

**NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE  
DEL VALLE DE POJOAQUE**

9 Grazing Elk Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87506  
December 25, 2022



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

**Parish Office Phone Number & Hours: (505) 455-2472**

**Open Monday through Thursday 10am–12 noon and 1:30pm–4:30pm**

**Office is Closed on Friday**– Please leave a message and the call will be returned next business day.

Rev. Franklin D. Pretto is out of the Office on Monday and Tuesday Morning

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

**Religious Education Office:** Call (505) 455-2267

**Deacons:** Reuben Roybal 455-2986, John Archuleta 455-7619, Greg Romero 455-0051

**Saint Vincent de Paul:** Call or Text (505) 490-5520 For Any Type of Assistance



**CONFESSIONS:**  
**MASSES:**

**Saturdays:**  
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2:00p.m. Pojoaque-Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe (Father's Office)  
4:00p.m. El Rancho-San Antonio de Padua-Spanish Mass  
5:00p.m. Spanish Video Mass-Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe  
5:30p.m. Nambe Pueblo-Saint Francis of Assisi-English Mass  
8:30a.m. Nambe-Sagrado Corazon de Jesus-English Mass  
9:00a.m. English Video Mass-Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe  
10:30a.m. Pojoaque-Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe-English Mass  
11:30a.m. Pojoaque-NSDG Tue., Wed., and Thu. English Mass

**Sundays:**

**Weekdays:**



**MASS INTENTIONS  
THIS COMING WEEK  
AND WEEKEND  
December 27-January 1**

**Tuesday, December 27, 11:30a.m.-Pojoaque**

† Ramon and Frances Romero and Videll Romero  
by Wilfred, Patty and Bobby Romero

† Father Santillanes by Request

\* For Vocations to the Priesthood by Request

**Wednesday, December 28, 11:30a.m.-Pojoaque**

† Mary Lou Lujan, Kathy Lopez and Johnny Valdez  
by Wilfred and Patty Romero

† For All The Souls in Purgatory by Request

\* For Vocations to The Priesthood by Request

**Thursday, December 29, 11:30a.m.-Pojoaque**

† Dennis Romero, Sef Ortiz and Jason Jacques  
by Wilfred and Patty Romero

† For All Those Who Have No One To Pray For Them  
by Request

\* For Peace And Unity In The Parish by Request

**Saturday, December 31, Anticipatory Mass**

**5:00p.m. Pojoaque-English Video Mass**

† Priscilla Vieira and Francisco Vieira by Casilda Vieira

**5:30p.m.-Nambe English Mass**

† Lenny Barrone (8Yr A)  
by Ed and Margie Tapia and Family

† Manuelita Romero by The Martins

\* For The Health of Dan and Cecilia Barrone by Request

**Sunday, January 1,**

**Mary, The Holy Mother of God**

**8:30a.m.-Nambe-English Mass**

† Virginia L. Romero (BD) and George Romero  
by The Family-Patricia Martinez

† Seferino Lujan (45 Yr A), Sef Ortiz,  
and Paulita Ortiz (BD) by David and Celina Ortiz

† Virginia Romero, Prescilla Lovato  
and Ernestine Trujillo by Leroy Lopez and Family

**9:00a.m.-Pojoaque-English Video Mass**

† Francisco Vieira by Casilda Viera

† Carol Papierski by Joanne Frey

† Andy Perez and Leonard Martinez

by Paul and Lenora Martinez and Family

**10:30a.m. Pojoaque-English Mass**

† Priscilla Herrera and Gabriel Herrera  
by Lorraine Johnson and Family

† Amanda Martinez by Judi-Anne Romero and Jim Jones

† Anthony J. Baca Sr. (1 Yr and 2 mo A)  
by Angela R. Baca and Family



**THE HOLY FAMILY OF  
JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH  
Feast Day: December 30**

Prayer to the Holy Family: Lord, You intended for the Holy Family to be an example for all, and for the Holy Spirit to enlighten our homes. May we, like them, be able to live according to the family virtues and stand united by the

strength of Your Love before meeting again for eternity in the joy of Your house. Amen

**Holy Family Members Wear Your Medals To Mass.**

**CHILD PROTECTION TRAINING:**

Attention all members of various organizations that serve in the church. If you are 18 and older you are required to take the online course *Abuse Awareness Training; Creating a Safe Environment for Our Children Workshop*, sponsored by the Archdiocese of Santa Fe. Visit [archdiosf.org](http://archdiosf.org); first click "Links", then click VIRTUS online Training. At the end of the Training download a Certificate of completion and send it to the Parish Office. Workshops are good for five years. If you are not sure if you are up to date, call the Religious Education Office at (505) 455-2267 to check your status.

