Holy Ghost Parish

May 2, 2021

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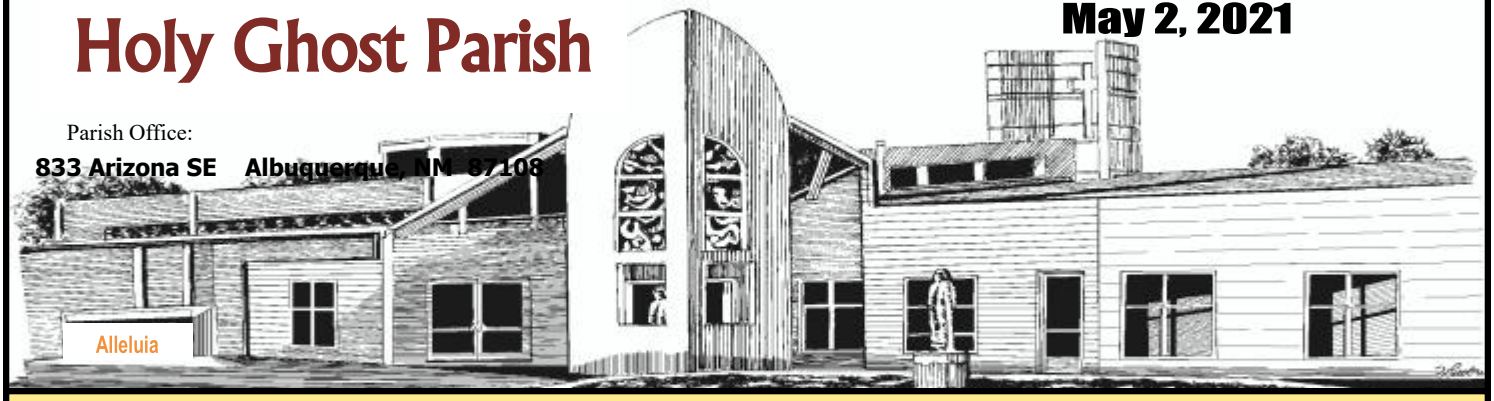
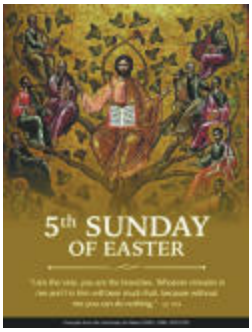


Holy Ghost Mission Statement - *"To Be Holy As We Are Called To Be"* *To know and serve God and His people with humility and love, therefore promoting unity within the parish and the broader community.*



GOSPEL MEDITATION

"Spiraling out of control," is a phrase that can easily describe the current display of human existence. In addition to the violence, unrest, uneasiness and turmoil that are common elements of our daily news, other essential pieces are misplaced or missing. Many lack an objective center around which to order and structure their lives or a clear set of definable goals or mores to act as guideposts and life directives. It appears that "feelings" have become a "new god" and traditional structures and ideals set aside. It is almost as if history only shows that we got this whole thing wrong and many are determined to finally set things right. The real truth, however, is that while wrongs and errors are certainly a part of our often-checkered past, it is hardly the case that all was wrong. It is not our task to rewrite the history of our lives, but to learn from mistakes that were made, and preserve the perennial wisdom at the root of our successes. Learning is an essential part of being human.

The question becomes, however, from whom do we learn? Some have such a hard time placing God in that position, but that is precisely where God needs to be. God is the Master Teacher from whom all of humanity learns and gets its cues. It is in and through this relationship with the Gardener of Life that we are fashioned and pruned into the people we are intended to be and can be. It is only in God that we are able to find our best selves. Sadly, many think that religion too, as well as history in general, has also gotten all this wrong. Yet, our resurrection faith tells us differently. We are reminded, today especially, that we are meant to remain in Christ as Christ remains in us. We are also reminded that Jesus, the Incarnate God, is the vine upon which we grow, the branches that flow from the source of God's life.

Giving up our will to God's can be a painful endeavor. It is not easy to set our own desires and wants aside and allow God to step in and direct and guide our growth. But this is the only way to prevent deadly weeds from overtaking us and bringing us to a place of self-destruction. God's commandments are the very guideposts and benchmarks we need, yet many seek to remove them from all public view because they appear to limit self-expression and suppress what is considered by many to be "human freedom." They are the only way we can find freedom, however. And, until we learn this fundamental lesson, we will continue to spiral out of control, never really knowing who we are, what our potential can be or how life really can be lived. We will not know peace.

