

# ONE MIND...ONE HEART...ONE SPIRIT!

## Home Care Ministry

We are looking for caring persons to help take communion to the sick and homebound of our parish. If you are interested please call the rectory office and leave your name and number and we will get back with you as soon as possible. **We are in need of many volunteers.**

## Rosary Sunday!

### **Come Celebrate Sunday, October 11**

This year the Rosary Sunday event will honor Our Lady under her title, the Immaculate Heart of Mary and will celebrate the 40th Anniversary of the Diocese of Phoenix and the Year for Priests. Plan to attend Rosary Sunday **TODAY** from 2:00 pm to 4:15 pm at the Phoenix Convention Center, Hall F and G (3rd Street & Washington).

**Altar Servers and others attending will meet after the 10:30 am mass.**

## Call to Protect

### Remaining Vigilant

St. Helen's will be holding the Remaining Vigilant class for **those who need to attend the Continued Commitment portion** of the Call to Protect. It will on **Thursday, October 29th at 7:00 pm**, it will be a 45 minute session. Please register online or call Joyce in the rectory office to register you online

## Knights of Columbus

Columbus Day Spaghetti Dinner, **October 12 from 5:30 to 8:30 PM** at Knights of Columbus Council 3855, 8066 N. 49<sup>th</sup> Ave. Glendale. \$5 per person, proceeds go to support Arizona Right to life, Council Seminarians, and other charities. Call the Hall 623-937-3794 or Greg Mattingly 623-910-8414 for

## Our Lady's Guild

How much do you know about health insurance programs for seniors? Come to the meeting on **Wednesday, October 14th** at 7:00 pm in the church hall and listen to our speaker, Ann Marie Grande, Director of SHIP (Seniors Health Insurance Programs) who will enlighten us on different programs available for seniors. Refreshments will be served. All ladies in the parish are cordially invited. For your good deed this month, please remember to bring **CEREAL** for the St. Vincent de Paul pantry.

## Night of Hope

The Night of Hope 2009 Dinner  
**Saturday, October 24, 6:00 P.M.**

Downtown Sheraton Hotel  
340 North 3rd St., Phoenix

\$100 per person

\$1,000 per table of 10

All proceeds benefit the Catholic School Endowment Fund

To make reservations please visit:

<http://www.diocesephoenix.org/NOH/>

For more info - contact Margaret Hardy

Catholic Schools Office

602-354-2344 or [mhardy@diocesephoenix.org](mailto:mhardy@diocesephoenix.org)

or please contact our OLPH Representative:

**Suzanne Bovaird at 602-757-8107**

OLPH hopes to sponsor a table for this important event. Please consider attending as a representative of our community or please consider donating money toward the table. Your support is appreciated.

## Arizona Schoenstatt Family

### Invites All Men & Women

### Retreat Weekend on Spirituality

On **October 30th** (5:30 pm to 9:00 pm) & **October 31st** (8:00am to 9:00 pm) accommodations to stay over night are available (\$65.00) at Benedictine Monastery (8502 W. Pinschot, Phoenix) Fr. Langsch, Schoenstatt Movement Director has been active in retreat ministry, on-going formation programs for the Diocese of Milwaukee. Retreat begins with registration Friday, October 30th at 5:30 pm. The retreat includes: Mass, Spirituality talks/discussions, Confessions, Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Eucharistic Adoration/Benediction  
For reservations and information call Jeanne 623-979-1909 or Deacon Bob Myers at 623-979-5065  
—**RSVP no later than Saturday, October 17th.**

## THE REMARKABLE SALESMAN

Christopher Columbus was the world's most remarkable salesman. He started out not knowing where he was going. When he arrived, he didn't know where he was. And when he returned, he didn't know where he had been. And he did it all on a big cash advance and he received a repeat order.

