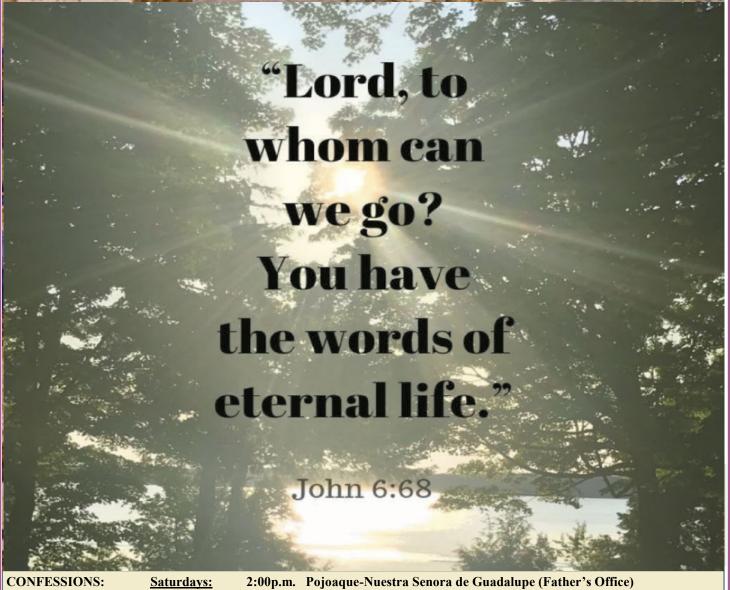
NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE DEL VALLE DE POJOAQUE

9 Grazing Elk Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87506 August 25, 2024

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MASS INTENTIONS THIS COMING WEEK AND WEEKEND August 27– September 1

Tuesday, Aug 27, 11:30a.m.-Pojoaque

- † Deacon Pete (1 Yr.A) by The Garcia Family
- † Consuelo Dominguez by Request
- * Health of Esther Martinez by Request

Wednesday, Aug 28, 11:30a.m.-Pojoaque

- † Paula Roybal Sanchez by Gary Sanchez
- † Nena Romero by Request
- † Deacon Thomas Van Valkenburgh & Gilbert Velarde by Request

Thursday, Aug 29, 11:30a.m.-Pojoaque

- † Vinicio & Helen Nasca by Request
- * Health of Dan & Cecilia Barrone by Request
- † Paula Sanchez by Request

Saturday, Aug 31, 4:00p.m. El Rancho-Span. Mass

- † Consuelo Dominguez by Request
- † Henry Trujillo by Request
- * Health of Margarita Trujillo by Request

5:00p.m. Pojoaque-Spanish Video Mass

- † David & Hilda Pretto by Request
- † Gregorio & Nelda Martinez by Request
- †* Lena Baca & All Family Members by Request

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

- * Health of Dan & Cecilia Barrone by Request
- † Luciano Trujillo (BD) & David Trujillo by The Trujillo Family
- † Johnney Montoya by Request

Sunday, Sept 1, 8:30a.m.-Nambe-English Mass

- † Special Blessings to Christopher Quintana and Family by Lawrence Ray Armenta Jr.
- † Clarabell Ortiz (1 Yr.A), Baudino "Buddy" Montoya (4 Yr.A) & Victor Salazar by Marcella Mathieson
- † Eddie Tapia (20 Yr.A) & Lucy S. Lopez (BD) by Margie & Ed Tapia

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

- † Francisco E. Vieira, Francisco A. Vieira & Priscilla Vieira by Casilda Vieira
- † Vickie, Scott & Dee Sealy by Pat Sealy
- * Health of Toby Quinley, Russell Perkey
- & Anita Perkey by Joanne Frey

10:30a.m. Pojoaque – English Mass

- † Juanita Ojeda (2 Yr. A) by The Gonzales Family
- † Vince & Darlene Garcia & "Baby" Isaiah by The Family
- † Ida Pacheco (30 Day Mass) by Joann Serna & Family



The Passion of Saint John the Baptist: Feast Day Thursday August 29th, Saint John the Baptist had a number of outstanding spiritual qualities. He was a fierce advocate for truth and justice, fought hard for what is right, and demonstrated his faith in a very public manner. He walked in straight paths and urged others to do likewise, directed attention away from himself to Jesus. These admirable traits serve as inspiration and guidance for our spiritual lives.

ABUSE AWARNESS TRAINING FOR ADULTS:

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 Workshop*, sponsored by the Archdiocese of Santa Fe. Visit 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 Parish Office at (505) 455-2472 to check your status.

FOR MARRIAGE WEEKEND PREPARATIONS

Please visit www.familylifenm.org to register

MARRIAGE PREPARATION RETREATS

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 yduran@archdiosf.org

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER WORKSHOP

For information please contact GGabaldon@archdiosf.org

SAN JUAN DIEGO CHAPEL The Chapel is open daily, 6:00a.m. to 12:00p.m., 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 8:00a.m. to 12:00p.m. Daily Adoration 9:00a.m. to 10:00a.m.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2024 "COME TO CHRIST, ONE AND ALL" Goal for Parish is \$25,500, which is \$3,000 LESS than last year. Total Currently Paid \$17,009. We are committed to helping Catholics share their financial gifts with others. Thank you to all who contribute.

CONTACT INFO TO SCHEDULE RETREATS

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

ACTS: Divine Mercy Chaplet Prayer Service, second Sunday of each month before the 10:30 a.m. Mass in Pojoaque.

