



Detail from *Madonna Enthroned between St. John the Baptist and St. Sebastian*, 1493, by Pietro Perugino

**OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

*Mater Misericordiae (Mother of Mercy) Mission glorifies God, uniting its members in faith, hope and charity through confession of the One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Faith and through participation in the Sacraments and Traditional Rites of the Missale Romanum of 1962, under the governance of the Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Phoenix and the Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter.*

# MATER MISERICORDIAE MISSION

*An Apostolate of the Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter*

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## Notitiæ September 7, 2014

Sunday Masses	
Propers: Readings:	<b>Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost</b> , Class II, Green <i>Galatians 3: 16-22; St. Luke 17: 11-19</i>
Intentions:	<b>7:00am Low Mass; 9:00am Low Mass; 11:00am High Mass at Mater Misericordiae Mission</b> 7:00 am: Chris Scata; 9:00 am: Pro Populo; 11:00 am: Joyce Mack +
Intention:	<b>9:00 am Low Mass at Saint Cecilia's Mission, Clarkdale</b> 9:00 am: Pro Populo
Weekday Masses	
<b>At Mater Misericordiae Mission, 1537 West Monroe St. Phoenix, AZ 85007</b> <b>Monday-Friday: 6:30 am and 6:30 pm, Saturday: 6:30 am and 8:00 am</b>	
<b>Monday, September 8</b>	<b>Thursday, September 11</b>
Propers: <b>The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b> Class II, White Readings: <i>Wisdom 8: 22-25</i> <i>St. Matthew 1: 1-16</i> Intentions: 6:30am: Norinne Takash + 6:30pm: Norinne Takash +	Propers: <b>Feria</b> Class IV Readings: Intentions: 6:30am: Souls in Purgatory + 6:30pm: Souls in Purgatory +
<b>Tuesday, September 9</b>	<b>Friday, September 12</b>
Propers: <b>St. Peter Claver</b> Confessor, Class III, White Readings: <i>Isaias 58: 6-10</i> <i>St. Luke 10: 29-37</i> Intentions: 6:30am: Catherine Minogue + 6:30pm: Chris Scata	Propers: <b>The Most Holy Name of Mary</b> Class III, White Readings: <i>Ecclesiasticus 24: 23-31</i> <i>St. Luke 1: 26-38</i> Intentions: 6:30am: Souls in Purgatory + 6:30pm: Souls in Purgatory +
<b>Wednesday, September 10</b>	<b>Saturday, September 13</b>
Propers: <b>St. Nicholas of Tolentino</b> Confessor, Class III, White Readings: <i>1 Corinthians 4: 9-14</i> <i>St. Luke 12: 32-34</i> Intentions: 6:30am: Souls in Purgatory + 6:30pm: Souls in Purgatory +	Propers: <b>Saturday of Our Lady</b> Class IV, White Readings: <i>Ecclesiasticus 24: 14-16</i> <i>St. Luke 11: 27-28</i> Intentions: 6:30am: Souls in Purgatory + 8:00am: Souls in Purgatory +
Confessions	
<b>At MMM Monroe St. Church:</b> Mon-Sat: 30 minutes before each Mass. Saturdays: 3:30-4:30 pm. Sundays: Before the 7am Mass, between the 7am, 9am, and 11am Masses, and after the 11am Mass. <b>At St. Cecilia's:</b> Saturdays: 3-4 pm. Sundays: Before the 9am Mass. <b>Other times by arrangement.</b>	

## SUNDAY COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, grant unto us an increase of faith, hope and charity: and that we may obtain what Thou dost promise, make us love that which Thou dost command. Through our Lord.

## SUNDAY EPISTLE: Galatians 3: 16-22

Brethren: To Abraham were the promises made, and to his seed. He saith not: And to his seeds, as of many; but as of one, and to thy seed, which is Christ. Now this I say, that the testament which was confirmed by God, the law which was made after four hundred and thirty years, doth not disannul, to make the promise of no effect. For if the inheritance be of the law, it is no more of promise. But God gave it to Abraham by promise. Why then was the law? It was set because of transgressions, until the seed should come, to whom He made the promise; being ordained by angels in the hand of a mediator. Now a mediator is not of one: but God is one. Was the law then against the promises of God? God forbid. For if there had been a law given, which could give life, verily justice should have been by the law. But the Scripture hath concluded all under sin, that the promise by the faith of Jesus Christ might be given to them that believe.

