

Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church

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At Our Lady of Fatima Parish we are committed to know, love and serve God through Word and Sacrament, through our shared experience as the Mystical Body of Christ, and through the call to full, conscious and active participation in parish life.

June 6, 2022



PENTECOST SUNDAY

[Jesus said to his disciples:] "Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him." - Jn 14:23

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Mass ----- 7:30 AM
Saturday Anticipatory Mass for Sunday----- 5:30 PM
Sunday Mass-----7:30 AM, 10:00 AM and 12:00 PM
Weekday Mass-
Monday through Friday -----6:30 AM
Monday, Wednesday and Friday ----8:15 AM

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

6:30 AM, 8:15 AM and 5:30 PM *UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED*

CONFESSION Saturday----- 3:30 to 5:00 PM or by appointment

ANointing OF THE SICK-----First Saturday after the 7:30 AM Mass or by request

OFFICE HOURS— Monday through Thursday- 8:00AM to 4:30 PM
Friday —8:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Gospel Meditation

From the Gospel of John 20:19-23

Even though Pentecost is rightly celebrated in late spring, the robust experience of a New England fall can provide a profound metaphor for reflection. A full expression of fall colors is beautiful to behold. But, with all of its majesty and beauty, the observer knows the experience of death is soon to come. Creation will be dark and barren for a while. Pentecost cannot be separated from the cross. Before God's transformative, life-giving power can bear fruit, we must first die.

Pentecost is all about leaving the lifeless dead wood behind and allowing God, through the power of the Holy Spirit, to create something new. These Pentecost creations happen repeatedly over and over again. The birthing process of the Church is ongoing. God is always bringing life out of death and creating something where there was once nothing. That is why the fall is such an apropos metaphorical season for Pentecost. In order to really receive the gift of the Holy Spirit we have to die to what we once knew and what no longer works.

When fire and wind find their fullest expression, they are in no way gentle nor kind. They have the potential to level anything in their paths. We are experiencing great turmoil in our world, nation, and our Church. Whether the result of circumstance or the work of the Holy Spirit, much of what we knew to be normal and constant is changing. Common systems and institutional structures that may have worked for a time no longer do. When the old and familiar need to be left behind, God creates something new. Change and disorder do not need to be our enemies. They always bring opportunities for something exciting and new. What we need is untiring faith, firm hope, and perfect love.

What we need is for the Holy Spirit to enlighten us to see what is important and what we must do. "O Holy Spirit, descend plentifully into my heart. Enlighten the dark corners of this neglected dwelling and scatter there Thy cheerful beams." (St. Augustine) If we experience joy, even in the midst of turbulence, then we will know we are exactly where God needs us to be. If not, then perhaps there is a lesson in the decaying leaves that graciously descend to the ground on a crisp fall day.

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New Summer Parish Office Hours, see page 3.



***“Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth. ”
~ Psalm 104***



Monday, June 6, The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

- 6:30 AM** †Angel Mary Sofia Tafoya
†Lydia Marie Sena Martinez
♦Intentions of New Mexico Firefighters and First Responders
- 8:15 AM** †Daniel Richard Bernier
†Graciana “Grace” Frutosa Atencio
♦Intentions of those affected by the New Mexico wildfires

Tuesday, June 7, Weekday

- 6:30 AM** †Antonio Filiberto Chavez
†Mary Catherine “Cathy” Rose Chavez
♦Intentions of New Mexico Firefighters and First Responders

Wednesday, June 8, Weekday

- 6:30 AM** †Rita Lorraine Rael
†Cresencio Martinez
♦Intentions of New Mexico Firefighters and First Responders
- 8:15 AM** †Richard Charles Irvin, Jr.
†Frank and Jeanette Devoti
♦Intentions of those affected by the New Mexico wildfires

Thursday, June 9, Saint Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church

- 6:30 AM** †Vincent Andrew Krawic
†Alfredo Omar Gonzales
♦Intentions of New Mexico Firefighters and First Responders

Friday, June 10, Weekday

- 6:30 AM** †Maria de los Reyes Jaramillo
†Bruce Alfred Lombardelli
♦Intentions of New Mexico Firefighters and First Responders
- 8:15 AM** †Armando Ramirez
†John Milton Patten
♦Intentions of those affected by the New Mexico wildfires

Saturday, June 11, Saint Barnabas, Apostle

- 7:30 AM** ♦Intentions of Darlene Lucero– Happy Birthday (Cathy Chavez)
†Msgr. Francis X. Eggert (Carol Yarnall)
♦Intentions of David & Ashley DeLayo– Happy Anniversary (Algermissen & Jourdan Families)
- 5:30 PM** ♦Intentions of All Parishioners
†Gerald C. Schultz
♦Intentions of Roselyn Calderon & ♦Intentions of Peter Leyva– Happy Birthday (Family)