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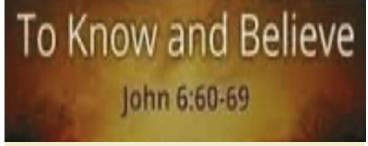
ORDNARY TIME The readings for the 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time focus on faith, commitment, and unity. They show us the importance of choosing to follow God and living according to His teachings. The First Reading Joshua challenges Israel to choose their allegiance at Shechem; the people reaffirm their commitment to the Lord, recalling His deliverance and protection throughout their history. The Second Reading reflects on Christ's love which guides marital roles: wives respecting husbands as the church respects Christ, and husbands loving wives as Christ loves the church, symbolizing unity and sanctity. In the Gospel Jesus address the difficulty of his teachings and acknowledges disbelief among his followers. After many leave, Peter reaffirms their faith, recognizing Jesus as the Holy One of God. The readings also help us understand the importance of choosing to follow God and living out our faith in daily life. They remind us that commitment to God brings unity and strength.

DAILY READINGS FOR: Aug 25 - Aug 31

Sunday: 122: JOS 24:1-18 PS34:2-21 EPH5:21-32 JN6:60-69 **Monday:** 425: 2 THES 1:1-12 PS 96:1-5 MT 23:13-22

Tuesday: 426: 2 THES 2:1-117 PS 96:10-13 MT 23:23-26 **Wednesday:** 427: 2 THES 3:6-18 PS 128:1-5 MT 23:27-32 **Thursday:** 428: 1 COR 1:1-9 PS 145:2-7 634 MK 6:17-29 **Friday:** 429: 1 COR 1:17-25 PS 33:111 MT 25:1-13

Saturday: 430: 1 COR 1:17-23 PS 33:111 MT 23:1-13 **Saturday:** 430: 1 COR 1:26-31 PS 33:12-21 MT 25:14-30



FAMILY CONNECTION

When a child is baptized, the parents speak on behalf of the child in professing the faith in which the child is to be baptized. The parents promise to teach their child this faith so that they may one day accept this faith as his or her own. In the example of Simon Peter, we learn that each person must also make his or her own profession of faith in Jesus as the one sent by God to save us. We pray for our children as they mature in the faith that they may learn that Jesus alone has the words of eternal life and that they may choose to follow the way of Christian discipleship. As a family, talk about the promise that parents make at their child's baptism to teach their child about Jesus and the faith of the Church. Talk about the importance of this promise to your family and about some of the things that you are doing to honor this commitment.

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.**

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

YOU MUST WEAR A MASK AT ALL TIMES If you are serving at the Altar, (Deacon, Acolyte, Lector, Cantor, EM, or any Server) The ASF has given the Parish Priest the discretion to mandate their own COVID-19 Policies.



ANOINTING OF THE SICK every third weekend of the Month. In Nambe Pueblo, Nambe & Pojoaque; after the celebration of the Mass. In El Rancho; before the Mass.

BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION September 6th

Please come and spend one hour with Jesus! My sweetest Joy is to be in the presence of Jesus in the Holy Sacrament. I beg that when obliged to withdraw in body, I may leave my heart before the Holy Sacrament. How I would miss out Lord, if He were to be away from me by His Presence in the Sacrament!

COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF August 10 and August 11

| Sunday Envelope | \$7 | ,318.90 |
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| Holy Day | \$ | 43.00 |
| Building Fund | \$ | 623.00 |
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*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.

Thank you for your continued generosity. May God Bless You!

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SUNDAY GOSPEL REFLECTION

First Reading: Joshua 24:1-2a,15-17,18b Joshua and the people declare that they will serve the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm: 34:2-3,16-17,18-19,20-21 The Lord hears the cries of the just.

Second Reading: Ephesians 5:15-32 Husbands and wives should love one another as Christ loves the Church.

Gospel Reading: John 6:60-69 We hear the conclusion of the "Bread of Life discourse" in the sixth chapter of John's Gospel. In the preceding verses, which we have heard proclaimed in our liturgy over the past few weeks, we heard Jesus explain that he is the Bread of Life, given so that those who believe may have eternal life. This discourse follows the miracle in which Jesus fed more than five thousand people with five barley loaves and two fish. As Jesus has been teaching these things, John's Gospel describes a murmuring crowd unable to accept Jesus' words. The crowd had dwindled in number, and John no longer references them, or the Jews. Instead John describes the questioning of those considered to be Jesus' own disciples. Today's Gospel first records the response of those in the crowd who are described as Jesus' disciples. Just as the larger crowd had struggled with Jesus' teaching, these disciples also cannot accept Jesus' words. Jesus is said to know about their murmuring. He responds by acknowledging their unbelief and by reiterating that only those chosen by the Father will follow Jesus to the end. The Gospel reports that many of those who had been Jesus' disciples ceased to follow him at this point. The number following Jesus dwindled from a crowd of more than 5,000 to only 12 people. It is to these Twelve that Jesus now turns his attention. The conclusion of the Bread of Life discourse focused on personal faith in the life of Christian discipleship. Each person must make his or her own judgement about who Jesus is and in doing so determine the way of life that he or she will follow. God's grace invites us to be Jesus' disciples, but each person must respond to the grace of God and confess as his or her own the belief that Jesus is the one from God. This faith then commits us to the path of life, leading us to external life.

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