



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY
OF NORTHERN NEW MEXICO



Sunday, August 30, 2026
22nd Liturgical Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil | 5:30 pm

Sunday | 7:00am, 8:30am (spanish),
10:30am, 12:30pm & 6:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Wednesday: | 7:00am &
6:00pm

Thursday & Friday: | 7:00am

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday | 4:00pm - 5:15pm or by appointment

ROSARY Every day before mass

ADORATION:

1st Friday 7:30am to 4:00pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

You must be a registered parishioner. Stop by the parish office to receive an information sheet with documents required for infants, toddlers under 7 years of age and their Godparents.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance. Call the Rectory office for an appointment.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (OCIA & RICA (SPANISH))

For adults preparing to become Catholic and adults completing Sacraments.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

Register your family by coming to the parish office and filling out a census.

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YOU, GOD,
ARE MY GOD

EARNESTLY I SEEK YOU;
I THIRST FOR YOU

*my whole being
longs for you*

IN A DRY AND PARCHED LAND
WHERE THERE IS NO WATER

PSALM 63:1

OUR MISSION

Guided by the Holy Spirit and the word made flesh and centered in the Eucharist, fount of holiness, we, the community of Holy Cross Church, build families rooted in the values of the Holy Family of Nazareth to bear fruit for the Kingdom of God.

Parish Office: Monday–Thursday: 9am – 4pm (Closed 1pm – 2pm for Lunch) | Friday: 9am – 1pm

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PRAYERS AND EVENTS

Holy Cross Church, Santa Cruz, NM

FOR EVANGELIZATION IN THE CITY

Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.

AUGUST
2026THE POPE'S
PRAYER
INTENTIONS

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

Thank you to everyone who has already supported the construction of our Blessed Sacrament Chapel! Because of you, we are closer to creating a peaceful place where our community can rest in the Eucharistic presence of Jesus.

A Permanent Thank You: We want to remember your kindness forever. When the chapel is finished, we will dedicate a plaque featuring the names of every donor who helped make this vision a reality.

Whether you donate a pew or contribute to the general fund, your name will be honored on the plaque.

Help us build a spiritual home for prayer and quiet encounter with the Lord. Your generosity brings us closer to heaven on earth.



COLLECTION FOR AUGUST 16TH, 2026

Church Collections:	\$	13,411.00
Building Fund:	\$	251.00
ACA:	\$	496.00
Assumption:	\$	1,401.00
Catholic Charities:	\$	1,077.00

ON-LINE GIVING FOR JULY, 2026

St. Vincent de Paul:	\$	120.00
Building Fund:	\$	425.00
Church:	\$	12,433.98



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LIVING A FAMILY LIFE?
BECOME ONE OF US



MASS INTENTIONS

August 30, 2026 | 22nd Liturgical Sunday in Ordinary Time

MONDAY, AUGUST 31ST

7:00am

Special Intention for Elisa M. Lujan by the Lujan Family |
†Moises Jr. & †Rosanna M. Lujan by the Family |
†Magdalena Trujillo by the Family | †Manuel Vigil, †Carlos
Trujillo & †Polly Arzola by Josie Rendon | †Shelly & †Eddie
Millsap (Birthday Remembrance) by Marie Millsap

5:00pm Patriotic Rosary

6:00pm

†Vanessa Herrera (Birthday Remembrance) by the Family

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST

7:00am

6:00pm Spanish Mass

Por los miembros de la familia y amigos vivos y fallecidos
de Manuel y Erlinda Quintana

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND

7:00am

5:15pm Latin Rosary

6:00pm (Annointing Mass)

Health & Wellbeing for Xavier Trujillo & Doug Salazar by
Paul and Lisa Redman | Living and Deceased Lopez and
Anaya Family Members and Godchildren | †Mary Ellen
Redman by Paul and Lisa Redman | †Verna Trujillo
(Birthday Remembrance) by Manny and the Girls |
†Carmen Sanchez, †Eddie Jr. and †Danny Sanchez by The
Jaramillo Family | †Edward T. Sanchez Sr. & †Joseph Lovato
by The Jaramillo Family

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD

7:00am

†Emily Maestas (5 yrs.) by Friends | †Jose B. Espinoza
(4 yrs.) by the Family

6:00pm

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH

7:00am

†Joseph & Julian Rendon by Josie Rendon

6:00pm San Pedro Chapel

†Eloisa, †Lupe Sr. & †Lupe Jr. Hernandez by Anaya Family |
†Sally Alarid & †Michael Ulibarri by the Family | †Anthony
(Tony) Garcia by the Family | †Jose & †Eloisa Abeyta, †Tony
& †Lourdes Fresquez by Joe and Eva Abeyta and Family

