

# Catholic Kid's Corner

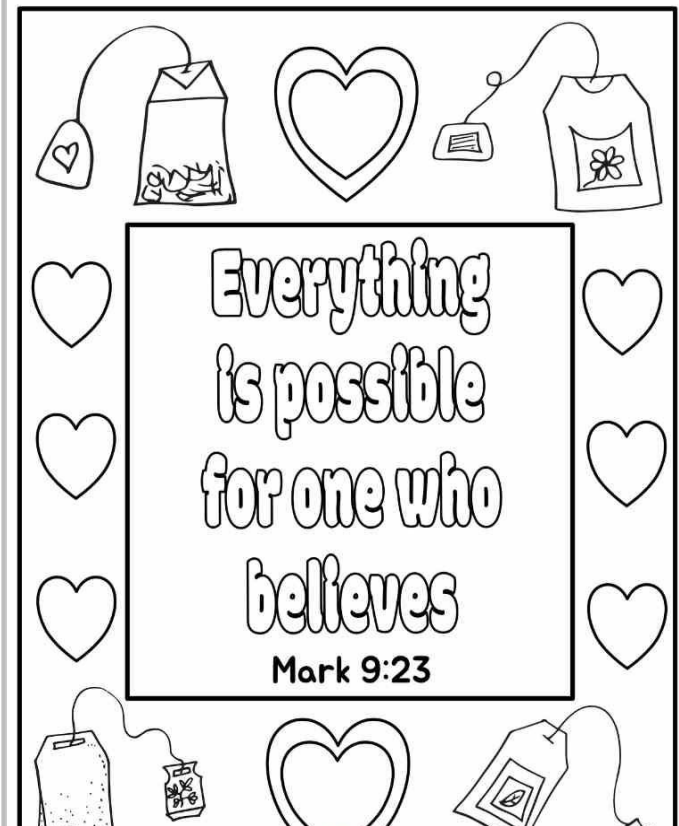
And kids at heart!

In today's Gospel, Jesus sends the disciples out on a mission. Jesus gave the disciples the responsibility to go out and proclaim God's Kingdom. The disciples aren't just to share in Jesus' mission with their words. They are to share in it with their actions as well.

Jesus sent the disciples out to proclaim the kingdom of God. He gave them the power to heal people who are sick and suffering so that they could experience God's healing love and mercy. Jesus trusted the disciples to continue his mission. We are also Jesus' disciples. We don't have to wait to be grown ups to continue Jesus' mission. We can bring Jesus's love to the people in our lives right now, in our words and our actions.

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CROWDS	KINGDOM	DISEASE	TEACHING	SYNAGOGUES
HEALING	TOWNS	GOOD	NEWS	HELPLESS
VILLAGES	HEAVEN	SICKNESS	NEAR	SHEEP
WORKERS	JESUS	COMPASSION	SHEPHERD	PREACHING



**Children's Liturgy**  
 Children's Liturgy of the Word will take a break for the summer.  
 See you back in August!



**BREAKING NEWS!!**  
 Risen Savior Catholic Preschool is now offering a full-day, 4-year-old preschool program! (8am to 3pm)  
 \*Universal Child Care Contracts will be accepted.  
 \*Teachers are licensed through NMPED.  
 \*Preschool is in a secured building.  
 \*Extended Care program available.  
 \* Music, Spanish, PE, Art classes included.  
 \*NM Early Learning Standards taught.  
 This class will be limited to 10 students. Registration is now open!  
 Contact the preschool for more information.  
[preschool@risensaviorcc.org](mailto:preschool@risensaviorcc.org) or 505-821-1571 ext. 112

**OLPH Yard Sale— June 20th!**  
 Don't miss the OLPH yard sale on Saturday, June 20th from 8:00am to 2:00pm at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Byzantine Catholic Church 1837 Alvarado Dr. NE  
 Shop for treasures and support our parish youth group, the Byzan-TEENS! Come early for the best selection! We accept cash, Venmo, or pay through the online giving portal.

# RISEN SAVIOR CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF SANTA FE  
 7701 WYOMING BLVD NE  
 ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87109

June 14, 2026  
*The Eleventh Sunday In Ordinary Time*

**Clergy**  
 Rev. Charles Ugochukwu, Pastor  
 Deacon Mark Bussemeier  
 Deacon Manuel Garcia  
 Deacon Tim Parker

**Mass Schedule**  
 Saturday 4:00 p.m.  
 Sunday: 7:00, 9:00, and 11:00 a.m.

Tuesday & Thursday: 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday: 7:00 a.m.

First Fridays: 7:00 a.m.

*Holy Days are Announced*

**Reconciliation**  
 Tuesday & Thursday: 11:00 a.m. until the beginning of Mass

Saturday at 3:00pm

**Sacramental Preparation**

Baptism Classes: Contact the parish office to register for the next scheduled date.

