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Closed Weekends & Holidays

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*Our Lady of the Rubies Chapel in Spring
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Parish Mission Statement

To proclaim by word & witness
the Good News of God in Christ,
under the guidance of the Holy
Spirit; centered in the Eucharist
we strive to serve Christ in all
persons through prayer, education,
worship, Christian fellowship, and
loving service to neighbor.

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Varghese "Biju"

Malancheruvil – Pastor

Rev. Liam Reilly – Parochial Vicar

Deacons – Franklin Martinez,

Gustavo Mendez & Joseph Plavi

Nancy Cervantes – Parish Secretary

Lisa Hoehne – Finance Manager

Charlotte Gloeckner – Youth Minister

Cathy Higginbotham – D.R.E.

Jasmine Rodriguez – CCD Secretary

Emma Marin – Janitorial

Richard Gloeckner – Maintenance

MINISTRIES IN ACTION!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil – 5 pm

Sunday Liturgy – 8 am & 10 am

Sunday Spanish Liturgy – 12 pm

Spring Creek Sunday Liturgy – 4 pm

Monday to Friday Liturgy at 12:10 pm

Wednesday Adoration from 1:00 pm to
8:00 pm

Eucharistic Revival – 2nd Wednesday of
the Month, 7 pm to 8 pm

SACRAMENTS

Emergency #: (775)299-4836

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact the parish office to make
an appointment with a priest or if
someone is in the hospital.

BAPTISM PREPARATIONS

Must contact the parish office for class
certificate

English – 2nd Wednesday of the month
at 6 pm in Mater Dei Hall

Spanish – Last Saturday of the month at
6 pm in Columbus Hall

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Please contact the office 6 months
before planned wedding date

RECONCILIATION

"CONFESSION" Saturday

Confessions at 4 pm to 4:45 pm or by
appointment

FOURTH DEGREE KNIGHTS

Meetings: 1st Wednesday/month in Columbus Hall
Chris Gevock – 775-934-9799

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Meetings: 1st & 3rd Wednesdays/month at 6 pm in Col. Hall
Chris Gevock (Grand Knight) – 775-934-9799
Henry Murach (Deputy Grand Knight)
Ben Cortez (Financial Secretary)
Ray Langer (Membership) – 775-340-0073

KNIGHTS' OF COLUMBUS LADIES AUXILIARY

Meetings: 3rd Wednesday/month at 6:30 pm in Thomas Hall
Jody Micheletti (President) – 775-934-0729
Anita Valdez (Vice President) – 775-397-5539

WOMEN OF ST. JOSEPH

Meetings: 1st Wednesday/month at 6 pm in Mater Dei Hall
President – Jody Micheletti 934-0729
Vice President – Brunella Regan 397-3778

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Charlotte Gloeckner – 775-340-7529

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President – Rosabella Golez – 775-401-0632
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D. Franklin Martinez – 775-397-3843

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Please contact the Parish Office

VOCATION MINISTRY

Greg Thornton – (775)397-5929

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English – Jasmine Rodriguez – (775)
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Spanish – Rodolfo Rodriguez –
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ROSARY MAKERS

Elko: Kerry Lipparelli – (775)934-9993
Spring Creek: Heidi Ortman – (775)340-
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Addiction: Jennifer Morales – (775)389-
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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Cathy Higginbotham, Director:

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RCIA/ADULT EDUCATION

Joel Donalson, Facilitator

(775)738-6432

Meetings on Thursdays at 6:30 pm in
Mater Dei Hall

Welcome

No matter what your present or past status in the Catholic Church, no matter what your current family or marital situation, no matter what your personal history, age, background, race, or color is: you are invited, welcomed, accepted, and loved at St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