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Mass Schedule /misas

Saturday 4:00 pm
(Sunday Obligation)

Sunday Masses /misas
8:00 am (English)
9:30 pm (Español)
11:00 am (English)
1:00 pm (Español)

Confessions/Confesiones
Saturdays 3:00pm –3:45pm
or by appointment

Outreach/Charitable Food and Utility Assistance: St. Vincent de Paul Central Office 346-1500 ext. 4
Communion to Homebound: Julia De La Cruz 266-3271

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, **May 1, 2021**

4:00 PM †Deacon Ubaldo & Monica Chavez by Children
†For members of the Church & Apodaca Family
†Tootsie Chavez by Alonzo Chavez

SUNDAY, **May 2, 2021**

8:00 AM †Richard Cruz by the Peredo Family
†Health Int. of Alice Muna by the Peredo Family
A Special Intention

9:30 AM †Esthela Juarez de parte de su Familia

11:00 AM

1:00 PM †Valeria Lara, Nina Torres de parte de la Familia

Monday , May 3, 2021
TUESDAY, **May 4 8am**
WEDNESDAY, **May 5 8am** †Deacon Ubaldo Chavez by Family
THURSDAY, **May 6 8am**
FRIDAY, **May 7 8 am** †For the Holy Souls in Purgatory

SATURDAY, **May 8, 2021**

4:00 PM †Minnie Armijo by & Ramona Montoya by Mary Armijo
†For members of the Church & Apodaca Family
†Abel & Jaunita & Brothers Anaya by Honorario & Rosalie Anaya

SUNDAY, **May 9, 2021**

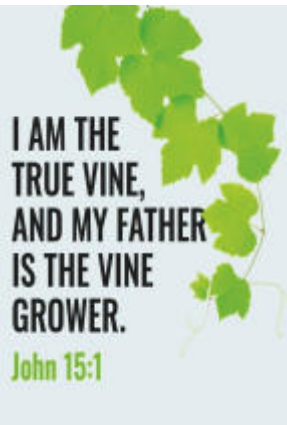
8:00 AM †William H. Clark by Art & Erma Lente
†Teresa Sanchez by Family
†Birthday Int. for Nellie Salas by Family

9:30 AM Por la salud de Benny y todos los enfermos

11:00 AM †Patsy Chacon by the Chacon Family

1:00 PM Por bendicones a todas las mamas

Thursday, May 6, 2021



2021 Annual Catholic Appeal Goal for Holy Ghost $19,000.00

Annual Catholic Appeal is a unified effort in which all parishioners are requested to provide a critical financial support to the Archdiocesan ministries. By contributing to the Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA), you become a lifesaver to the Archdiocesan ministries and programs which will otherwise cease to be without your contribution. Equally, by meeting your parish goal, 100% of all contributions received over the goal are returned to the parish in the form of rebate. The rebate may be used by the parish to fund local ministries or special project. Thus I am making a passionate appeal to all incomers earners to please, pick up ACA Pledge Form Envelope at the gathering place (Vestibule), fill it and put it in the collection basket, or return to the parish office or mail to 833 Arizona St. SE Alb. NM 87108.
Thank you for your solemn participation.
-Fr. Hyginus Chuks Anuta (Pastor)

PRAYER FOR MOTHERS
Heavenly Father, from the beginning you have chosen to entrust the human person to mothers in a special way. We thank and praise you for the gift of mothers; for their tenderness, care, and compassion, for their intuition and encouragement, for commitment and sacrifice.
Bless all mothers everyday. Amen

Please join us every Saturday to pray the Rosary at 3:15pm in the Church. (before the 4pm Mass)

April 11th & 12th 2021

Parish	4,939.85	**School**	190.00
SVDP	676.00	**Building**	615.00
Holy Th. RB	109.00	Holy Land GF	132.00
Ash Wed	10.00	Easter	863.00
CRS	20.00		

TOTAL $7,554.85

MAY GOD BLESS YOU ABUNDANTLY

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 2, 2021

SUN 5/02	Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 [26a]/1 Jn 3:18-24/ Jn 15:1-8
MON 5/03	1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Jn 14:6-14
TUE 5/04	Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21 [cf. 12]/Jn 14:27-31a
WED 5/05	Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [cf. 1]/Jn 15:1-8
THR 5/06	Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10 [3]/Jn 15:9-11
FRI 5/07	Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12 [10a]/Jn 15:12-17
SAT 5/08	Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21
SUN 5/09	Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 [cf. 2b]/ 1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 2, 2021

Sunday:	5th Sunday of Easter
Monday:	Sts. Phillip and James, Apostles
Wednesday:	Cinco de Mayo
Thursday:	National Day of Prayer
Next Sunday:	6th Sunday of Easter; Mother's Day

LIVE THE LITURGY

Inspiration for the week

Anyone familiar with gardening knows that proper and timely pruning is essential. The health of the plant depends upon it. An unpruned tree can quickly produce suckers that zap many of the essential nutrients from its body. Pruning requires patience and vision. Studies reveal that plants often respond defensively to being pruned, displaying reactions that are similar to hurt or discomfort. Pruning is not easy but necessary. A hard lesson for us to learn is that we also need to be pruned. We become far healthier when we allow God to stretch, refine, and form us into the best version of ourselves. The fruit that then comes from our vines will be more abundant, nutritious, and robust. Left to our own devices we can easily find ourselves running amuck and spiraling out of control. Without a proper vision and trust in the Master Pruner, we will never find the contentment we desperately desire. Nor will the work of the Gospel stand a chance of succeeding.

