

Welcome to our Parish Community!

OUR PASTORAL TEAM

- ✧ Fr. Steve Rosera, Pastor;
- ✧ Fr. Robert Bustamante, Parochial Vicar;
- ✧ Fr. Stephen Gaertner, O.Praem., Parochial Vicar;
- ✧ Fr. Evaristus Chukwu, Hospital Chaplain;
- ✧ Deacon Stephen Sais;
- ✧ Deacon George Sandoval, Ph.D., Emeritus;
- ✧ Ms. Renee Gallegos, Principal, St. Mary's School;
- ✧ Sr. Teresa Aparicio, O.L.V.M., and Debbie Garcia, Co-Coordinator of Faith Formation; and
- ✧ Ms. Michelle Rusk, Social Media Director;
- ✧ Dianne Dragoo, Web Administrator.

THE PARISH OFFICE is open:

Monday—Friday: 10am-3:30pm;

Saturday: 9am –4pm

619 Copper Street NW, Albuquerque, NM 87102

Parish Office: (505) 247-4271

~ Website: ICCABQ.org ~

Office Administrator: Karime Ramirez

MASS SCHEDULE:

- ✧ Monday, Wednesday, & Friday—12:10pm
- ✧ Tuesday, Thursday, & Saturday —7am
- ✧ First Friday of each month—7am and 12:10pm
- ✧ SUNDAY LITURGIES:
 - ❖ Saturday—4pm;
 - ❖ Sunday—8am, 10am, and 12:30pm (SPANISH).

CONFESSIONS:

- ❖ Fridays and Saturdays from 11am to 12noon; and
- ❖ By appointment. Call (505) 247-4271 to make an appointment.

NEXT SECOND COLLECTIONS:

- ❖ September 5th & 6th ~ St. Mary's School

May They Rest in Peace~ Let us keep our recently deceased brothers and sisters in our prayers.

+Annette Gutierrez Turk: Rosary will be prayed on Thursday September 3rd at 10am, followed by the Mass of Christian Burial at 10:30am.

+Anthony Maestas: Rosary will be prayed on Saturday September 3rd at 9am, followed by the Mass of Christian Burial at 9:30am. Burial will be on a different date at Mt. Cavalry



What price would you pay for freedom? In the exhilarating action epic FOR GREATER GLORY, an impassioned group of men and women make the decision to risk it all for family, faith and country.

This film unfolds the (hidden) true story of 1920's Cristeros War. Our next Theology on Film event will take place on Thursday, September 10, beginning at 600 PM with food and drink, and the film *For Greater Glory: The True Story of Cristiada*, beginning immediately at 6:30 PM. Due to the strong nature of the film, and some very violent scenes (including the martyrdom of St. José Sánchez del Río. The film is not recommended for youngsters.

Seasons of Hope: Journal Three

We invite persons experiencing loss through the death of a loved one, physical change, job loss, major transitions to share this Catholic Bereavement Resource. Through Scripture, faith sharing and ritual, we find solace for our spirits.

Saturdays, September 12, 19, 26 from 1pm – 3pm at The Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Santa Fe, School Building. Facilitated by Sr. Paula Gallagher, IHM. To register contact

Sr. Paula at 505-670-0240 or musicwrit7@aol.com.

Thresholds & iTHIRST Ministries

Thresholds Ministry - A mentoring program serving returning citizens, men and women coming out of prison.

iTHIRST Ministry - A ministry of Spiritual Companionship. Training and empowering our Church to be a resource for those suffering with addictions and their families as a healing initiative.

DONATIONS NEEDED! FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST



BACKPACKS

TRAVEL SIZE ITEMS OF:
DEODORANT, SHAMPOO,
CONDITIONER, LOTION,
TOOTHPASTE AND TOOTHBRUSH



DONATION DROP OFF

PASTORAL CENTER
4000 ST. JOSEPH PL. NW
ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87120

8:30AM - 11:30AM
1PM - 4PM



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PASTORAL OUTREACH OFFICE

505-831-8174



Next Sunday's Readings from **LOYOLAPRESS.**



Twenty-Third Sunday of Ordinary Time, Cycle A, September 06, 2026
[Next Sunday's Readings](#)

First Reading: *Ezekiel 33:7-9*

The Son of Man is appointed as guardian of Israel.

