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Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:30 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday 8:30 a.m.

Tuesday and Thursday 5:30 p.m.

St. Vincent de Paul, Maxwell

Sunday 12:00 noon

November 4, 2018

Archdiocese of Santa Fe

The Most Reverend John C. Wester, Archbishop

Pastoral Staff

Rev. William Woytavich..... Pastor

Tom Alderette.....Deacon

Parish Office Hours

Monday through Thursday

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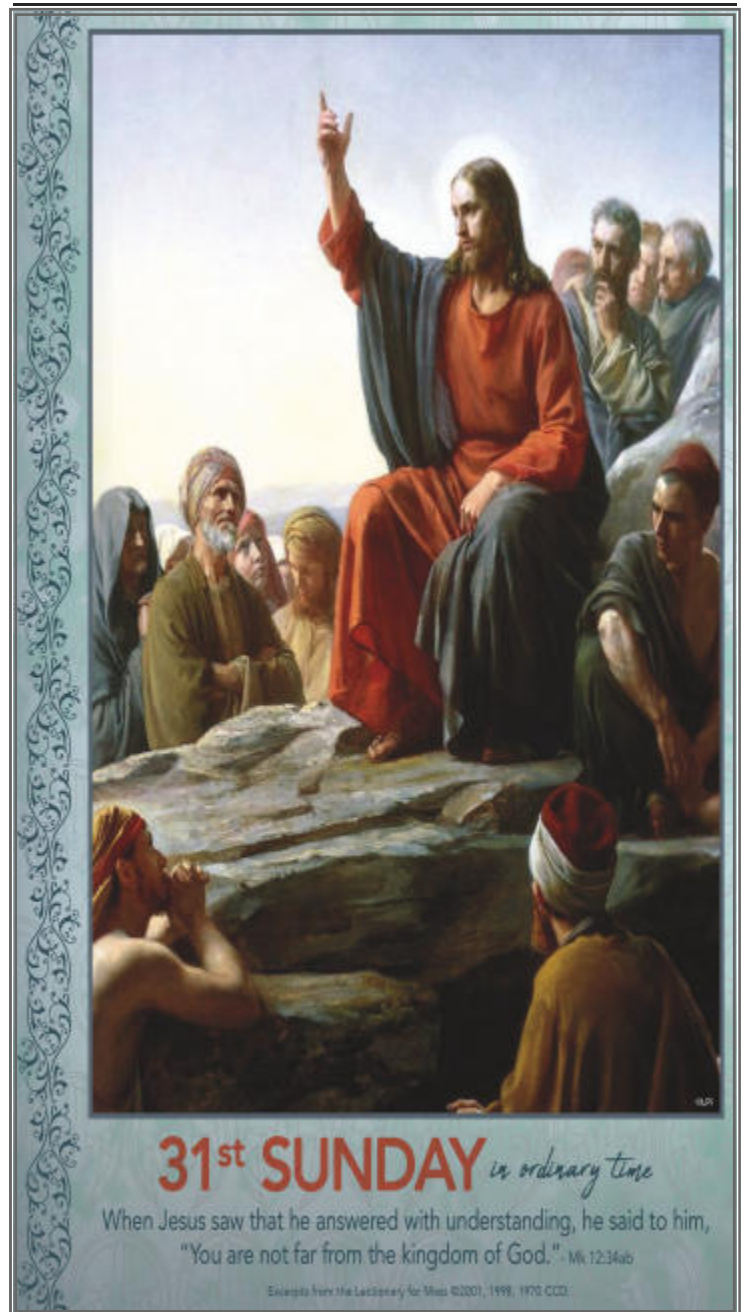
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31st SUNDAY *in ordinary time*

When Jesus saw that he answered with understanding, he said to him,
"You are not far from the kingdom of God." - Mk 12:34b

Excerpt from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1999, 1979 CCC

Welcome, New Parishioners

If you are new to St. Patrick's - St. Joseph's, please
contact the office to register at 575-445-9763.

