Let the little children come to me." Mt. 9:14

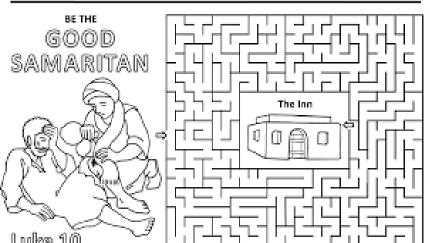
Parable of the Good Samaritan

" 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind'; and, 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' " Luke 10:27

Based on Luke 10:25-37



JESUS	JERUSALEM	PRIEST	BEAT	CLOTHES
EXPERT	STRIPPED	HEART	PITY	ETERNAL
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yourself."



Jesus told a story about a kind and helpful neighbor.



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July 13, 2025 Tifteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Luke 10:25-37 *The parable of the Good Samaritan*

As Jesus continues his journey to Jerusalem, he is confronted by a scholar of the law who wants to test him. In the Gospels of Mark and Matthew, Jesus is asked about the greatest commandment. Here, in Luke's Gospel, the lawyer asks what we must do to inherit eternal life. In the other two Gospels, Jesus answers the question by quoting Deuteronomy 6:5, on loving God with all your heart, and Leviticus 19:18, on loving your neighbor. Here Jesus asks the expert to answer this question, "What is written in the law?" The man is caught and responds with Deuteronomy 6:5. This verse is one of the most important prayers in Judaism, and it was said twice a day in Jesus' time. Love of God and love of neighbor are what is required for eternal life. Jesus' response is simple, "Do this and you will live." Having been shown up by Jesus, the lawyer tries another question: Who is my neighbor whom I must love like myself? In the society of Jesus' time, with its distinctions between Jews and Gentiles, men and women, clean and unclean, this was a trick question. Jesus responds with one of the most beautiful of all the parables, the Good Samaritan. It is found only in Luke's Gospel. The road from Jerusalem to Jericho descends 3,300 feet in just 17 miles. Its narrow passes and rocky terrain made it an easy place for bandits to wait for travelers. After the attack, the man is left for dead, naked and bleeding on the side of the road. A priest comes along, but rather than helping, as one might expect, he moves to the other side of the road. Another religious person comes along, a Levite who assists in the Temple. His reaction is the same as the priest's. Both of them choose to not even find out if the man is alive. A third person comes along. He is a Samaritan, an Israelite's most hated neighbor. Samaritans were descendants of Jews from the northern part of the country, who had intermarried with Gentiles and did not worship in Jerusalem. The Samaritan not only goes over to the injured man but cleans his wounds, puts him on his own animal, takes him to an inn to recover, and promises to pay all his expenses. The hated enemy is the compassionate neighbor in this parable. Jesus has demolished all boundary expectations. It is not social definitions such as class, religion, gender, or ethnicity that determines who is our neighbor. A neighbor is a person who acts with compassion toward another. The point becomes not who deserves to be loved as I love myself, but that I become a person who treats everyone with compassion. When Jesus asks the lawyer who was the neighbor in the story, the lawyer can't bring himself to say it was the Samaritan. All he says is that it was "the one who treated him with mercy." Jesus' response

was similar to that of the first discussion: "Go and do likewise." The lawyer, and we, know what is right. The key is to do it.

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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Saturday, July 12th

4:00pm - + Bob & Scott Bridge, + Gary Okino, + Josephine Herrera, For the health of Betsy Newman

Sunday, July 13th

7:00am - + Edwina Miner, + Rogelia & Augusto, Mario Solano, + June, Alfred, & Roger Kraft

9:00am - + Floyd & Orlando Correa, + Vera Ulibarri, + Sheena James, Special intention for Wanda Abasumoh, 100th Birthday Blessings for Domie Lefebre

11:00am - + Nora Ann Garza, + Gay Tierney & Christian Picado, Special intention for Barbara Thompson

Monday, July 14th

Tuesday, July 15th

11:30am - + Charolette Jaramillo, + Mary Catherine Fordice, + Victor Lucrécio, + Ray Alguien

Wednesday, July 16th 7:00am - For the people

Thursday, July 17th

11:30am - + Robert Reed, + Harold Valencia, + Roger Baca, For the health of Consuelo & Jacob Salmons

Friday, July 18th

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Located in the Mausoleum/Chapel Building. Head to Head crypt. Corridor A, Wall S, Tier 5, Row 520-A/522-A. \$18,000. Please call DJ, 602-935-1014.

