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Bulletin of Parish Life

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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

CELEBRACIÓN DE LA EUCARISTÍA

WEEKDAY SCHEDULE— HORARIO SEMANAL
MASS: MONDAY—FRIDAY AT 9:00 AM
FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH AT 9:00 AM

WEEKEND MASSES
MISAS DE FIN DE SEMANA
VIGIL MASS: 5:00 PM

SUNDAY: 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM
in English, and 12:00 noon in Spanish

CONFESSION—CONFESIONES
Saturday 4:00– 4:45 PM,
or at anytime by appointment.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday
9:00 AM—3:00 PM

Friday 9:00 AM—1:00 PM

Parish Staff:

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MAY 23, 2021

**PENTECOST
SUNDAY**

ACTS 1:8

«BUT YE SHALL RECEIVE POWER, AFTER THAT THE
HOLY GHOST IS COME UPON YOU...»

Saint Rita's Website: www.stritashowlow.com

Parish Office email: stritashowlow@dioceseofgallup.org

Diocese of Gallup Website: dioceseofgallup.org

St. Rita Weekly Bulletin online: www.parishesonline.com

MISSION STATEMENT: We the People of God of Saint Rita Parish, a spiritual community, gather people of different cultures and ages in all Seasons, striving to fulfill our Baptismal Mandate. We come together to worship, communicate, witness and share, caring for our growing family, and living the love of Jesus Christ.



PENTECOST SUNDAY

MAY 23, 2021

Today we celebrate the birth of the Church through the Holy Spirit, and the completion of the Paschal Mystery. Alleluia!



SATURDAY, MAY 22ND - PENTECOST SUNDAY (VIGIL)

5:00 PM Brent and Gaylene Riepel on their 38th

SUNDAY, MAY 23RD - PENTECOST SUNDAY

8:00 AM Leo and Bertha Gallegos health & well-being - Robert Rivera

10:00 AM **First Communion & Confirmation Mass grade 3**

12:00 noon New born baby Savannah Navaeh Drum Loza

3:00 PM **Confirmation Mass grades 4-6**

6:00 PM **Confirmation Mass grades 7-High School**

MONDAY, MAY 24TH - THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH

9:00 AM †Magdalena Keith - Connie Ramirez

TUESDAY, MAY 25TH - ST. BEDE THE VENERABLE, PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH; ST. GREGORY VII, POPE.

9:00 AM †Deceased family and friends - Phylis Stahl

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26TH - ST. PHILIP NERI, PRIEST

9:00 AM †Kathy Garcia - Connie Ramirez

THURSDAY, MAY 27TH - ST. AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY, BISHOP

9:00 AM †Alfonso & †Margarita Torres - Connie Ramirez

FRIDAY, MAY 28TH - WEEKDAY

9:00 AM †James and †Lina Ramirez - Connie Ramirez

SATURDAY, MAY 29TH - THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (VIGIL)

5:00 PM Justin and Sandy Meixsell 17th Wedding Anniversary - Phylis Stahl

SUNDAY, MAY 30TH - THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

8:00 AM Oliver and Annbelle Rivera health & well-being - Robert Rivera

10:00 AM For the People of Saint Rita Parish

12:00 noon Por los Feligreses de la Parroquia.



SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THIS SUNDAY

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11

Responsorial Psalm: 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9

Second Reading: Ephesians 1:17-23

Gospel: Mark 16:15-20



MOTHER'S DAY MASS OFFERING DURING THE MONTH OF MAY.

During the month of May we will be offering the Mass Intention for all Mothers, living or deceased. Fill out an envelope with their names. Envelopes are available in the church vestibule.

OFRECIMIENTO DE LAS MISAS A LAS MADRES DURANTE EL MES DE MAYO.

Durante el mes de Mayo vamos a ofrecer la Intención de la Misa por todas las Madres, vivas o difuntas. Llenen un sobre con sus nombres. Los sobres están en el vestíbulo de la iglesia.



FIRST COMMUNIONS and CONFIRMATIONS on May 23, 2021 (Pentecost Sunday)

3rd Grade: First Holy Communion and Confirmation at 10:00 AM.

