

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 12, 2015

7:00 A.M. †Aileen E. Gallegos-Barela by Nora Vigil
 6:00 P.M. †Sarah S. Maestas (1yr) by Geraldine Garcia
 †Ashley Maestas by Marcy Vasquez & family

The parish office will be closed on Monday, January 19th in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Holi-

Tuesday, January 13, 2015 Saint Hilary, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

7:00 A.M. †Elizaido Espinoza by Lolo & Alice Maestas
5:00 P.M. Adoration
 6:00 P.M. Health & well being of Joseph Garcia & †Kenny Martinez by Angela Garcia
 Living & deceased family members, relatives & friends of Manuel & Erlinda Quintana
 †Elva Rose Bryant (BB-d) by Leo Wink & Audrey Hargrove-Wink
 †Newby Flossie Ellington by Belle Becker & family



Wednesday, January 14, 2015

7:00 A.M. Health & well being of Fr. Blanch
 6:00 P.M. †Alex, †Tessie & †Stela Marquez by the family
 †Aileen Gallegos-Barela by Pamela Vigil, LouAnn & Liz Branch

Thursday, January 15, 2015

7:00 A.M. †Biterbo & †Zulema Quintana by the family
11:45 A.M. Senior Citizen Mass & Luncheon
1:00 P.M. Rosary for Our Nation
 6:00 P.M. **La Mesilla Chapel**
 Health & well being of Jeannie Vasquez by Paul & Barbara Fresquez
 †Henry Trujillo by Isabel Trujillo & family
 †Sarabeth Montoya & †Matthew Sisneros, Jr. by Sam, Debbie & Andrea
 Montoya
 †Peter Velarde, Jr. by Paul & Barbara Fresquez



For Our Nation

Friday, January 16, 2015

7:00 A.M. †Genaro L. Maestas (8yr) by Flora & family
8:30 A.M. Children's Mass



Saturday, January 17, 2015 Saint Anthony, Abbot

5:30 P.M. †Henry Trujillo by John & Barbara Ricci
 †JoAnn Herrera by Judy, Jessica, Miguel, Jaslyn & Nathaniel
 †Theresa Radosevich by Colleen Lopez & Virginia Martinez
 †Sennie Lujan by Cecilia Lujan
 †Jesus Martinez (17yr) by Bernie Martinez & family
 †Roberta (BB-d) & †Armando Montoya by Ernie & Mary K.

Confessions:
 Saturdays 4:30 P.M.
 and 6:30 P.M.

Maestas

†Sean Michael Hennelly (3yr) by Michael M. Hennelly & family

Sunday, January 18, 2015 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 A.M. †Lorraine T. Sandoval by Jose Felix & Tim Sandoval
 †Miranda, †Diana & †Randy Martinez by Robert Martinez & family
 †Ivan Lopez (14yr) by Colleen Lopez
 †Elizaido Espinoza by Jake & Marie Alarid
 8:30 A.M. †Laura Baros por intencion de Carol Esquibel
 †Baltazar Zavala (tres anos) por intencion de Celina y familia
 †Trinnie, †Gilbert y †Sennie por intencion de Amelia Lobato
 †Severiana Salazar por intencion de Jimmy Sanchez y familia
 †George y †Pablita Hurtado por intencion de Jerry H., David O., y Gilbert
 Quintana

JANUARY IS
POVERTY IN AMERICA AWARENESS MONTH



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HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Dear Parishioners,

May the blessings of our newborn Savior be always with you!

This Thursday, January 15th, we will host our Senior Citizen Luncheon in Marian Hall after the 11:45 A.M. Mass. Please join us for our first luncheon of 2015!



Please consider donating to our tuition assistance fund. This school year many families are in need of tuition assistance. It is important that we help any family who wants a Catholic School education for their children to be able to do so. Any amount will help! Thank you in advance for your generosity and response to this request for assistance for these wonderful children!

We continue to plan for Catholic Schools Week and also for the school year 2015-16! For information on our wonderful school, please call the school office at (505) 753-4644.

May you have a blessed week!

Sincerely in the Holy Family,
Mrs. Terry Ann Lopez, Principal



BOX TOPS & LABELS FOR EDUCATION: They can be *educating mind ♥ heart ♥ spirit* placed in an envelope for Sunday collection or may be dropped off at the Parish or School Offices.



ANNOUNCEMENTS



MONDAY NIGHT BINGO: *Every Monday night at 7:00 p.m.* Proceeds help Holy Cross Catholic School and Knights of Columbus Relief Fund.

PAID CCHD INTERNSHIP AVAILABLE: Catholic Campaign for Human Development's (CCHD) Archdiocesan Office in Albuquerque has a paid position, approximately 18-20 hours/week, \$12/hr for Fall 2015 and Spring 2016. Applications can be requested by e-mail at justice@archdiosf.org. Contact Anne Avelone in the Office of Social Justice and Respect Life for more information. Applications must be received by March 2, 2015. Don't pass up this wonderful opportunity!

