

Our Lady of the   
*Annunciation* Church

*Divine Mercy Sunday*  
April 27, 2025

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found on YouTube at

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**MASS TIMES:**

Weekday Mass Schedule

Mondays-Fridays:

8:30 AM and 5:30 PM.

8:30 AM First Saturday

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturdays: 5:00 PM.

Sundays:

7 AM (Live Streamed)

9 AM,

10:30 AM. &

12:00 PM.

Weekend Mass is celebrated at 100% capacity  
and masks are optional.

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturday's 3:00 — 4:30 pm.

Confessions are in the church.

**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

*Our Lady of the Annunciation Roman Catholic Parish  
is a community living out our faith through the Holy Spirit,  
in the Eucharist, the Scriptures, prayer, and evangelization.  
Like Mary, we humbly say, yes to God's Will  
by continuing the radical mission of Jesus Christ,  
as we minister to all.*



*Weekly Mass Intentions & Readings*

**MON., 28TH: ST. PETER CHANEL, PRIEST & MARTYR; ST. LOUIS**

**GRIGNION DE MONTFORT, PRIEST**

ACTS 4:23-31/JN 3:1-8

8:30 AM † ISABEL AVILA  
5:30 PM † MSGR JAMES GURZYNSKI & MICKI DAVIDSON;  
† SONIA SWIERSZCZ; † PEARLINE MACKARON

**TUES., 29TH: ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA, VIRGIN & DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH**

ACTS 4:32-37/JN 3:7B-15

8:30 AM (SI) JACK KENNEDY; † JOSE GOMEZ;  
(SI) ROBERT AND SUSAN SEE BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS  
5:30PM † VIOMA TRUJILLO; † GRACE KEMPA;  
(SI) ROBERT CHACON

**WED., 30TH: ST. PIUS V, POPE**

ACTS 5:17-26/JN 3:16-21

8:30 AM † WILLIAM LANDGRAF; † TOM GONZALES -  
BIRTHDAY MEMORIAL; (SI)/† LIVING & DECEASED  
MEMBERS OF THE LANDGRAF FAMILY  
5:30PM † BETTY PSOMAS; † SONIA SWIERSZCZ;  
† ROSEMARY BRYAN

**THURS., 1ST: ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER**

GN 1:26—2:3 OR COL 3:14-15, 17, 23-24/MT 13:54-58

8:30 AM † PEARLINE MACKARON  
5:30 PM † THOMAS P. GRIFFIN JR.; † SONIA SWIERSZCZ;  
† RAY WILLIAMS, ART & SHEILA TYBOR

**FRI., 2ND: ST. ATHANASIUS, BISHOP & DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH**

ACTS 5:34-42/JN 6:1-15

8:30 AM † ROZIER SANCHEZ; † ANN DUPUIS; † JOSEPH S.  
CORDOVA  
6:00 PM (SI) FOR THE CONFIRMANDI

**SAT., 3RD: ST. PHILIP & JAMES, APOSTLES**

1 COR 15:1-8/JN 14:6-14

8:30 AM (SI) FOR THE PEOPLE  
5:00 PM † JARED HAMBLIN; † RUSSELL MORRIS;  
(SI) JAMIE & TOMMY MULVILLE

**SUN., 4TH: THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER**

ACTS 5:27-32, 40B-41/RV 5:11-14/JN 21:1-19 OR 21:1-14

7:00 AM † MARGARET MILLIGAN; † SHARON VERSCH;  
(SI) MARIA RUIZ  
9:00 AM (SI) FOR THE PEOPLE  
10:30 AM (SI) CARMEN BROWN; (SI) MIKE & DANIELA  
KNOWLSON; † WARREN & MARINA FLOOD  
12:00 PM † THOMAS P. GRIFFIN; (SI) STEPHANIE FISCHER

*This Weeks Event*

**Sunday, April 27th,**

10:15 AM Mid-School & Sac. Prep. ACS Classroom  
12:00 PM Confirmaiton II Mini Retreat CC (Community Cener)

**Monday, April 28th,**

9:00 AM Marianites St. Francis Hall  
7:00 PM Men's Ensemble Choir St. Francis Hall

**Tuesday, April 29th,**

7:00 PM RCIA St. Magdalene Hall

**Wednesday, April 30th,**

9:00 AM Women's Guild Board Meeting St. Magdalene Hall  
4:15 PM Religious Education ACS Classrooms  
6:30 PM Adult Faith Formation St. Magdalene Hall  
6:30 PM Boy Scouts 280 Gym  
7:00 PM Girls Troop Gym  
7:00 PM Kings Men Off Campus  
*Sangre de Cristo Parish*

**Thursday, May 1st,**

8:00 AM ACS Rosary Group St. Magdalene Hall  
9:30 AM Sunday Reading Reflection St. Francis Hall  
1:00 PM Women of Grace - Day Session St. Bakhita Hall  
2:00 PM G.E.M.Senior Ministry St. Magdelene Hall  
6:00 PM Women of Grace - Evening Session St. Bakhita Hall  
6:30 PM Cantor Ensembles Church  
7:00 PM K of Columbus Social St. Magdalene Hall  
7:00 PM Mixed Choir Church

**Friday, May 2nd,**

8:30 AM First Friday, Mass & Adoration Church  
**6:00 PM CONFIRMATION Church**

**Saturday, May 3rd,**

8:30 AM First Saturday Mass & Rosary Church  
5:00 PM Sursum Corda St. Francis Hall/  
St. Magdalene Hall

*Say YES to ACS!*

**Register for JK and Kindergarten!**

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*How shall I make a return to the Lord for all the good He has done for me? (Psalm 116:12)*

The Financial Report is not available this week. The bulletin went to print early. The reports for this weekend will be printed in the May 4th Bulletin.