Responsorial Psalm: *Psalm 95:1-2,6-9*

Song of praise to God, our salvation.

Second Reading: *Romans 13:8-10*

The Law is summarized in the commandment to love your neighbor as yourself.

Gospel Reading: *Matthew 18:15-20*

Jesus teaches his disciples how to settle disputes in the Church.

Background on the Gospel Reading

Today's Gospel reading is taken from a chapter of Matthew's Gospel, which is sometimes called the "discourse on the Church" or the "church order" discourse. In this part of Matthew's Gospel, Jesus speaks more directly about matters of Church discipline and order. In today's reading we find one of only three instances in which Jesus uses the word *church* in Matthew's Gospel. In Matthew's record of Jesus' teaching, we can hear echoes of the kinds of issues faced by the early Christian community.

In the first part of the "discourse on the Church" (Matthew 18:1-14), Matthew addresses the Christian community's concerns about rank. Jesus responds to the disciples' question about who is greatest in the kingdom of heaven. Jesus indicates that those who wish to enter the kingdom of heaven must be like children, and he cautions those leaders who might lead these "little ones" astray. He also responds with the parable of the lost sheep, indicating how God will seek out and bring back those "little ones" who have strayed.

In today's Gospel reading, Matthew 18:15-20, Jesus addresses a common occurrence in the Christian community: a dispute between two members of the Church. Jesus outlines a procedure for settling such matters fairly. The victim should privately address the offender and attempt to resolve the dispute without outside involvement. If that fails, then the victim should bring two or three witnesses and confront the offender again. If the dispute is still unresolved, the matter should be brought to the attention of the entire community. If the offender refuses to adhere to the reparations prescribed by the community, then Jesus suggests that the offender may be expelled from the Church.

Jesus does not discourage disagreement within the community of the Church; he acknowledges the reality of conflict and error and offers his disciples a means for addressing such matters. It is in the conclusion to this teaching that the message of hope is found: Jesus is present with the community and will guide the community in its relations. If decisions are taken in prayer, then the community can be assured of God's assistance.

Mass Intentions	
Saturday, August 29, Vigil of Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time	
4pm	+ John Fitzpatrick + George Montoya ~ Anniversary
Sunday, August 30, Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8am	Petra Gonzalez & Manuela Barraza ~ Health + Marlene Page Luna ~ Anniversary
10am	Elise Haines ~ Birthday + Rosie C. Soto ~ Birthday + Lucy & Raul Sanchez
12:30pm Spanish	Por la Gente de Nuestra Parroquia
Monday, August 31, Monday of the Twenty-second Week in Ordinary Time	
12:10pm	+ Sandra Sedillo ~ 5 year Anniversary + Jeanette Monahan + Joann Barela ~ Birthday
Tues., September 01, Tuesday of the Twenty-second Week in Ordinary Time	
7am	Souls in Purgatory
Wed., September 02, Wednesday of the Twenty-second Week in Ordinary Time	
12:10pm	+ Santiago Armijo ~ Anniversary + Deacon Steve Rangel ~ Repose of his Soul + Criselda Nieto ~ Anniversary
Thursday., September 03, Memorial of Saint Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church	
7am	For the unhoused population
Friday, September 04, Friday of the Twenty-second Week in Ordinary Time	
7am	George & Rebecca Sandoval ~ Wedding Anniversary
12:10pm	+ John B. Smith + Gary John Lucero + Julian Garcia
Sat., September 05, Saturday of the Twenty-second Week in Ordinary Time	
7am	For the People of the Parish
Saturday, September 05, Vigil of Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time	
4pm	For the Intention of Lisa Sandoval & her Mother + John Fitzpatrick
Sunday, September 06, Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8am	For the People of the Parish
10am	+ Placido & Yvonne Sanchez + Naomi & Robert Santiago + Phil & Eustacia Ulibarri
12:30pm Spanish	+ Ronald Schatzman

DISCOVER ST. MARY'S! SERVING PRE-K THROUGH 8TH GRADE

Help Us Finish Our School Mural!

