

Our Lady of the 
Annunciation Church

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 31, 2025

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found on YouTube at

Annunciation Parish Albuquerque

MASS TIMES:

Sundays:

7 AM (Live Streamed)

9 AM,

10:30 AM. &

12:00 Noon

Weekday Mass Schedule

Mondays-Fridays:

8:30 AM and 5:30 PM.

8:30 AM First Saturday

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturdays: 5:00 PM.

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., 1ST: WEEKDAY

1 THES 4:13-18/Lk 4:16-20

- 8:30 AM † ERLINDA CORDOVA - 1ST YEAR ANNIVERSARY;
 † GLENN WILLETTS; (SI) † BEA & B.A. - ANNIVERSARY
 BLESSINGS
- 5:30 PM † SONIA SWIERSZCZ; † H.P. PSOMAS, PHYLLIS ABLES &
 KEITH KUROWSKI; (SI) MEL SANDOVAL

TUES., 2ND: WEEKDAY

1 THES 5:1-6, 9-11/Lk 4:31-37

- 8:30 AM (SI) EVA BARONI - BIRTHDAY; (SI) MADDISON
 SHREVE; † JONELLA WITTE
- 5:30PM † FELICE DIPALMA; † H.P. PSOMAS, PHYLLIS ABLES &
 KEITH KUROWSKI; † SHAWN ALIREZ - BIRTHDAY
 MEMORIAL

WED., 3RD: ST. GREGORY THE GREAT, POPE & DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

COL 1:1-8/Lk 4:38-44

- 8:30 AM † RUSSELL MORRIS; † JERRY DUMAN; (SI)
 BOB & MANDY PITRE
- 5:30PM † MARY ABEYTA; † SONIA SWIERSZCZ;
 † H.P. PSOMAS, PHYLLIS ABLES & KEITH KUROWSKI

THURS., 4TH: WEEKDAY

COL 1:9-14/Lk 5:1-11

- 8:30 AM † ROZIER SANCHEZ; † ANN DUPUIS; (SI) KATIE
 ROYER
- 5:30 PM † RICHARD PRASEK; † H.P. PSOMAS, PHYLLIS ABLES
 & KEITH KUROWSKI; (SI) PRASEK KIDS & GRANDKIDS

FRI., 5TH: WEEKDAY

COL 1:15-20/Lk 5:33-39

- 8:30 AM † WENZLER, RUDNIK & MAGGIO FAMILIES;
 (SI) THANKSGIVING TO OUR HEAVENLY FATHER;
 † PAT CANDELERIA
- 5:30 PM † BOBBY MADRID; (SI) DANIEL POWELL

SAT., 6TH: WEEKDAY

COL 1:21-23/Lk 6:1-5

- 8:30AM (SI) FOR THE PEOPLE
- 5:00 PM † JARED HAMBLIN; † LENORE ROMERO;
 † MARIAN SOTEL

SUN., 7TH: TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WIS 9:13-18B/PHLM 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33

- 7:00 AM (SI) FOR THE PEOPLE
- 9:00 AM † ROMULO O MARTINEZ & JOSEPH DURAN;
 † MANUEL & TEODORITA MORGAS; (SI) DURAN,
 MORGAS & TRUJILLO FAMILIES
- 10:30 AM (SI) GABRIELLE VOORHIES; (SI) ROBERT & ELIZABETH
 ZINT - 68TH ANNIVERSARY
- 12:00 PM † WENZLER, RUDNIK & MAGGIO FAMILIES

This Week's Event

Monday, September 1st,

The Parish Office Closed - Labor Day

- 9:00 AM Marianites St. Francis Hall
- 6:30 PM St. Vincend de Paul Society St. Magdalene Hall

Tuesday, September 2nd,

- 2:00 PM Respect Life Ministry St. Magdalene Hall
- 6:00 PM Young Adult Bible Study St. Bakhita Hall
- 6:30 PM OCIA St. Magdalene Hall
- 6:30 PM Divine Mercy Cenacle St. Francis Hall

Wednesday, September 3rd,

- 1:00 PM Ladies Marathon Bridge St. Magdalene Hall
- 6:00 PM Cub Scouts Den Meeting Community Center
- 6:30 PM Troop Meeting Gym
- 7:00 PM Kings Men Off Campus
- Sangre de Cristo Parish*

Thursday, September 4th,

- 8:00 AM ACS Rosary Group St. Magdalene Hall
- 9:30 AM Sunday Scripture Reading St. Francis Hall
- 1:00 PM Women of Grace - Day Session St. Bakhita Hall
- 6:00 PM Women of Grace - Evening Session St. Bakhita Hall

Friday, September 5th,

- 8:30 AM First Friday Mass & Adoration Church

Saturday, September 6th,

- 8:30 AM First Saturday Mass & Rosary Church

Our Lady of the Annunciation Parish is proud to present:

Women of Grace Study Program,

"Full of Grace: Women and the Abundant Life"



*Join us this
Thursday!*

Weekly Thursday Day & Evening Classes

September 4, 2025 - April 9, 2026

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

6:00pm - 8:00 pm

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- Register for text book and study guide book orders
- Or purchase the text book and study guide by Johnette S. Benkovic Williams:
  - *Full of Grace: Women and the Abundant Life*
  - Foundational Study Series
- For more information: [www.womenofgrace.com](http://www.womenofgrace.com)

