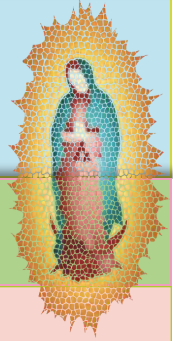


NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE DEL VALLE DE POJOAQUE

May 16, 2021
9 Grazing Elk Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87506



Parish Administrator: Rev. Franklin D. Pretto
Pastor Emeritus: Msgr. Jerome Martinez y Alire

Parish Office Hours:

Open Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 10am– 12 noon and
1:30pm-4:30pm

Closed Tuesday and Friday– Phone messages are checked daily,
please leave a message and phone calls will be returned
Rev. Franklin D. Pretto is out of the Office on Mondays
and Tuesday Mornings

Monsignor Jerome is in the Office on Wednesdays and is
available to meet by appointment ONLY.

Religious Education Office:

Call 455-2267 for Religious Education Questions

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Rev. Mr. Greg Romero.....455-0051
Rev. Mr. Reuben Roybal.....455-2986
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Parish Staff:

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MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

Saturday, May 15-4:00p.m.– Pojoaque

† Maria Berlene, Pita Ortiz & Frances Griego by David &
Celina Ortiz
† Clara Salazar, Estefanita Garcia & Mona Gonzales by Ben
& Charlotte Garcia

† Leroy Gomez by Monica Sena-Beaty

5:00p.m.– Spanish Video Mass– Chapel

† John Floyd Roybal by Debra Roybal

Sunday, May 16, 9:00a.m.– English Video Mass–

† Arturo A. (BD & A) & Mary Romero (A) by Cleo Romero
* In Thanksgiving to the Infant of Prague & St. Anthony by
Toni Romero

* In Thanksgiving to The Holy Family & The Holy Trinity
by S. Soares

† Steve & Joel Muller (A) by Pat & Diane Muller & Family

† Lois Pastor by JoAnne M. Frey & Diantha McJilton

10:30a.m.– Pojoaque–

† Floyd J. Roybal (1yrA) by The Family

† Harley Frank Brewer, Lyle Coriz & Vidal Romero by
Wilfred & Patty Romero & Family

† Byron McCloud, Yvonne & Laura McCloud by Anita
Ortiz

Sacraments:

To make arrangements for Baptism, Quinceañeras, Private Confession,
Matrimony, Anointing of the Sick, First Communion, Reconciliation,
High School

Confirmation or Adult Confirmation

Please Call the call Parish Office at 455-2472.

Parish Contacts:

Extraordinary Ministers.....Margie Tapia.....455-3937

Lectors.....Barbara Romero.....455-7736

Music Director.....Tommy Sisneros.....660-7339



CONFESSIONS: Saturdays: 2:00 p.m. Pojoaque– Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe (Father’s Office)

MASSES: Saturdays: 4:00p.m. Pojoaque– Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe– English Mass

5:00p.m. Spanish Video Mass

Sundays: 9:00a.m. English Video Mass

**10:30a.m. Pojoaque– Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe– English Mass (Reservations
be made by calling the Parish Office no later than Thursday)**

Weekdays: Wednesday– 11:30a.m. Pojoaque– Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe– English Mass

MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday, May 19, 11:30a.m.– Pojoaque

* For the Health of Paula Sanchez & Those Suffering with Cancer by Orlinda & Alfred Roybal

Saturday, May 22-4:00p.m.– Pojoaque

† Leroy Gomez by Monica Sena-Beaty

† Juan & Arabella Jiron & Sharon Lujan by Ben & Charlotte Garcia

* For the Health of Rosa Delgado, † Delia Escobedo & Joan Tollejon by Ray & Ymelda Santos

5:00p.m.– Spanish Video Mass– Chapel

* For the People of the Parish

Sunday, May 23, 9:00a.m.– English Video Mass–

† Patricia Hall (1yrA) by Sheila Keefe

† Flaviano, Celia & Phillip Herrera by Gilbert & Lisa Rivera

† Juanita Rodriguez, Priscilla Vieira & Eloiza Block by Casilda Vieira

† Juan & Arabella Jiron by Dan & Cecilia Barrone

10:30a.m.– Pojoaque-

† Johnny Valdez (BD) by Danny & Diolinda Roybal

† Manuel Olivas (6yrA) by Susie & Gerard Martinez

† Manuel & Rosarito Martinez & Deceased Family Members by Manuel & Angie Martinez

Mass Schedule:

In person Masses are on Saturdays at 4:00p.m and Sundays at 10:30a.m. and Wednesdays at 11:30a.m. Video Masses will still be streamed Saturday 5pm (Spanish) and Sunday 9am (English).