Sts. Phillip & James

Apostles

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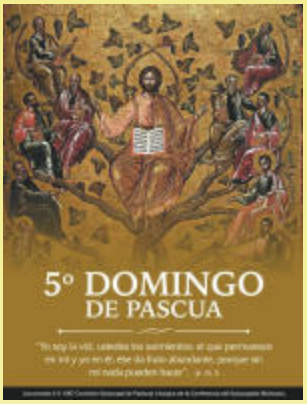
Prayer is the bridge between panic and peace.



El domingo pasado, el Señor Jesús se presentaba como el Buen Pastor, y ahora nos da la imagen de la vid y los sarmientos. “Yo soy la vid verdadera y mi Padre es el labrador. Toda rama que no da fruto en mí, la corta. Y todo sarmiento que da fruto, lo limpia para que dé más fruto”. (Juan 15:1-2). La vida del cristiano es de un constante cambio de limpieza y permanencia. Todos los días se presentan oportunidades nuevas de crecimiento humano y espiritual. Aquí se trata de crecer en Dios y dar fruto, y darse cuenta que sin Dios no se hace, ni se es nada. Es la prueba del discípulo, dar fruto en las cosas ordinarias, en las cosas sencillas. Haciéndolas extraordinarias por el amor.

¿Cómo estamos vinculados a Jesús en el mundo actual? ¿De qué manera doy fruto en este tiempo? Muchas veces, es difícil permanecer unidos, hay tantas cosas que nos separan de Dios. La frialdad hacia el que sufre, el enfermo, el pobre y desamparado. Nos urge un cambio radical en el amor y en la confianza, de que unidos podemos movernos hacia el amor cristiano. Debemos esforzarnos día a día en hacer el bien, especialmente para dejar algo provechoso a las generaciones venideras. Jesús lo afirmó claramente, al permanecer en él podremos pedir lo que queramos y sea de provecho para la salvación, y se cumplirá. Ese es el testamento. No hay vuelta de hoja. ¡Padre Santo, ayúdanos a permanecer muy cerca de Jesús siempre! Especialmente, en tiempos de prueba. Te pedimos fe y esperanza.

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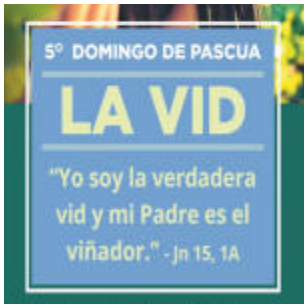

Las conmemoraciones de la semana del
2 de Mayo de 2021

Domingo: 5º Domingo de Pascua
Lunes: San Felipe y San Santiago, apóstoles
Martes:
Miércoles: Cinco de Mayo
Jueves: Día Nacional de la Oración
Viernes:
Sábado:
Domingo siguiente: 6º Domingo de Pascua;
Día de la Madre (EEUU)

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2021 Campana Catolica Annual
Meta para la parroquia de Holy Ghost
Es $19,000.00

La Campaña Catolica es un esfuerzo unificado en el cual todos los parroquianos son requeridos de proveer con una ayuda financiera para ayudar a los minsiterios de la Arquidiocesis. Contribuyendo a la Campaña Catolica Annual (ACA), usted se hace un salvavidas para los ministerios de la Arquidiocesis y los programas que de otra manera dejarian de existir sin su contribucion. Igualmente si logramos la meta de la parroquia, al 100% de todoas las contribuciones recibidas sobre la meta se le regresa a la parroquia en forma de reembolso. El rembolso puede ser usado por la parroquia para financiar ministerios locales o proyectos especiales. Por lo tanto estoy haciendo una peticion especial a todos los asalariados por favor tomen una ACA sobre con su formulario de compromiso (Vestibulo), llenelo y lo puede poner en la canasta de la colecta, o regresarlo a la oficina de la parroquia o la puede enviar por correo al 833 Arizona St SE Alb NM 87109.

Gracias por su solemne participacion.
Padre Hyginus Chuks Anuta (Parroco)

VIVIR LA LITURGIA - INSPIRACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

Cualquiera que esté familiarizado con la jardinería sabe que una poda adecuada y oportuna es esencial. La salud de la planta depende de ello. Un árbol sin podar puede producir rápidamente retoños que eliminan muchos de los nutrientes esenciales de su cuerpo. La poda requiere paciencia y visión. Los estudios revelan que las plantas a menudo responden a la defensiva al ser podadas, mostrando reacciones similares al dolor o malestar. La poda no es fácil pero necesaria. Una lección difícil de aprender para nosotros es que también necesitamos ser podados. Nos volvemos mucho más saludables cuando permitimos que Dios nos estire, refine y nos forme en la mejor versión de nosotros mismos. La fruta que luego provenga de nuestras cepas será más abundante, nutritiva y robusta. Dejados a nuestros propios medios, podemos encontrarnos fácilmente desenfrenados y fuera de control. Sin una visión adecuada y confianza en el maestro podador, nunca encontraremos la satisfacción que deseamos desesperadamente. Tampoco la obra del Evangelio tendrá posibilidades de éxito. ©LPi

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