NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE DEL VALLE DE POJOAQUE

9 Grazing Elk Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87506 December 29, 2024

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Open Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 10am-12 noon and 1:30pm-4:30pm
Office is Closed on Tuesday and 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.



CONFESSIONS:	Saturdays:	2:00p.m. Pojoaque-Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe
MASSES:	Saturdays:	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
	Sundays:	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 Mas
	Weekdays:	11:30a.m. Pojoaque-NSDG Tue., Wed., and Thu. English Mass



MASS INTENTIONS THIS COMING WEEK AND WEEKEND Dec 31 – Jan 5

Tuesday, Holy Day Anticipatory Mass for The Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God December 31, 5:30p.m. Pojoaque

- † Rita Jo Romero by Leroy Romero
- * Health of Dan & Cecilia Barrone by The Family
- † Dan Dan Barrone (2 Yr.A) & Lenny Barrone (10 Yr.A) by Margie & Ed Tapia

Holy Day of Obligation

Wednesday, Jan 1, 10:30a.m. Pojoaque

The Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

- † Virginia L. Romero & George Romero by The Family
- † Nena Romero & Paula Sanchez by Request
- * Health of Phil & Esther Martinez by Request

Thursday, January 2, 11:30a.m. Pojoaque

- † Cidelia & Gerard Martinez by Sostella Lujan-McGaw
- * Health of Margarita Trujillo by Request
- † Reverend Daniel Balizan by The Family

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

- † Carlos & Susie Lujan by The Family
- † Cidelia & Gerard Martinez by Sostella Lujan-McGaw
- † Kathy Lopez by Request

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

- † David & Hilda Pretto by Request
- † Gregorio & Nelda Martinez; Bernadette Apodaca by The Family
- *†Lena Baca & Family (Living & Deceased) by Request
- 5:30p.m. Nambe Pueblo-English Mass
- † Florencio Romero by The Family
- † Paula Roybal Sanchez, Eugene G. Schiess & Joe F. DeAguero by Gary Sanchez
- * Health of Phil & Esther Martinez by The Family

Sunday, Jan 5, 8:30a.m.-Nambe-English Mass

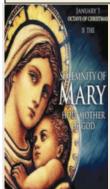
- † Gilbert, Lucy & Victor Salazar by Marcella Mathieson
- † Librado Valdez (A), Ramon Valdez & Sef Ortiz by David & Celina Ortiz
- * Health of Dan & Cecilia Barrone by Request

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

- † Francisco E. & Francisco A. & Priscilla Vieira by C.V.
- † Vickie Sealy, Scott Sealy & Dee Sealy by Pat Sealy
- †* Toby Quinley & Barbara Liscarz by Joanne Frey

10:30a.m. Pojoaque - English Mass

- † Joe & Sharon Lujan; Freddie Lujan by Armando & Florinda Lujan
- † Mary Lou Lujan by Rosendo Lujan
- † Phillip & Helen Lujan by Charles & Joann Lujan



Nativity of The Lord, Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God: Wednesday January 1st, This celebration honors Mary as the mother of Jesus, who is the incarnation of God the Son. It also commemorates the role Mary played in the mystery of salvation. The title "Mother of God" expresses faith in Jesus' divinity and acknowledges that Mary is the mother of all of God's children. The Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God is a liturgical celebration observed exactly one week after Christmas.

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 \$19,199. 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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REFLECTION: FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS MARY AND JOSEPH On this, Sunday within the Octave of Christmas, we honor the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. In honoring them, we also honor all families, big or small. In honoring all families, we honor the family of God, the Church. But most especially, we focus in on the hidden, day to day life of the Holy Family of Nazareth. Devotion to the Holy Family began the very same night Jesus was born. What a strange occurrence that the very first people to adore God made human were shepherds. It was not Kings, it was not priests, it was not the rich and mighty. The witnesses to God's greatest miracle, found in the comforting warmth of the Holy Family, were simple shepherds. Shepherding was not an honored profession, at that time. Quite the contrary, shepherds were poor and positioned low in the social hierarchy. In this story, the ostracized find God among their own. The Holy Family is about finding holiness where you think there is nothing holy.

