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## Bulletin of Parish Life

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Deacon John Heal, Pastoral Associate

### CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

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**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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## SEPTEMBER 12TH, 2021



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Diocese of Gallup Website: [dioceseofgallup.org](http://dioceseofgallup.org)

St. Rita Weekly Bulletin online: [www.parishesonline.com](http://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.



## 24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 12TH,  
2021

May we unite our hearts in faith  
this day, and turn to our merciful  
Lord who is gracious and just.

### Mass Intentions *Intención de las Misas*

#### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH - TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (VIGIL MASS)

5:00 PM John, RegAnn, and Jacob Rivera good health - Robert Rivera

#### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH - TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 AM †Peter Kupcik - Frances Kupcik

10:00 AM For the People of Saint Rita Parish

12:00 noon Por los Feligreses de la Parroquia

#### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH - SAINT JOHN CHRYSOSTOM, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

9:00 AM †E. J. Perea - Robert Rivera

#### TUESDAY, SEPT. 14TH - THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

9:00 AM Jake & Reyes Rivera good health - Robert Rivera

#### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH - OUR LADY OF SORROWS

9:00 AM Judy Rivera good health - Robert Rivera

#### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH - SAINT CORNELIUS, POPE, AND SAINT CYPRIAN, BISHOP, MARTYRS

9:00 AM †Wilma Moseley - Mary Ann Moseley

#### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH - SAINT ROBERT BELLAMINE, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

9:00 AM Ernesto & Bob Perea good health - Robert Rivera

#### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH - TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (VIGIL MASS FOR THE YOUTH)

5:00 PM †Leandro Marez - Robert Rivera

#### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH - TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 AM Catherine, MaryAnn, Robert Jr., and Robert Sr., Gray - Richard Gray

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: **Isaiah 50:4c-9a**

Responsorial Psalm: **116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9**

Second Reading: **James 2:14-18**

Gospel: **Mark 8:27-35**



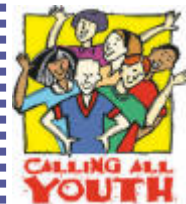
Father Augustine, our Parochial Vicar is being transferred to St. John Vianney Parish in Gallup, NM where he will be the Administrator. We are sad to see him leaving. **We thank Father Augustine for his services during the time he was with us.**

*El Padre Agustín, nuestro Vicario*

*Parroquial esta sido transferido a la Parroquia de St. John Vianney en Gallup, NM, donde será el Administrador. Nos entristece verlo irse. **Agradecemos al Padre Agustín sus servicios durante el tiempo que estuvo con nosotros.***



**RCIA class** for those who would like to become Catholic or who would like to learn more about our Catholic Religion starts Monday, October 4 at 5:30 PM. To register, please call the church office.



This Saturday the Vigil Mass will be for the **Youth of the Parish** followed by youth fellowship in the parish Hall. All high school and Jr high students are invited to join us.

La misa de Vigilia de este Sábado va a ser **para los Jóvenes de la Parroquia** seguida por reunión de Amistad de los Jóvenes en el salón parroquial. Se invita a todos estudiantes de high school and junior high a asistir.



**The Knights of Columbus will offer breakfast this Sunday in the parish hall.**

**Los Caballeros de Colón van a ofrecer burritos después de la misa este Domingo.**



# Announcements - Avisos



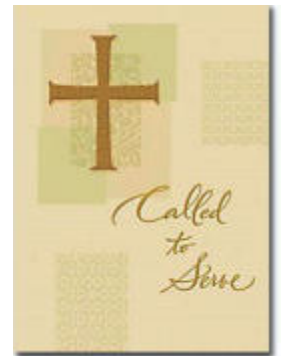
## **2021 GOOD SHEPHERD, PRIESTS' RETIREMENT CAMPAIGN. THE ANNUAL COLLECTION WILL BE TAKEN UP ON SEPTEMBER 19.**

The Diocese of Gallup is one of the neediest in the United States, with no designated home for retired clergy nor sufficient funds for their retirement.