Our beautiful new mural is officially underway, and we couldn't be more excited to see this vision come to life! This vibrant work of art will serve as a lasting symbol of faith, learning, and community for our students and everyone who visits St. Mary's Catholic School.

We're almost there—but we need to raise just a little more to bring the project across the finish line.

If you would like to help complete this meaningful addition to our campus, we invite you to donate any amount. Every gift, large or small, brings us one step closer to unveiling a mural that will inspire generations of St. Mary's students.

Thank you for your continued prayers, generosity, and support. Together, we are creating something truly special for our school community!



Shadow at St. Mary's ☺ ✨

Thinking about St. Mary's for your child? **Come spend the day with us!** Our Shadow Days are a great way for prospective students to experience our classrooms, meet teachers, make new friends, and see what makes our school special. ❤️

We only have a few spots left in some classes! Don't miss the opportunity to see St. Mary's in action.

📅 **Schedule your Shadow Day today!**

✉️ Contact the school office for more information.

Come shadow. Come experience. Come see why St.

Mary's feels like home! 🏠 ❤️

505-242-6271

~ by Kristen Dickey ~ ICC parishioner & SMS Advancement Director

<i>Ongoing Activities</i>	Date/s	Time	Location	Contact Person
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction	Every First Friday	7:00am-11:45am	Church	
Hot Dog Social	Every Second Saturday	5:00pm-6:30pm	Parish Courtyard	
At Home with the Word ~ Bible Study	Every Wednesday	2:30pm-3:30pm	Office Dining Room	Parish Office
Evening Bible Study	Every Wednesday	6:00pm- 7:00pm	Campion Room	Luke Wyatt
Book Group ~ <i>Mountains Beyond Mountains: (started on August 12)</i>	Every Wednesday	6:00pm- 7:00pm	Parish Hall	Fr. Steve Rosera
Monthly Sawmill Social	Every Third Thursday	11:30am-12:30pm	Sawmill Food Court	Parish Office
Knights of Columbus Burrito Program	Sunday, August 23rd & 30th	After 8am & 10am Masses	Parish Courtyard	Kenneth Pruitt

Volunteer Opportunities at Mass

Here are the volunteers who serve during Mass. If you are interested in any of these ministries, talk to the Sacristan after Mass or call the Parish Office for more information.

- ❖ Altar Servers: Deacon Stephen Sais, ssais@iccabq.org or leave a message at the Parish Office.
- ❖ Gift Bearers; see ushers before Mass
- ❖ Communion to the Home Bound Ministry;
- ❖ Eucharistic Ministers;
- ❖ Lectors;
- ❖ Ushers (Hospitality Ministry): Anthony Carrillo anthoneycarrillo@hotmail.com: 505-350-9707

Volunteer Opportunities

- ✧ *Bread & Blessing* ministry ~ contact Coordinator Roberta Montoya at robertacmontoya@gmail.com or call the Parish Office.
- ✧ *St. Benedict Joseph Labre Ministry* Ann Weiss (972) 653-2616
- ✧ *St. Vincent de Paul* ~ email Ben, president, at bsnow44box@gmail.com.
- ✧ *Francis House* asks for women's & men's underwear; men's pants, unisex sweatpants, shoes, warm beanies, gloves, jackets and blankets (not sheets). We also need soup and sandwich makers (call Stella (505) 448-5748)



Faith Formation
LIFELONG AND ONGOING

Important Dates for Religious Education:

✧ August 30~ Regular Classes

✧ September 06 ~ NO Classes

For more information call Debbie Garcia at (505) 385-8303 or Sr. Teresa at (505) 366-3878

Invitation to Annual Parish Fiestas

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church invites you to their Annual Fiesta on Sunday September 13th.

Please join them for a full day of community celebration from 8:30am - 5:00pm. "This year's fiesta will include great food, live entertainment, games, arts and crafts, a "Trip of a Lifetime" sale, a \$10,000 grand prize raffle and our popular Treasure/Thrift Store"

Saint Therese of the Infant Jesus Church invites you to their Annual Fiestas from September 25th-27th.