## SUNDAY GOSPEL: St. Luke 17: 11-19

At that time, as Jesus was going to Jerusalem, he passed through the midst of Samaria and Galilee: and as He entered into a certain town, there met him ten men that were lepers, who stood afar off, and lifted up their voice, saying: Jesus, master, have mercy on us. Whom when He saw, He said: Go, show yourselves to the priests. And it came to pass, as they went, they were made clean. And one of them, when he saw that he was made clean, went back, with a loud voice glorifying God: and he fell on his face before His feet, giving thanks: and this was a Samaritan. And Jesus answering said: Were not ten made clean? And where are the nine? There is no one found to return, and give glory to God, but this stranger. And He said to him: Arise, go thy way; for thy faith hath made thee whole.



*Were not ten made clean? And where are the nine?*



## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ❖ Parish Potluck, September 21:

All are invited to enjoy the company of other parishioners at the monthly potluck. The September potluck will be held the **third Sunday**, 21 September, after the 11:00am High Mass.

❖ **Ladies' Social:** All ladies of the Parish are invited to a Potluck Luncheon at the Mater Misericordiae Hall on Saturday, September 20. The event will begin at 11:30 AM with a talk given by Fr. Kemna followed by the praying of the Rosary and then followed by the Luncheon. The event is open to all single or married ladies of the Parish 16 years old and up. For more information, please call Mrs. Sarah Copeland at 602-323-4734.

❖ **Book Seminar:** Fr. Kemna encourages your participation at the next book seminar, where he will be in attendance. Andrew Ellison will be leading a discussion on Saturday, September 27, starting at 6:00 PM at the home of Kenneth and Christina Lashutka. The work to be prepared for discussion is G.K. Chesterton's Saint Thomas Aquinas. Please contact Kenneth Lashutka at 602-920-3971 or kennylashutka@hotmail.com to RSVP by September 25.

❖ **Daily Mass Stipend Hold:** Please note that the priests at Mater Misericordiae Mission have a sufficient number of stipends to fulfill at this time.

❖ **New Parish Contact Email and Sacramental Emergency Phone Number:** As noted on the front, Mater Misericordiae has a new contact email address: [asstpastor@phoenixlatinmass.org](mailto:asstpastor@phoenixlatinmass.org). We also have a new emergency cell phone number for MMM: (480) 236-8867. The cell phone should only be used for emergencies requiring the Sacraments.

❖ **Pro-Life Rosary:** Fr. Kemna would like to continue Fr. Terra and Fr. Walker's steadfast practice of praying outside the abortion clinic on Monday and Thursday mornings. Please join us if you are able to attend. The Rosary will be from 9am-10am, Mondays, at the Glendale Planned Parenthood site located at 5771 W. Eugie; and from 9am-10am, Thursdays, at Family Planning Associates located at 700 E. Willetta in Phoenix.

❖ **Parish Directory:** We are continuing to gather all the forms and info needed to put together a parish directory. Many have already responded, but all families and single members that regularly attend the Mission are encouraged to participate, so that our parish can have more coherency, and so that the members can get to know each other better. There is a form for this in the back of the church, along with the Parish Registration Form. If you are interested and are a regular parishioner, please follow the instructions on the form. The Knights of Columbus of our parish are taking over this project for Fr. Kenneth Walker +.

## FSSP PRAYER REQUESTS

Sept. 7: Very Rev. John Berg,  
Superior General

Sept. 8: Fr. Joseph DeGuzman

Sept. 9: Fr. Eric Flood,  
District Superior

Sept. 10: Fr. James Buckley

Sept. 11: Fr. Carlos Casavantes

Sept. 12: Fr. Laurent Demets

Sept. 13: Msgr. John Fritz



❖ **CCD Religious Education:** Mater Misericordiae will be offering CCD classes for children in grades kindergarten to twelve, for this upcoming academic year.