—Anonamous

Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
 Weekly Contribution Amounts  
**Sunday, October 4, 2009**  
 Sunday Collection \$14,853.28  
*Thank you for your continued generosity!*



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Rom 1:1-7; Lk 11:29-32  
**Tuesday:** Rom 1:16-25; Lk 11:37-41  
**Wednesday:** Rom 2:1-11; Lk 11:42-46  
**Thursday:** Rom 3:21-30; Lk 11:47-54  
**Friday:** Rom 4:1-8; Lk 12:1-7  
**Saturday:** Rom 4:13, 16-18; Lk 12:8-12  
**Sunday:** Is 53:10-11; Ps 33; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45 [42-45]

**Theology of the Body**  
**Workshop**

An in-depth Theology of the Body workshop by Katrina J. Zeno will be offered by the John Paul II Resource Center on **Friday, October 23 (7 pm – 9 pm) and Saturday, October 24** (9 am to 5 pm) at the Diocesan Pastoral Center in downtown Phoenix. The cost is \$60 (before October 19) and includes a workbook, breakfast, and lunch. The workshop provides 8 hours of continuing education and is especially beneficial for anyone serving in ministry as well as for parents, singles, educators, and counselors. To register, contact the JP2 Resource Center at (602) 354-2179 or email [kzeno@diocesephoenix.org](mailto:kzeno@diocesephoenix.org) or see [www.tobcenter.org](http://www.tobcenter.org) for more info.

**Masses for the Week**

**Monday, October 12 — Columbus Day**  
 6:15 am – NO EARLY MASS  
 8:30 am - † Alberto Escobedo  
**Tuesday, October 13**  
 6:15 am – San Antonio de Padua  
 8:30 am † Abastacio Abalos  
**Wednesday, October 14**  
 6:15 am – Intentions of Organ Donors & Recipients  
 8:30 am Santo Niño de Atocha  
**Thursday, October 15—St. Teresa of Jesus**  
 6:15 am - † Delfina Alvira  
 8:30 am - Our Lady's Guild  
**Friday, October 16**  
 6:15 am - † Paul Wilson  
 8:30 am –Divine Mercy  
 7:00 pm - † Delfina Alvira  
**Saturday, October 17 — St. Ignatius of Antioch**  
 8:30 am - San Ramon  
 5:00 pm - San Ramon Nonato  
 7:00 pm - † Jacelyn Najera & Alexander Lizarraza  
**Sunday, October 18 — World Mission Sunday**  
 6:30 am –† Keith Westby  
 8:30 am † De La Rosa & Resendes families  
 10:00 am For the People  
 10:30 am † Sylvia Fierros  
 12:30 pm –† Josefina Sotelo

**PARISH SCHEDULE**

**Monday, Oct. 12/Lunes, 12 de Octubre, 2009**  
 5:30 pm Children's Choir Practice Confer. Rm  
 7:00 pm Youth Group Hall  
 7:30 pm Neocatechumenal Way Church  
**Tuesday, Oct. 13/Martes, 13 de Octubre**  
 9:30 am World Apostolate of Fatima Chapel  
 6:00 pm Christian Formation, Spanish Class Rms  
 6:30 pm Call to Protect Hall  
 7:00 pm RCIA, Spanish Confer. B  
 7:00 pm RCIA, English Confer. A  
 7:00 pm Novena/Rosary Church  
**Wednesday, Oct. 14/Miercoles, 14 de Octubre**  
 6:00 pm Christian Formation, English Class Rms  
 6:30 pm Our Lady's Guild Meeting Hall  
 7:00 pm Adult Choir Practice Confer. Rm  
 7:00 pm Bible Study, Gospel of Luke Chapel  
**Thursday, October 15/Jueves, 15 de Octubre**  
 6:00 pm Spanish Choir Practice Confer. Rm  
 7:00 pm Adult Catechism Classroom  
 7:00 pm Agua Viva Hall  
 7:00 pm Guadalupanos Capilla  
 7:30 pm Neocatechumenal Way Church  
**Friday, October 16/Viernes, 16 de Octubre**  
 7:00 pm Grupo Familiar Capilla  
 7:00 pm Grupo Jovenes Casa Maria  
**Saturday, October 17/Sabado, 17 de Octubre**  
 4:00 pm Youth Group Confer. B  
**Sunday, October 18/Domingo, 18 de Octubre**

**Remember in prayer all who are sick in our community, and those who have asked for your prayers:**

Lupe Andrade, Anita de la Cruz, Ben Figueroa, Doug Brunner, George and Lydia Bicolis, Mary Fedro, Anne Fogus, Delfina Noriega, Darrell Dockery, William Seely, Lupe Escamilla, Jenny Dunston, Arvilla Schrayner, Mark Dreher, Pam Meyers, Kevin Chisquet, Concha Jauregui, Jim Vasquez, Marlena Peña, Pat Norby, Frances Bowers, Maria Carpenter, Jesus de la Cruz, Cindy Gentry, Michael Manners, Richard Hernandez, Rose Ann Carpenter, Belen Ani, John Boland, Madeline Gross, Pat Hofer, Ron Benson, Ann Whiting, Thomas Hassett, Rene Woodward, Paula Cano, and Marjorie A. Weise. **Pray for deployed members of the military:** Lance Corp. Juan Torres **Pray for all who have died:** Sylvia Fierros