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH

7:00am Santo Nino Chapel

Living and Deceased Lopez and Anaya Family Members
and Godchildren | Special Intention to Santo Nino de
Atocha by Cecilia Lujan | †Emilio & †Lucas Randall by the
Family

5:30pm

†Roberta (35 yrs.), †Armando F. & †Karla Montoya by Mary
K. Maestas | †James, †Tita & †Paul Archuleta by Bob and
Vangie Archuleta | +Vivian, +Roseann, & +Benjie Martinez
by Frank and Suzan Roybal | +John Martsh (Birthday
Remembrance), +Jim Martsh & +Shirley DeVargas by Paul
& Barbara Fresquez | +Candie Castaneda by Robert,
Natalie, Sofia & Ella Trujillo

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH

7:00am

Divine Protection of Abram Martinez by Mom & Family |
†Thomas Vigil (Birthday Remembrance) by Michael and
Luisa | †Sherry Martinez by Liz Martinez | †J.D. & †Bryana
Griego (5 yrs.) by Philippa and Juan Griego | †Pearl Vigil
(Birthday Remembrance) by Torrez, Maestas & Vigil Family

8:30am Spanish

Miembros vivos y difuntos de Los Hermanos de Nuestro
Padre Jesús Nazareno | †Sarabeth Montoya by Grandma
Rose | †Dominic, †Isa & †Ventura Manzanares by the Family |
†Josefina Estrada (3 yrs.) & †Guadalupe Parra B. by
Angelica and Family | †Richard Lucero by Angelica and
Family

10:30am

†Fernando Antonio Andrade by Mom, Dad, Labri & Savannah
| †Rosendo Sr. and †Ida Garcia by Ross & Kathy Garcia |
†Henrietta Alarid by Ralph & Tracy Alarid & Family | †Adela
and †Modesto C. by Modesto and Mickey Gallegos |
†Edward Lucero (4 yrs.) by Louise Lucero

12:30pm

Sally Roybal (Birthday Blessings) by Mary | Living &
Deceased Members of Las Carmelita's de Santa Cruz |
†Nora (Birthday Remembrance), †Sam, and †Ronnie Vigil by
JoAnn and Pam Vigil | †Fred Archuleta by the Family | †Pete,
(Birthday Remembrance), †Bernie Rendon & †Amelia
Gallegos by Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Gallegos

6:00pm

Special Intentions for Claudio Lopez by the Lopez Family |
†Norbert & Daysi Lopez by the Lopez Family | †David Lujan,
†Sandy McKinney & †Juliana Segura by Anna Vigil & Family |
†Manuel & †Elsie Manzanarez by Josie Rendon | †Benjamin
Huerta by Holy Cross Church | †Boonie, †Augustine & †Eloy
Miera by Arthur & Soledad Martinez & Family

BIBLE STUDY: – TUESDAYS 4:00 – 6:00PM

LAS PALMAS GROUP: TUESDAYS 6:30 – 8:30PM

OCIA (ENGLISH): WEDNESDAYS 6:30 – 8:00PM

RICA (SPANISH): TUESDAYS 6:30 – 8:00PM

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: 1ST & 3RD MONDAY

6:30 PM

FAITH FORMATION: EVERY OTHER SUNDAY,

4:00 – 5:45PM

ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY: MEETING EVERY OTHER

MONTH ON THE SECOND WEDNESDAY 6:30 –

7:30PM/ ROSARY EVERY OTHER ALTERNATING

MONTHS ON THE SECOND WEDNESDAY 6:30 –

7:30PM

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS: MONTHLY ON THE THIRD

SUNDAY 12:30 – 2:30PM

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: MONTHLY ON SECOND

AND FOURTH TUESDAY 7PM AT THE CONVENT

ACOLYTES GROUP:

READERS GROUP:

ALTAR BOYS & GIRLS:

Matthew 16:25

For whoever wants to save their life
will lose it, but whoever loses their
life for me will find it.



**MAINTENANCE CORNER:
NEWER PROJECTS...**

- **Building (A) Renovation Started**
 - Kitchenette
 - Painting & Floors of Offices
- **Blessed Sacrament Started**
 - Floors
 - Entrance
 - Roof
 - Stairs

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