

*NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE  
DEL VALLE DE POJOAQUE*  
9 Grazing Elk Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87506  
March 9, 2025



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

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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  
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AND JESUS ANSWERED  
AND SAID TO HIM,  
"GET BEHIND ME, SATAN!  
FOR IT IS WRITTEN,

**YOU SHALL  
WORSHIP  
→ THE LORD ←  
YOUR  
GOD,  
AND HIM  
ONLY YOU  
→ SHALL ←  
SERVE.**



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



**MASS INTENTIONS  
THIS COMING WEEK  
AND WEEKEND  
March 11 – March 16**

**Tuesday, March 11, 11:30a.m. Pojoaque**

Eucharistic Service Prayer Intentions

**Wednesday, March 12, 11:30a.m. Pojoaque**

† Deacon Danny Valdez by The Parish Office

\* Health Phil & Esther Martinez by Request

† Nena Romero by The Family

**Thursday, March 13, 11:30a.m. Pojoaque**

† Gilbert Gonzales (1 Yr. A), Angie Roybal & Grace Gomez by Gilbert & Renee Lopez

\* Health of Margarita Trujillo by The Parish Staff

**Saturday, March 15, 4:00p.m. El Rancho-Span. Mass**

† Betty Ann Armijo (2 Yr. A) by Benny Armijo

† Genaro Quintana Jr. (BD), Genaro Quintana Sr. & Josefina Quintana by Jovanna Ortiz & Quintana Fam.

† Esther R. Vigil (6 Yr. A) Teofilo Vigil & Stefanie Salazar by Linda Salazar

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

† David & Hilda Pretto by The Family

† Gregorio & Nelda Martinez; Bernadette Apodaca by The Family

\*† Lena Baca & Family (Living & Deceased) by Request

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

† James D. Porter, Scott Williams & Sabrina Rodriguez by Request

† Jose Maria & Julianita Ortiz; Eloy Herrera Jr. by The Family

† Abby Herrera Salazar; Tommy & Timmy Herrera By The Family

**Sunday, March 16, 8:30a.m.-Nambe-English Mass**

† Patrocino & Amada Romero by Jerry & Barbara & Family

† Maria V. Ortiz, Fidencio Encinias & Vivanita Encinias by Jose Claudio Ortiz

\*† Members of The Rodriguez Family by Request

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

† Francisco E. & Francisco A. & Priscilla Vieira by Casilda M. Vieira

† Vickie Sealy, Scott Sealy & Dee Sealy by Pat Sealy

\*† Toby Quinley, Estella Frey & Charlie Frey by Joanne Frey

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

† Rita Jo Romero by Leroy Romero

† Juan B. & Florinda Gomez & Manuel Herrera by Susan Gomez & Family

\* Our Lady of Guadalupe & St. Anthony by Anita Ortiz

**ABUSE AWARENESS 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](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 Parish Office at (505) 455-2472 to check your status.

**FOR MARRIAGE WEEKEND PREPARATIONS**

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

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For questions, please contact the Family Life Office at (505) 831-8117 or email at [yduram@archdiosf.org](mailto:yduram@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, 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 2025 "LET PEACE BEGIN WITH ME"**

Goal for Parish is \$28,000, which is \$2,500 MORE than last year. Total Currently Paid \$245.00. 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](mailto:musicwrit@aol.com)

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

**TO VIEW OUR PARISH BULLETIN**

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**REFLECTION: FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT:** On the First Sunday of Lent begins our journey. This is a time to reflect on our faith and grow closer to God. Jesus is tempted by the devil but resists. This teaches us to stand strong against temptations in our lives. Jesus' time in the desert shows that God is with us in our struggles. We can rely on God's help when we face challenges. Jesus uses Scripture to counter the devil's temptations. This shows the power of God's word in guiding us and protecting us. The readings emphasize trusting God in every situation. This trust is key to our faith journey during Lent. Jesus' obedience to God in the desert is a model for us. We are called to obey God's will in our lives. Lent is a special time for reflection and growth in faith. By focusing on these themes, we can deepen our relationship with God. During Lent we can focus on prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. It connects the story of Jesus' temptation in the desert with the Lenten practices of spiritually, sacrifice and service. This reading encourages a stronger commitment to God.