Please contact the parish office or visit the parish website for more information on all other Sacraments

**Anointings**

Please contact the Parish Office.

**Parish Office**

Hours: Monday - Friday

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Closed from 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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**Matthew 9:36-10:8**  
*Jesus sends the twelve apostles to proclaim the kingdom of heaven.*

In today's Gospel, Jesus shares his mission to proclaim the kingdom of heaven with his disciples. The signs of the kingdom's presence consist of the work that Jesus has already been doing: the sick are cured, lepers are cleansed, demons are driven out, and the dead are raised to life. The disciples are sent to continue doing the work that Jesus has begun. This is a moment of transition in Matthew's Gospel. The focus has shifted from the ministry of Jesus to the work of the community that he has inaugurated. More than any other Gospel, Matthew's Gospel elaborates on the work of the Church, which is to continue after Jesus' death and resurrection. The Gospel reports that Jesus commissions twelve disciples. Many scholars believe that the twelve disciples symbolize the twelve tribes of Israel. It designates, therefore, continuity between Israel and the Church. Matthew lists the names of the twelve disciples, as do Mark and Luke. Matthew also uses the word apostle when referring to the Twelve. The word apostle means "one who is sent." In this context, Matthew is calling attention to the mission that the twelve disciples are being given. They are sent by Jesus to proclaim the kingdom of heaven in word and deed. As Jesus sent his disciples to continue his work and mission, so too the Church is sent by Jesus. The Church is his continuing presence on earth. Every member of the Church is sent by Jesus to contribute to this mission.

"The Eucharist is truly a glimpse of heaven appearing on earth. It is a glorious ray of the heavenly Jerusalem which pierces the clouds of our history and lights up our journey."



**Corpus Christi Procession 2026**



# Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



**Saturday, June 13th**  
**4:00pm** - + Andres, Oralia, Tobias, Viola, and Matthew Martinez, + Eugene Schiess, + Ralph Conway, Special intention Elsie Conway

**Sunday, June 14th**  
**7:00am** - + Antonio, Dale, Adrian Montoya, + Fr. Ed Rivera, Birthday blessings for Debbie Mekwuhye, Birthday blessings for Ijeoma Onuoha

**9:00am** - + Floyd & Orlando Correa, + Albert Quintana, For the health & healing of Lisa Gates, Special intention for Ruben Becerra Ochoa, Special intention for Estela Dominguez, de Becerra

**11:00am** - + Tony Cordova, + Stephen Bernell, Birthday blessings for Dallas Oyinatumba

**Monday, June 15th**

**Tuesday, June 16th**  
**11:30am** - + Carol Guenther, + LeRoy Cravens, In thanksgiving to St. Jude

**Wednesday, June 17th**  
**7:00am** - For the People

**Thursday, June 18th**  
**11:30am** - + Robin Herbert, + Bennie Sanchez, Special intention for Barbara & Tom Wright, Special intention for Fr. Charles

**Friday, June 19th**

## Pray for the Faithful Departed

† Philip Reardon  
*Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them.*

The Parish Office will be closed  
 Friday, June 19th in observance of Juneteenth  
 &  
 Friday, July 3rd in observance of Independence Day



We ask our faith community to keep these individuals in your prayers:

Anne Armijo · Daniel Miranda · Sofia Blackwood · Kristen Miranda · Raquel Rodriguez · Susie Maldonado · Carlos Garcia · Donna Harris · Marianne Nichols · Peter Maioriello · Sr. Maria Luisa Vasquez · Carl Keim · Mary Lou Trujillo · Lisa Gates · Richie Ribando · Rose Banis · Mary Garcia · Pat Dubois · James Macklin · Josh Winters

To add a name to the prayer list, please contact the office, or submit your request through our website. The names remain in the bulletin for four weeks.

## PARISH WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Monday, June 15th**  
*Knights of Columbus Meals on Wheels off-site*

**Tuesday, June 16th**  
*Divine Mercy 10:00am, Rm 4*  
*Confessions 11:00am*  
*Mass 11:30am*  
*Alcoholics Anonymous 12:00pm, Rm 4*

**Wednesday, June 17th**  
*Mass 7:00am*

**Thursday, June 18th**  
*OCIA 6:00pm, Library*  
*Confessions 11:00am*  
*11:30am Mass*

**Friday, June 19th \*OFFICE CLOSED\***  
*ALANON 12:00pm, Youth Center*

**Saturday, June 20th**  
*Gambler's Anonymous 3:30pm, Rm 4*  
*Mass 4:00pm*

**Sunday, June 21st**  
*Masses 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am*  
*Young Adults Lectio Divina 12:15pm*

