



Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 6, 2025



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Roman Catholic Church

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MASS TIMES

4:30 pm Saturday (English)

8:00 am Sunday (Spanish)

9:30 am Sunday (English)

11:00 am Sunday (English)

9:00 am Monday—Friday (English)

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

First Friday of every month, after 9:00am Mass and by appointment—please call the office

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION: in the confessional

Saturday (Sábado) 3:15pm - 4:10pm

Thursday (Jueves) 5:30pm - 6:30pm

Or by appointment - please call the office

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Monday through Friday 8:00am - 8:45am,

Monday 6:30pm - 7:30pm (Bilingual) (Livestream)

Thursday 8:00am - 8:45am and 3:00pm - 9:00pm

Friday 10:00am - 4:00pm (subject to change)

Saturday 3:15pm - 4:15pm

Cemetery: 3131 Calle de Guadalupe, Mesilla

Open Daily: 7:00am - 5:00 pm (Subject to change)

Yannes Hall

2261 Calle de Guadalupe

Gift Store

2270 Calle Principal, Mesilla, NM (north side of office)

12:00 pm— 4:00 pm Monday-Sunday

**Fourteenth
Week of Ordinary Time
MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday, July 5, 2025

4:30 pm

†Amador & †Vangie by Apodaca Family
†Souls in Purgatory by Rhett & Marie
Jabour

†David Valles by Mary Lou Valles
†Daniel Joseph Castillo

Sunday, July 6, 2025

8:00 am

†Souls in Purgatory

9:30 am

†Nicolas Arrieta by Family
†Cary Fengold0.

*For Parishioners by Fr. Christopher

11:00 am

†Ramon Duran by Casillas-Hernandez
Family

†Gabe Duran by Family

Monday, July 7, 2025

9:00 am

*Joni Gutierrez for spiritual health &
wellbeing

Tuesday, July 8, 2025

9:00 am

†All Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, July 9, 2025

9:00 am

†All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, July 10, 2025

9:00 am

*Fr. Peter Okonkwo-Happy Birthday by
Joann Hacker

Friday, July 11, 2025

9:00 am

†All Souls for Purgatory

Saturday, July 12, 2025

4:30 pm

†Michael Duran by Kathy Soto
†Mark Mall by Kathy Soto
†Ramon L. Serna by Gloria Maya &
Family

HELPING THE CARMELITES

The Carmelites are selling raffle tickets
to cover medical expenses.

Please, support them.

Eucharistic Adoration for couples is on
Wednesday, July 9th at 7:00 pm in the
church.

All couples are welcome.

Coffee & Donuts on Sundays

Meet your neighbor over a cup of
coffee and a donut in the parish
hall after all Masses on Sundays.

All are welcome!

Magnificat Ministry

invites all Catholic ladies to a meal.

Speaker: Clara Roberts

Saturday July 26, 2025

9-11:30 am

Farm and Ranch Museum

Tickets at IHM, Holy Cross, St. Genevieve's
St. Albert, San Albino for \$26.50

Available July 1-17

Tickets must be pre purchased.

For more info:

Magnificat.net/chapters/NM-Las Cruces

**RULES TO RECEIVE THE
EUCHARIST**

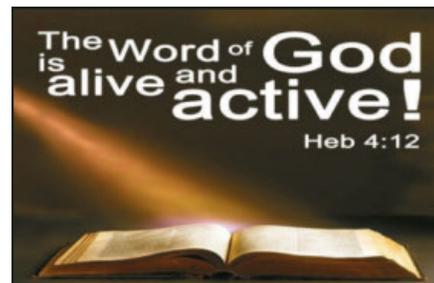
- You must be Catholic;
- You must have been baptized (the first Sacrament), and you must have made your First Holy Communion (basic formation to understand and appreciate the Eucharist);
- You are in good standing with the Catholic Church;
- You are in a state of grace (not having committed a serious sin since your last confession);
- You are fasting, at least one hour before receiving the Eucharist. Chewing gum will break the fasting.
- Consume the Host immediately when you receive it.

**MEALS FOR FAMILIES WITH A
NEW BABY**

If you are interested in bringing a
meal to a family who has just
welcomed a new baby please contact
me through the email below and you
will be given a link to participate. If
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to contact me. Calista Richards,
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Jesus said, "The kingdom
of God is at hand for you".

