share Ourselves & Our Gifts *by***

- Welcoming Others
- Offering witness to the Gospel through service to the larger Tuba City Community.

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M-Th: 9am-2pm

Closed Fridays

CONFESSIONS:

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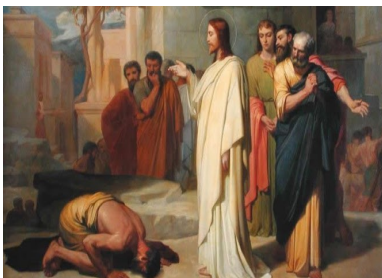
Life Sharing Center “Food Bank”:

(928)283-6886

# February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024

## Sixth Week in Ordinary Time

LV 13:1-2, 44-46; PS 32:1-2, 5, 11; 1 COR 10:31-11:1; MK 1:40-45



Today's readings prepare us for the penitential season of Lent.

In our Gospel, a leper knelt before Jesus and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean." Jesus reached out and touched this diseased man and healed him. He then encouraged the man to show himself to the priest and offer himself a cleansing, referencing what was commanded in the Law of Moses. By completing these rituals, this man might be reinstated into the community.

Let us approach this holy season of Lent like the leper. By our faults, we have distanced ourselves from God and His community. The leper reminds us Who to go to so that we might be healed. Let us approach the Lord this season on our knees asking for forgiveness and healing from our offenses, saying, "If you wish, you can make me clean." There is no doubt that, if we have a contrite heart, Jesus will stretch out His hand in forgiveness and His mercy will touch our lives.

And like the leper, we too should go forth from being healed with a commitment to cleanse ourselves from the lasting effects of sin. Lent is a time to offer acts of reparation through Prayer, Fasting, and Almsgiving so that we might be purified in all areas of our life and walk with the Gracious Healer, Who sacrificed His life for our sake.

This holy season of Lent is an opportunity to be healed and cleansed on our journey as disciples of Christ. Let us consider what we can do to offer acts of reparation so that we might be purified and one day partake in the resurrection of Christ.



### UPCOMING LECTOR SCHEDULE:

**Today, Sun. February 11<sup>th</sup>:** Sonia Rojo

Welfare of the Family of Joseph & Christina Mortino by the Parish

**Ash Wednesday, Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>:** Teresa R. Tsosie

**Sun. Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>:** Sonia Rojo

If you feel the call to Lector please contact Teresa Tsosie

### ANNOUNCEMENTS/EVENTS:

- **Today, Sun. Feb 11<sup>th</sup>:** There will be a second collection for the Black and Native fund.
- **Wed. Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>:** Ash Wednesday, Distribution of Ashes and Mass will be at **7 PM**.
- Please Contact the Office for donation letters for 2023 tax returns.
- During the Lenten Season, our Friday Stations of the Cross will begin at 6pm. We are all encouraged to be part of this family prayer.

### APPRECIATION:

I wish to use this medium to Thank God for my successful vacation leave. My thanks also go to Fr. David Tate who covered the parishes through out my absence. I also appreciate you my parishioners for your love, care, concern, support and prayers for which made it possible for me to have a wonderful and memorable vacation. I enjoyed my leave to it's fullest with my family, relatives and friends. Both my family and friends sent their thanks and gratitude to you all. You are God's gift to me. May God bless you abundantly. Above all, I thank our miraculous God for saving me from the road accident when I was returning, from Albuquerque about 30 miles to Our Lady of Guadalupe, Kayenta.

Blessing and Peace,  
Fr. Faustinus

### MASS SCHEDULE/READINGS/ MASS INTENTIONS:

**No Mass; Mon. Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>:**

James 1: 1-11 & Mark 8: 11-13

**6 PM Mass; Tues. Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>:**

**Welfare of the family of William & Caroline Telbot by the Parish.**

James 1: 12-18 & Mark 8: 14-21

**7 PM Mass ASH WEDNESDAY**

**Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>:**

**Welfare of the family of William & Caroline Telbot by the Parish.**

1st Reading: Joel 2: 12-18

2nd Reading: Second Corinthians 5: 20-6:2

Gospel: Matthew 6: 1-6, 16-18

**8 AM Mass; Thurs. Feb. 15<sup>th</sup>:**

**Holy Hour Adoration of the Blessed Eucharist with Benediction**

**6 pm - 7pm**

**Welfare of the family of William & Caroline Telbot by the Parish.**

Deuteronomy 30: 15-20 & Luke 9: 22-25

**8 AM Mass; Fri. Feb. 16<sup>th</sup>:**

**Welfare of the South Indian Foundation by the Parish.**

Isiah 58: 1-9a & Matthew 9: 14-15

**8 AM Mass; Sat. Feb. 17<sup>th</sup>:**

**Welfare of the South Indian Foundation by the Parish.**

Isaiah 58: 9b-14 & Luke 5: 27-32

Seven Founders of the Order of Servites,  
Religious Founder

**11 AM Mass; Sun. Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>:**

**Welfare of the South Indian Foundation by the Parish.**

1st Reading: Genesis 9: 8-15

2nd Reading: First Peter 3: 18-22

Gospel: Mark 1: 12-15