“KNOW YOUR FAITH”

As we continue to read from Mark’s Gospel, our Lectionary skips a chapter that helps set the context for today’s reading. If we were to read the sections skipped (chapter 11 and part of chapter 12), we would hear about Jesus’ entry into Jerusalem, his cleansing of the Temple, and the questioning of Jesus’ authority by the chief priests, scribes, and elders. The context, therefore, for this Gospel is Jesus’ growing exposure before the Jewish authorities. Jesus is being questioned and tested by the Jewish authorities, yet the scribe who addresses Jesus in today’s Gospel seems to be an admirer; he is not testing Jesus. The question posed in today’s Gospel requires Jesus to interpret the Law of Moses. The Mosaic Law consists of the Ten Commandments and many additional commandments, numbering into the hundreds. For a devout Jew, adherence to the Mosaic Law is an expression of faithfulness to God’s covenant with Israel. The ranking of these commandments was regularly debated among the teachers of the Law.

Jesus was not the only Jewish religious teacher to connect these two commandments, love of God and love of neighbor. Both of these commandments were central elements of the religious tradition that Jesus learned from his Jewish community. Indeed, these commandments continue to be central aspects of contemporary Jewish religious understanding. Jesus’ response to his questioners proposed an integral connection between these two aspects of the Jewish Law. Love of God finds its expression in our love for our neighbor. Many believe, however, that this connection was heard in a new and fresh way when spoken by Jesus.

The scribe who questions Jesus in today’s Gospel engages in a positive dialogue with Jesus. He agrees with Jesus’ teaching that the commandments to love God and love neighbor stand above the commandment to offer worship and sacrifice in the Temple. With this dialogue, Jesus appears to close the debate with the Jewish authorities. Mark reports that no one dared to question Jesus further. (Loyolapress)

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CORDIALLY INVITES YOU.....

- **To come to the opening of their Christmas Room on Friday, November 16th at 1-4pm and every Monday, Wednesday & Friday and Saturday’s till Christmas.**
- **To their annual Thanksgiving Dinner on Thursday, November 22nd. Mass will be at 11:00am and dinner will be served at 12:00-1:30. Take-out will begin at 1:30 only. Monetary donation or 18 lb. turkey donations will be greatly appreciated.**

SECOND COLLECTION TODAY IS FOR
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - THANK YOU

FLU SEASON

It is important to note that the Flu Season is active, so out of concern for our brothers and sisters in faith, if anyone is not feeling well they should take proper precaution to keep from spreading the influenza virus by receiving the Eucharist by hand instead of on the tongue.

During the Sign of Peace, instead of shaking hands or hugging, as is practiced in some parishes, it would be best to simply nod your head and avoid bodily contact.

When praying the Our Father, please do not hold hands. Simply extend your hands toward Heaven or fold your hands. Thank you for volunteering to help contain the flu.

FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

You may write the names of your deceased loved ones in our book for All Souls which is placed on the altar of St. Joseph’s. During this month we remember our deceased loved ones and learn that we can face death with hope because Jesus promises eternal life for all those who believe in him. In his death and resurrection Jesus has conquered death once and for all. We will be praying for those listed on your collection and donation envelope and for those you write in our book.

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

• Second collection will be November 18, 2018.

BAKE SALE

The Knights of Columbus will be having their annual bake sale on November 4th (TODAY) after Sunday Masses to raise money for Thanksgiving. Donations of baked goods or monetary donations will be appreciated ** or just come back and buy their goodies. Fresh Burritos - Wow!! Thank you!!!



BLUE MASS

There will be a special Mass on Saturday, November 10th at 12:00pm for Intentions of First Responders. Please come and pray for their safety.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BLOOD DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus are co-sponsoring a blood drive Monday, November 12th at Mesa Pharmacy.

Please sign up to give blood and receive a tasty treat for all blood donors after Mass on November 3rd and 4th or call 904-206-9523 to get on the list.



Share the Catholic Tradition of Christmas with a child in need of **Love, Joy, and Hope!**

We are now collecting items for our Box of Joy project.

Ways to participate:

1. **Pack your own box** of Joy by picking up a box in the parish hall, shop, fill with items to bring joy for a child and bring it back to the parish office to be shipped.
2. **Suggested gift items:** small toys, school supplies, hard candy or gum, socks, toothbrush, lip balm, sunglasses, drawstring bag, etc.
3. We are still in need of apparel items, school supplies, and personal hygiene items.

Through Cross Catholic Outreach’s Box of Joy program, we can ensure children are not deprived of Christmas blessings this year. We will be boxing the items on November 7th but also need monetary donations for shipping these items.

We pray for our brothers & sisters, may they know the healing presence of Christ.