"We kick off our Fiesta on Friday, September 25th, with the Royalty Mass at 5:00pm in the Shrine, followed by a procession to the ST. Therese School grounds for an outdoor concert featuring Daren Cordova y Calor at 7:00pm. Then Saturday and Sunday, September 26th-27th, will feature live entertainment, games, arts and crafts fair, silent auction, great food, and the raffle ticket drawings for four(4) \$500 cash prizes. "

Please take a look at our bulletin boards near the exits for further information on these Parish Fiestas!

Great Women of Scripture: New Testament

We study the encounters of Jesus with women in the Gospels, and the roles women played in the early days of the Church. This series helps women explore their Christian roles, taught by those women who were touched by the person and spirit of Jesus Christ.

Tuesdays, September 22, 29 and October 6 from 6-8pm via Zoom

Presenter: Sr. Paula Gallagher IHM

To register: Contact Denise Frias, dfrias@asfnm.org or 505-831-8165

INCOME AND EXPENSES REPORT FOR JULY 2026	
PARISH SUPPORT ~ INCLUDES ON-LINE DONATIONS	
Weekly Collections	\$ 41,902.18
Rental Income	800.00
Candles	3,104.00
Interest on Accounts at NDFCU	8.53
Casa de las Comunidades	180.00
Donations	300.00
Fees - Sacramental	365.00
Francis House	2,375.00
Mass Stipends	900.00
Bread & Blessings	665.00
St. Vincent de Paul	1,372.00
Rejuvenation	3,367.00
St. Mary's School	1,655.00
Flowers	20.00
Donation for Hot Dog Saturday	20.00
Fundraising	60.00
CRS, Rice Bowl, Good Friday, Good Shepherd Center, Human Development	1,179.00
Collection for Venezuela	1,382.00
Coffee Ministry	80.00
ACA Rebate	3,325.50
ACA	2,730.50
Total Income	\$64,790.71
JULY 2026 EXPENSES	
Liturgy and Worship	\$ 3,161.73
Religious Education	3,472.24
Youth	769.22
School Support	3,976.10
Clergy Administration	8,163.32
Parish Administration	17,153.63
HVAC Loan to the Archdiocese	1,118.37
Building and Land Operations	17,820.10
Utilities- Gas, Water, Electric, Internet	4,201.33
Ministries-Includes Designated Donations, Francis House, SVPD and Other Ministries	783.00
TOTAL EXPENSES:	\$ 60,619.04

Stewardship

Live & Give in GRATITUDE

Annual Catholic Appeal Campaign 2026— Fearless in Faith, Boundless in Love

Gentle Reminder

"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid... for the Lord, your God, is with you wherever you go."

Joshua 1:9

The 2026 Annual Catholic Appeal is underway. Through your generosity, the Church is able to support ministries that form disciples, serve those in need, educate future leaders, and bring Christ's love to communities throughout our Archdiocese.

If you have not yet made your gift, please prayerfully consider participating in this year's Appeal. Every gift, regardless of size, helps us fulfill our shared mission as the People of God.

Together, let us be Fearless in Faith and Boundless in Love.

Please use the QR Code or on-line giving www.acaarchdiosf.org



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If you suspect or have knowledge of abuse by a priest, deacon, religious, employee, or volunteer of the Catholic Church, please report this immediately to local law enforcement and to the Archdiocese of Santa Fe Office of Child and Youth Protection (Annette Klimka, Safe Environment Coordinator aklimka@asfm.org | 505.831.8144

Our Parish Mission Statement:

United by the love of Christ,
Immaculate Conception Parish Community,
a Jesuit-founded parish
rooted in Ignatian Spirituality,
commits itself to: live the Gospel values;
celebrate the liturgy with joy;
welcome without prejudice; seek God in everyone;
serve our community
with special care for the poor and marginalized;
and be a place of prayer and spiritual strength
for everyone.

The Teacher's Closet

(formerly AACC School Supply Drive)

The Teacher's Closet needs your donations of school supplies NOW! All donations benefit Archdiocese of Santa Fe Catholic Schools.