Please Pray for: Allison Agee, Stefen Alger, Diana Anderson, Fermin Arbillaga, Billy & Irena Austin, Dennis Ayres, Harvey Bland, Fran Brown, Bill Byington, Nancy Byington, Rod C, Harvey Callahan, Pepito Cayan, Cecilia Cortez, Ben Cosner, Wayne Cromis, Ellie Davis, Rosalina DeLeon, Teresa DeLeon, Carmen Duran, Cyril Emmil, Teresa English, Leola Fish, Bonnie Freeman, Guillermina Garcia, Marie Green, Laura & Baby, Laura Haile-Howes, Jean Michaelle Hart, Sis Hart, Sara Howard, James Jason, Julie Jones, Kris Jones, Kile Johnson, Pamela Junge, Wayne Junge, Ciara Kiefer, Gary Koffler, Russell Kite, Lazarus Paul Kubat, Dana Lino, Alex Mardini, Fr. Biju, Pat Maroney, Sheri Martin, Laurel Mason, Dick Milroy, Vicky Ostrander, Paula & Grace Otto, Nikkie P., Tessa Parise, Tammy Pengelly, Briley Perry, Carolyn Rand, Miguel Rizo, Annetta Robinson, Tony Robinson, Darlene Ruckwardt, Luciana Salas, Ruth Sallee, Jaime Sanchez, Daral Santos, James Schmidt, Armondo Serrano, Karen Smeath, Ro Smith, Carol Sweeney, Florence Totten, Patricia Udy, Nathan Valdez, Paul Vazquez, Nita Morgan Waldon, Cathy Walkens, Eva Wellington, Paige Woinarwociz, Tim Woolever, Zachary Woster

May 1st – May 7th, 2023

Monday, May 1 st	
12:10 pm	+Tedo & Josephine Bartorelli by Family
Tuesday, May 2 nd	
12:10 pm	Thanksgiving Mass (Birthday) by Rosabella Golez
Wednesday, May 3 rd	
12:10 pm	+For all the souls in Purgatory
Thursday, May 4 th	
12:10 pm	For everyone on our prayer list
Friday, May 5 th	
12:10 pm	+For our friends and family who have passed this year
Saturday, May 6 th	
5:00 pm	+Antonio Meza by His Sons +Zachary Herrell by Family +John Adams by Family
Sunday, May 7 th	
8:00 am	+Francis Salaz Reynolds by Children
10:00 am	+Stan Cooper by Thalia Sankovich
12:00 pm	+Maria Perez by Estela Perez +Father Dan Hussey, +Esperaza and +Rita Sanchez, Garcia Barriga Family by Martha
4:00 pm	

Lectors & Ushers for the Upcoming Weekend

Saturday, May 7 th – 5:00 pm	
Lectors - Amy Blair; Ushers - Chris Gevok Euch. Ministers - Dennis Lipparelli & Mary Ann Martinez	
Sunday, May 8 th	
8:00 am	Lector - Kimberlee Hrdlicka; Usher - Greg Thornton; Euch. Ministers – Tim H, Debbie F., & John Lewy
10:00 am	Lector – Lizzy Bell; Usher – Dan Thurston; Euch. Ministers – Fabian & Anita V., Megan Brooke
12:00 pm	Lector – Sara & Lola; Usher – Estela, Carlos; Euch. Ministers – Teresa E, Martha S, Gema DeLeon
4:00 pm	Our Lady of the Rubies

My dearly beloved ones in the Risen Lord,

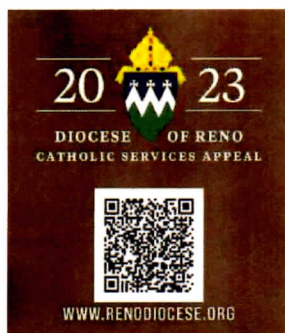
The Fourth Sunday of Easter is generally termed as the Good Shepherd Sunday in our new Catholic Liturgical calendar. In recent times this day has also become known as Vocation Sunday, a day on which prayers should be said for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. The image of God as the shepherd of his people has a long tradition in the history of Gods people. The image of the shepherd is one which appears several times in the New Testament. It is one that would be immediately understood by the people of the time. In the Gospel of John Jesus calls himself as the Good Shepherd and promises to take care of the sheep entrusted to his care. We have the popular images of Jesus the Good Shepherd carrying a sheep over his shoulders, or we have a smiling Jesus sitting under a tree, with a little lamb on his lap. This image of the shepherd appeals to us because it shows the tenderness of Jesus and his compassion. The sheep followed him, because they recognized his voice, and they trusted him. An image of Jesus as a Good Shepherd is reassuring us that he is always our support on our journey through life.