JANUARY IS POVERTY AWARENESS MONTH: Poverty Awareness Month is here! The current population of Poverty USA is larger than the populations of Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado, Arizona, Utah, Wyoming, Nevada and Nebraska...combined. That means 46.5 million people are living in poverty in this county! If you are asking yourself "how can I help?" you can start by visiting www.povertyusa.org and www.usccb.org. This calendar provides you with a poverty reflection for every day of the month of January, as well as suggestion on how you can help in the efforts to eradicate poverty from our county. You can also schedule a presentation for your group by contacting Sandra Arpero, DDHD Intern for the Office of Social Justice and Respect Life.

SANCTITY OF LIFE AWARENESS AND UNITY DAY-MASS-MARCH-RALLY: Join us as the three Dioceses of New Mexico prayerfully mark the 42nd anniversary of the Supreme Court decision Roe v. Wade legalizing abortion with a Sanctity of Life Awareness and Unity Day on Wednesday, January 21, 2015. The day includes a noon Mass with the three Bishops of New Mexico, Archbishop Michael J. Sheehan, Bishop Oscar Cantu and Bishop James S. Wall at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis in Santa Fe, a prayer procession and rally with Allen Sanchez at the Roundhouse. Participants are asked to bring baby items like diapers, blankets, bottles, etc and/or socks and toiletries for the elderly to be collected at the Mass and distributed to organization that provide support to expectant mothers in need or nursing homes. For more information, call 505-831-8167.

JANUARY 20 MARKS THE BEGINNING OF OUR NEW MEXICO LEGISLATIVE SESSION: Allen Sanchez, Director of the New Mexico Conference of Catholic Bishops, presents the concerns of the three Catholic Dioceses of New Mexico at our legislature in Santa Fe. The 2015 Legislative agenda of the NM Conference of Catholic Bishops is: Life, being the greatest gift from God, is top priority, as is concern for the poor. Listen to Catholic radio daily or go to the Archdiocese of Santa Fe web site for more updates from Allen. Sign up to receive the latest information by calling 505-831-8167.

PARISH



By using your envelopes, you indicate your attendance at Mass. What you put inside the envelope is between you and God.

BIBLE STUDY: On Mondays, from 7:00—8:30 pm at Marian Hall.

BAPTISM INFORMATION: Next class will be on Thursday, January 29th at 6:30 pm in Marian Hall.



All Military Personnel: Joshua Martinez, Nathan Lucero, Monica Herrera, Nathan Cde Baca, TSGT Joseph Trujillo, Marine PFC Matthew W.

Bustos, Staff Sgt. Anthony Garcia, Staff Sgt. Andrew Romero, Adam G. Chavez, 1st Lt Micah Anderson, Tommy R. Martinez & Private Jayms Neaman-Roper. **Also for:** Alyssa Ann, Angela, Martin, Elizabeth, David Montoya, J. Maestas, Joseph Garcia, Angelina Salinas, Lou & Jan Wiese, David Trujillo Sr., Karla Montoya, Me-la Medina, Queta Gonzales, Manuelita Trujillo, Leo Garcia, Jr., Steven & Sharon Borrego, Esteban Archuleta, Michelle Romero, Asyriah Chacon, Amelia Martinez, Juanita Atencio, Monica Archuleta, Estrellita Martinez, Anna Sixta Gutierrez, Amanda Martinez, Louise Sandoval, Lissy Pereira, Ted Lopez, Rose V. Martinez, Mary V. Montoya, Tony Vigil, Alichia Valencia, Nelson M. Martinez, Candice Velasquez, Ann Salazar, Candie Casteñeda, Gordon Clements, Jeannie Vasquez, Guadalupe Dominguez, Jerry L., Laura Trujillo, Shelly Baca, Paul Martinez, Michelle Neely, Ymelda Garcia, Joseph E. Martinez, Martha Maestas, *Frank Trujillo, Linda Ortiz, Pearl Gutierrez, Alice Maestas, Minnie Quintana, Tina Talachy, Scott Eberhardy, Carmen & Monica Naranjo, Andrellita Espinoza, Yolanda Herrera, Carla Y. Maestas & Elizabeth L. Martinez, Alexis, Kenneth Martinez, Karen Norris, Jody Valdez, Max Martinez, Lorraine Trujillo, Bertha Lujan, Erminda Duran, Kathy Perea, Neri Reynolds, Robert Gallegos, William, Evelyn, Martin Gomez, Leo Rivera, Consuelo Martinez & Benito Chavez.

We pray for their health, well being & safety.

