

Our Lady of the   
*Annunciation* Church

*Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
July 27, 2025

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found on YouTube at

Annunciation Parish Albuquerque

**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: WEEKDAY**

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Mt 13:31-35

- 8:30 AM † ELSIE G PEREZ - BIRTHDAY MEMORIAL;  
† GLENN WILLETS; † OREDITH EVANS
- 5:30 PM † H.P. PSOMAS, PHYLLIS ABELS, KEITH KUROWSKI  
† WENZLER, RUDNIK & MAGGIO FAMILIES;  
(SI) SANDLIN & PSOMAS FAMILIES

### **TUES., 29TH: ST. MARTHA, MARY, AND LAZARUS**

Ex 33:7-11; 34:5B-9, 28 (402)/Jn 11:19-27 OR Lk 10:38-42

- 8:30 AM † RUTH MIRAMON, LUNA & BARBA FAMILY;  
† JULIA GONZALES; (SI) STEPHANIE FISCHER
- 5:30PM † ALICE GALLAGHER; † MARION SIMON;  
(SI) WYATT DAVID JORDAN

### **WED., 30TH: ST. PETER CHRYSOLOGUS, BISHOP & DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH**

Ex 34:29-35/Mt 13:44-46

- 8:30 AM † WENZLER, RUDNIK & MAGGIO FAMILIES; JIM CAL  
DERONE - BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS
- 5:30PM (SI) DARLENE TRUJILLO; † MARIAN SOTEL;  
† STEVE GREIS

### **THURS., 31ST: ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA, PRIEST**

Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Mt 13:47-53

- 8:30 AM † CHRISTOPHER MONTOYA - BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS  
† RITA MCINERY; (SI) OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
- 5:30 PM † GEORGE VAUPEL; † DAVID SCHROEDER;  
† CONAN CASTLE

### **FRI., 1ST: ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI, BISHOP & DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH**

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34B-37/Mt 13:54-58

- 8:30 AM (SI) RICK PAGAN; (SI) REINHOLZ FAMILY  
† H.P. PSOMAS, PHYLLIS ABELS, KEITH KUROWSKI
- 5:30 PM (SI) OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE; † RAYMOND IRWIN  
(SI) JUNEANN HALBERDIER

### **SAT., 2ND: ST. EUSEBIUS OF VERCELLI, BISHOP; SAINT PETER JULIAN EYMARD, PRIEST; BVM**

Lv 25:1, 8-17/Mt 14:1-12

- 8:30 AM (SI) FOR THE PEOPLE
- 5:00 PM † JARED HAMBLIN; † JAY KENNEDY; † JAMES VIGIL

### **SUN., 3RD: EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

- 7:00 AM (SI) ALAN MYRE; † LES ARNOLD; † JOE E. CHAVEZ  
- 16TH ANNIVERSARY
- 9:00 AM † RUSSELL MORRIS; † WENZLER & MAGGIO FAMI  
LIES; (SI) CARMEN BROWN
- 10:30 AM (SI) FOR THE PEOPLE
- 12:00 PM † RUPERT BYERS; † LUKE ROSS - 4TH ANNIVERSARY  
† JOHN DREBING

## This Week's Event

### Monday, July 28th,

9:00 PM Marianites St. Francis Hall

### Wednesday, July 30th,

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, July 31st,

9:30 AM Sunday Reading Reflection St. Bakhita Hall

### Friday, August 1st,

8:30 AM First Friday, Mass & Adoration Church

### Saturday, August 2nd,

8:30 AM First Saturday Mass & Rosary Church

## NEW PARISHIONER MEET AND GREET

Sunday, August 3, 2025

9 AM Mass : Blessing of New Parishioners during Mass  
10 AM : Gather in the Community Center with  
Msgr. Voorhies, the Pastoral Team and  
the Pastoral Council for breakfast  
Burritos, donuts and drinks courtesy of the parish  
Call Leslie for more info. at 505-296-0411



## GAZING UPON HIM IN YOUR SOUL WHERE HE IS PRESENT FOR YOUR HAPPINESS

### COME TO CHRIST

AUGUST 7, 2025 @ 7:00 PM



A night of praise, worship, & Adoration  
at Our Lady of the Annunciation Church

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

The Parish Budget for Fiscal Year 2025 (7/1/25 - 6/30/26) is based on the giving of our faith family for Fiscal Year 2025. The portion of our budget contributed in envelopes, checks, loose cash and online giving is \$1,891,760.00 or \$36,380.00 per week.

Contributions for the 3rd weekend of the fiscal year were \$29,343.00. In the 3rd week of our fiscal year, our budgeted goal for ministry programs and ordinary operating expenses were \$109,140.00, and our collections are \$100,979.00.

