Ecumenical Catholic Communion

Míssíon Statement

We are People of God baptized in Christ and professing our faith in a living Catholic tradition. We are men and women, lay and ordained, joining together as a "communion of communities" in response to the messianic call of the Spirit to preach the Gospel of liberation and justice; to offer a refuge in Christ for those who suffer prejudice; to stand open to dialogue with others so called and, to conform our lives to the life and teachings of the Lord Jesus Christ.

These Arizona parishes welcome YOU!



St. Michael the Archangel Tucson, Arizona 520-575-8486 Email: <u>stmichaelsecc@q.com</u> <u>stmichaelsecc.org</u> Mass at 9 AM every Sunday



St. Teresa of Avilá Phoenix, Arizona Email: <u>revklehman@gmail.com</u> <u>stteresaofavilacatholiccommunity.org/</u> Mass 5 PM every Saturday



Guardian Angels Tempe, Arizona Email: guardianangels.ecc@gmail.com guardianangelscatholiccommunity.org Mass 9 AM every Sunday

ARIZONA CHURCHES OF THE



ECUMENICAL CATHOLIC COMMUNION

A Wonderful Way of Being Catholic!

We...

- celebrate being Catholic through sacraments and liturgy without judgment
- *affirm* and celebrate everyone without discrimination
- are committed to justice
- are committed to everyone with *full inclusion* in language and attitude
- offer *Communion to all* who approach to receive
- offer *remarriage* without church annulment
- fully recognize personal responsibility in the use of birth control
- acknowledge that Apostolic ordained ministry is open to all
- affirm each individual conscience
- fully welcome each individual with dignity
- are a spiritually welcoming place to *find healing*

ECUMENICAL CATHOLIC COMMUNION



WHERE YOUR CATHOLIC HEART CAN BE AT HOME AND YOUR CONSCIENCE CAN BE AT PEACE.

http://www.ecumenical-catholiccommunion.org/

Our Catholic Identity

We are Eucharistic people who recognize Christ in the Breaking of the Bread.

We believe in the active presence of the Holy Spirit and the gifts of the Spirit are for the whole community.

We celebrate new life from the first to the last stages of life through the Sacraments.

We believe the grace of God is present in all sacraments.

We trust all humans are created in the image of God and people are basically good.

We believe catholic means everyone and unity in all diversities.

Our understanding of God grows with the fullness of revelation, past, present and future.

We use things of creation to express the mysteries of God, bread, wine, holy water, priests, ashes, pictures of saints, etc.

Social Justice and Sacramental Justice are key in our being Catholic.