

*NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE  
DEL VALLE DE POJOAQUE*

9 Grazing Elk Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87506  
August 3, 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

**Monsignor Jerome** is available to meet by appointment ONLY.

**Religious Education:** Zenda Vargas (505) 455-2267 email: [nsdgzvargas@gmail.com](mailto:nsdgzvargas@gmail.com)

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**CONFESSIONS: Saturdays:**

**MASSSES: Saturdays:**

**Sundays:**

**Weekdays:**

**2:00p.m. Pojoaque-Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe**

**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**



**MASS INTENTIONS  
THIS COMING WEEK  
AND WEEKEND  
Aug 5 – Aug 10**

**Tuesday, August 5, 11:30a.m. Pojoaque**

- † Clara Salazar (BD), Esequiel Salazar  
& Vincent Salazar by Ben & Charlotte Garcia
- \* Health of Margarita Trujillo by The Parish Staff
- † Paula Sanchez by The Parish Staff

**Wednesday, August 6, 11:30a.m. Pojoaque**

- † Rick Romero (1 Yr.A) by The Family
- † Francisco E., Francisco A. & Priscilla Vieira  
by Casilda Vieira
- † Nena Romero by The Parish Staff

**Thursday, August 7, 11:30a.m. Pojoaque**

- † Alfred Trujillo (2 Yr.A) by Patricia & Loyola Trujillo
- \* Health of Phil & Esther Martinez & Family
- \* Health of Baby James Chavez by The Family

**Saturday, Aug 9, 4:00p.m. El Rancho-Span. Mass**

- † Deacon Danny Valdez & Deacon Pete Garcia
- † For All The Souls in Purgatory by Request
- † Mary Lou Lujan by The Parish Staff

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

- † 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**

- † Vicente & Adelia Porter by Request
- † Arturo F. Romero (6 Yr.A.), Miquela Romero  
& Darlene Garcia by Barbara Romero & Family
- † Lupe Yates by The Family

**Sunday, Aug 10, 8:30a.m.-Nambe-English**

- † Alfred (BD), Martin Trujillo & Allen Grace  
by Leroy Lopez & Doris Roybal
- † Virginia L. Romero, George H. Romero  
& Patricia Martinez by The Family
- † Elida Ortiz, Buddy Montoya & Jennie Salazar  
by Marcella Mathieson

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

- \*† Deirde Ragan & Elizabeth McJilton by Joanne Frey
- † Francisco E., Francisco A. & Priscilla Vieira  
by Casilda Vieira

- † Margaret Velarde, James A. Salazar & Ben Salazar

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

- † Mary Lou Lujan by Rosendo Lujan
- † Carmen Montoya (BD) & Denise Roybal (3 Yr.A)  
by The Roybal Family
- \* Health of Joyce Santos, Bernadette Ortiz  
& Roger Maldonado by Ray & Ymelda



**The Transfiguration of the Lord:  
Feast Day Wednesday August 6th,** The Transfiguration is a pivotal event in the New Testament where Jesus's appearance was dramatically altered, revealing his divine glory to three of his disciples, Peter, James and John, on a mountain. His face shines like the sun, and his clothes become dazzling white. Moses and Elijah appear alongside him. This event, is interpreted as a glimpse of Jesus's heavenly glorious nature and future resurrection.

**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 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.familylifem.org](http://www.familylifem.org) to register

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION RETREATS**

Please contact the Hispanic Ministry Office (505) 831-8117

**PRE-CANA CLASSES**

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**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 \$12,559. 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  
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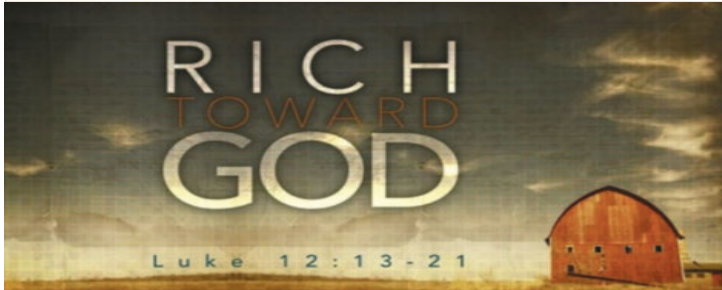
**ACTS:** Divine Mercy Chaplet Prayer Service, second Sunday of each month before the 10:30 a.m. Mass in Pojoaque.