**Readings for the week of
July 6, 2025**

Sunday: Is 66:10-14c/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6
-7, 16, 20 (1)/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12,
17-20 or 10:1-9

Monday: Gn 28:10-22a/Ps 91:1-2, 3-
4, 14-15ab/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Gn 32:23-33/Ps 17:1b, 2-3,
6-7ab, 8b and 15/Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17
-24a/Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19/Mt 10:1-
7

Thursday: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-
5/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 10:7
-15

Friday: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/Ps 37:3-4,
18-19, 27-28, 39-40/Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/Ps
105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7/Mt 10:24-33

Next Sunday: Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14,
17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 (see 33)/Col
1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

Last Week's Collection

June 22, 2025

\$13,242.89

June 29, 2025

\$10,262.55

Thank you for your generosity.
Gracias por su generosidad.

2025 UIM goal: \$57,500

Paid \$19,921.52

QR code for online UIM payments:



Saint Benedict

Born in the central Italian mountain town of Norcia (Nursia) around AD 480, Saint Benedict became one of the most important catalysts for the creation of a new European culture after the fall of the Roman Empire in the West (traditionally dated to AD 476). The system of monastic life he developed and nourished spread centers of prayer and hospitality throughout the continent. Benedictine monasteries were not only spiritual and cultural centers, but also a source of sustenance and relief for pilgrims and the poor.

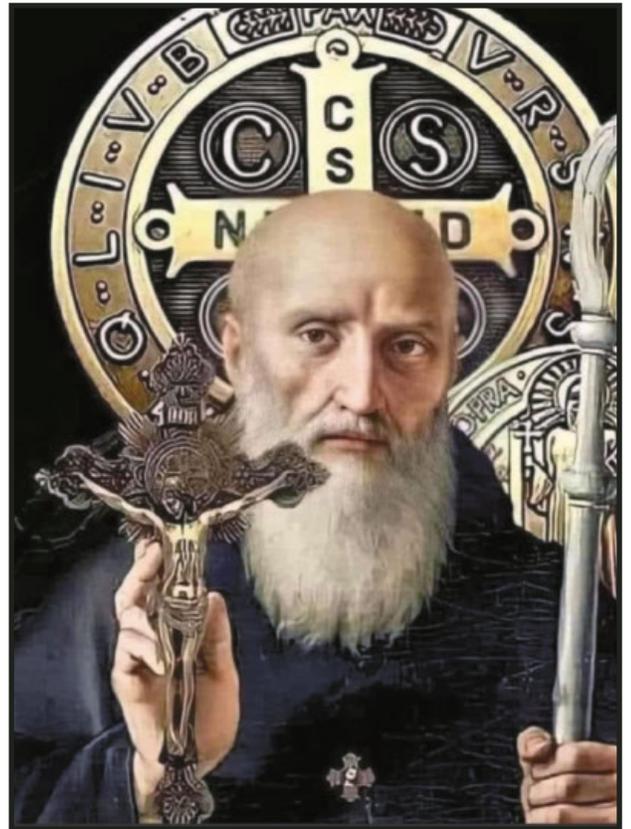
Saint Gregory the Great, who wrote the only ancient biography of St. Benedict that we have, called St. Benedict “a bright light” in an age marked by the most serious crisis. From his youth, Benedict’s life was marked by prayer. His wealthy parents send him to Rome to provide him with adequate education and training. There, however, Benedict found young people shaken, ruined by the ways of vice. So, he left Rome for a place called Enfide (modern-day Affile in central Italy), and then lived as a hermit for three years in a cave at Subiaco, which would become the heart of the Benedictine monastery Sacro Speco. This period of solitude preceded another crucial milestone on Benedict’s journey: his arrival at Monte Cassino. There, among the ruins of an ancient pagan acropolis, St. Benedict and some of his disciples built their first abbey.

Benedict composed his Rule around AD 530. It is essentially a manual, a code for monastic life. Written in a familiar style, Benedict throughout the prologue and 73 chapters of the Rule exhorts his monks to reach out with “the ear of the heart” to “never despair of the mercy of God”: “Listen carefully, my child, to your master’s precepts, and incline the ear of your heart (Prov. 4:20). Receive willingly and carry out effectively your loving father’s advice, that by the labor of obedience you may return to Him from whom you had departed by the sloth of disobedience.”

“Idleness,” writes St. Benedict in the Rule, “is an enemy of the soul; That is why the brothers have to devote themselves to manual work, in some hours, in others, to reading books containing the word of God.” Prayer and work are not in opposition, but establish a symbiotic relationship. Without prayer, it is not possible to encounter God. The monastic life, however, defined by Benedict as “a school of the service of the Lord,” cannot be without concrete commitment. Work is an extension of prayer. “The Lord,” St. Benedict reminds us, “expects us daily to respond with facts to the doctrines of his holy teachings.”

The gazebo in the plaza of Mesilla, NM has an inscription that reads in Spanish “A Dios rogando y con el mazo dando”, which is inspired by the Benedictine spirituality “Ora et Labora”. Saint Benedict left an important legacy for humanity, not only for being the founder of western monasticism, but because he is a testimony of dedication and love for God. Saint Benedict’s feast day is celebrated on July 11th.