### Risen Savior Staff Directory

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 • Young Adults  
 • Marriage/Tribunal  
 • Bulletin

**Fr. Charles Ugochukwu**  
 Call the front office to leave a message

## Weekly Votive Intentions

**June 13th - June 19th**

**Sacred Heart of Jesus**  
*Ivana Katicic*

**Immaculate Heart of Mary**  
*Ernest Montoya*

*St. Michael, St. Francis, Our Lady of Guadalupe, St. Joseph, Our Lady of Grace, Sacred Heart of Jesus and Immaculate Heart of Mary PRAY FOR US!*



### Votive Candles

We have votive candles available for your intentions at our seven statues in the Church. The dedicated votives will burn from Saturday through Friday and will be replaced every Saturday. Contact the parish office.

## Youth Faith Formation



**MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL**  
**6th-12th Grade**

**Wednesday, June 24th, 6-8pm**  
**in Youth Center**

• PB&J Sandwiches for The Francis House  
 • Dinner & Bible Study

**Wednesday, July 22nd, 6-8pm**  
**in Youth Center**

• PB&J Sandwiches for The Francis House  
 • Dinner & Games

**Wednesday, August 19th, 6-8pm**  
**in Youth Center**

• PB&J Sandwiches for The Francis House  
 • Dinner & Bible Study

*All youth, 6th-12th grade are invited. Bring a friend or two!*

Our friends at the Francis House are in great need of men & women socks and underwear. If you would like to donate, new items can be brought to Briana in the office before Friday, June 26th.

Please keep our friends in your prayers and the community they serve. ♥



We will be collecting: **oranges, bananas & tortillas** for HopeWorks. Please bring your donations to Church Lobby June 13th & 14th after all Masses

Please return casseroles frozen on the weekend of June 13th-14th.



## Swing into God's World! REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

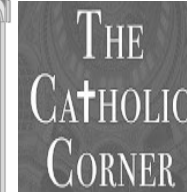
**Risen Savior Catholic Church**

**Totally Catholic! VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

**\*Pre-school through Grade 5 \*(must be 3 years old by January 1, 2026)**  
**June 22th-26th • 8:30 am- 12:00 pm • Lunch 12:00 pm-12:20 pm**

All children Preschool - Grade 5 are welcome and encouraged to attend. Tell your friends and family! Register online at [www.risensaviorcc.org](http://www.risensaviorcc.org)

## What does it mean to be a minister in the Catholic Church?



When the Church comes together in the liturgical assembly to celebrate the Mass, or any other sacrament, her members do not gather simply as a crowd, as an amorphous, undifferentiated group of people.

They gather in a variety of ministries and roles. But before individuals can be prepared for liturgical roles, there must first be individuals who are willing to assume those roles. All the baptized need to understand that part of their duty regarding liturgy is to accept some responsibility for the liturgy, to place themselves and their God-given talents at the service of the liturgical community whenever possible. If liturgy is a duty as well as a right, then part of that duty for those able to undertake these tasks is the responsibility to assume such key roles as those of lector, server or acolyte, extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion, usher, choir member, etc. . Whether one brings up the gifts at the Presentation, reads the Word of God, assists with the distribution of Communion and brings the Eucharist to those unable to be present at Mass, serves at the altar, provides music that augments the joy, solemnity and festivity of the celebration or serves the assembled community as an usher, he or she is contributing to the worship of the community and fulfilling the responsibility that comes with Baptism.

Not all members of the parish community will have the time, energy, strength or ability to serve in these roles, however, individuals must be careful not to excuse themselves too easily. And it might also be helpful for us to reexamine our situation every so often. The time available to a business person or to parents with young children may be very limited. But eventually business people retire and children grow up, leaving those individuals with more free time at their disposal. What is important is that all understand that the celebration of liturgy is not just the responsibility of the pastor, although he is delegated by the Bishop to oversee the liturgical life of the parish. Pastors need the help of their people, the people who are serious about living out their baptismal right and responsibility to worship.

The liturgy, then, is about the action of God's own people, each with different offices and roles, each office and role, from that of bishop and priest to that of usher and sacristan, one of service, not of privilege, a mirror of Christ who washed the feet of his disciples and instructed his followers to imitate his example of service.



## Parish Wishlist:

We are in need of a new 36-40 inch LED TV for the lobby. Our old one is no longer operable. Please contact Deacon Mark if you would like to donate one.



VBS is in need of a few food donations: *Graham crackers, animal crackers, popcorn, pretzel rods, marshmallows (big and small).* Please bring in no later than Thurs., June 18th, as Friday is a holiday.

If you prefer not to purchase food items, but would still like to donate, we would gladly appreciate grocery store gift cards.

Thank you for your generosity!

