

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 3, 2025



Basilica of San Albino

Roman Catholic Church

Established 1852

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Very Rev. Christopher Williams

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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

Eighteenth Week of Ordinary Time MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 2, 2025

4:30 pm

†Amador & †Vangie Apodaca by Family
*Remy Valentin Alvarado-Birthday
†Jocelyn Trujillo Pierce by her Daddy
†Amparo Arvizu by Husband
†Leticia Fietze by Neri Fietze
†Matt Zillisch & family by family
†Alfonso Dominguez

Sunday, August 3, 2025

8:00 am

†For All Souls in Purgatory

9:30 am

†Nicolas Arrieta by Family
†Domenica Portillo by Portillo Family

11:00 am

†Patsy Bustamante by Family
*For Parishioners by Fr. Christopher Williams

Monday, August 4, 2025

9:00 am

†Donald H. Greetan by Don & Jonella Greetan
†Walter Maya by Gloria Maya & Family

Tuesday, August 5, 2025

9:00 am

†For All Soul in Purgatory

Wednesday, August 6, 2025

9:00 am

†Jim & †Annabelle Woods (non-Catholic)
†Frank & †Marge Nichols (non-Catholic)
†Gordon & †Mary Eicker (non-Catholic)

Thursday, August 7, 2025

9:00 am

†For All Souls in Purgatory

Friday, August 8, 2025

9:00 am

†Francisco Cabral
†Mary Lou Lujan
†Emilia Carrillo

Saturday, August 9, 2025

4:30 pm

†Edward E. Padilla by Kathy Soto
†Maggie Padilla by Kathy Soto
†Ignacio Padilla by Kathy Soto
†Saloman Perez by Family
†Norberto & †Cipriana Fietze by Neri
†All Souls in Purgatory
*Tom Ismond & family by Family

**Solemnity of the Assumption of
the Blessed Virgin Mary
August 15th**

**This year it is a holy day of
obligation.**

**Thursday, August 14th, 5:30 pm,
No confessions.**

Friday, August 15th, 9:00 am.

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!

GROCERIES FOR THE POOR

Please remember to bring non-
perishable food items for the
Knights of Columbus Food Drive
every Saturday and Sunday. We
are especially in need of cereal,
peanut butter, granola bars, and
easy open canned food. We will
be preparing meals for the poor.

Please bring clean take out
containers. If you are interested
in baking chocolate chip cookies
this week as part of the meal,
please call the office. Thank you
for your generosity.

Rosary

Everyone is invited to join us to
pray the rosary on Mondays at
6:30 p.m. and Thursdays at 8:00
p.m. in the church.

**Men's Core Group is meeting on
Monday, August 11th, at 6:00 pm
in the parish hall.**

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
you have any questions don't hesitate
to contact me. Calista Richards,
Coordinator.

Phone: 620-215-3008

Email: flowerfarmks@gmail.com

**"But God said to the rich man,
'You fool, this night your life
will be demanded of you;
and the things you have
prepared, to whom
will they belong?'"**

**Thus will it be for all who store
up treasure for themselves
but are not rich
in what matters to God".**

Luke 12:20-21

Readings for the week of August 3, 2025

Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-
4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 (1)/Col 3:1-5, 9-
11/Lk 12:13-21

Monday: Nm 11:4b-15/Ps 81:12-
13, 14-15, 16-17/Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13/Ps 51:3-4, 5-
6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13/Mt 14:22-36 or
Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps
97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Lk 9:28b
-36

Thursday: Nm 20:1-13/Ps 95:1-2, 6
-7, 8-9/Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Dt 4:32-40/Ps 77:12-13, 14-
15, 16 and 21/Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: Dt 6:4-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc
-4, 47 and 51/Mt 17:14-20

Next Sunday: Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1,
12, 18-19, 20-22 (12b)/Heb 11:1-2, 8
-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/
Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

Last Week's Collection

July 27, 2025

\$10,067.74

**Thank you for your generosity.
Gracias por su generosidad.**

2025 UIM goal: \$57,500

Paid \$23,472.64

QR code for online UIM payments:



SAINT DOMINIC

Dominic was born around 1172 in the Castilian village of Caleruega, the son of Felix de Guzman and Jane of Aza of Spanish nobility. When Dominic was seven his education was put in charge of Jane's brother, a priest, and when he was fourteen he entered the school at Palencia, one of the few higher schools in Spain, where he studied liberal arts and theology. He lived a rather bookish life but during a time of famine sold his books to assist the poor. In 1196, when he was about 24, and ordained a priest, he joined the community of priests serving the cathedral of Osma. In 1203 Dominic was asked by Bishop Diego of Osma to accompany him on a trip to Denmark. The journey proved the turning point in Dominic's life, opening his eyes to a wider world and its problems. As they passed through southern France they encountered a shocking situation. Christians were abandoning the faith to join the Albigensians. Dominic engaged in a discussion about these strange doctrines with an innkeeper. Dominic talked to him, and won him back to the true God revealed in Jesus Christ. Dreading the spread of heresy, Dominic began to think about the desperate need to combat this spiritual scourge with gospel truths. He and his bishop were directed by Pope Innocent III to join with Cistercian abbots in a preaching crusade against the heresy.



