

MULTI-PARISH SINGLES (MPS)

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FEBRUARY – MARCH 7, 2010

*Reaching out with fellowship and support activities for Singles (S)

WEEKLY RECURRING EVENTS:

Sundays – Sunday evening with our MPS Family

Tuesdays – Swing dancing at the *Fatcat*; Bible Study at St. Patrick

Wednesdays – Bible Study at the St. Anne Parish Hall

Thursdays – Swingin' at the *Paragon* in Tempe

NOTE: AREA CODE IS 480 UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

- 2 TUE
SP **THE BIBLE: PLAIN & SIMPLE [every Tuesday]**, 7 PM at St. Patrick. Take this weekly journey with us as Kevin Saunders shares his profound experiences from living and teaching in the Holy Land to help us explore the beauty, richness and majesty that is the word of God. Kevin's insightful, eye-opening, verse-by-verse study will take us through the Book of Leviticus in a lecture-style format (Bill 966-9961)
- SP** **BASIC SWING INSTRUCTION/DANCING [every Tuesday]**, 7:30 PM at the *Fatcat Ballroom*, 3131 E. Thunderbird Rd, Phoenix. \$7 cover charge includes refreshments, instruction/dancing to high energy swing-and-blues-on-the-groovy-side DJ (sometimes live) music on a spacious 5800 ft² floating wood dance floor after Steve's 1 hour E. Coast Swing lesson (partner not necessary). Alcohol-free event; all ages welcome (Paula 602 952-8138)
- 3 WED
SP **THE BIBLE: PLAIN & SIMPLE [every Wednesday]**, 7 PM at the St. Anne **Parish Hall**. Kevin Saunders leads us in this extraordinary scriptures journey that will help us unravel the complex tapestry of God's word to better understand the parables of Jesus. Join us (feel free to bring a coffee with you anytime you wish), as we undertake intensive study of the Book of Deuteronomy (Felix 827-0413)
- 4 THU
SWINGIN' at the PARAGON, 7 PM at the *Paragon Dance Center*, 931 E Elliot Rd, Tempe. \$7 PP admission includes Steve's hour-long Swing lesson then dancing 'til 10:30 PM to high energy DJ or **live** music in an alcohol-free environment. All ages welcome; partner not necessary. Contact Paula at 602 952-8138
- 5 FRI
ROCKIN' RODEO, 5 PM @ *Graham Central Station*, SW quadrant of Elliot & 7850 S. Priest Dr, Tempe. Join us for beverage discounts, complimentary buffet and diverse dancing. Four Club venues under the Graham Central Station roof include Country dancin' at *Rockin' Rodeo*, dancing to retro (80s & 90s music) in *Confetti's* and to Techno/Hip Hop music in *South Beach plus* Karaoke in *Alley Cats* (Mike 898-2167)