A Prayer for those coping with floods

God of compassion, you hear the cries of all who are in trouble or distress; accept our prayers for those whose lives are affected by storms and flooding: strengthen them in their hour of need, grant them perseverance and courage to face the

future and be to them a firm foundation on which to build their lives;

this we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PARISH WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, July 14th

Tuesday, July 15th

Morning Prayer 8:30am, Church Divine Mercy 10:00am, Rm 4 Confessions 11:00am Mass 11:30am Alcoholics Anonymous 12:00pm, Rm 4

Wednesday, July 16th

Mass 7:00am

Morning Prayer 8:30am, Church Season's of Hope Grief Support 3:30-5:00pm, Youth Center OCIA 6:00pm, Library

Thursday, July 17th

Confessions 11:00am Mass 11:30am

Young Adults Apologetics 6:00pm, Youth Center Ministry Leader Metting 6:00pm, Library

Friday, July 18th

Morning Prayer 8:30am, Church

Saturday, July 19th

Confessions 3:00pm Gambler's Anonymous 3:30pm, Rm 4 Mass 4:00pm

Sunday, July 20th

Masses 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am Young Adults Lectio Divina after 11:00am Mass, Youth Center

Ministry Leaders Meeting

Please join us if you are the leader of a Risen Savior Parish Ministry, Thursday, July 17th at 6pm in the library. For more information, please contact Barb Mallak in the parish office.



ACA NEWS

We invite all our faithful parishioners to prayerfully consider contributing to the Annual Catholic Appeal if you haven't done so already. Your ACA donations go to support the important ministries of the church throughout the Archdiocese of Santa Fe. The 2026 Risen

Savior obligation is \$89,000. Any donations over this amount will come back directly back to our important ministries. There are pledge cards in the lobby on our bulletin board. Thank you for your generous support of our parish.

Please call Tes Charlton in the office for more information.

Attention Musicians:

If you or someone you know can play the piano or organ, please contact the parish office at 505-821-1571 and leave a message for Father Charles.

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

Armando Mares · Veronica Olguin · Haydee Mata · Peter Maioriello · Donna Harris · Sr. Maria Luisa Vasquez · Marianne Nichols · Archer Candelaria · Lara Shibata · Mike Goldmann · Pat Dubois · Ann Marie Gurule-Koester · Michelle Gurule-Cook · Chris Chavez · Diane Barretta · Jennifer Hoskin · Christopher · Larry Tierney ·

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

Weekly Votive Intentions July 12th - July 18th

Sacred Heart of Jesus For the safe delivery & health of baby Zo

Immaculate Heart of Mary In thanksgiving

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.



Risen Savior Preschool Needs Our Support!

Below is a list of items that our wonderful Preschool is in need of for the 2025-2026 School Year. Donations can be dropped off at the parish office. Contact the preschool for more information at preschool@risensaviorcc.org

- Crayola Thick Markers -10 pack
- Elmer's Small School Glue Sticks
- Watercolor Paint 8 in a trav
- Crayola Crayons 24 pack
- Clorox Wipes
- · Facial Tissue · Moon Sand
- · Paper Towels
- · 65 pound. White Cardstock

Thank you for your support & generosity: God Bless!



Children's Faith Formation registration is now open!

We welcome all Kindergarteners through 5th grade to our program.

You may find registration forms in the lobby or on our website.

Call Tes in the office for more info.

"Adopting Andrew has made us more aware of God's power and of his love for us. We realize that he always has a perfect plan for our lives." Read more at www.bit.ly/AdoptionLoveStory. USCCB Secretari at of Pro-Life Activities "An Adoption Love Story"

To learn more about Risen Savior's Respect Life Ministry, please contact the parish office.