Dominic's compassion for people in their spiritual needs fired him with a consuming desire to preach. He was convinced that preaching without prayer would not be effective, and that an authentic witness to the truth of the Gospel demanded a spirit of poverty and penitence. He took traditional elements in the Church – the apostolic life, priests living in community, regular discipline of the monastic orders, liturgical prayer sung in community, preaching pursued in poverty – and fused them into a balanced unity that enabled his order to meet the needs of his age. By 1215 he had acquired a small band of companions and established a house in Toulouse, France, that would become the cradle of the Order. In this same year, Dominic accompanied Bishop Fulk of Toulouse to the IV Lateran Council in Rome and, in 1216, gained permission to found an Order of Friars Preachers. Finally in Rome, Dominic seems to have understood the universal meaning of the Order for which he had so long served an apprenticeship: to form a band of brothers to preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ to those who had not heard the Good News, or were swayed by false doctrines. After several years of hard work, Dominic died on August 6, not yet fifty years old. At the initiative of Pope Gregory IX Dominic was canonized in 1234.

Source: www.opcentral.org

"Lord, help us strengthen our relationship. Protect and guide us, for we know that with you as our center, our rock, nothing can ever fail."

Eucharistic Adoration

for couples
At the Basilica of San Albino



Every
Second
Wednesday
of the month
at 7:00 pm

Eucharistic Adoration, a prayer of profound intimacy with our Lord, can transform us.

Bring to Adoration all your joys, worries, frustrations, and sadness. He wants you to empty yourself of worldly preoccupations and fill you with His peace.

In Adoration, we open our hearts to Him as a loving Father who cares for our well-being. He listens. He wants to know all about us.

THINGS TO DO:

CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY

- feed the hungry
- give drink to the thirsty
- give alms to the poor
- shelter the homeless
- visit the sick
- visit the imprisoned
- bury the dead

SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY

- instruct the ignorant
- counsel the doubtful
- admonish the sinner
- forgive injuries
- comfort the sorrowful
- bear wrongs patiently
- pray for the living and the dead

Guided Adoration for Children

Tuesday, August 5th at 10:00 am

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

On August 6, 2025, at 5:30 p.m. we will hold our first St. Albino Cancer Support Group in the parish hall. All are welcome to join.

Join us to celebrate the Feast Day of Saint Dominic on Friday, August 8th. Holy Mass will be at 9:00 am. There will be refreshments and celebration in the parish hall.

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.

Program for Women

"She Shall Be Called Woman" is a faith group that helps women understand how the Lord views femininity and womanhood. In a world that often misrepresents the role of women, God desires to reveal who He is through a greater understanding of who we are as His sons and daughters. This season, we will provide concrete advice on how to combat the mental, emotional, and spiritual challenges women face daily. Sessions in this program will be held at the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Tortugas, from September 8 to November 17, in the parish hall at 6:00 pm. Registration will be held at the Basilica of San Albino after each Mass on the weekend of August 16.

Religious Education Schedule

Pre-K—12 grade

Classes begin on Thursday, August 14th

6:00 p.m. — 7:15 p.m.

First Communion, Confirmation & OCIA Youth

Classes begin on Tuesday, August 19th

at 6:00 p.m. — 7:15 p.m.

Please register at the office on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Invitation to all Men of the Basilica of San Albino

That man is You! (TMIY) is an interactive men's program focused on the development of male leadership in the modern world. It combines the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of authentic men capable of transforming themselves, their families and greater society. TMIY meets on Saturdays beginning on **September 6th at 7:00 am** in the parish hall. This program is for men ages 18 and up. Join us!

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

Viviana & 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

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

Alex Reyes

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 Fietze-Rodriguez

Fatima Aguilar Ortiz

Gertrude Chavez

Ignacio Romero

James Anderson

Joann Burns

Joel Rivera

John F. Myers

John Anderson

Julie Loera

Keith Bird

Kimberley Gregoire

Louie Ray Orona

Louie Orona

Leonard Cardon

Leroy J. Carrillo

Matilde Evaro

Maureen Anderson

Maureen Castillo

Mel Holguin, Jr.

Myrna Rey

Norma Kane

Patricia Calzada

Ramona Avalos

Ricardo Perez

Rosa Gallegos Acosta

Sandra Estrada

Sidney Lopez

Stella Sanchez

Sylvia Vasquez

Sue Ann Maestas

Tom Carrillo

Virginia Lucero

Xochitl Anguiano

Yolanda Boyle

Joanne Reynolds

Please Pray for Our Homebound

Cecilia Padilla

Cecilia Guerrero

Estela Bejarano

Mary Branigan

Rosie Pacheco

Virginia & Lalo Maese

Viola Lucero

Mary Avalos

April Biad