As we celebrate Good Shepherd Sunday, let us pray to the Lord that we may be His good sheep, listening attentively to His voice, and follow His example of self-giving love. Let us also pray for all our shepherds, especially our religious and political leaders. May they follow the example of Jesus who was willing to serve and lay down His life for His sheep. We have to narrow a meaning to the word vocation. We tend to limit it to a calling to be a priest or a member of a religious institute. But, in fact, every single one of us has a vocation, as we are being called by God to be spouses, parents, teachers, doctors, civil servants, running a business, or salespersons. Jesus our Shepherd is the Way, Truth and Life. Let us pray for all the vocation and support the vocation. God bless our family and friends.

Your servant for the Master

Fr.Biju

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CH – Columbus Hall MDH – Mater Dei Hall OLR- Our Lady of the Rubies Chapel TH- Thomas Hall YR- Youth Room
May 1 through May 7, 2023

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
11:35 am – Rosary	11:35 am – Rosary	9:30 am – W.I.N.G.S. (TH)	11:35 am – Rosary	11:35 am – Rosary	8:30 am – Curso de liderazgo cristiano (CH)	<i>Rosary Preceding All Masses (30 min. prior)</i> 8:00 am – Mass
12:10 pm – Mass	12:10 pm – Mass	11:35 am – Rosary	12:10 pm – Mass	12:10 pm – Mass		
1 pm - Rosary Makers (TH)	4:30 – CCD	12:10 pm – Mass	5 pm – Spanish Choir Practice	6 pm – OLR Stations of the Cross. Potluck follows.	9 am – Gabriel Project meeting (TH)	10:00 am – Mass
4:30 pm – CCD	5:00 pm – Sp. Bible Study (CH)	1- 8 pm – Adoration	5 pm – First Holy Communion Rehearsals	6 pm – First Holy Communion Mass	9 am – First Holy Communion Mass	12:00 pm – Spanish Mass
6:00 pm – LOM (TH)	6:30 pm – OLR Youth Night (OLR)	4:30 pm – CCD	5:30 Ephphatha 2023 Rosary and Mass		11 am – First Holy Communion Mass	1:15 pm – LOM Spanish (CH)
6:00 pm – Adult Bible Study (YR)		6:00 pm – Knight of Columbus Meeting – (CH)			5pm- Mass	3 pm – Spanish Prayer Group (CH)
7:00 pm – Jr. High Youth Group (MDH)		6:00 pm – Women of St. Joseph's Meeting (MDH)				4:00 pm – Mass (OLR Chapel)
		6:30 pm – High School Youth Night (YR)				

Upcoming Dates:



May 3 – Adoration 1-7 pm

Knights of Columbus meeting 6 pm (CH)

Women of St. Joseph's meeting 6 pm (MDH)

May 4 – First Communion Rehearsal 5 pm

– Ephphatha 2023 Rosary & Mass 5:30pm
(Luz & Felipe 451 S A St. Elko)

May 5 – First Holy Communion Mass 6 pm

May 6 – First Holy Communion Mass 9 am
First Holy Communion Mass 11 am

Eucharistic Prayer #7 The Event Character of the Eucharist

"This is my body given for you; do this in remembrance of me." Luke 22:19 NIV

In the Old Testament, God made covenants with individuals like Abraham and Moses. However, the covenants were then open to all people by a ritual act, whereby each person was made present to the moment of the establishment of the covenant. This is seen in things like circumcision or the Passover. Even to this day at the Seder meal (the Passover meal), the youngest person will ask "Why is this night different from all other nights?" This ritual makes those gathered present to the moment of the Passover. Hence, God commanded that the Passover be done every year (c.f. Exodus 12:14). And the same is true of the Eucharist. We too partake in a ritual act. We too are made present to the establishment of the New Covenant at the Last Supper. We too do this because of a divine command: "do this in remembrance of me." The Eucharist is indeed the New and Eternal Covenant.

When you imagine the Last Supper, what does it look like? Which apostle would you most like to speak with?

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Monday – Thursday Hours: 9am -12 pm, 1-4 pm

Friday Hours: 9 am – 12 pm



Sunday, April 30th World day of prayer for Vocations

There will be a Holy hour and Eucharistic adoration in the church at 1:30 pm

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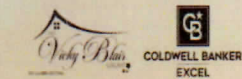
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