God Bless!

To be a Sponsor for the Sacraments:

Parents seeking sponsors for the sacraments of their offspring should choose exemplary Catholics who practice their faith faithfully, a mentor who will serve as a role model, demonstrating time, talent and treasure, and be a support to the person they are sponsoring. Sponsors/Godparents:

Must be a Baptized member of the Catholic Church

- Be at least 16 years old
- Have received the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist and Confirmation
- IF married, be married in the Catholic Church; if not married, should not be living with someone as husband and wife
- Should attend mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation and receive the Sacraments of Penance and Holy Communion at least once a year in the Easter Season.
- Understands and accepts these responsibilities. Will assist the parents in their Christian duty, and will help by example, word and action to live as a faithful Christian in communion with, and according to, the teachings of the Holy Catholic Church.

Parents MUST BE in communication with the Parish Office in the process of the completion of paperwork needed to complete sacraments. Paperwork must be completed 2 weeks before the sacraments are received. It is up to the parents to make sure that **all** the necessary paperwork is submitted, prior to baptisms or confirmations.

For any questions or more information, contact the Parish Office

Reflection 1:

Solemnity: Jesus Christ is Lord of heaven and earth. While no longer physically here on earth, Christ is with us through the power and presence of the Holy Spirit. The Risen Christ taught the disciples how his life, death and resurrection fulfilled what had been written in Scripture. As he prepared to ascend, he instructed them to wait together for the descent of the Holy Spirit upon them. Through the Spirit’s presence, they will understand what they must do and will be given the power to share the Good News through word and deed. On this Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, we will consider the call of every Christian to continue Jesus’ ministry of love.

We celebrate today one more step in the completion of the mission of the Son of God. Humanity had sinned at the beginning of time and fallen from the Original Innocence. God immediately began to prepare the world for the gift of eternal life by establishing a covenant with Noah, Abraham and Moses. He raised up various prophets and kings to further prepare His people for what was to come. And then, when the time was right, God entered our world through the Blessed Virgin Mary. Jesus, the Son of God eventually entered into His public ministry, teaching, performing miracles, gathering the faithful to Himself, dying, rising and then appearing to His disciples in preparation for the Ascension. The Ascension completes the mission of the Son of God and today we honor that one definitive moment when God the Son, in His transformed and resurrected human nature, ascends by His own power to the Father, bringing with Himself our humanity so that all humanity may ascend with Him. As we celebrate the Ascension of Jesus, we must first see all that led up to that moment and seek to unite ourselves with all of those preceding events. We must listen to the words of the patriarchs and prophets of the Old Testament. We must especially listen to the teachings of Jesus in the New Testament and embrace His words without hesitation. And we must unite ourselves with His own death, dying to sin, so that we may also share in His Resurrection. Today, we must further see the invitation we are all given to ascend with Jesus to the Father. We must understand that where Jesus has gone, we are invited to follow if we only believe, embrace, and live all that took place leading up to this glorious moment. The Ascension was the end of Jesus’ life on Earth but also the beginning of our sharing in the life of heaven. As Jesus ascended, He commissioned His disciples to go forth and “preach the gospel to every creature.” They were to preach to all about the saving plan of God that began at the time of Adam and Eve and was completed with the Ascension. Reflect, today, upon your calling to not only share in this glorious moment of the Ascension of Jesus but also your calling to go forth and to do all you can to draw others into this new life. Reflect upon Jesus, who also speaks to you today to invite you to bring others to that mountain. By teaching friends, family and all with whom God has entrusted to you to share the Gospel, you fulfill Christ’s mission to “go into the whole world” to gather the scattered people into the one-fold of Christ so as to ascend with Him one day into eternity. My ascended Lord, all things throughout history were but a preparation for the moment when you drew fallen humanity into Heaven to be with Your Father forever. Help me to always heed Your holy words, so that I, too, will share in Your Ascension. Use me, dear Lord, to also go forth and to draw many others to You so that the Kingdom will be filled with those whom You have called. Jesus, I trust in You.

Will Remain on Prayer List for 3 Consecutive Weeks*Pray for the Health of ...**Pray for our Brothers and Sisters in the Military ...*

Isaiah Fordham, Lt. Col. James Garcia, John Richard Gomez,
Joseph Griego, Lucas Miller, Charles F. Long, Sam Roybal,
Lance Corporal Paul Ray Trujillo, USMC, Spc. Dominic Valdez,
Isaiah Vigil.