We need your help! Envelopes available in the vestibule for your early contribution. It doesn't matter how much you can contribute with, it *still* will help them. Your prayers/financial support will be greatly appreciated.

## **BUEN PASTOR 2021, CAMPAÑA DE JUBILACIÓN PARA SACERDOTES. LA COLECTA ANUAL SE HARÁ EL 19 DE SEPTIEMBRE.**

La Diócesis de Gallup es una de las más necesitadas de los Estados Unidos, sin un hogar designado para el clero retirado ni fondos suficientes para su jubilación. ¡Necesitamos su ayuda! En el vestíbulo de la iglesia pueden encontrar sobres para hacer su contribución temprana. No importa con cuánto puedan contribuir, eso les ayudará. Sus oraciones/apoyo financiero serán muy apreciados.

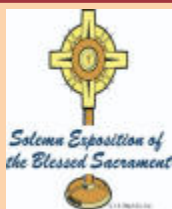


**CCD class for grades 1-high school** including children that have not received all their sacraments in the regular order, **begins this Wednesday**. To register please contact the office or sign up the first day of class. Bring copy of the child baptismal certificate with the registration form. There is a registration fee but for the families that cannot afford to pay it, please call the church office to waive the fee.

## **TEACHERS and TEACHER AIDS NEEDED! NECESITAMOS MAESTRAS/OS Y AYUDANTES DE MAESTRAS/OS**



**Las clases de CCD para grados 1 a secundaria**, incluyendo estudiantes que no hayan recibido todos sus sacramentos en el orden regular, **comienzan este Miércoles**. Para inscripciones llamar a la oficina de la iglesia o registrarse el primer día de clase. Entregar copia del certificado de bautizo junto con la forma de registro. Hay una cuota de inscripción. Las familias que no tengan recursos para pagar, llamen a la oficina para condonarles la cuota.



**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](mailto:moore8@cableone.net)**



Girl Gracie Smitley, Justin Meixsell, Missy Fish, Angela Poletti, Savannah, Makayla, David Witmayer, Patricia Martinez, Sofia Pino, Ernie Dora, Bob and Anne La-Londe, Baby Patrick Thompson, George Chambers, Michael Lindsay, Luke & 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 Douros, 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, Cheryl Beard, Mary Cataldo, Mary Pardew, Ralph Romero, Stan Korzeniowski, Walter & Helen Lehman.

# Church Events

**LEGION OF MARY** meets every **TUESDAYS** after the 9:00 AM Mass. All are welcome!

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN**  
**SCHOOL GRADES 1-8, SEPTEMBER-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 928-245-0621

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

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

**Coffee and donuts in the Parish Hall every Sunday**  
**after the 10:00AM Mass. Breakfast and breakfast**  
**burritos every second Sunday of the Month.**



Go to [formed.org](http://formed.org) to find Catholic videos and e-books or Catholic Education Programs. Use the Church Code **9VJ8PD**. **IT IS FREE OF CHARGE!** The church pays for this service.

Buscar [formed.org](http://formed.org) para encontrar videos y libros electrónicos o Programas Educativos Católicos. Utilicen el Código de la Iglesia **9VJ8PD**. **ES LIBRE DE COBRO.**  
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## **SECOND COLLECTION**

**September 19: Good Shepherd - Priest Retirement Fund**

**September 26: Help for the Poor.**

*September 19: Buen Pastor - Buen Pastor —*

*Fondo de Retiro para Sacerdotes*

*Septiembre 26: Ayuda para los Pobres.*

# 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: \$

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**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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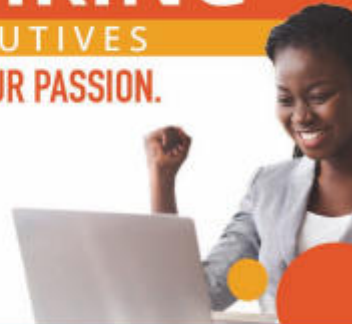
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