Source: www.vaticannews.va



TRAINING

Mandatory meeting and training for new and current ministers. All training sessions will be in the church at 5:30 pm.

- DOCENTS, July 9th
- EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS, July 15th
- LECTORS, July 23rd

Spiritual Retreat

“Encountering the Face of God in Others”

July 11-13 at Holy Cross Retreat Center

This retreat is inspired by Pope Francis who spoke about the importance of encountering God in one another. We certainly share in the power of the Eucharist when we receive Christ, but God can also be found in the lives of those around us, those who seek God, and especially in the poor and those who are marginalized. It is led by Fr. Tom Smith, OFM Conv. For more information and registration, please contact the retreat center at 575-524-3688.

Join us to celebrate the Feast Day of Saint Benedict on Friday, July 11th. Holy Mass will be at 9:00 am. There will be refreshments and celebration in the parish hall. Please, join us!

Baptismal Class

The next baptism class for parents and godparents will be on Saturday, July 12th, in Yannes Hall. To sign up, please contact the parish office.

Spiritual Retreat for Married Couples

August 8-10 at Holy Cross Retreat Center

This retreat is designed to help married couples renew their commitment to one another in love, and to deepen their faith sharing as a couple. It will be led by Veronica and Guillermo Martinez with Fr. Tom Smith OFM Conv. For more information and registration, please contact the retreat center at 575-524-3688.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Las Cruces requires that all clergy, employees, and volunteers who have regular contact with minors undergo a background check, participate in a VIRTUS Protecting God's Children Training Module, and sign a code of conduct every five years. For more information, please contact Ofelia Meraz at the parish office. (575) 526-9349



Gift Shop

Gift shop hours are noon to 4:00 pm Monday-Sunday. *Gift shop now has sterling silver San Albino Medals.* You can find a selection of gifts for Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. We have bibles, retables, jewelry, new ornaments and many more items. Please visit the gift shop.

San Albino Calendar Recurring Events

Every third Wednesday 6:00 pm	Knights of Columbus meeting (hall)
Choir Practice (Sat 5:30 pm)	Monday 5:00 pm
Choir Practice (Sun 11 & 9:30 am)	Wednesday 6:30 pm in the hall
OCIA	Tuesday at 6:30 pm in the hall
Making Rosaries	Last Wednesday of the month in Yannes Hall

Parish Ministries

Homebound

Call the office

Marriage Prep - Host Couples

Viviána & Nathan Coker

Leslie & Dino Cervantes

Charles & Teresa Perez

Mary & Rene Lujan

Lorenzo & Michelle Alba

John & Kathy Medina

Maria & Julio Ramirez

Martha & Jim Beasley

Gift Shop

Sharon Owen

Choir Leaders

4:30 pm Frances Padilla

8:00 am Manuel Noyola

9:30 am Elena Roman

11:00 am Crystal Gonzales

Pianists: Andrew Medina & Georgina Lavery

Altar Servers

Ronny Limon

Docents

Jim Yankovic

Funerals

Linda Misquez

Lectors

Becky Gomolka

Ex. Min. of Holy Communion

John & Kathy Medina

Altar Linens

Elizabeth Behnke

Youth Group Coordinator

Kathy Lestone

Knights of Columbus

Lorenzo Alba

Baptismal Preparation

Elias & Jeannine Estrada

For information about these ministries please contact the parish office at 575-526-9349.

Parish Council Members

John Medina: President

Lori Dahlstrom: Secretary

Darlina McGrath

Vicky Schneider

Robert Owen

Finance Council Members

Daniel Duffin: President

Mary Lujan: Secretary

Keith A. Bird

Gabe Anaya

Bertha Lujan

Sharon Owen

Please Pray for Our Sick & Homebound

If you know of a parishioner needing prayer please call the parish office to include them. Please call if there is a change.

Please Pray for Our Sick

Angel Baker

Angelica Sandoval

Albert Evaro

Berta Covey

Bertha Alatorre

Brizzi Zapata

Carla Molina

Chris Ayers

Carmen Cardon

Diana Roth

Elena Escontrias

Ellie Vasquez

Esther Lucero

Exander Sanchez

Felicia Frieze-

Rodriguez

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Ignacio Romero

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Rosa Gallegos Acosta

Sally Torres

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Sidney Lopez

Stella Sanchez

Sylvia Vasquez

Sue Ann Maestas

Tom Carrillo

Virginia Lucero

Xochitl Anguiano

Yolanda Boyle

Joanne Reynolds

Please Pray for Our Homebound

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