Laurie Garcia, Olivia Bernal, Phyllis Loncar, Angelo Vialpando, David Buttram, Irene Marquez, Charles Valerio, Lianna Garcia, Lyla Jade Rohac, Carter David Young, Linda Buttram, Diane Ferrell, Richard Marquez, Clara Mascarenas, Michael Fahrenbuck, Yolanda Encinias, Joel Rivera, Liam Martinez, Gus Mascarenas, Janelle Martinez, Margaret Herrera, Elvia Sanchez, Justin Lamar, Paul & Gail Valdez, Gary Boggs, Roger Karrer, Eileen Gonzales, Ernest Vialpando

November 1,
2018
through
November 30,
2018 the
Sanctuary Lamp Is
In Memory of:
For Respect For
All Life
by Elizabeth
Trujillo Grimmig

Sacrament of Confession

Saturday 3:30 pm. - Tuesday & Thursdays 5:00pm or call for an appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism

Contact Church Office. Classes held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall Conference Room.

Baptisms held on the 4th weekend of each month.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Contact Pastor six months in advance.

Communion Service

Long-term Care Facility: Every 2nd Sunday, 2:00pm
Raton Nursing & Rehab. Center: Every 3rd Sunday, 2:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday - 8:30 Mass, Exposition & Benediction.

First Saturday - Communion Service - 8:00am

Elementary Religious Education

Vickie Castellini-Blaisure - 445-9563

Youth Minister

Lori Clark - 445-9763 - Lclarkspsj@gmail.com

RCIA

Thursday - 6:00pm - Parish Office Conference Room

Mt. Calvary Cemetery Hours

April - September (8:00am - 5:00pm) Walk in gate open 24/7

Legion of Mary

The Legion of Mary meets every Monday
3:30 p.m. at Parish Hall Conference Room.

For information call: Viola Rose, 445-9818 or Judy Ortiz, 707-0105

Knights of Columbus Council #1332

All members meet every 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

The 4th Degree meet the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul - Thrift Store Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Saturday: 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Food Distribution: - 3rd Thursday: 8:00 a.m.- 11:00 a.m.

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Society

Members meet every first Sunday at 1:00 p.m. at the Chapel,
236 Boundary St.

Koinonea Prayer Group

Meet every Wednesday from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the home of
Judy Arguello, 1416 Brilliant - For more info. call: 445-0390

Catholics in Action - Youth Adult Ministry

Contact Kelley at cia.raton.nm@gmail.com



Support Our Seminarian - Darrell Segura, Mt. Angel Seminary
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FAITH FORMATION

THANK YOU

to all who have donated items for our Religious Education Christmas Service Project, "BOXES OF JOY."
We are still in need of **MONETARY DONATIONS** for shipping. Please consider making a donation to help us successfully send 100 Boxes of Christmas Joy to children around the world.

Our SPSJ children will participate in packing Boxes of Joy during Religious Education classes on Wednesday, November 7.

THANK YOU, RHEA JACKSON, for organizing this fun & meaningful opportunity to serve others!

HOLY APOSTLES LIBRARY is growing...and ready to train a few new helpers.

If interested in volunteering your time, please leave your name & phone number in the Parish Office, 575-445-9763.

YOUTH NEWS

The second Sunday of every month, all Confirmandi, with either a sponsor or parent will meet at 4:00pm in the Parish Hall. Our very own Deacon Candidate, Jesse Martinez will also lead the program called, CHOSEN, Your Journey Toward Confirmation.

STATUES MOVED:

Please note: The moving of the statues in our parish does not mean that they will be removed from the church. Only the position they are presently at will be moved by majority vote.

ROSARY MAKING CLASS:

WILL MEET IN THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION BUILDING TODAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2018 FROM 10:00AM TILL NOON. \$10.00 PER PERSON. ADULT AND HIGH SCHOOL AGE YOUTH WELCOME.

How shall I make a return to the Lord for all the good he has done for me. (Psalm 116:12)
St. Patrick's - St. Joseph's

Collections for October 28

Collections: \$3217.00
Building Fund: \$20.00
World Mission: \$1140.00
Utilities: \$10.00

St. Vincent de Paul, Maxwell

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World Mission: \$42.00

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Mass Intentions

November 5 - November 11, 2018

Monday, November 5 8:30 a.m.

†George Macaron Family by Macaron Family
†Juan & Marina Salazar by John & Margaret Salazar

*For the Health of Irene Marquez
by the Funeral Ministry

Tuesday, November 6 5:30 p.m.