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# From the Pastor

## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Today, the Second Sunday of Easter, is known as Divine Mercy Sunday. St. John Paul II, our late pope, canonized Sr. Faustina Kowalska in the Jubilee Year 2000 and the devotion which Jesus revealed to St. Faustina has now been formalized as a feast day of the Church, the Feast of Divine Mercy. Just as the doubting Apostle Thomas received mercy from Christ Jesus as recalled in today's gospel, so too we may come to the Lord with whatever sins we may have and seek mercy from Him. It seems to be the



Lord's greatest joy, offering mercy to sinners as Jesus said on the cross, "Father, forgive them, they know not what they do" LK 23:34. Here are the words of Jesus to St. Faustina about the feast as recorded in her diary, #699:

My daughter, tell the whole world about my inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of my tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of my mercy. The soul that will go to confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day all the divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me even though its sins be as scarlet.... Everything that exists has come forth from the very depths of my most tender mercy. Every soul in its relation to Me will contemplate my love and mercy throughout eternity... Please join us for a Divine Mercy Holy Hour this Sunday from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. and let us pray: Jesus I trust in You!

## EASTER THANKS



Thank you for all the many cards, wishes, goodies and prayers sent to us here at Annunciation for Easter. Thanks, also, to all who have decorated, prepared and served in the liturgies of Holy Week and Easter. Thank you to all in the RCIA and Sacramental Prep., especially the staff, team members, sponsors and catechists who prepared this year for their Easter Sacraments. Let us welcome all of our new Catholics, both younger and older, into the life of our parish. God bless you and happy Easter Season to all of you!

## CONFIRMATION



Please pray for all of our youth who are receiving their Confirmation Candidates who will be confirmed this Friday, May 2nd at a 6:00 p.m. Mass, which will take the place of the 5:30 p.m. 1st Friday Mass that day. May the seeds of the Holy Spirit sown among our youth bear a great spiritual harvest in our midst with a renewed outpouring of grace. Come Lord Jesus and come Holy Spirit: enkindle the fire of your love in the hearts of all your faithful!

## 1st FRIDAY MASS AND BENEDICTION



Because Confirmation is scheduled on 1st Friday, May 2nd at 6:00 p.m., the regularly scheduled 5:30 p.m. Mass will be moved to 6:00 p.m. In order to prepare for the Confirmation Mass, the 1st Friday Benediction will take place at 4:30 p.m. instead of 5:15 p.m. Thank you for your consideration and understanding. The Confirmation is open to all.

## Knights of Columbus Breakfast Burritos

They are here! On April 27, 2025 after the 7:00, 9:00, and 10:30 Masses our Knights of Columbus Council will be serving fresh breakfast burritos!

Also available are free donuts, coffee, and lemonade.

Help support the Knights worthy causes such as school tuition assistance and support for our Seminarians.



**Rejoice!** youth and **HE IS RISEN.**  
**young adults ministry** 

Confirmation 2: No classes April 20  
 April 27 - Mini Retreat 12:00-3:30 pm  
 Young Adults: Bible Night every 1st & 3rd Tuesday  
 6:00-7:30 pm at St. Bakhita Hall  
 Young Ladies: (18-35) Prayer and Encounter  
 Every 2nd & 4th Monday: 6:00-8:00 pm  
 at Canossian Sisters 5625 Isleta Blvd, SW  
 Come to Christ: Adoration and Praise at 7 pm (place TBD)  
 Theology on Tap: April 23rd - Wednesday  
 6:30 pm at Hollow Spirits Distillery

 American Heritage - Girls 5 to 18 years of age is a Christ-centered character and leadership development program for young girls. AHG is dedicated to the mission of building women of integrity through service to God, family, community, and country. YJA Office at 505-299-9111  
 open for new members and volunteers

YOU'RE INVITED TO OUR  
**MOTHER DAUGHTER TEA PARTY**

 1995-2025 AMERICAN HERITAGE GIRLS  
 Three Decades of Faith Service & Fun

**DATE:** MAY 4, 2025  
**TIME:** 12-2PM  
**VENUE:** COMMUNITY CENTER  
 ANNUNCIATION CATHOLIC SCHOOL  
 THIS EVENT IS **FREE**, PLEASE REGISTER USING THE QR CODE





FROM THE RELIGIOUS ED CORNER 

Sunday- April 27th classes are in session for Middle School & Sacramental Prep from 10:15 a.m.-11:45 a.m.  
 Wednesday-April 30th Elementary Religious Ed. classes are in session from 4:15 p.m.- 5:45 p.m.  
 Last session(s) for Middle School & Sacramental Prep- May 4<sup>th</sup> -  
 May Crowning & Ponder with Padre - Msgr. Voorhies. Meet in St. Magdalene Hall 10:15 a.m.- 11:45 a.m. Bring a flower to present to Mary for the May Crowning Refreshments will be served.  
 This will be our last class of the year!  
 Elementary Religious Ed. - May 7<sup>th</sup> - May Crowning and class parties  
 Meet in your classrooms before the May Crowning  
 All Families are invited to join the May Crowning by the outdoor statue.  
 Class parties after the May Crowning Event.



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