Sunday, June 12, The Most Holy Trinity

- 7:30 AM** †Jimmy and Nestora Baca (Baca Family)
†Fusako “Chiko” Jaramillo (Family)
†Virginia Mayfield (Family)
- 10:00 AM** ♦Living and †Deceased Members of the Barbara LeBow Family
†Msgr. Francis X. Eggert (John & Angie Costello)
†Rose Azzolino (Consuelo Chavez)
- 12:00 PM** †Alice “Betty” Chavez (Nunez Family)
†Natividad Leal (John & Minerva Baca)
†Cathy Chavez (Tina Lucero)

*Be part of the church after your lifetime.
Remember the church in your will.*

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

My Jesus,
I believe that you are present
in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love you above all things
and I desire to receive you
in my soul. Since I cannot at
this moment receive you sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace you as if you were already there and
unite myself wholly to you.
Never permit me to be separated from you.
Amen.

Readings for the week of June 5, 2022

Sunday: *Vigil:* Genesis 11:1-9 or Exodus 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ezekiel 37:1-14 or Joel 3:1-5/Psalms 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Romans 8:22-27/John 7:37-39
Extended Vigil: Genesis 11:1-9/Exodus 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ezekiel 37:1-14/Joel 3:1-5/Psalms 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Romans 8:22-27/John 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11/Psalms 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34/1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Romans 8:8-17/John 20:19-23 or John 14:15-16, 23b-26

Monday: Genesis 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Psalms 87:1-2, 3 and 6, 6-7/John 19:25-34

Tuesday: 1 Kings 17:7-16/Psalms 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Matthew 5:13-16

Wednesday: 1 Kings 18:20-39/Psalms 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/Matthew 5:17-19

Thursday: 1 Kings 18:41-46/Psalms 65:10, 11, 12-13/Matthew 5:20-26

Friday: 1 Kings 19:9a, 11-16/Psalms 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14/Matthew 5:27-32

Saturday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Psalms 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Matthew 5:33-37

Next Sunday: Proverbs 8:22-31/Psalms 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Romans 5:1-5/John 16:12-15

Quotable Saints

“Stay with me, Lord, for I desire to love you and
always be in your company. Stay with me tonight,
Jesus, in life with all its dangers, I need you.
Amen.”

-St. Pius Pietrelcina
“Padre Pio”

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Our Lady of Fatima Parish is accepting applications for Director of Music Ministry for the parish. Within the Catholic tradition, liturgical music is not seen as “entertainment” but as a form of prayer that enhances the overall worship experience.

Requirements/responsibilities will include:

- Coordinate with the Pastor on the planning of music and other aspects of Sunday liturgies (Mass) and other special liturgical events taking into consideration the liturgical season, theme of the liturgy, and Scripture Readings. Preparation of a liturgy plan for each Sunday and distribution to the choir members.
- Recruitment, training and weekly rehearsals of choir members and cantors.
- Providing musical accompaniment to cantors and choirs at weekend Masses and the Our Lady of Fatima School Mass on Wednesdays during the school year.
- Meeting with families to plan and provide musical selections for funerals and weddings.
- Consultation with the Pastor regarding the selection of hymnals and other purchases.
- Other duties as assigned.

The successful applicant will have a background in music with emphasis on liturgical music. Experience planning liturgies and leading a choir is highly desirable. Applicants must be able to play the piano and/or organ. Interested persons should contact Fr. Schultz at the Parish Office for more information or to apply.



Volunteers needed

We are asking for volunteers to help with the Luncheon and Bingo at our Joyful Seniors Day event starting at 11:00 AM on June 22nd, 2022.

We need help in the following areas:

- Set up and clean up
- Handing out food and drinks at the luncheon
- Assisting at the Bingo games

We are asking Parishioners to donate wrapped gifts for Bingo prizes.



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Our Lady of Fatima School is accepting registrations for the 2022-2023 school year

If you have considered the benefits of giving your child or grandchild a Catholic education in a safe, nurturing environment, that encourages academic excellence, please contact our principal, Ms. Melinda Mader, for more information about Our Lady of Fatima School and to arrange for a personalized visit. The School can be reached at 505-255-6391.



*At Our Lady of Fatima Catholic School
God gives us the opportunity every day
to be the very best we can be:*

Christian Role Models

Lifelong Learners

and Responsible Citizens

How is God Calling you to Serve?