4th-6th: Grades Confirmation at 3:00 PM.

7th-High School Grades: Confirmation at 6:00 PM.

PRIMERAS COMUNIONES y CONFIRMACIONES el 23 de Mayo, 2021 (Domingo de Pentecostés)

Grado 3 Primeras Comuniones y Confirmaciones a las 10:00 AM.

Grados 4 a 6 Confirmaciones a las 3:00 PM.

Grado 7 y High School Confirmaciones a las 6:00 PM.



St. Rita's new email address.

Nuevo correo electrónico de la iglesia.

stritchshowlow@dioceseofgallup.org

Announcements - Avisos



St. Rita's Parish Mission with Father William Casey, C.P.M. of the Fathers of Mercy will be June 21-24 at 6:00 pm each evening. During the Mission you will be challenged to make a stronger, deeper personal commitment to Christ and his church. Make plans to attend, it's for all parishioners, men and women, young and old.

La Mison de la Parroquia el Padre William Casey, C.P.M. de los padres de la Misericordia va a ser del 21-24 de Junio a las 6:00 pm cada noche. Durante la Misión se les retará a hacer un compromiso personal más fuerte y profundo con Cristo y su iglesia. Hagan planes para asistir, es para todos los feligreses, hombres y mujeres, jóvenes y viejos.



St. Rita's Vacation Bible School June 29 and 30 from 9:00 am—1:00 pm for children grades 1-8. We will provide lunch. Registration forms will be available in the church website or in the church vestibule. Please make sure to register early to have a count to be prepared with food for all the children.

Clases de Biblia por Vacaciones en St. Rita el 29 y 30 de Junio de las 9:00 am-1:00 pm para niños grados 1-8. Vamos a proporcionar lunch. Las formas de registro las pueden encontrar en la página web de la iglesia o en el vestíbulo de la iglesia. Registren a sus hijos pronto para tener una idea de cuantos vendrán y así tener suficiente comida para todos.



Living Hope's Annual Baby Bottle Drive: Please help support Living Hope by taking home a special baby bottle and filling it with your donations. Bottles are available in the vestibule after all masses. **You can change the life of a young mother-to-be and her unborn child with the change in your pocket!** Thank you.

Living Hope's colecta anual del Biberón: Por favor, ayuden a apoyar al Living Hope llevándose a casa un biberón especial y llenándolo con sus donaciones. Las botellas están disponibles en el vestíbulo después de todas las misas. **¡Puedes cambiar la vida de una futura madre y de su hijo por nacer con el cambio en tu bolsillo!** Gracias.

THE USCCB would like to invite the people of every parish to send a strong petition before Congress moves forward to impose taxpayer-funded abortion. The primary goal is for millions of Catholics to sign a petition **RIGHT NOW** on NoTaxpayerAbortion.com. The USCCB has created easy, ready-to-use tools that can be found at respectlife.org/no-taxpayer-abortion.

LA USCCB desea invitar a la gente de cada parroquia a enviar una fuerte petición antes de que el Congreso avance para imponer el impuesto a los contribuyentes para financiar abortos. El objetivo principal es que millones de católicos firmen una petición **DE INMEDIATO** en NoTaxpayerAbortion.com. El USCCB ha creado herramientas fáciles de usar que se pueden encontrar en respectlife.org/no-taxpayer-abortion.



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT at Saint Rita Church is held every Thursday. Exposition starts after the 9:00 AM Mass. **Holy Hour and Benediction 5:00 - 6:00 PM.**

ADORACIÓN DEL SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO en Santa Rita todos los Jueves. La Exposición inicia al terminar la Misa de las 9:00 AM. **Hora Santa y Bendición de 5:00 a 6:00 PM.**

Coordinator: Donna Moore (928) 537-4949 email moore8@cableone.net



Girl Gracie Smitley, Patricia Martinez, Sofia Pino, Ernie Dora, Bob and Anne La-Londe, Baby Patrick Thompson, George Chambers, Michael Lindsay, Luke and Frank Narducci, Susan Morrison, Elizabeth Hartzell, Carol Clapsaddle, Sam Morreale, Santiago Aldrete, Theresa Neal, Brett Moten, Bernadette & Nicholas Ordian, Carol Baumander, John Remala, Betty Drum, Bev Penrod, Charlotte Elder, Chris Douras, David & Theresa Hantzsche, Deacon John Heal, Derek & Frank Coen, Emma & Frank Coronado, Jim & Barbara Schallmann, Lee Potter, Linda & Steve Jenkins, Louie Salcido, Maria Wrozek, Marion Russo, Mary & Cheryl Beard, Mary Cataldo, Mary Pardew, Ralph Romero, Robin Northem, Stan Korzeniowski, Walter & Helen Lehman.