**Lent Abstinence on Fridays During Lent:**

During Lent, Catholics aged 14 and older abstain from meat on all Fridays, including Good Friday. There are exceptions; people who are physically ill including those with chronic illnesses. The church encourages additional forms of self imposed penance for example participate in daily Mass, share our time and talents. Fasting means a person is permitted to eat one full meal. Two smaller meals may also be taken, but they are not to equal that of a full meal.



**DAILY READINGS FOR: Mar 9– Mar 15****Sunday:** 24: DT 26:4-10 PS 91:1-15 ROM 10:8-13 LK 4:1-13**Monday:** 224: LV 19:1-18 PS 19:8-15 MT 25:31-46**Tuesday:** 225: IS 55:10-11 PS 34:4-19 MT 6:7-15**Wednesday:** 226: JON 3:1-10 PS 51:3-19 LK 11:29-32**Thursday:** 227: EST C:12-25 PS 138:1-8 MT 7:7-12**Friday:** 228: EZ 18:21-28 PS 130:1-8 MT 5:20-26**Saturday:** 229: DT 26:16-19 PS 119:1-8 MT 5:43-48


## The TEMPTATIONS of Jesus

**FAMILY CONNECTION**

In Luke's Gospel, the story of Jesus' temptation in the desert appears just after Jesus' baptism and before Jesus begins his public ministry. We can imagine this as a time of transition, a turning point in Jesus' life. Perhaps we can liken it to one of the important turning points in our own lives: the decision to marry, the birth of a child, the acceptance of a new job, or the purchase of a new home. After the moment of decision, having reached the point of no return, we sometimes begin to wonder if we are prepared and ready for the task before us. Turning points can be times of doubt and insecurity. Jesus' response to the temptations of the devil offers an example for responding in faith when our doubts and insecurities tempt us to distrust God's sufficiency. As a family talk about ways in which trust can be built among members of the family.

**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 April 4th**

*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  
February 22 and February 23**

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| Sunday Envelope     | \$5,939.71 |
| Building Fund       | \$ 180.00  |
| St. Vincent de Paul | \$ 225.00  |
| Other               | \$ 20.00   |

**\*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!*

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**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: Deuteronomy 26:4-10** Moses describes the offering of praise for God's deliverance of Israel.

**Responsorial Psalm: 91:1-2,10-11,12-13,14-15** A prayer for God's protection.

**Second Reading: Romans 10:8-13** Paul teaches that we are saved by faith.

**Gospel Reading: Luke 4:1-13** In the desert, Jesus is tempted by the devil.

In each of the three Synoptic Gospels, after his baptism, Jesus is reported to have spent forty days in the desert, fasting and praying. In Luke and in Matthew, the devil presents three temptations to Jesus. The devil tempts Jesus to use his power to appease his hunger, he offers Jesus all the kingdoms of the world if Jesus will worship him, and he tempts Jesus to put God's promise of protection to the test. Jesus resists, citing words from Scripture to rebuke the devil's temptation. Each temptation that Jesus faces offers insight into the spiritually we hope to develop as we keep the forty days of the Season of Lent. We can trust God to provide for our material needs. We worship God because God alone has dominion over us and our world. We can trust God to be faithful to his promises. Jesus' rejection of the devil's temptations shows that he will not put God to the test. Grounding himself on the Word and authority of Scripture, Jesus rebukes the devil by his confidence in God's protection and faithfulness. This Gospel highlights for us one of the central themes of Lent. We are dependent upon God for all that we have and all that we are. Anything that leads us to reject this dependency or to distrust its sufficiency, is a temptation from the devil. Luke ends his report of Jesus' temptation in the desert by noting that the devil departs for a time. The implication is that the devil will return. Jesus knows that he will be tempted again in the Garden of Gethsemane. The depth of Jesus' trust in God is shown most fully when Jesus rejects the temptation to turn away from the task God has given to him. Jesus' final rebuke of the devil is his sacrifice on the Cross. As we start our journey through Lent let us have the same confidence Jesus had.

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