**FOR MARRIAGE WEEKEND PREPARATIONS**

Please visit [www.familylifem.org](http://www.familylifem.org) to register

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION RETREATS**

January 28-29, 2023 Please contact the Hispanic Ministry Office directly for the most recent information.

Deacon Robert Vigil, Director 505-831-8229

**PRE-CANA CLASSES**

Saint Anne Parish in Santa Fe (505) 690-7451.

For questions, please contact the Family Life Office at (505) 831-8117 or email at [yduan@archdiosf.org](mailto:yduan@archdiosf.org)

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER WORKSHOP**

For information please contact [GGabaldon@archdiosf.org](mailto:GGabaldon@archdiosf.org)

**SAN JUAN DIEGO CHAPEL**

*The Chapel is open daily, during Office Hours, for ALL who would like to sit in prayer throughout the day. Masks are optional but are highly recommended because of the seating distance. First Friday 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.*

**ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL**

This year our Church's Annual Catholic Appeal Goal is \$28,636.00. Thus far our parishioners have pledged \$26,189.00 and have paid \$25,124.00. Our pledge shortfall is \$3,512.00. There is still time to donate. Any monies donated above our goal will be sent back to our parish.

**CONTACT INFO TO SCHEDULE RETREATS**

Facilitator Sr. Paula Gallagher, IHM, (505) 670-0240 or email [musicwrit@aol.com](mailto:musicwrit@aol.com)

For Registration Contact Denise Frias at (505) 831-8165 or [Dfrias@archdiosf.org](mailto:Dfrias@archdiosf.org)—All classes are via ZOOM

**TO VIEW OUR PARISH BULLETIN**

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**2022 FALL RAFFLE Benefiting Religious Education**

Total Income \$23,380.04 Thank you to everyone who purchased a Raffle Ticket we appreciate your generosity.

**UNWRAP THE TRUE MEANING OF CHRISTMAS**

This Christmas we need to unwrap the Savior, Jesus Christ, whose presence as the infant of Bethlehem is God's Word to us. God's promise has been kept. "Fear not," the shepherds are reminded. "Fear not," God is with you. May you unwrap the True meaning of Christmas who is Jesus Christ, the Savior and Lord. With prayers for a blessed Christmas and New Year.

**EPHESIANS 4:29** Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen. **Ask the Holy Spirit to guide your heart. We are called to love, to act in love, and to be loving. Anything outside of love is not of God.**



**DAILY READINGS FOR: December 25-December 31****Sunday:** 16: IS 52:7-10 PS 98:1-6 HEB 1:1-6 JN 1:1-18**Monday:** 696: ACTS 6:8-10, 7:54-59 PS 31:3cd-4, 6-8b, 16bc, 17 MT 10:17-22**Tuesday:** 697: 1 JN 1:1-4 PS 97:1-2, 11-12 JN 20:1a, 2-8**Wednesday:** 698 : 1JN 1:5—2:2 PS 124:2-5, 7b-8 MT 2:13-18**Thursday:** 202: 1 JN 2:3-11 PS 96:1-3, 5-6 LK 2:22-35**Friday:** 17: SIR 3:2-6, 12-14 PS 128:1-5 MT 2:13-15, 19-23**Saturday:** 204: 1 JN 2:18-21 PS 96:1-2, 11-13 JN 1:1-18**FAMILY CONNECTION**

In our families, we are able to share good news and bad news. All too often, because of our busy-ness, we find ourselves only dealing with the bad news. Start a family tradition of inviting each family member to share something good that happened to him or her that day as you gather for dinner. Explain that, in the Gospel for the Christmas Mass at dawn, the shepherds were told the good news of Jesus' birth by the angels, and then they in turn went forth to share with others the good news. Point out how the people who heard the good news of the shepherds were amazed. Talk about how Mary treasured all this in her heart, meaning that she pondered the significance of these events and sought to recognize God's presence in the midst of them. Talk about how you can each ponder one another's good news and see how God is present in your family's everyday lives.

