

## NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE DEL VALLE DE POJOAQUE 9 Grazing Elk Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87506 May 11, 2025

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Parish Office Phone, Webpage & Hours: (505) 455-2472; www.facebook.com/nsdg.church 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 available to meet by appointment ONLY.



#### NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE

#### DEL VALLE DE POJOAQUE

**MASS INTENTIONS** THIS COMING WEEK **AND WEEKEND** May 13 – May 18 Tuesday, May 13, 11:30a.m. Pojoaque \* Health of Margarita Trujillo by The Parish Staff † Maria Elena "Nena" Romero (4 Yr.A) by Parish Staff <sup>†</sup> James A. Salazar by The Family Wednesday, May 14, 11:30a.m. Pojoaque † Paula Sanchez by The Parish Staff † Deacon Danny Valdez & Deacon Pete Garcia by The Parish Staff Thursday, May 15, 11:30a.m. Pojoaque <sup>†</sup> Nena Romero (4 Yr.A) by The Sanchez Family <sup>†</sup> Benito Garcia, Arnold Gabaldon & Ernie Gabaldon by Ben & Charlotte Garcia \* Health of Phil & Esther Martinez & Family by Req. Saturday, May 17, 4:00p.m. El Rancho-Span. Mass <sup>†</sup> Jose Encarnacion Romero & Adelina M. Romero by Angela Freeman <sup>†</sup> Consuelo Dominguez by The Parish Staff <sup>†</sup> Kathy Lopez by The Parish Staff 5:00p.m. Pojoaque-Spanish Video Mass <sup>†</sup> David & Hilda Pretto by The Family † Gregorio & Nelda Martinez; Bernadette Apodaca \*†Lena Baca & Family (Living & Deceased) by Request 5:30p.m. Nambe Pueblo-English Mass <sup>†</sup> Steve Muller (A) & Joel Muller (A) by Pat & Diane Muller & Family † Robert Rivera (1 Yr. A); David & Manuelita Herrera by Emma Herrera & Family <sup>†</sup> Nena Romero (4 Yr. A) by The Candelaria Family Sunday, May 18, 8:30a.m.-Nambe-English <sup>†</sup> Virginia L. Romero by The Family † Ervin Brady (8 Yr.A), Leopoldo Ortiz (59 Yr.A) Eduardo Ortiz (54 Yr.A) by David & Celina Ortiz <sup>†</sup> Arturo A. & Mary Romero; Tom Jordan by Cleo Romero 9:00a.m.-Pojoaque-English Video Mass <sup>†</sup> McJilton Family by Joanne Frey <sup>†</sup> Loretta Martinez & Michael Sealy by Pat Sealy † Mary Kay Keen, Helen Regan & Toby Quinley by Joanne Frey 10:30a.m. Pojoaque-English Mass <sup>†</sup> Walter Roybal (8 Yr.A) by Mom & Dad † Brandy Romero, Ruth Romero & Guadalupe Romero by Nina, Kimberly & Family

† Ersilia Romero, Horacio Romero & Ray Lopez by The Lopez Family



Honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary and Mother's in May: Mothers Day May 11th In Catholicism, Mother's Day is a time to honor both earthly mothers and Mary, the Mother of God. The holiday is celebrated the second Sunday of May. Catholics view Mary as the spiritual mother of the Church and recognize her as the ultimate model of motherhood. May God Bless all Mother's on this Special Day. Happy Mothers' Day! 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 Child Protect 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 (505) 831-8117 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@asfnm.org

**BAPTISM CLASSES:** San Isidro Catholic Church in Santa Fe at the Parish Center; English Classes 3rd Thursday of the month 6:00p.m.; Spanish Classes last Tuesday of the month 6:00p.m. Please call 505-471-0710 to register.