Drop off locations:

- **St. Joseph on the Rio Grande** (5901 St. Joseph's Dr. NW)
- **Garson's Catholic Religious Store** (2415 San Pedro Dr. NE)
- **Risen Savior Catholic Church** (7701 Wyoming Blvd. NE)

For information
contact: Mrs. Louise Davis
505-839-7952



Where Are You on Your Faith Journey?

Explore the Catholic Faith in a
Welcoming Community

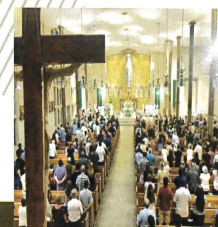


Are you:

- Curious about the Catholic Church?
- Interested in becoming Catholic?
- Baptized in another Christian tradition and considering full communion with the Catholic Church?
- Looking to deepen your relationship with God?

Thursdays, 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Beginning August 27, 2026



The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is a welcoming journey of learning, prayer, discussion, and faith-sharing for adults who want to explore the Catholic faith, become Catholic, complete their Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and/or Eucharist), or return to the Church. Come with your questions and discover where God may be leading you.

Immaculate Conception
Catholic Church

Questions? We'd love to hear from you.
(505) 247-4271
receptionist@iccabq.org



KAIROS

23-25 OCT

EDADES 20-35

CAMPAMENTO KAIROS

BISHOP RIDGE
7855 OLD SANTA FE TRAIL
SANTA FE, NM 87505

HAY MOMENTOS QUE MARCAN TU HISTORIA.
KAIROS NO ES SOLO UN CAMPAMENTO...
ES UN ENCUENTRO REAL CON DIOS.
ES TIEMPO DE SANAR, CRECER Y
DESCUBRIR TU PROPÓSITO.
¿ESTÁS LISTO PARA VIVIR TU KAIROS?

Regístrate ya



Comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial al (505) 247-4271 y pregunte por el Padre Steve para hacer planes para un bautizo, una boda o un funeral.



Nuestra Misión Parroquial
Unidos por el amor de Cristo,
Comunidad Parroquial de la Inmaculada Concepción,
una parroquia fundada por los Jesuitas y enraizada en
la Espiritualidad Ignaciana,
se compromete a: vivir los valores del Evangelio;
celebrar la liturgia con alegría;
acoger sin prejuicios; buscar a Dios en todos;
servir a nuestra comunidad
con especial atención a los pobres y marginados;
y ser un lugar de oración y fortaleza espiritual
para todos.



Fechas importantes para la EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA:

- ✧ 30 de Agosto ~ Clases Regulares
- ✧ 06 de Septiembre ~ NO hay Clases

Para más información, llame a Debbie García al (505) 385-8303 o a la Hermana Teresa al (505) 366-3878



FORMACIÓN DE PREDICADORES

EVANGELIZACIÓN — ICA — *Para hombres y mujeres*

OBJETIVO:
Aprender a preparar y presentar mejor el mensaje que anunciamos.

CONTENIDO:
Aprender a predicar ofreciendo herramientas concretas para presentar el mensaje pedagógicamente.

CURSO APOLO
Formación que te impulsa a llevar el Evangelio a todo lugar.

LUGAR:
Franciscanos Province,
Our Lady of Guadalupe
1204 Stinson St. SE
Albuquerque, NM 87121

FECHAS:
VIERNES 9 DE OCTUBRE DE 2026
6:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.
SÁBADO 10 DE OCTUBRE DE 2026
8:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
DOMINGO 11 DE OCTUBRE DE 2026
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

REQUISITOS:
✓ Haber tenido un encuentro personal con Cristo.
✓ Participar en un ministerio de la Iglesia.
✓ Es necesario vivir el curso completo.
✓ Traer Biblia.

¡Bienvenidos!
Cursillistas, ACTS, Caballeros de Colón, Catequistas y hermanos de todos los movimientos.

RECUPERACIÓN:
• \$50.00 por persona
• \$75.00 por pareja
INCLUYE LA COMIDA

INFORMACIÓN:
505 908 4018
505 835 4478
505 524 7236

PATROCINADO POR:
INMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH
DE LA ARQUIDIOCESIS DE SANTA FE NM

"Id por todo el mundo y predicad el Evangelio a toda criatura."
Marcos 16.15