## OLPH Altars Servers

The OLPH Altar Servers are manning the Cake Walk booth at the Unity Fall Festival. We need each server to bring 2 purchased baked items to the festival. Please bring them to the school before the festival or to the Cake Walk at festival time. Sign up sheets to work the booth will be at the front of the church after all Sunday masses. Parents and servers need to sign up. A sign-up sheet will also be at the Capilla.

The Altar Servers also have a basket at the festival. Please bring in a Diamondback item if possible, to help fill this basket.

## Neocatechumenal Way

As A Reminder, Take Advantage of this Time



**Adult catechesis (Ages 13 & older)**

Mondays & Thursdays 7:30pm

Inside the church

**Free Babysitting provided**

**Neocatechumenal Way**

## Gift Shop News!

IT IS TIME TO BE REMINDED THAT BEFORE LONG IT WILL BE CHRISTMAS. WE HAVE SOME ITEMS IN; IT IS A GOOD TIME TO PUT THINGS ON LAYAWAY. WE HAVE ADVENT CANDLES AND WREATHS, IF YOU WILL NEED THESE, NOW IS THE TIME TO PURCHASE THEM.

WE HAVE WEDDING GIFTS, ROSARIES, MEDALS AND MANY MORE RELIGIOUS ITEMS. WE HAVE THE "**CENACLE OF FIRE SHIRTS**" ON SALE FOR \$8.00 FOR A LIMITED TIME; THEY COME IN BLACK AND WHITE.

**COME IN TO SEE US, WE ARE OPEN ON SUNDAYS FROM 9: AM TO 12:PM. WE ARE LOCATED IN THE HALL ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE CHURCH.**

## TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

La mayoría de las personas que viven en Estados Unidos han emigrado para mejorar su situación económica. Muchísimos lo han logrado mediante mucho trabajo, un buen salario y comprándose una buena casa en un vecindario tranquilo. En pocas palabras, se han hecho ricos. No obstante, éste mismo sueño se ha convertido en una pesadilla, pues todos sueñan con ser famosos, ganar mucho dinero, tener el carro más lujoso y vivir en un condominio muy exclusivo. El chiste es hacerse ricos a toda costa. Muchas veces sin importar los medios.

En la Palestina del tiempo de Jesús todo mundo soñaba con hacerse rico. Las riquezas eran consideradas bendición de Dios, por eso los discípulos se asombraron cuando Jesús declara: "Es más fácil que un camello pase por el ojo de la aguja, que un rico entre en el Reino de Dios" (Marcos 10:25). El ojo de la aguja era una puerta baja y estrecha por la cual pasaba la gente común a Jerusalén. Jesús no está negando la entrada al cielo a los ricos, basta que hagan lo que hace el camello para pasar: despojarse de su carga.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, © Copyright, J. S. Paluch Co.

## PALABRAS DE SABIDURÍA

Hoy aprendemos en la primera lectura que el espíritu de la sabiduría llega a los que lo invocan. La sabiduría, como la Palabra de Dios, lleva un mensaje de consuelo y a la vez constituye un gran desafío. La carta a los hebreos nos cuenta que la Palabra de Dios, que está empapada con la sabiduría de Dios, es "más penetrante que una espada de dos filos". No podemos acobardarnos ante la sabiduría de Dios ni ante la palabra que tiene el poder de penetrar nuestro corazón y mente. Jesús, la Palabra viva de Dios, la encarnación de la sabiduría, le dice cosas fuertes y muy penetrantes al joven rico que acude a Jesús en busca de respuestas a sus dudas más profundas. Precisamente, cuando el joven pensaba que había hecho lo suficiente para cumplir los mandamientos de Dios, se le exigió más. Lo mismo sucede en nuestro caso.

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## LA GUÍA

Así como por la estrella del mar se dirigen los navegantes al puerto, así también los cristianos se dirigen a la gloria por María.

—Santo Tomás de Aquino