- 6 SAT **ST. VALENTINE'S SINGLES DANCE**, 7 PM at Blessed Sacrament; \$20 admission includes non-alcoholic beverages and snacks; dress is business/dressy casual. Contact Charlie (602 380-7923 or charlie-jimenez@cox.net)
- SP** **SATURDAY EVE L.I.V.E. [every Saturday]** 6:30 PM rendezvous at Living Word Bible Church, NWC of 3520 E. Brown Rd and Val Vista, Mesa. Join us as Pastor Carolyn Smith presents topics relevant to Singles' everyday living; childcare is provided. Mingle with other Singles afterward (**dancing** is scheduled tonight and 27 FEB; see the immediately-following event)
- SINGLES DANCE**, 7:30 PM at the Living Word Bible Church foyer. \$7 admission includes dancing to your favorite variety DJ tunes in a downright neighborly atmosphere! Contact Talaya at singlesofpurpose@yahoo.com for additional details
- 7 SUN **SUNDAY EVENING WITH OUR MPS FAMILY [every Sunday]** Our gathering begins with **volleyball** at 5 PM at Kiwanis Park (from Mill Av and Baseline Rd, go south on Mill, turn right on All America Way then look for our MPS Banner on your left, (between the Fiesta Group Ramadas and the baseball diamonds), Tempe. This coed, **all-skill-levels**, NONCOMPETITIVE, team-building, strictly-fun-and-exercise happening conditions body, mind and team spirit. Single parents are invited to bring your young 'uns (must be 13 years or older to play volleyball). If you don't play volleyball, **alternatives** are to jog, wawk the dawg, cruise the lake, pet the H₂O fowl, chew the fat **or** just break bread with us afterward (about 8 PM) at a location TBD (Barro's, Heartarrestaurant, Chuy's, or ??). Contact Cindy (785-0247), Kathy (777-8772) or Mike (839-9790)
- 8 MON **WOMEN'S FAITH SHARING** We will once again meet at 7 PM in the Newman Center (Blessed **SP** Sacrament Chapel) and will continue our discussion from our book entitled, **A Closer Walk with Christ**. Even if you haven't read the chapter yet, please come. We always have something to share and to learn from one another. All are welcome so bring a friend (Andrea - clements.andrea@gmail.com)
- Registration deadline for Golfing at the Arizona Golf Resort (see 13 FEB)**
- 9 TUE **SP - THE BIBLE: PLAIN & SIMPLE [every Tuesday]**, 7 PM, with Kevin Saunders at St. Patrick (see 2 FEB)
- SWING INSTRUCTION/DANCING [every Tuesday]**, 7:30 PM at *Fatcat Ballroom* with Steve & Heather (see 2 FEB)
- 10 WED **SP - THE BIBLE: PLAIN & SIMPLE [every Wednesday]**, 7 PM with Kevin Saunders, at the St. Anne Parish Hall (see 3 FEB).
- 11 THU **SWINGIN' at the PARAGON [every Thursday]**, 7:30 PM with Steve Conrad at the *Paragon Dance Center*, Tempe (see 4 FEB)
- 13 SAT **GOLFING at the AZ GOLF RESORT**, 12 PM at the *Arizona Golf Resort*, 425 S. Power Rd, Mesa. \$60 cost includes golf, cart, range balls, admin., taxes, and \$5 prize pool. Golf-appropriate attire only. Register by 8 FEB at www.phoenixasga.com (Sylvia or Dennis at golf.phxasga@yahoo.com)
- SP - SATURDAY EVE L.I.V.E. [every Saturday]** 6:30 PM rendezvous at Living Word Bible Church (see 6 FEB)
- 14 SUN **SP - SUNDAY EVENING WITH OUR MPS FAMILY [every Sunday]**, 5 PM in Tempe; vball, break bread afterward (see 7 FEB)
- 16 TUE **SP - THE BIBLE: PLAIN & SIMPLE [every Tuesday]**, 7 PM, with Kevin Saunders at St. Patrick (see 2 FEB)
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- 17 WED **SP - THE BIBLE: PLAIN & SIMPLE [every Wednesday]**, 7 PM with Kevin Saunders, at the St. Anne Parish Hall (see 3 FEB).
- 18 THU **SWINGIN' at the PARAGON [every Thursday]**, 7:30 PM with Steve Conrad at the *Paragon Dance Center*, Tempe (see 4 FEB)
- 19 FRI **PRANKSTERS SOCIAL**, 5 PM at *Pranksters Too*, SWC of Hayden and 7919 E. Thomas Rds, Scottsdale. Join us for complimentary food, beverage discounts and half-price appetizers while playing pool or throwing darts (Mike 898-2167)
- SP** **FRIDAY EVE FELLOWSHIP**, 6 PM at St. Joan of Arc's Santa Maria Hall. We'll order fish fry from Weidner Hall for dinner. Bring your smiles and favorite board game(s) (Melanie 602 214-3352)
- 20 SAT **PARTYING at the GRANDVIEW**, 6:30 PM at the *Grandview Lounge* (www.paintedmountaingolf.com), NE quadrant of 6210 E. McKellips Rd and Recker Rd, Mesa. We'll dance to variety music and song 'til 11PM as Bill and Twyla entertain us while leading Karaoke. Food and discounted beverages are available (Felix 827-0413)