This ministry is for anyone who has experienced the death of a loved one. We pray, read scriptures and share our stories.

Our next meeting will be held on July 16th from 3:30-5:00pm in the Youth Center

Feel free to email Dave and Juli Armijo if you have any questions



JULY HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH ACTIVITY Wednesday, July 16th

High School GUYS NIGHT OUT w/ Mr. Pat & Mr. Antonio Hang out, catch up, and have some Catholic guy time.

5:30-7:30pm meet at Loma Del Norte Park 7511 Burke St NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109 (Wyoming/San Francisco) YFF will provide drinks, pizza, football & basketball for teens

High School GIRLS NIGHT OUT w/Mrs. Briana Hang out, catch up, and have some Catholic girl time 5:30-7:30pm meet at The Sweet Cup Desserts Boba Coffee 3517 Wyoming Blvd NE # A, Albuguergue, NM 87111 (Wyoming/Comanche) YFF will purchase a drink or dessert for teens.

This activity is for all incoming 9th-12th graders or previous teens in our program. Bring a friend or two ;)

Please let Briana know if you will be attending by July 14th by text or email buargas@risensaviorcc.org

🔆 Youth Faith Formation Registration for those 🔆 entering 6th-12th grade, will open the end of July.

If you are a teen that has received the sacrament of Confirmation, please contact Briana for more info on becoming a Youth Leader on Wednesday evenings.

505-821-1571 ext 110 or buargas@risensaviorcc.org

THE CORNER

St. Peter & The Catholic Church

St. Peter is mentioned so often in the New Testament-in the Gospels, in the Acts of the Apostles, and in the Epistles of St. Paul-that we feel we know him better than any other person who figured prominently in the life of the Savior. In all, his name appears 182 times. We have no knowledge of

him prior to his conversion, save that he was a Galilean fisherman, from the village of Bethsaida or Capernaum. There is some evidence for supposing that Peter's brother Andrew and possibly Peter himself were followers of John the Baptist, and were therefore prepared for the appearance of the Messiah in their midst. We picture Peter as a shrewd and simple man, of great power for good, but now and again afflicted by sudden weakness and doubt, at least at the outset of his discipleship. After the death of the Savior he manifested his primacy among the Apostles by his courage and strength. He was "the Rock" on which the Church was founded. It is perhaps Peter's capacity for growth that makes his story so inspiring to other erring humans. He reached the lowest depths on the night when he denied the Lord, then began the climb upward, to become bishop of Rome, martyr, and, finally, "keeper of the keys of Heaven." Our first glimpse of Peter comes at the very beginning of Jesus' ministry. While He was walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee, He saw two brothers, Simon Peter and Andrew, casting a net into the water. When He called to them, "Come, and I will make you fishers of men," they at once dropped their net to follow Him. A little later we learn that they visited the house where Peter's mother-in-law was suffering from a fever, and Jesus cured her. This was the first cure witnessed by Peter, but he was to see many miracles, for he stayed close to Jesus during the two years of His ministry. All the while he was listening, watching, guestioning, learning, sometimes failing in perfect faith, but in the end full of strength and thoroughly prepared for his own years of missionary preaching. We are told that after the miracle of the loaves and fishes, Jesus withdrew to the mountain to pray, and his disciples started to sail home across the Lake of Galilee. Suddenly they saw Him walking on the water, and, according to the account in Matthew, Jesus told them not to be afraid. It was Peter who said, "Lord, if it is You, command me come to me to come to You on the water." Peter set out confidently, but suddenly grew afraid and began to sink, and Jesus stretched out His hand to save him, saying, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" There seems to be no doubt that Peter was favored among the disciples. He was selected, with James and John, to accompany Jesus to the mountain, the scene of the Transfiguration, to be given a glimpse of His glory, and there heard God pronounce the words, "This is my beloved Son in whom I am well pleased." after the Ascension, Jesus manifested himself to his disciples, He signaled Peter out, and made him declare three times that he loved Him, paralleling the three times that Peter had denied Him. Finally, Jesus charged Peter, with dramatic brevity, "Feed my sheep." From that time on Peter became the acknowledged and responsible leader to which the Church was founded.