DAILY READINGS FOR: Dec 29- Jan 4

Sunday: 17: SIR 3:2-14 PS 128:1-5 COL 3:12-21 LK 2:41-52

Monday: 203: 1 JN 2:12-17 PS 96:7-10 LK 2:36-40 **Tuesday:** 204: 1 JN 2:18-21 PS 96:1-13 JN 1:1-18

Wednesday: 18:NM 6:22-27PS 67:2-8GAL 4:4-7 LK 2:16-21

Thursday: 205: 1 JN 2:22-28 PS 98:1-4 JN 1:19-28 **Friday:** 206: 1JN 2:29-3:6 PS 98:1-6 JN 1:29-34 **Saturday:** 207: 1 JN 3:7-10 PS 98:1-9 JN 1:35-42



FAMILY CONNECTION

Today's Gospel describes a time of anxiety in the life of Jesus' family. We can imagine their panic and worry as they discovered that Jesus was not with the caravan returning to Nazareth. The Holy Family Journeyed with family members and friends because traveling alone was dangerous. When they found Jesus in the Temple, Jesus spoke like a typical adolescent, unsympathetic to his parents' concern. Yet his words teach an important lesson about reducing anxiety in our family life. In essence, Jesus says, "If you had remembered who I am, you would have known where to find me." In their panic, Mary and Joseph had forgotten what had been told to them before Jesus' birth, that their son was the Son of God. Knowing a person well helps reduce our anxieties for them because we can better predict how they will behave.

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 January 3rd

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 December 14 and December 15

Sunday Envelope	\$8,757.00
Building Fund	\$ 478.00
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Holy Day	\$ 16.00
Other	\$ 96.00

*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.

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

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.

UPDATE PARISH CENSUS: It is imperative that you keep your address, name, telephone number, email and dependent information current. Please email or call the Parish Office with current information. Email: ologpojoaque@gmail.com

SUNDAY GOSPEL REFLECTION

First Reading: Sirach 3:2-6,12-14 Honor to one's parents will be rewarded.

Responsorial Psalm: 128:1-2,3,4-5 Happy are those who follow the Lord's ways.

Second Reading: Colossians 3:12-21 Do all things in the name of Jesus and give thanks to God.

Gospel Reading: Luke 2:41-52 The boy Jesus is found in the Temple.

Today we celebrate the feast of the Holy Family. This feast is part of the Christmas season, and we should place today's Gospel in the context of what Luke's Gospel tells us about the birth of Jesus. Luke has been answering the question "Who is Jesus?" through his stories of the births of John the Baptist and Jesus. Today's Gospel reading continues this theme. It has no parallel in the other Gospels and is the conclusion of Luke's Infancy Narrative. Mary, Joseph, and Jesus are presented in this Gospel as a faithful Jewish family. They are participating in the annual pilgrimage to Jerusalem for the feast of Passover, an event shared each year with family and friends. When Jesus is found, Luke describes him as seated in the Temple in the midst of the Jewish teachers. Although he is young, Jesus seems not to need teaching about his Jewish tradition. In his dialogue with these learned teachers, Jesus astounds them with his insight and understanding. Jesus is a child of Israel. His Father is God. The dialogue between Mary and Jesus contains many references to family relationships. In fact, in this Gospel reading Mary and Joseph are never identified by name. Instead they are referred to by their relationship to Jesus. Ultimately, this emphasizes Luke's point about the identity of Jesus. When Mary and Joseph find Jesus in the Temple, they question Jesus and express their anxiety. Jesus replies in words that many have thought to be disrespectful. Jesus says that he was never lost; he was at home. Jesus is God's Son, and he is in his Father's house. In Luke's Gospel, Mary's importance is even greater than her role as Jesus' mother. Mary is the first disciple and will be present with Jesus' disciples after his Resurrection at Pentecost.

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