**ENVELOPE USAGE**

By using your Church Offering Envelope **OR** a plain Envelope with your envelope number, you are indicating your presence at Mass. What you put in the envelope is between you and God. Parishioners are asked to include first name, last name, envelope number, and your mailing address on any envelope that is not provided by the Parish. **Thank you for your continued support.**

**NSDG COVID-19 POLICIES**

The Archdiocese has given the Parish Priest the discretion to mandate their own COVID-19 Policies. Masks will be **Optional** while attending Mass. However, they remain strongly **recommended** for those over 65, with medical conditions that make them more vulnerable to the virus and those that are unvaccinated. If you are serving at the Altar, (Deacon, Acolyte, Lector, Cantor, EM, or any Server) you **MUST WEAR A MASK AT ALL TIMES**. All ministries who participate must be fully vaccinated with proof of card on file and have taken the Child Protection Training ages 18 and above. ASF Policy: Parish Staff must be fully vaccinated with proof of card on file or adhere to weekly testing. Spanish and English Videos are recorded so as to serve for the homebound who are ill or those with a serious reason. (Cf. CIC, c. 1245) Thank you for your continued cooperation.

**UNLESS YOU ARE A SCHEDULED MINISTER FOR THE WEEKEND**, Father Frank has asked that everyone stays out of the Sacristy. This is to protect Father, Monsignor and the Deacons or Ministers that may be present in the Sacristy before or after Mass.

**COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF  
December 10 and December 11**

Sunday Envelope	\$7,376.71
Building Fund	\$3,166.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 911.00
Donation for the Poor	\$ 614.00
Holy Day	\$ 754.00
Flowers	\$ 5.00
All Other Collections	\$ 734.00

**\*Please Note:** These totals may be adjusted as they are deposited, these adjustments occur at the bank and include insufficient funds, etc. Final collection amounts are totaled on a yearly Contribution Report and are available to parishioners at the end of each year by request.

Instead of **ON LINE GIVING**, you can set up **BILL PAY** through your bank or Credit Union to have a donation sent weekly, monthly, or annually to support our Parish. Thank you for your continued generosity during this time.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES**

There will be no classes this Sunday December 25, 2022 and on Sunday January 1, 2023.

Classes will resume on Sunday January 8, 2023

**ON SALE IN THE PARISH OFFICE**

Father Frank's Music CDs are on sale in the Parish Office for \$10.00 each. They make a great unique gift for any occasion.

**SUNDAY GOSPEL REFLECTION**

**First Reading: Isaiah 62:11–12** Say to daughter Zion, your savior comes.

**Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 97:1-6, 11-12** A light will shine on us this day: the Lord is born for us.

**Second Reading: Titus 3:4-7** He saved us through the bath of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit.

**Gospel Reading: Luke 2:15-22** So they went in haste and found Mary and Joseph and the infant lying in the manger. There are four Masses that are celebrated for the feast of Christmas, and each is given its own set of readings to help us contemplate Christ's birth. The Gospel for the Vigil Mass on Christmas Eve is taken from the beginning of the Gospel of Matthew, the genealogy of Jesus and the angel's announcement of the birth to Joseph. The mass at midnight proclaims the birth of Jesus through the angels' announcement to the shepherds in the Gospel of Luke. The reading for the mass at dawn on Christmas morning continues the story of the birth of Jesus with the shepherd's visit to the infant Jesus. Then, the Gospel for Christmas Mass during the day is taken from the beginning of John's Gospel. It is not an Infancy Narrative like those found in the Gospels of Matthew and Luke. Instead, John's Gospel starts at the very beginning of time and presents Creation as the framework for announcing the Incarnation. John's opening words echo the first verse of Genesis, "In the Beginning was the Word." As the angels return to heaven, the shepherds decide to go see "this thing" that has happened in Bethlehem. Their visit confirms everything the angels had told them about the birth of the Savior and Messiah. They spoke publicly about all they had seen. Mary ponders all this in her heart, and the shepherds return to their fields praising God. What had been told to them really happened. The scene is simple, two parents and child in a stable. But the reality is great. God's salvation offered to all.

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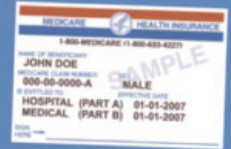


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