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Sunday– September 13, 2020 - Twenty– Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Parish Mission Statement**

*St. Albert the Great Newman Parish, a Roman Catholic community at New Mexico State University, as a family of faith, welcomes everyone to encounter Jesus Christ through Word, Worship, Community, and Service. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we are changed for the better and sent forth as disciples of Christ to continue his work in the world.*

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**Parish Office Hours:**

Mon– Thursday 8:30 am to 5:00 Friday 8:30 am to 1:00 pm  
Phone: (575) 522-6202 Fax: (575) 521-3453

**Mass Schedule  
Baptism**

**Monday–Friday: Daily Mass @ 5:30 pm**  
**Vigil Mass (Saturday) @ 5:30 pm**  
**Sunday Masses @ 8:00 am,**  
**9:30 am (Spanish), 11:15 am mass**  
**7:30 pm mass**

**Baptism**

**Private Baptism Only**

**Marriage**

Couples need to schedule an interview with the Pastor, through the parish office, 6 months prior to the wedding date.

**Pastoral Care for the Sick  
Anointing of the Sick**

Homebound visits to the sick have been suspended. Those that need immediate attention, please call the office, 575-522-6202.

**Suspended until further notice**

**REPORT SEXUAL ABUSE**

If you or someone you know has been a victim of sexual abuse by clergy or church personnel, contact Mrs. Yvonne Bower, Victim’s Assistance and Safe Environment Coordinator for the Diocese of Las Cruces, at (575) 523-7577, or email ybower@rcdlc.org

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## From The Pastors Desk



Hello friends,

Last week the gospel was about correction, something we love to do but don't care to receive. This weekend, the gospel is about something we love to receive, but find it very hard to do and that is forgiveness. This is a question Peter asked Jesus. He seems to have already figured out an answer that might satisfy his query about how many times to forgive and suggests seven as a reasonable number. In Peter's scenario, forgiveness is abundant but limited. Jesus does away with Peter's carefully doled out justice by responding, "Not seven times but seventy-seven times." He is requiring forgiveness that is limitless.

We who have been forgiven are to forgive others. It is the Lord's Prayer that is found in this gospel as well: "forgive us as we forgive those..." The Lord's forgiveness is freely given, but it may be taken back if we do not emulate this same forgiveness in our own lives.

Hola amigos,

La semana pasada el Evangelio trataba sobre la corrección, algo que nos encanta hacer, pero no nos importa recibir. Este fin de semana, el Evangelio trata de algo que amamos recibir, pero nos resulta muy difícil de hacer y eso es el perdón. Esta es una pregunta que Pedro le hizo a Jesús. Parece que ya ha descubierto una respuesta que podría satisfacer su consulta sobre cuántas veces perdonar y sugiere siete como un número razonable. En el escenario de Pedro, el perdón es abundante pero limitado. Jesús elimina la justicia cuidadosamente arrebatada por Pedro respondiendo: "No siete veces, sino setenta y siete veces." Está requiriendo un perdón ilimitado.

Los que hemos sido perdonados debemos perdonar a los demás. También en este Evangelio también se encuentra la Oración del Señor: "perdónanos al perdonarlos..." El perdón del Señor se da libremente, pero puede ser recodo si no emulamos este mismo perdón en nuestra propia vida.

Fr. Alex Ureña

**Gift Shop News** - We are now stocking Guest Book's for funerals. Featured is a burgundy guest book. We also have smaller guest books with white or black covers. Some of the books have in addition to guests signing their name a place where they can include their address.

COMING SOON ----- On Line Silent Auction in conjunction with the Raffle drawing scheduled for Saturday, October 17th. Keep checking the weekly bulletin for more information.



Please call Olga Browne at 575-202-3396 to arrange delivery or schedule an appointment to visit the Gift Shop.

*Intentions for the Week of  
September 13th – September 19, 2020*

**MASS STIPEND IS \$10.00 PER MASS**

Sunday, Sept. 13th

8:00 am † In Memory of Barbara “Bita” & Elizario Sandoval  
By: Mr. Mrs. Ross Lopez & Family

8:00 am End of Aboration  
By: \_\_\_\_\_

9:30 am † In Memory of Alejandro Lascano  
By: Family

11:15 am For the Parish  
By: Pastor

Monday, Sept. 14th

5:30 pm For the Parish  
By: Pastor

Tuesday, Sept. 15th

5:30 pm For the Parish  
By: Pastor

Wednesday, Sept. 16th

5:30 pm End of Abortion  
By: \_\_\_\_\_

Thursday, Sept. 17th

5:30 pm For the Parish  
By: Pastor

Friday, Sept. 18th

5:30 pm † In Memory of Elizario “Lee” Sandoval  
By: Mr. Mrs. Ross Lopez & Family

Saturday, Sept. 19th

5:30 pm For the Parish  
By: Pastor

**A Prayer for Labor Day**

Lord on this Labor Day,  
we thank You for the blessing of work.  
We ask for strength to complete each day.  
We ask for rest when we are weary.  
We ask Your guidance  
for everyone seeking employment,  
and we ask that  
You be with those whose faces  
we might never see  
but who work tirelessly each day  
for the good of us all.  
Amen.