Please call for questions, to register or email this registration form to the facilitator,  
 Anne Desautels - Phone: 505-259-6095 - Email: [annebaldoni@comcast.net](mailto:annebaldoni@comcast.net) or  
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- 9/11 - COUNCIL 14920 MONTHLY MEETING 7 PM
- 9/23 - ASSEMBLY 3773 MONTHLY MEETING 7 PM
- 9/25 - COUNCIL 14920 SOCIAL MEETING 7 PM
- 9/27 - KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ASSIST WITH MINISTRY FAIR  
 PREPARATION

- 9/28 - KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ASSIST WITH MINISTRY FAIR  
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- ST. MAGDALENE OF CANOSSA COUNCIL #14920

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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 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 8th weekend of the fiscal year were \$XX,XXX.00. In the 8th week of our fiscal year, our budgeted goal for ministry programs and ordinary operating expenses were \$291,040.00, and our collections are \$XXX,XXX.00.

**Thank you for your continuing generosity.**

# From the Pastor

## 22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Today's liturgy focuses on the virtue of humility. We sometimes equate humility with thinking little of one's self but this is not the gospel teaching. In fact, the Blessed Virgin Mary had a perfect humility but realized that she is the blessed daughter of God and gave glory to God because of it, as we hear in the Magnificat, LK 1: 46-55. Humility simply means that we recognize who we are with respect to God—children blessed by so great a Father in heaven. God is in charge and humbly we are to follow the Lord's



lead. Hence we think of Jesus as the Good Shepherd, as seen throughout the tenth chapter of John's gospel, and we are to be the obedient sheep of his flock. In MT 11:29, Jesus says "...Learn from me for I am meek and humble of heart." Meekness is not weakness but strength under control. Do we have the self-control of a meek and humble heart. In today's gospel, LK 14: 7-14, Jesus uses a parable set at a wedding banquet to teach us the importance of humility and charity in reaching out to those who are unable to repay us because of their poor circumstances. When we act this way, we will be rewarded "at the resurrection of the righteous" in the final judgment. As the Book of Sirach 3:17-18 tells us: "...Conduct your affairs with humility and you will be loved more than a giver of gifts. Humble yourself the more, the greater you are, and you will find favor with God." Let us ask Our Lady to guide us in living out the virtue of humility, the building block of all the virtues. Our Lady of Humility, pray for us!

## LABOR DAY



In Centesimus Annus 1991, Pope St. John Paul reminded us that "More than ever, work is work with others and work for others. It is a matter of doing something for someone else." Jesus learned to work from St. Joseph and we would do well to ask St. Joseph's intercession for all workers and for those seeking employment: Glorious St. Joseph, pattern of all who are devoted to toil, obtain for me the grace to toil...conscientiously, putting devotion to duty before my own inclinations; to labor with thankfulness and joy, deeming it an honor to employ and to develop, by my labor, the gifts I have received from Almighty God; to work with order, peace, moderation and patience, without ever shrinking from weariness and difficulties; to work above all with a pure intention and with detachment from self, having always before my eyes the hour of death and the accounting which I must then render...St. Joseph, help us to imitate Jesus as we work for the good of all. Amen.

## SEMINARIAN SUPPORT COLLECTION



Next weekend, Sept. 6-7, we will take up our annual second collection for the seminarians of the Archdiocese of Santa Fe. We have a good number of seminarians studying for the Archdiocese. They are in need of our support in order to become our future priests. Let us make an extra effort donating this year in memory of our own seminarian Jason Marshall who was taken from us in that tragic bus accident in 2019 near Pueblo, Colorado coming back from a Catholic Youth Conference in Denver. May the Lord send us more seminarians like Jason who are ready and willing to give their lives in the service of Jesus Christ and his Church!

## WOMEN'S GUILD



Our Annunciation Women's Guild will hold its annual membership gathering next Sat., Sept. 6th, at 10:00 a.m. in the Community Center. We are in need of women who are willing to serve the parish in bereavement meal ministry after funerals, sewing ministry, altar linen ministry and other means of outreach to the parish and the community at large. When you serve in our Women's Guild, you have a closeness to the offering of the Mass and to many who have lost their dear ones. Please consider joining the Guild by calling the Parish Life Office at 505-299-9111 in order to attend the membership gathering next Saturday.

## FROM THE RELIGIOUS ED CORNER



### Did You Know?

Registration is now open for our Parish Religious Education programs! Pick up a registration form in the church vestibule and come by the Parish Office to register your children. We have programs for Pre-K (age 4) through 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Call 505-296-0411 for more information.

### First Reconciliation and First Communion

This is a two year program that usually begins in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade. For program details contact Leslie Monette, Director of Religious Education at 505-296-0411.



### Confirmation

This is a two year program that usually begins in 8<sup>th</sup> grade. For program details contact Leslie Monette, Director of Religious Education at 505-296-0411.



# HS YOUTH CONFIRMATION YEAR 2

A Life Teen Program

Registration forms are available in the Church's vestibule or at the Parish Office. Register at the Parish Office.

**ORIENTATION ( FOR PARENTS AND CANDIDATES) IS ON SEPTEMBER 7TH AT 10:15 AM IN THE COMMUNITY CENTER**

**CONFIRMATION SESSIONS**

**START ON SEPTEMBER**

**14TH, 10:15 TO 11:45AM**

**IN THE COMMUNITY**

**CENTER**



## 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

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