Daily Readings for the**Week of May 16– May 22 :****Sunday** ACTS 3:13-19/ PS 4:2-9/ 1 JN 2:1-5/ LK 24:35**Monday** ACTS 6:8-15/ PS 119:23-30/ JN:22-29**Tuesday** ACTS 7:51/ PS 31:3-21/ JN 6:30-35**Wednesday** ACTS 8:1-8/ PS 66:1-7/ JN 6:35-40**Thursday** ACTS 8:26-40/ PS 66:8-20/ JN 6:44-51**Friday** ACTS 9:1-20/ PS 117:1-2/ JN 6:52-59**Saturday** ACTS 9:31-42/ PS 116:12-17/ JN 6:60-69**Spiritual Communion:**

A spiritual communion can be of value to anyone who desires a deeper union with Christ. It can be made at any time of the day or night. It is especially appropriate for those who find themselves unable to physically receive the Eucharist. For example, those who are not yet Catholic, those who have been away from the church for a long time and who have not yet made a good confession, those who are living in a state of serious sin, as well as those who are sick or homebound.

How does one make a spiritual Communion? Simply by desiring it. One formal prayer is "O Jesus, I turn toward the holy tabernacle where you live hidden for love of me. I Love You, O my God. I cannot receive you in Holy Communion. Come nevertheless and visit me with your grace. Come spiritually into my heart. Purify it. Sanctify it. Render it like unto your own." One need not use a formal prayer, however. A simple "Lord Jesus. Come into my heart" is sufficient, as is imagining Jesus coming into ones heart. As with any other spiritual habit, the more one does it, the easier it will become. There is no limit to the number of times we can ask Jesus to meet us. He desires to be with us.

Receiving Holy Communion at the Altar:

Communion will be given by the Priest, Deacon or Acolyte at the altar. Please continue to follow the direction of the ushers to direct you from your pew (starting with row one). Once you receive Communion in your hand you will then lift your mask from the bottom up and reverently consume the Body of Christ, then proceed back to your seat. Please maintain social distancing of six feet throughout the distribution of Communion. Please remember that gloves may NOT be worn while receiving Communion. Also, due to COVID restrictions and the fact that not everyone has received a vaccination, Communion will NOT be received on the tongue.

After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heaven and he sat on the right hand of God.

-Mark 16:19

Collection for the weekend of May 1 & 2:

Sunday Envelope Collection	4,945.00
Sunday Loose Collection	1,085.00
Building Fund	3,015.00
St. Vincent de Paul	894.00
Bro. of the Good Shepherd	45.00
Good Friday-Holy Land	5.00
Black & Indian Missions	320.00
Catholic Relief Services	5.00

***Please Note: These totals may be adjusted as they are deposited, these adjustments occur at the bank and include insufficient finds, etc. Final collection amounts are given to all Parishioners at the end of each year with our finance/ spending statement**

Thank you for your continued generosity, God Bless!

Find Us on Social Media (Facebook and YouTube):

NSDG Parish is on Facebook (NSDG Pojoaque) and YouTube (NSDG Church). Through Facebook, we share all updates from the Office as well as the weekend Masses. Our YouTube Page is used for all video Mass uploads that will be sent out. If for some reason you stopped receiving emails, you can go straight to YouTube and search for our page.

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**Baptism Update:**

If you had a baptism scheduled that was put on hold, please contact the Parish Office to discuss setting up a new date. All baptisms are being done privately in the Pojoaque Church with a limited attendance.

Baptism Classes:

We have virtual Baptism Classes for all parents and god-parents awaiting a baptism, please contact the office to get the information for the class and how to get your certificate and paper work. The class is valid for 2 years from the date of attendance.

The Personal Question:

What happened on Ascension Day and why is it important to Christianity?

Action for Today:

Keep Sunday holy by deciding what extra thing you will do to keep it holy. You can spend more time in prayer. Perhaps you can pray a Rosary, read and reflect on the Mass readings, or spend time reading your bible. Listen to a Catholic radio, watch a mass on YouTube, spend more time together as a family.

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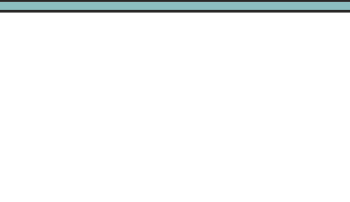


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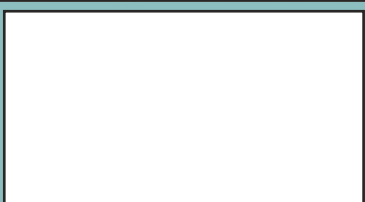
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