**Let us pray for all those serving in our  
Armed Forces**

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands.  
Protect them as they protect us, bless them and  
their families for the selfless acts they perform for us  
in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus,  
our Lord and Savior. Amen

**U.S. Air Force**

Amn Estevan O. Perez, SSgt. Ernesto X. Perez,  
SMSgt. Karen Clark, A1-C Zacariah Eye,  
Tgt Julianne Marie Lujan, A1-C Esmeralda Castañeda

**US Army**

PVT-2 Austin Meyers, PVT Vincent Fresquez Jr.,  
PFC Joseph Chavira, PFC Gino Benedetti,  
SPC Jesus Navarro, SFC John Troy,  
SPC Vincent Fresquez Sr., SG Perry Harrison,  
Sgt., Joseph Alvarez, GT Johnathan Stadish,  
SPC Adelina Marie Garcia, MAJ Sean Dixon

**Navy– USMC**

Lt Kenneth Pasone, Lt James Michael,  
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LCpl Matthew A Syner, Maj. Travis J. Covey,  
E-3 Michael E. Brown, MM 2 Eric Coppentrath

If you know of anyone serving in the  
Armed Forces, please call the parish office



**Office will be closed in  
observance of Labor Day  
on (Monday)  
September 7, 2020**

**Daily Mass will be  
at 5:30 p.m.**

Hello,

I have been on a major learning escapade, (not the fun kind) but still very productive and informative. I had the pleasure of meeting two of the catechists who will be presenting to some of your children. I am very impressed with their enthusiasm and dedication in service to our Lord and His people. Our classes will be presented through Zoom to start with. In time we will see how it is progressing. We will also be setting up classes for the children who were prepared to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation when the Pandemic caused everything to cease. They will then proceed with the preparation for the Sacrament of the Eucharist.



As I stated in the last bulletin, children enrolled in the previous year have automatically been registered. You only need to take care of the fee and if a Baptism certificate was not submitted, please do so. All new registrants can request a form from the office and it can be emailed to you. The online form is still being updated. Peace and Blessings to you and may your Guardian Angel be your constant companion.

Mary Helen Llañez,  
K-5 Religious Education Director  
Children Ministry



Hello everyone!!

We are working very hard on our youth ministry program for the Fall semester. I am very excited to announce that we will begin our Lifeteen program for our high school students in October. If you would like to register for Lifeteen please contact me in the office at [youthministry@stalbertnewmancenter.org](mailto:youthministry@stalbertnewmancenter.org) or if you have any questions. Lifeteen will be the format we use here at St. Albert for our weekly youth groups for grades 9-12. We are also working diligently on our confirmation classes for the semester. Online registration is still down, so please contact the office to register your children. Finally due to the covid-19 pandemic, some of our confirmation teachers are not able to return this year for classes. If any of you feel called or are willing to teach a pre-confirmation or confirmation 1 class, please let me know. All classes this year will be conducted online over Zoom. Thank you for your continued support of Youth ministry.

God Bless!!

Dean

If you are still interested in joining the Women's Small Group, please contact Brewoods@nmsu.edu. She will sign you up and send you the access code. Group Meeting is on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. via zoom. Week of Sept. 13-19: Join us for mid-week mass and dinner. Mass begins at 5:30 p.m.; dinner (take out only) right after.

If you would like to be a lector for the 7:30 Sunday evening masses, please contact Bre Escadon or Shay Archuleta for more information.

Shay Archuleta  
505-795-1155



## St Albert's Financial Report

Total collection for  
9/5-6/2020

Unavailable due to  
early printing of bulletin.



Please include these people and their families in your prayers that they may experience Christ' comfort and healing:

Bertha Salas, Msgr. Getz, Manuela Chavez,  
Grace Rivas, Freddy Rodriguez, Gina McFeely  
Charles Miller, Jennie Meeham, Gloria Newton,  
John Packmayer, Monica Dominguez, Don Medina,  
Jose Rodriguez, Raymond Telles, Sylvia Vasquez,  
Joan Jacinto, Angelica Lempke, Ed Schoonover,  
John Packmayer, Werner Lehmann, Rod Chavira,  
Pierce Scroggins, Lindsey Johnson, Jim Delaney,  
Rocio Edmondson, Leticia Baskette, Nancy Jackson,  
Larry & Carol Hill, Priscilla Kliem,

### Homebound

Bertha Banegas, Juanita Lujan, Virginia Stevens,  
Silvia Vaughan, Beatrice Aguilera,  
Theresa Churilla, Herlinda Apodaca,  
Corrie Vallejos, Joe & Dolores Wallace,  
Eddie & Gloria Carrillo

If you or your loved one is/are in need of prayer,  
Please notify the Parish Office at (575) 522-6202.

## Readings for the Week of September 13, 2020

Sun: Sir 27:30—28:7/ Ps 103:1-4, 9-12  
Rom 14:7-9/ Mt 18:21-35

Mon: Nm 21:4b-9/ Ps 78:1b-2, 34-38  
Phil 2:6-11/ Jn 3:13-17

Tue: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/ Ps 100:1b-5  
Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Wed: 1 Cor 12:31—13:13/ Ps 33:2-5, 12, 22  
Lk 7: 31-35

Thurs: 1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1b-2,16-17, 28  
Lk 7:36-50

Fri.: 1 Cor 15:12-20/ Ps 17:1b-d, 6-7, 8b, 15  
Lk 8:1-3

Sat.: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/ Ps 56:10c-12, 13-14  
Lk 8:4-15



"THE WORLD NEEDS WHAT WOMEN ARE"  
-POPE JOHN PAUL II

## Women's Small Group

DM us on this page or  
if you are interested or need more info!

**FIRST GATHERING**  
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and others!



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