**TO VIEW OUR PARISH BULLETIN**

**Follow This Link:** [www.parishesonline.com](http://www.parishesonline.com)

**REFLECTION: EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN**

**ORDINARY TIME:** The 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time focuses on the dangers of greed and the importance of storing up treasure in heaven. The readings encourage reflection on our relationship with material possessions and the need to find fulfillment in God rather than worldly things. The readings challenge the idea that material wealth brings lasting happiness and security. They remind us that true fulfillment comes from a relationship with God, not possessions. The parable of the rich fool highlights the folly of hoarding wealth while neglecting spiritual needs and the needs of others. The rich man focuses on accumulating more and more, but his life is ultimately taken from him, leaving him nothing to show for his efforts. The readings encourage us to shift our focus from earthly possessions to heavenly rewards. This involves seeking God's kingdom, sharing our resources with those in need, and living a life of service. The reading calls us to be generous with our possessions and to share with others.

**DAILY READINGS FOR: August 3 – August 9****Sunday:** 114:ECCL1:2-23PS90:3-17COL3:1-11 LK 12:13-21**Monday:** 407: NM 11:4b-15 PS 81:12-17 MT 14:13-21**Tuesday:** 408: NM 12:1-13 PS 51:1-13 MT 14:22-36**Wednesday:** 614: DN 7:9-14 PS 97:1-19 LK 9:28b-36**Thursday:** 410: NM 20:1-13 PS 95:1-9 MT 16:13-23**Friday:** 411: DT 4:32-40 PS 77:12-21 MT 16:24-28**Saturday:** 412: DT 6:4-13 PS 18:2-51 MT 17:14-20**FAMILY CONNECTION**

Family life helps us learn about the values of solidarity and the common good. As a family, we strive to respect the rights of each family member and make decisions that promote the common good of the family. Talk about what it would be like if the family ordered a pizza and then divided it unevenly, with some members getting as many pieces as they wanted while others got only a half slice. Talk about how you work to make sure that everyone in the family has his or her fair share. Talk about how your family is also a member of the human family, called to share the goods of creation fairly and justly. Talk about the parable of the rich fool and ask your family to describe what they think he did wrong. Each time we go to Mass, we ask forgiveness for what we have failed to do.

**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 full name, envelope number, and address. **Thank you for your support.**

**SAVE THE DATE:** Fall Family Day is scheduled for October 12, 2025 after the 10:30a.m. Mass in Pojoaque at the Parish Hall. A time when our Parish can come together as a family and fellowship. FREE food and music will be provided to our Parishioners. Please don't forget to sell your Raffle Tickets. They benefit Religious Education Administrator Expense Program 100%. Winners will receive cash prizes and artwork.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BINGO:** Will be held in the Parish Hall on September 20th at 6:00p.m. Doors open at 5:00p.m. There will be delicious food, cash prizes and other prizes. Please come and support this important Ministry.



**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 5th**  
*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  
July 19 and July 20**

Sunday Envelope	\$8,611.00
Building Fund	\$1,185.00
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Other	\$ 250.00

**\*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.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:** Please Contact the Religious Education Office for Classes and Deadlines for Registration. Please email Zenda Vargas at [nsdgvargas@gmail.com](mailto:nsdgvargas@gmail.com) or call (505)455-2267 for further information.

**SUNDAY GOSPEL REFLECTION**

**First Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23** Vanity of vanities! All things are vanity!

**Responsorial Psalm: 95:1-2,6-9** If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

**Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-5,9-11** There is neither Greek nor Jew, but Christ is all in all.

**Gospel Reading: Luke 12:13-21** A person's life does not consist of possessions.

Jesus instructs his disciples and the crowd on how to be ready for the coming judgement. A crowd of many thousands has gathered to hear Jesus. At first he speaks only to the disciples, reminding them that it is not persecution they should fear but the judgement that is coming for all who do not acknowledge that Son of Man. Suddenly a man in the crowd shouts out to Jesus. "Teacher tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me." He seems to have grown tired of Jesus speaking only to the disciples. Jesus offers the man no help. Instead he uses the question to teach what, in light of the coming judgement, life really consists of. Jesus tells the crowd a parable. A rich man's lands have yielded more crops than expected. His response is not to consider how he might share all the extra food with others but to wonder how he can possibly store it all. He has what he thinks is a brilliant idea; to tear down his present barns and build larger ones. Then he will have many things stored up for years of eating, drinking, and making merry. "you fool" is God's response to this man because that very night his life will be taken away. To whom will everything belong then, God asks. The rich man's world is small, just him and his possessions, and now he learns that he is to lose his life. What good are his possessions now? Jesus states the moral of the story. This is how it will be for everyone who stores up treasure for himself or herself but is not rich in what matters to God. St. Gregory the Great taught that when we care for the needs of the poor, we are giving them what is theirs, not ours. We are not just performing works of mercy; we are paying a debt of justice. Life does not consist in possessions but in sharing what we possess.

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