Church Events

LEGION OF MARY meets every **TUESDAYS** at 4:00 PM. All are welcome!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN
SCHOOL GRADES 1-8, OCTOBER-MAY
WEDNESDAY 5:45-7:00 PM.

HIGH SCHOOL CCD AND CONFIRMATION CLASS
WEDNESDAY 5:45-7:00 PM.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS
(R.C.I.A) OCTOBER-MAY.
Classes are on **MONDAY** 5:30-6:30 PM.

THE RELIGIOUS ARTICLES SHOP opens
SATURDAY and **SUNDAY** before and after Mass.

ST. RITA'S KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL meets every 1st **MONDAY** of the month at 7:00 PM in the parish hall. Contact person: Doug Sturm 928-532-8552.

ROSARY IS PRAYED daily before the 9:00 AM Mass.

CHOIR PRACTICE SUSPENDED.

EL GRUPO DEL V ENCUENTRO SUSPENDED.
Coordinadores: Humberto y Martha Bañuelos
928-368-6777.

Go to formed.org and use the Church Code: 9VJ8PD for the pick of the week or to watch Catholic videos, read Catholic e-books or find Catholic education programs **FREE OF CHARGE!!!**

Al acceder formed.org utilice el Código de la Iglesia 9VJ8PD para la selección de la semana o para ver videos católicos, leer libros electrónicos católicos o programas de educación católica, **GRATIS!!!**

SECOND COLLECTION SEGUNDA COLECTA



May 23: Seminary Future Priest Fund
May 30: Father's Day

Mayo 23: Fondo para Seminaristas,
Futuros Sacerdotes
Mayo 30: Dia Del Padre

SACRAMENTS - SACRAMENTOS

INFANT BAPTISM

Parents requesting that their child be baptized must be registered parishioners who are actively participating in the life of St. Rita Church. Preparation class is required for parents and godparents prior to baptism. Please call parish office for additional information and application form a month in advance.

BAUTIZO DE INFANTES

Los padres que soliciten bautizo de sus hijos deben estar registrados en la parroquia y ser participantes activos en la vida de St. Rita. Se requiere que padres y padrinos tomen clases de preparación antes del bautizo. Favor de llamar a la oficina de la iglesia para información adicional y hacer solicitud cuando menos con un mes de anticipación.

MARRIAGE — MATRIMONIO

Couples seeking the sacrament of marriage must be registered parishioners who are actively participating in the life of St. Rita Church. Couples must request an appointment with Fr. Dan Kassis for the initial interview at least 4 months in advance. Marriage preparation required.

Las parejas que se quieran casar deben estar registradas y ser participantes activos en la vida de St. Rita. Las parejas deben pedir una cita con el Padre Dan Kassis para la entrevista inicial cuando menos con cuatro meses de anticipación. Se requiere preparación matrimonial.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK — UNGIR ENFERMOS

Call the office at any time. Llame cuando lo necesite.

COLLECTION REPORT



Regular Collection: \$ 3,804.50

Online: \$ 917.80

2nd Collection: \$ 1,296.00

Votive lights: \$ 126.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED HELP & SUPPORT OF SAINT RITA CATHOLIC CHURCH

You can make your contributions online or by ACH, debit, or credit card. For more information call the Church office.

GRACIAS POR SU CONTINUA AYUDA Y APOYO A LA IGLESIA CATÓLICA DE SANTA RITA.

Ya pueden hacer sus contribuciones en-línea o con tarjeta de crédito. Para más información llamar a la oficina de la Iglesia.

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