

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

The primary way we are to obtain money is to work for it.  
*"Make it your ambition to lead a quiet life, to mind your own business  
and to work with your own hands" (1 Thes. 4:11).*

### FIRST READING

Genesis 1:1-2:4a

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day. And God said, "Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters." So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day. And God said, "Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear." And it was so. God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, "Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it." And it was so. The earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the third day. And God said, "Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth." And it was so. God made the two great lights—the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night—and the stars. God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth, to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day. And God said, "Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky." So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth." And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day. And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind." And it was so. God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was

good. Then God said, "Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth." So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth." God said, "See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day. Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude. And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation. These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

The Word of the Lord

**Thanks be to God**

### CANTICLE 13

Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers; \*

you are worthy of praise; glory to you.

Glory to you for the radiance of your holy Name; \*

we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

Glory to you in the splendor of your temple; \*

on the throne of your majesty, glory to you.

Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim; \*

we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

Glory to you, beholding the depths; \*

in the high vault of heaven, glory to you.

Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; \*

we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

### SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

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**THE HOLY GOSPEL** Matthew 28:16-20  
 The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

**WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS TO OUR PARISH**  
 Eloise Calcagni  
 Renee DuCharme & Jason Zombuto  
 Linda Faugh  
 Stacy & Joe Keane  
 Gina Pollard  
 The Gurskis/Pottinger family, Samantha, Jason,  
 and Stella

**WE REMEMBER BEFORE GOD ALL PEOPLE  
 THROUGHOUT THE WORLD WHOSE LIVES HAVE BEEN  
 DISRUPTED BY VIOLENCE OR WAR.**

**WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO WORK FOR PEACE  
 AND FOR NEW BEGINNINGS.**

- ✧ As we pray, let us remember Terri; Bob; Val; Cathy; Jazylynn; Noel; Connie; Rosa; the women in Perryville & all those affected by incarceration; Natalie & Patricia; Bill; Cameron and his family; Lisa; Jennifer & Tracy; Roy; Dawn, Alyssa, & Canyon; Marion & Shari; Michael; Maryjane; Randall; Connie; Annette; Sarah & her unborn baby girl; Jessica; Jeniene; Virginia & her family; Lori; Val; Hollis & Denise; Jim; Helen; Nat; Keira;
- ✧ We pray for those who have died, especially Mary Hope Duffie; Janice Wold and Jimmy Diaz's sister Connie.

**~GIFTS FROM JESUS~  
 VBS 2017 June 26-June 30  
 5:30-7:30 PM**

We begin with a child friendly meal, followed by Bible stories about the Parables Jesus told. There will be crafts, music and games. Children 4-12 years old are welcome. (Young children must be potty trained.) \$15/ first child, \$10/each additional family child. Financial assistance is available. Registration in the Parish Hall after each service or on-line: [www.stjohnsaz.org](http://www.stjohnsaz.org). Peggy Diaz 623.326.5299 or [peggy@stjohnsaz.org](mailto:peggy@stjohnsaz.org)

**THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR**

Today	Nursery care	7:45–11:15 AM
	<b>Holy Eucharist Rite I</b>	<b>8 AM</b>
	<b>Holy Eucharist Rite II</b>	<b>10 AM</b>
	Art Exhibit Opening Reception	4 PM
Tue.	Old Testament in Review/Bible Study	6 PM
Wed.	<b>Holy Eucharist Rite II</b>	<b>6:30 PM</b>
	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	7 PM
	Vestry meeting (CH 3)	7:15 PM
Sat.	Men's Fellowship, Breakfast & Study	8 AM
	Women Unlimited/Breakfast @ Kiss the Cook	
Sun.	Nursery care	7:45–11:15 AM
	<b>Holy Eucharist Rite I</b>	<b>8 AM</b>
	<b>Holy Eucharist Rite II</b>	<b>10 AM</b>

Our altar flowers are given  
*in memory of Eldon Wold's mother, Janice*

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**~ WHAT'S GOING ON WITH FTTA ~**

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR THESE EVENTS.**

- ◆ Our wine & cheese Meet the Artist / Ann Osgood, reception is this afternoon at 4:00. Ann's art work is also being featured at the Icehouse Gallery and she was the Artist of the Month in "Phoenix Magazine" this past January. Ann's art work is available for purchase. She accepts credit cards, cash or checks. We hope to see you there.
- ◆ Another night of great jazz is scheduled for Sunday, July 23 at 6 pm. Our Jazz Nights have been very well attended — we hope to see you all there again.
- ◆ This is advance notice so your can mark your calendars! September 16 we will have the *Baile Forklorico de Niños* (Forklore Youth Dancers). More information about this event will be issued nearer the date.

**FOOD PANTRY**  
 pudding or Jell-O cups; tuna  
 Helpers (chicken, tuna, hamburger)  
 oatmeal/ bath soap

**BLESSING BAGS**  
Travel size or individually wrapped please  
 potato chips, pretzels, etc ; cookies;  
 peanut butter or cheese crackers  
 small fruit packets; water

**WOMEN UNLIMITED**—Breakfast at Kiss the Cook, this Saturday, 8:30 AM, 4915 W Glendale Ave. If you'd like to carpool, meet at church at 8 AM. For more info or to RSVP: Marykay - 623-694-6657 / [aztoucan@yahoo.com](mailto:aztoucan@yahoo.com).