**Thank you for your continuing generosity.**



## OCIA

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**If you or someone you know are interested in becoming a Catholic, or are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church,**

please contact the Deacon Pat Sena at 505-228-4936

# From the Pastor

## 17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

We continue the theme of prayer in this week's readings. In Luke 11:1-13, Jesus begins by teaching his disciples the Lord's Prayer, also known as the Our Father. When praying the Lord's Prayer, we first acknowledge that God's Name is holy—the great "I Am Who Am" as revealed to Moses. We then pray for the coming of the kingdom of God, which I believe happens when we invoke the Holy Spirit to enter into our very being. After this, we pray for our daily bread, which is for the supersubstantial or supernatural Living Bread which we call the blessed sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. Thereafter, we ask for God's forgiveness to the degree that we are willing to forgive others. Finally, we beseech God to protect us from the tests and trials of the evil which is so prevalent in our world. Jesus follows up his teaching on this powerful prayer with a lesson on perseverance in prayer. As we "ask, seek and knock" at the door of heaven for God's grace, we would do well to ask for the greatest gift of the Holy Spirit to enter our souls and lead us into a deeper relationship with the divine. Only then will we really know the power of true prayer.



## SINGING IN CHURCH



It is said that St. Augustine would remind his flock that when we sing we pray twice, once with the words we use and again with the melody we sing. We Catholics are notorious for allowing others, like cantors or choirs, to do all the singing while the rest of us sit back and listen. Actually, the cantors and choirs are there to lead us in singing the hymns, canticles and the responses as part of our praise of God. Instead of the frozen people of God, let us act like those who have been blessed and chosen by God to give glory and honor to the Lord by getting involved in worship, intentionally responding to the prayers and signing with all our hearts. Even if you feel that you were not given a good voice, give the one you have back to the Lord who is the giver of every blessing. If we praise God genuinely from the heart, then we will surely experience the Lord's blessings for God cannot be outdone in generosity.

## NEW PARISHIONERS MEET AND GREET



If you are interested in joining our parish or know of someone who might, please come to our new parishioners' Meet and Greet at the 9:00 a.m. Mass followed by a gathering with breakfast burritos in the Community Center next Sunday, August 3rd. We welcome one and all who are new to Annunciation Parish and School to learn about what we offer in faith, worship, service and education.

## GRANDPARENTS DAY



The Church celebrates Grandparents Day today on the weekend closest to July 26, the Feast of Saints Joachim and Anne, the parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the grandparents of Jesus. Let us remember our grandparents with this prayer composed by Pope Benedict XVI:

Lord Jesus, you were born of the Virgin Mary, the daughter of Saints Joachim and Anne. Look with love on grandparents the world over. Protect them! They are a source of enrichment for families, for the Church and for all of society. Support them! As they grow older, may they continue to be for their families strong pillars of Gospel faith, guardians of noble domestic ideals, living treasuries of sound religious traditions. Make them teachers of wisdom and courage, that they may pass on to future generations the fruits of their mature human and spiritual experience.

Lord Jesus, help families and society to value the presence and role of grandparents. May they never be ignored or excluded, but always encounter respect and love. Help them to live serenely and to feel welcomed in all the years of life which you give them. Mary, Mother of all the living, keep grandparents constantly in your care, accompany them on their earthly pilgrimage, and by your prayers, grant that all families may one day be reunited in our heavenly homeland, where You await all humanity for the great embrace of life without end. Amen.

## Knights of Columbus Breakfast Burritos

They are here! On August 03, 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.



## REGISTRATION FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION BEGINS ON AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup> !



Our Religious Education includes Elementary, Middle School, Confirmation I, Sacramental Preparation and Adult Confirmation programs. Religious Education also offers sacramental preparation for youth and adults who may or may not have received all the Sacraments of Initiation. We offer classes to complete Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation. Contact Leslie Monette, DRE at 505-296-0411 to discuss the programs that we have available. Registration forms will be available in the Church Vestibule and in the Parish Office. **At this time all forms must be submitted in person in the Parish Office along with payment.**



## Adult Confirmation

This program is for those seeking the Sacrament of Confirmation.

To be eligible, you must have received the Sacraments of Baptism and First Communion and be the minimum age of 19 years old. Confirmation Mass will be held at the end of October with Archbishop Wester.

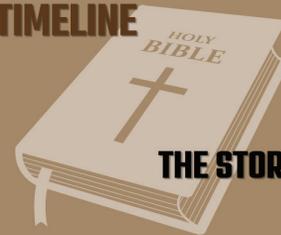
The 8-week program runs from September 7 through October 26

For more details and inquiries contact Leslie Monette, DRE 505-296-0411



## Wednesday Night Adult Faith presents

### THE BIBLE TIMELINE



### THE STORY OF SALVATION

Watch the bulletin for more details on how and when to register

Starts Wednesday, September 10th  
6:30 p.m. to 8:15 p.m.  
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