

Welcome to the Episcopal Church of St. John the Baptist! Whatever brought you here today is a good thing and we want you to know that you are always welcome here. Everyone is warmly invited to receive Holy Communion, and you are invited to spend some time in fellowship following the service. Thank you for worshipping with us today!

Holy Eucharist Rite II Sunday, June 23, 2024 Fifth Sunday after Pentecost The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

10 a.m.

Nursery - 9:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Chilton Hall Room 1

Sunday School

We Care About You!

We are pleased to offer communion visits if you are not able to join us. Please contact the office if you would like to schedule a Eucharistic visitor. Fr. Tim and Deacon Chuck are available round the clock for pastoral care. You may find their telephone numbers in the Parish Directory. Our Daughters of the King prayer ministry team welcomes prayer requests on our website. Our office number is **623-582-5449** and our e-mail address is **info@stjohnsaz.org**.

READINGS

First Reading Isaiah 40:1-11, pages 656 and 657

Psalm 85:7-13 BCP page 709

Second Reading Acts 13:14b-26, page 1275

Gospel Luke 1:57-80, pages 1202 and 1203

Altar Flower Dedications

Given today by Renee' Taylor in loving memory of my father Billie Reed.

MUSIC 10:00 A.M.

Entrance Hymn LEVAS #141, Shall We Gather at the River

Song of Praise Hymnal #S-277

Gradual Hymnal #76, On Jordan's Bank
Offertory LEVAS #121, Baptized in Water

Lord's Prayer Hymnal #S-119 Fraction Anthem Hymnal # S-164

Communion Hymnal #335, I Am the Bread of Life Recessional Hymnal #232, By All Your Saints

Make New Friends at our first Round Robin Dinner

Saturday, June 29th, 5:00 p.m., Parish Hall

Have you ever heard of Progressive Dinners? Please join us for a delicious 4 course Italian dinner and make new friends with this new twist on an old idea. We will need everyone to please sign up, so we know how much food to make. Cost is \$15.00 per person. Sign up available after each service or email Shelli.Romero@yahoo.com

Women Unlimited Christmas In July

Saturday, July 20, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., Parish Hall

All women are invited to the Christmas in July crafting event. It was so much fun last year that we wanted to do it again, with new ideas! There is a sign-up sheet in the parish hall and the is cost \$5 per ornament. Also, if you have a glue gun to bring, that would be fabulous! Please bring a snack to share, if you are able. More details to come. Contact information, **Nancy Young and Pattie Prosory**

Christian Education begins this Fall - Decoding the Faith

Join us Sunday mornings this fall for our new Christian education study, <u>Decoding the Faith</u>. Decoding the Faith will help us to explore the historic creeds of the Church and the sacraments we celebrate. This study is open to everyone who wants to learn more about the Episcopal Church! Participants of all ages are welcome. The study will also serve as preparation for those who wish to become confirmed, received, or reaffirmed during Bishop Reddall's biannual pastoral visit to St. John's in December. Beginning September 8, Christian education for both adults and children will take place between the services starting at around 9 a.m. Grab a cup of coffee, maybe a donut, and a Book of Common Prayer, as we learn and grow together in faith. Together, we will learn how to walk in love as Christ loved us. See you there!

Food Pantry Needs this Week

In May the Food Pantry served 70 Families, 193 adults and 49 children. For the year we have served 202 families, 516 adults and 146 children.

This week we are in need of canned peaches, pears, fruit cocktail, Cinnamon Toast Crunch cereal, canned diced tomatoes, sugar, white rice and dried black beans. **Please remember to check expiration dates.**Thank you for all your support.

June Stewardship Message

Time, Talent and Treasure

The Bible offers great guidance and calls us to use our gifts and abilities in the whole of our life--not just on Sunday. It is time to use our talents to give All for One--All for God--All the time. Bob Lichty

St. John's Giving and Attendance for June 16th

Pledge	\$4,650.00	Plate	\$681.00
Food Pantry	\$110.00	Thrift Store	\$107.85
Other	\$269.00	Attendance	109
Weekly Expenses	\$10,254.04		

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The Rev. Timothy J. Yanni, Rector
The Rev. Cn. Chuck Milhoan, Deacon
Mrs. Renee' Taylor, Parish & Communications Administrator
Mrs. Michelle Weaver, Finance & Administrative Assistant
Mrs. Mary Jane Santamaria, Nursery Supervisor
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Mr. Jimmy Diaz, Director Joyful Noise & Praise Band

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Happenings @ St. John the Baptist

- <u>Bible Study Between Services</u> Sunday - 9:00 a.m./between Services, CH-Rm 5
- Wednesday Eucharist, Healing Service & Brown Bag Lunch
 Wednesday, June 26, 1:00 p.m., Parish Hall
 There will be no service on Wednesday, July 3rd because
 of the holiday.
- Men's Fellowship and Bible Study Saturday, June 29, 8:00 a.m., Zoom
- <u>Daughters of the King Meeting</u>

Sunday, June 30, 9:00 a.m.., between services., East Annex This meeting has been moved to this date because of the Ministry Fair.

- St. John's Office Closed the week of the 4th of July Holiday

 The office will be closed July 2nd, 3rd and 4th. The Food

 Pantry will also be closed that week. Both will re-open

 Tuesday, July 9th at their regular times. The office opens at 9:00

 a.m. and the Food Pantry opens at 10:00 a.m.
- St. John's Closet Thrift Store Closed for 4th of July Holiday
 Friday and Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Chilton Hall,
 Rm 3. Donations are accepted during the hours we are open.
 The Thrift Store will be closed Friday and Saturday, July
 5th and 6th in observance of Independence Day.

Prayer for a Prosperous Capital Campaign

O God of unchangeable power and eternal light: Look favorably on your whole Church, and on our parish home of St. John the Baptist in Glendale, Arizona. Guide us in caring for our church as you continue your mystical work of creation. Lead us to give generously of our time, talent, and treasure for the care and rejuvenation of our church home. Invite us to see and know that things which were cast down are being raised up, and things which had grown old are being made new, and that all things are being brought to their perfection by your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.