

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		
<u>January</u> : \$1,414.00		<u>February:</u> \$1,336.00
<u>2/4:</u> \$343.00	<u>2/11:</u> \$135.00	<u>Black & Indian Fund:</u> \$68.00
<u>2/14:</u> \$89.00	<u>2/18:</u> \$367.00	<u>2/25:</u> \$402.00

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Jesus was concerned about people's physical as well as spiritual health. In

fact, the word *salvation* is derived from the Latin *salus*, which means "health." In announcing the Good News of salvation, Jesus was declaring that God cares for us completely— body, soul and spirit.



Jesus healed people's spiritual lives by assuring them that God forgives their sins and gives them the power to love and care for others. Jesus also healed people's aliments as a sign of God's power and as an example of caring for the entire person.

Anointing of the sick

By healing people's bodies as well as their souls, Jesus showed that the entire human being is touched by God's salvation. Through out the Gospels, we read of Jesus' concern for the sick.

•When has your physical health been affected by your mental health or vice versa?





Sunday, March 3rd, 2024 Third Sunday of Lent

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" Lord, you have the words of everlasting life. "

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

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CONFESSIONS:

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

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EX 20:1-17; PS 19:8, 9, 10, 11; 1 COR 1:22-25; JN 2:13-25



It has been said many times over and in a variety of ways that stewardship is based upon gratitude. Gratitude for what, we might ask? For the variety of blessings each of us receives, understanding full well that each of us is gifted in different ways and perhaps even in different measures. However, there is one gift in which we all share equally.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life" (John 3:16). It is difficult for us to even conceive of the magnitude of that multifaceted gift, from God's unconditional love for us to the extraordinary gift of his son Jesus to the fabulous gift of everlasting life.

Stewardship calls us to appreciate all of God's gifts, but if we only focus on the gifts listed above, our gratitude should know no bounds. Pope Francis has said, "God never gives someone a gift they are not capable of receiving. We all have the ability to understand and receive God's gifts." We need to recognize God's gifts and especially during our preparations for Easter, find ways to show and live out our gratitude.



UPCOMING LECTOR SCHEDULE:

<u>Today, Sun. March 3rd:</u> Leonard Begay <u>Sun. March 10th:</u> Elana Begay If you feel the call to Lector please contact Leonard Begay (928) 283-5391

ANNOUNCEMENTS/EVENTS:

- Reminder next week March 10th, we return to *DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME*!
 Spring forward, fall back!
- 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.
- The yearly Faith in Action Today Appeal "FIAT" for the year 2024 has been introduced. Please donate generously.

2023 Faith in Action Appeal update:

<u>St. Jude;</u> <u>Goal:</u> \$2,000.00 <u>Collected:</u> \$1,630.00 <u>Remain:</u> \$370.00

APPRECIATION:

I, on behalf of St. Jude Tuba City Parish and Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission, wish to express our thanks and appreciation to Teresa Tsosie for her years of services as Director of Religious Education/Parish Communications Manager and finally as the secretary. She was never found wanting in any of these duties, She offered her time, talent and treasure to make sure that things were moving properly in the parish. Teresa has officially stopped work as secretary of the parish on the 28th of Feb., 2024. This was as a result of the new job she got. May God Bless her and see her through as she take up her new job. Blessing and Peace!

MASS SCHEDULE/READINGS/ MASS INTENTIONS:

No Mass; Mon. Mar. 4th: Second Kings 5: 1-15 & Luke 4: 24-30. 6 PM Mass; Tues. Mar. 5th: Poor Souls in Purgatory by Joe Turner. Daniel 3: 25,34-43 & Matthew 18: 21-35. 6 PM Mass; Wed. Mar. 6th: Poor Souls in Purgatory by Joe Turner. Deuteronomy 4: 1, 5-9 & Matthew 5: 17-19. 8 AM Mass: Thurs. Mar. 7th: Holy Hour Adoration of the Blessed Eucharist with Benediction. 6 pm - 7pm Poor Souls in Purgatory by Joe Turner. Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs. Jeremiah 7: 23-28 & Luke 11: 14-23. 8 AM Mass; Fri. Mar. 8th: Poor Souls in Purgatory by Joe Turner. John of God, Religious Founder, Hosea 14: 2-10 & Mark 12: 28-34 8 AM Mass; Sat. Mar. 9th: Poor Souls in Purgatory by Joe Turner. Frances of Rome, Married Woman, **Religious Founder** Hosea 6: 1-6 & Luke 18: 9-14. 11 AM Mass Sun. Mar. 10th: Poor Souls in Purgatory by Joe Turner. 1st Reading: First Samual 16: 1, 6-7, 10-13. 2nd Reading: Ephesians 5: 8-14. Gospel: John 9: 1-41.

WELCOME:

Brother Leonard Begay is now the Parish secretary. We wish him success and God's guidance.!