- 20 SAT **SP** **“THE DIACONATE” Presentation and POTLUCK**, 6 PM at St. Joseph. Deacons have always been around, but many people remember them as young men in transition to ordination to the priesthood. In recent years, we have heard more about the “permanent diaconate”, older and usually married men who are ordained to this aspect of Holy Orders with no plans to advance the “next step”. Come and hear Deacon Tom Phelan, who has been a deacon since 1972 and was in the first class of permanent deacons ordained in the Diocese of Phoenix, as he gives a history of the diaconate and some of the reasons for the revival of the “permanent” diaconate after Vatican II. Contact Dan (941-5952) or Karen (602 494-8445)
- POTLUCK DINNER PARTY, 6 PM at the My’s residential clubhouse in Mesa. Come enjoy dinner and hang out at the community pool and heated spa. BYO beverage (no glass bottles allowed at poolside), a dish to share, meat to grill, smiles, and swim gear including towel (if planning to get wet). My will provide deviled eggs and iced tea. Contact My at 228-0699or mamydung@yahoo.com
- SP** **SATURDAY EVE L.I.V.E.** [every Saturday] 6:30 PM rendezvous at Living Word Bible Church (see 6 FEB)
- SINGLES DANCE**, 7 PM at the Living Word Bible Church in Mesa (see 6 FEB)
- 21 SUN **SP** **FOCUS ON THE NEEDS OF OTHERS** [every 3rd Sunday OTM] 3 PM rendezvous at the Andre House (or carpool), SEC of Jackson and 233 S. 11th Av (south on 9th Av past Jefferson & Madison, right turn onto Jackson, then into the gated parking lot at the white warehouse), Phoenix. This event offers a superb opportunity to be ambassadors for Jesus (2 Corinthians 5:20). We’ll prepare and serve food, clean up then chat about dining afterward with the Andre House staff. RSVP to Bill at 966-9961
- SP** **SUNDAY EVENING WITH OUR MPS FAMILY** [every Sunday], 5 PM in Tempe; vball, break bread afterward (see 7 FEB)
- SINGLES DANCE**, 6:30 PM at the Scottsdale Cottonwoods Resort (<http://scottsdalecottonwoods.com>), SW quadrant of 6160 N Scottsdale Rd and Rose Ln (between Lincoln Dr & McDonald Dr), Scottsdale. From the intersection of Scottsdale Rd and Rose Ln, head west on Rose Ln past the lobby to the Convention Center. Trip the light fantastic ‘til 9:30 PM for \$15 PP; dress to Impress (Susan 391-1465)
- 23 TUE **SP - THE BIBLE: PLAIN & SIMPLE** [every Tuesday], 7 PM, with Kevin Saunders at St. Patrick (see 2 FEB)
- SWING INSTRUCTION/DANCING** [every Tuesday], 7:30 PM at *Fatcat Ballroom* with Steve & Heather (see 2 FEB)
- 24 WED **SP - THE BIBLE: PLAIN & SIMPLE** [every Wednesday], 7 PM with Kevin Saunders, at the St. Anne Parish Hall (see 3 FEB).
- 25 THU **SWINGIN’ at the PARAGON** [every Thursday], 7:30 PM with Steve Conrad at the *Paragon Dance Center*, Tempe (see 4 FEB)
- 26 FRI **BEGINNING EXPERIENCE**, a weekend program to help single-again persons begin to deal with the grieving process. It offers an opportunity, through God, for turning the pain of loss into an experience of positive growth. Cost is \$149 - some partial scholarships are available (Lynn 602 956-3892)
- 27 SAT **PARTYING at the GRANDVIEW**, 6:30 PM at Painted Mountain Golf Resort (see 20 FEB)
- SP** **SATURDAY EVE L.I.V.E.** [every Saturday] 6:30 PM rendezvous at Living Word Bible Church (see 6 FEB)
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MARCH

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- 4 THU **SWINGIN’ at the PARAGON** [every Thursday], 7:30 PM with Steve Conrad at the *Paragon Dance Center*, Tempe (see 4 FEB)
- 5 FRI **ROCKIN’ RODEO SOCIAL** [every 1st Friday OTM], 5 PM @ Graham Central Station in Tempe (see 5 FEB)
- 6 SAT **SP - SATURDAY EVE L.I.V.E.** [every Saturday] 6:30 PM rendezvous at Living Word Bible Church (see 6 FEB)
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UPCOMING EVENTS:

Partying at the Grandview, 6:30 PM, 20 MAR (Felix 827-0413)

ONGOING ACTIVITIES:

- ♪ Check with Paula (602 952-8138) about fun opportunities for staying physically fit while mingling with other Singles via **dance** classes/dancing at *Fatcat Ballroom, Paragon Ballroom*, and other locations
- ✦ Contact Felix (827-0413) or elgato@multiparishsingles.org about playing **volleyball** Sundays
- ♥ Seeking ministry volunteers to assist with our Rocky Point charities (Vincent 602-997-8814, pvincentabramo@yahoo.com or www.weekendmissions.com)

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COPIES OF MULTI-PARISH SINGLES (MPS) CALENDARS: Access our website (see page 1 header) or contact a coordinator listed below; copies of the calendar will be sent upon receipt of self-addressed, stamped long envelope(s).