**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 \$10,464. 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: FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER:** The 4th Sunday of Easter, also known as Good Shepherd Sunday, focuses on Jesus' role as the Good Shepherd, who knows and loves his sheep, and leads them to eternal life. This reflection invites us to consider our relationship with Jesus and how we listen to this voice, following him as our shepherd. The Gospel reading highlights Jesus' promise of eternal life to those who follow him. It also, emphasizes Jesus' role as the Good Shepherd, who knows his sheep and lays down his life for them. The reflection encourages us to recognize Jesus' voice amidst the noise of the world and to follow his guidance. Jesus' promise of eternal life to those who follow him is a central theme of the Gospel reading. It also invites us to examine our relationship with Jesus an how we respond to his love and guidance. The reading also encourages us to reflect on humility and service to others, following by Jesus' example. We must always remember that Jesus is our Shepherd. He knows us, loves us, and calls us to follow him.

#### Fourth Sunday of Easter

DAILY READINGS FOR: May 11 – May 17 Sunday: 51:ACTS13:14-52PS100:1-5 RV7:9-17 JN 10:27-30 Monday: 279:ACTS 11:1-18 PS 42:2-4 JN 10:1-10 Tuesday: 280: ACTS 11:19-26 PS 87:1b-7 JN 10:22-30 Wednesday: 564:ACTS 1:15-26 PS 113:1-8 JN 15:9-17 Thursday: 282: ACTS 13:13-25 PS 89:2-27 JN 13:16-20 Friday: 283:ACTS 13:26-33 PS 2:6-11 JN 14:1-6 Saturday: 284: ACTS 13:44-52 PS 98:1-4 JN 14:7-14



#### **FAMILY CONNECTION**

Not only can we recognize family members voices, we can also read the tone of their voices and know something about how they are feeling. In our relationship with Jesus, we know Jesus' voice and are called to follow. Jesus doesn't just bring us closer to the Father, Jesus puts us directly into contact with God the Father, removing all distance between us. In the Gospel of John, Jesus identifies so closely with the Father that he tells us that they are one, not just close, but actually one. Knowing Jesus means knowing the Father. Ask your family members to talk about some ways that Jeus brings them closer to God and closer to one another. Pray together as a family the Acts of Faith. When we share eternal life, we will be closer to God as well. We will see God as he is and share fully in the life of God.

#### **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.

WEAR A MASK IF YOU ARE SICK: 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 SICK & 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 June 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 April 26 and April 27

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Sunday Envelope	\$6	6,631.07
Building Fund	\$	95.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	684.00
Rice Bowl	\$	135.00
Brothers of the Good Shepherd	\$	573.00
Other	\$	65.00

\*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: Acts of the Apostles 13:14,43-52** Paul and Barnabas preach the good news among the Gentiles and are expelled by the Jews.

**Responsorial Psalm: 100:-2,3,5** A song in praise of God who shepherds us.

Second Reading: Revelation 7:9,14b-17 John describes his vision of the praises that the holy ones sing to the Lamb. Gospel Reading: John 10:27-30 Jesus describes his care for his sheep.

The fourth Sunday of Easter is also called Good Shepherd Sunday. In each of the three lectionary cycles, the Gospel is taken from the tenth chapter of the Gospel of John. This Gospel follows Jesus' healing of the man born blind and the rejection of this miracle by Jewish leaders who question Jesus' authority to heal. Jesus responds to this challenge to his authority by calling himself the Good Shepherd. He is criticizing the Pharisees and other Jewish leaders. Already the Pharisees and other Jewish leaders are so angered that they attempt to stone and arrest Jesus. Set in a moment of tension and conflict in today's Gospel reading is Jesus' answer to the question, "Are you the Messiah?" Jesus responds by saying, in essence, "If you have to ask, then you are not one of my sheep." Then Jesus asserts his unity with the Father. At the conclusion of these words, John reports that the Jews intend to stone Jesus for blasphemy, but he escapes arrest. We may be less familiar with the metaphors of sheep and shepherd than those to whom Jesus spoke. The image of Jesus as Good Shepherd and the community of followers as his sheep has endured over the centuries as a primary image in our faith tradition. Its power to describe the relationship between Jesus and his followers transcends direct experience with sheep. The image speaks to us about the protection, security, and care that shepherds represent for their sheep. To know Jesus is to know the Father. Jesus doesn't just bring us closer to the Father, Jesus puts us directly into contact with God the Father, removing all distance between us. Our relationship with Jesus is an invitation to share in the life of God.