Each one of us has been given a unique set of gifts which are integral for the Church to fulfill its purpose here on earth. Participating in a church ministry at Our Lady of Fatima is a great way to share your talents, make a positive impact in the church community and develop closer relationships with the members of your parish. If you are interested in working with others to bring Christ's light to the world, call the parish office at (505)265-5868 to volunteer for one of our ministries.

Altar Servers-

A great opportunity for 4th graders and above to serve at the Celebration of the Eucharist. High school and college age parishioners are especially encouraged to serve.

Birthright-

Helps any girl or woman regardless of age, race, creed, marital or economic status, who feels distressed by a pregnancy, allowing her to ask questions and explore her options without pressure and without being judged.

Blessed Mother Rosary Guild-

The Guild handcrafts rosaries for free distribution to various ministries world-wide in order to promote Our Lady's cause for devotion to her son, Jesus Christ, and world peace.

Choir-

Opportunities are for adults and children to lead the people in joyful worship by singing and playing musical instruments.

Coffee and Donuts-

Facilitate fellowship by helping to serve coffee and donuts after the 7:30 AM and 10 AM Masses on Sundays.

Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharist and Lectors-

As extraordinary ministers of the Holy Eucharist you can distribute Holy Communion during Mass. As a Lector, you can proclaim the Word of God, General Intercessions and announcements.

Greeters-

Cheerfully welcome people to the Celebration of the Eucharist and make visitors feel at home in our parish.

Grotto Keepers-

Meets monthly for landscaping maintenance in the grotto areas.

Holy Name Society-

The Society's purpose is to give public devotion and honor to the Holy Name of Jesus, and provide for the spiritual growth and enrichment of the men of the parish 18 years of age and older. A Corporate Mass is held at 10 AM the third Sunday of each month and a meeting follows.

Legion of Mary-

This is an international organization ministering to the spiritual needs of the parish community.

Ministry of Care/Outreach-

The home-bound Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion bring the Body of Christ to parishioners who cannot attend the Celebration of the Eucharist.

Parish Council -

President: Roger Martinez;

Vice-President: Jeff Reed; *Secretary:* Joann Lucero;

Members: Janie Armijo, Bruce Fradette, Cecelia Horner, Steven Jimenez, Samantha Martinez, Richard Royman, Gertrude Vicenti. Meetings are held the first Tuesday of the month at 6:30 PM.

School Consultative Council (SCC)

School Consultative Council Members help to safeguard the future of the school. We particularly need council members who have experience in marketing, technology and grant writing.

St. Vincent de Paul-

Members grow spiritually through service to people in need and are dedicated to helping with food, utilities and rent assistance.

Ushers-

Offer support to people by assisting in seating, taking up offerings, distributing the bulletins and other duties.

Women's Guild-

Women's parish organization open to all women of the parish. Our purpose is to coordinate and offer service to the parish community and to encourage spirituality, friendship and support to its members. Our corporate Mass is held every third Sunday of the month followed by a short meeting. No meetings May—August.

***All participants must have a background check and current VIRTUS Certificate on file in the Parish Office.**

As Catholics, we have been given a mission to grow the Church.

May God bless the Class of 2022!

2022

Tomas Miguel Atencio
Kathryn Li Egberg
Lillian Marie Miksch
Anthony Joseph Ruiz
Liam Joseph Brown

2022

**Congratulations to the Eighth Grade Class
as they move on to High School.**

We will be having Eucharistic Adoration from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon in the church on First Fridays. You are invited to come and spend some time in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.



We have an opening for a full-time Janitor position at Our Lady of Fatima. Please call the Parish Office for more information.



Coffee and Doughnuts Today

Join us for Coffee and Doughnuts on the First Sunday of June, after the 7:30 AM and 10:00 AM Masses.



Our Lady of Fatima 2022 Summer Office Hours

We are adjusting the Parish Office Hours for the months of June and July ONLY. Regular office hours will resume the first week of August.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday :
8:00 AM-4:30 PM

Thursday : CLOSED

Friday :
8:00 AM-1:00 PM



**You are cordially invited to participate in a
Joyful Senior Day Celebration**

on Wednesday, June 22

The celebration begins with Mass
and the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick
at 11:00 AM in Fatima-Gallaher Hall
followed by Lunch
and then Bingo with prizes!



All activities are free.
Please call 505-265-5868 to RSVP so
we can get an idea of how many
to prepare for.



**Don't miss out on this wonderful
opportunity for fellowship and prayer.**



**Welcome! Welcome!
Welcome!**

Luke Shelby

And

Yvette Paroz

We are blessed that you have joined our
parish family.