We would like to extend a quick note of gratitude to Shandina Lundmark, our outgoing CCD director, for all of her work, during these past years at our parish. We are happy to announce that Kathy Nemeth will be the CCD Director for the 2014-2015 academic year.

Tuition for each family is \$25. Those who find this financially difficult are more than welcome to speak with one of the priests. As in the past, textbooks will be loaned for the students' use during class. Of course, those who would like to purchase a book will be able. Application forms with envelopes will be placed in the back of the church. Please place the completed forms with tuition in the collection basket.

The first day of classes is yet to be determined. Should you have any questions for Kathy, please feel free to get in touch with her at [wnemeth@msn.com](mailto:wnemeth@msn.com) or her mobile phone at 602-809-0424.

## Saint Bernard: Holy Name of Mary

September 12th  
Second Nocturn of Matins

A homily of St. Bernard of Clairvaux, Abbot & Doctor

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"And the Virgin's name was Mary." Let us speak a little about this name, which is said to mean "star of the sea," and which so well befits the Virgin Mother. Rightly is she likened to a star. As a star emits a ray without being dimmed, so the Virgin brought forth her Son without receiving any injury. The ray takes naught from the brightness of the star, nor the Son from His Mother's virginal integrity. This is the noble star risen out of Jacob, whose ray illumines the whole world, whose splendor shines in the heavens, penetrates the abyss, and, traversing the whole earth, gives warmth rather to souls than to bodies, cherishing virtues, withering vices. Mary is that bright and incomparable star, whom we need to see raised above this vast sea, shining by her merits, and giving us light by her example.

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"All of you, who see yourselves amid the tides of the world, tossed by storms and tempests rather than walking on the land, do not turn your eyes away from this shining star, unless you want to be overwhelmed by the hurricane. If temptation storms, or you fall upon the rocks of tribulation, look to the star: Call upon Mary! If you are tossed by the waves of pride or ambition, detraction or envy, look to the star, call upon Mary. If anger or avarice or the desires of the flesh dash against the ship of your soul, turn your eyes to Mary. If troubled by the enormity of your crimes, ashamed of your guilty conscience, terrified by dread of the judgment, you begin to sink into the gulf of sadness or the abyss of despair, think of Mary. In dangers, in anguish, in doubt, think of Mary, call upon Mary. Let her name be even on your lips, ever in your heart; and the better to obtain the help of her prayers, imitate the example of her life: "Following her, thou strayest not; invoking her, thou despairest not; thinking of her, thou wanderest not; upheld by her, thou fallest not; shielded by her, thou fearest not; guided by her, thou growest not weary; favored by her, thou reachest the goal. And thus dost thou experience in thyself how good is that saying: 'And the Virgin's name was Mary.'"

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The Church commemorates numerous occasions on which It invoked the name of Mary and received her heavenly protection. During the pontificate of Pope Innocent III, Saint Dominic Guzman established the Order of Preachers to combat the Albigensian heresy that all material things were evil. He trained his priests to live a holy life, to use their minds, and to pray the Rosary. On September 12th 1213, the Christian forces under Simon de Montfort won a decisive victory over the heretics at Muret in southern France. Likewise, on the first Sunday of October, the Church recalls the victory of the Christian naval forces under Don Juan of Austria against the 300-odd ships of the Moslem Turk, Selim II, in 1571. Again on September 12th 1683, after a forced march begun in Poland on the August 15th feast of the Assumption, John Sobieski turned back the 300,000 Moslem invaders besieging Vienna. And, once again, on August 5th 1716, under the patronage of Mary, Our Lady of the Snows, Prince Eugene claimed her victory at Peterwardein; shortly thereafter raising the siege of Corfu and later reclaiming Belgrade. The feast of the Holy Name of Mary was inscribed in the calendar of the Universal Church by Pope Innocent XI "as a perpetual memorial of the great blessing of that signal victory won at Vienna in Austria over the cruel Turkish tyrant who had been grinding down the Christian people."

Prayer:

Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty God, that Thy Faithful, calling upon the Name of the Virgin Mary and rejoicing in her protection, may, by her motherly intercession, be delivered from the evils of the earth and advance to the eternal happiness of heaven. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.