MPS COORDINATORS: Felix 827-0413 (SBRI); **Cultural:** James 602 275-1474 (ASA) **Calendar:** Kay 838-8713 (ST); **Dance:** Henry 664-3244 (NC)/Paula 602 952-8138 (STH); **Hospitality:** Melanie 602 996-8714 (SJA); **Publicity:** Mike 898-2167 (SD); **Single Parent Activities:** Audrey 213-9095 (AS); Paula 602 952-8138 (STH); **Volleyball:** Cindy 785-0247 (SAN)/Kathy 777-8772 (NC)/Mike 839-9790

Additional Contacts: CC (Terry 893-6742); HC (Mary 227-5752); HS (Theresa 598-1209); HS (Catalina 602 505-0931); (MHT (Vincent 602-997-8814); OLPH (Carol 602 319-8299/Cheryl 994-0623); SBC (Susan 585-2494); SF (Asha 602 532-0915); SG (Julie Julieslucky@aol.com), SJE (Frieda 997-1312); SJO (Brian 602 971-1543/Dan 941-5952/Karen 602 494-8445); SP (Maria 602 403-0488); SPA (Lorraine 602 588-7008)

GRIEF RECOVERY: "Beginning Experience" – Lynn 602 956-3892

SPIRITUALITY: Bill 966-9961 (ST)

***LEGEND:** EDILC - Every dance is ladies' choice, GMDI – Great minds discuss ideas (mediocre minds discuss events, small minds discuss people); NOC – Nix on cliques; PP - per person; OTM - of the month; S - single adults (includes Single Parents), SAF - see associated flyer; SP - Single parent families welcome (i.e., bring your kids); TBD - to be determined; TG – Tip graciously

AS (All Saints); 1534 N. Recker Rd, Mesa

ASA (All Saints), 6300 North Central Avenue, Phoenix

BSC (Blessed Sacrament, Community of); 11300 N. 64th St (between Cactus & Shea,) Scottsdale

CC (Corpus Christi); 3550 E. Knox Rd., Ahwatukee

CK (Christ the King); 1550 E. Dana Av, Mesa

HC (Holy Cross), NW quadrant of 1244 S. Power Rd and US 60, Mesa

HS (Holy Spirit); NEC of E. Libra Dr & McClintock (1 block north of Guadalupe Rd), Tempe

MHT (Most Holy Trinity); 8620 N. 7th St (between Northern and Dunlap Avenues), Phoenix

NC (Newman Center); Newman ASU Catholic Center, 230 E. University Dr, Tempe

OLA (Our Lady of the Angels); aka **Franciscan Renewal Center** Casa De Paz Y Bien; 5802 E. Lincoln Dr, Paradise Valley

OLPH (Our Lady of Perpetual Help); 7655 E. Main St & Miller Rd, Scottsdale

QP (Queen of Peace); NEC 1st St & 141 N. MacDonald, Mesa

SA (St. Anne); 440 E. Elliot Rd (between Gilbert and Lindsay Rds), Gilbert

SAN (St. Andrew); NEC of Country Club Way & 3450 W. Ray Rd (between McClintock & Price), Chandler

SB (St. Bernard of Clairvaux); NEC of 10755 N. 124th St & Shea, Scottsdale

SBC (Scottsdale Bible Church); 7601 E Shea Blvd, Scottsdale

SBEN (St. Benedict); 16223 S. 48th St, Phoenix

SBER (St. Bernadette); 16245 N. 60th St, Scottsdale

SBRI (St. Bridget); NEC of 2213 N. Lindsay Rd & Lockwood (between McDowell & McKellips Rds), Mesa

SD (St. Daniel); NWC of 1030 N. Hayden & Roosevelt, Scottsdale

SF (St. Francis Xavier); NEC of Highland and 4715 N. Central Av (between Camelback Rd & Indian School Rd, Phoenix

SG (St. Gregory); 3424 N. 18th Av (north of Osborn Rd), Phoenix

SJ (St. James); 19640 N. 35th Av, Glendale

SJA (St. Joan of Arc); SEC of 3801 E. Greenway Rd and 38th St., Paradise Valley

SJE (St. Jerome); 10815 N. 35th Av (between Peoria Av and Cactus Rd), Phoenix

SJO (St. Joseph); 11001 N. 40th St (just north of Shea Blvd; south of Cactus Rd), Phoenix

SJV (St. John Vianney), NWC of Loma Linda Blvd and Central Av (south on Central/135th Av from Van Buren St), Goodyear

SM (St. Mary); 230 W. Galveston, Chandler

SP (St. Paul); 330 W. Coral Gables Dr (south of Greenway Rd, west of 7th St), Phoenix

SPA (St. Patrick); Shea & 10815 N. 84th St, Scottsdale

ST (St. Timothy); NEC of 1730 W. Guadalupe Rd. & Pennington (between Alma School & Dobson Rd), Mesa

STA (St. Thomas the Apostle); NWC of 2312 E. Campbell Av. & 24th St, Phoenix

STH (St. Theresa), SW quadrant of 5045 E. Thomas Rd & 52nd St., Phoenix

STQ (St. Thomas Aquinas), NW quadrant of S. Litchfield Rd. (new) and 13720 W. Thomas Rd., Avondale

PARTICIPANTS ARE RESPONSIBLE TO ASSUME ANY AND ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH MPS ACTIVITIES