†Nancy by Franklin
†Fletcher "Buzzie" King by Mary King

*For the Intentions of Justin

Wednesday, November 7 8:30 a.m.

†Ed & Mary Dahl by Family
†Juan & Marina Salazar by John & Margaret Salazar
†Deceased Members of the Funeral Ministry
by the Funeral Ministry

Thursday, November 8 5:30 p.m.

†Juanita Quintana (Anniversary) by Quintana Family
†Eleanor Louise Daricek by Don & Judy
†Richard (Lefty) Martinez by Mary Ann Martinez

Friday, November 9 8:30 a.m.

†Carmel Middleton (2nd Anniversary)
by Children, Grandchildren & Godchildren
†Juan & Marina Salazar by John & Margaret Salazar
†Tyler & Richard Sr. Martinez by Mary Ann Martinez

Saturday, November 10 12:00 p.m.

*Blue Mass - For the Intention of First Responders

†Nash Trujillo by Isabel 5:30 p.m.
†Nancy by Franklin

*For the Intentions of Adrian & Susan
by the Riddiford Family

Sunday, November 11 9:00 a.m.

*For the People of the Parish

5:30 p.m.

†Lala Bernal Gonzales by Abel Jiron
†Deceased Active & Auxiliary Members
of the Legion of Mary by the Legion of Mary

ST VINCENT DE PAUL - MAXWELL 12:00 p.m.

†Dolores Trujillo by the Family
†Eddie A. Lopez by Eddie Lopez & Family

SCRIPTURE READING

For the Week of November 5th through November 11th, 2018

Monday: Phil 2:1-4; Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3; Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday: Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-27, 28-30ab, 30e, 31-32 [26a];
Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]; Lk 14:25-33
Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [3b]; Lk 15:1-10
Friday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 [5];
1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
Saturday: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a and 9; Lk 16:9-15
Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b];
Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

Lunes: Flp 2, 1-4; Sal 131, 1, 2, 3; Lc 14, 12-14
Martes: Flp 2, 5-11; Sal 22, 26-27, 28-30, 30, 31-32 [26];
Lc 14, 15-24
Miércoles: Flp 2, 12-18; Sal 27, 1, 4, 13-14 [1]; Lc 14, 25-33
Jueves: Flp 3, 3-8; Sal 105, 2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [3]; Lc 15, 1-10
Viernes: Ez 47, 1-2, 8-9, 12; Sal 46, 2-3, 5-6, 8-9 [5];
1 Cor 3, 9-11, 16-17; Jn 2, 13-22
Sábado: Flp 4, 10-19; Sal 112, 1-2, 5-6, 8 y 9; Lc 16, 9-15
Domingo siguiente: 1 Re 17, 10-16; Sal 146, 7, 8-9, 9-10 [1];
Heb 9, 24-28; Mc 12, 38-44 o 12, 41-44

El escriba replicó: "Muy bien, Maestro. Tienes razón cuando dices que el Señor es único y que no hay otro fuera de él". Jesús, viendo que había hablado muy sensatamente, le dijo: "No estás lejos del Reino de Dios".
Mc 12, 32, 34

TOP PRIORITIES

Jesus had shown such freedom in his attitude to Jewish law that some people felt threatened, believing he was trying to overturn it. Instead, Jesus was bringing people back to a fresh observance of the Law, and showing that God was fulfilling in him what the Law only pointed toward. The scribe who questions Jesus seems genuinely to want his opinion and listens carefully. He replies enthusiastically to Jesus that he too believes that loving God and neighbor are at the heart of everything. The exchange is likely to have been more than words; the unspoken understanding and sense of acceptance between Jesus and the scribe silenced the onlookers. When words of scripture jump into sharp focus, it can have a overwhelming effect on our lives. We hear something deeply personal, written hundreds of years ago, but spoken as if for us here and now.

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Altar Server Schedule

5:30pm - Saturday, November 10
Jacob Ortega, Kirsten Ortega
9:00am - Sunday, November 11
Crystal Ortiz, Matthew Sanchez
Shelbi & Sydney Silva
5:30pm - Youth Group

Lectors & Extraordinary Ministers

November 10th & 11th

5:30pm - Mark Riddiford
David & Mercy Swanson
9:00am - David Sandoval
Christina Gallegos
Yvonne Sandoval
5:30pm - Kelly Kriengel
Barbara Castillo, Sally Chavez

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