Thank you parishioners for your generosity and for all the Christmas greetings I have received. All is greatly appreciated. You will be remembered in daily Mass this year. May God bless you always for your generosity. May you and your families have a very Happy and Blessed New Year.

Sr. Angie



CEMETERY GRAVE SITES: Rain has caused damage to the following grave sites. Call the parish office when repairs have been done, so that names may be removed from the list. **The Cemetery is open on Mondays from 8:00am-5:00pm.**

- †Tommy Serrano—11/23/1981-10/26/2006
- †Rosaura Pina Archuleta—9/28/1915—7/8/2005
- †Lourdes Gutierrez—2/10/1938—1/24/2004
- †Robert Bernadino Marquez—7/10/1941—11/2/2002
- †Rafaelita M. Velarde—10/7/1866—10/30/1970
- †Beloved Son Baby Vela
- †Amber Gallegos
- †Jeffrey Scott-Garcia
- †Willie Garcia
- †Arturo Pacheco
- †Amalia Pacheco
- †Robert Bernardino Marquez—07/10/1941—11/02/2002
- †Lourdes Gutierrez—02/10/1938—01/24/2004
- †David Lalo Gonzales—05/23/1983—05/27/2001
- †Leon A. Maestas—06/30/1967—05/04/2000
- †Clara Lopez-Velasquez—08/12/2005—06/13/2005
- †John J. Gonzales—1935-2013
- †Joe I. Joly—12/11/1948—07/27/1999
- †Connie V. Maestas—03/23/1949
- †Melissa J. Quintana—02/02/1976—03/03/1989
- †Lucy F. Salazar—08/07/1965—10/23/1984
- †Wilfred A. Torres—08/06/1935—02/23/79
- †Tommy M. Vigil—02/02/1952—12/22/1981
- †Jose Benito Lopez—1946—1974
- †Joseph N. Vesley—1899—1981
- †Kenneth C. Nolan—1965—1974
- †Jose N. Lopez—1898—1969
- †Elvira Lopez—08/26/1914—05/08/2008
- †Maria Pacheco—1882—1965
- †Pedro Pacheco—1893—1985
- †Jose N. Abeyta—05/05/1906—03/30/1971
- †Pat W. Maestas—11/20/1946—05/11/2008
- †Manny Trujillo—04/26/64—1985

THANK YOU!

To all who attended and participated in our 9-day Novena of Prayer, “LAS POSADAS”. To all the musicians. Your music was so inspiring, meaningful and joyful. To all who portrayed Mary and Joseph seeking shelter. You did a great job. To Sam Montoya and Sylvia Garcia for doing the readings and leading the prayers. Good job. To all the host families for all you did. To Jose Garcia and Mario Maestas, our faithful bus drivers for driving us to the homes. God bless you all. May you and your families have a very Happy and Blessed New Year. **Sr. Angie.**

Sunday, January 18, 2015 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 10:30 A.M. For the People of the Parish
Healing of the People & Land of our Communities
In thanksgiving to Fr. Javier, Fr. John & Fr. Blanch for their services to the community by Marquez Family
†Henry Trujillo by David & Sharon Redman
†Elias Martinez by Rose Montoya & family
†Aaron Gallegos by Gina Gallegos & family
†Joe & †Toni Trujillo (4yr) by the family
- 12:30 P.M. †Carlos Archuleta by Yolanda, Mike, Erika Lee & James Turner
†Paul & †Nakita Garcia by Loretto Garcia & family
†Manuel Maes by Coro of Santa Teresita, Celadora, Barbara Ricci
†Elizaido Espinoza by Elmer & Alice Lucero
†Mary Lou Blea (5yr) by Blea Family
- 7:00 P.M. For Vocations into Religious Life
For Fr. Javier, Fr. Plans, Fr. Blanch & Sr. Angie



FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD: Once again John the Baptist points us toward the One who comes in the power of the Holy Spirit. Once again we have an epiphany, a manifestation of who Jesus is. Three things happen in quick succession as Jesus comes out from the water: the heavens are torn open; the Spirit comes upon him; and the Father speaks directly to him, saying, “You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.” This is Jesus’ own epiphany. The Father reveals Jesus to himself as beloved Son. Following this, Jesus will be tested in the desert and then begin his ministry. Today we can reflect on our own Baptism when the Spirit first came upon us with the pouring of the water and the solemn pronouncing of the words: “I baptize you in the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.” On that occasion, the Father claimed us as God’s beloved child. This year’s Christmas season comes to an end, but we continue to live into the reality of our calling as a member of the body of Christ.

How am I witnessing to the world that I am God’s beloved child?

Tuition Assistance 2014-2015

Malachi 3:10, Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house, and try me in this, says the Lord of hosts: Shall I not open for you the floodgates of heaven, to pour down blessing upon you without measure?

Please contact the parish office to help one of our 28 Saints attend Holy Cross Catholic School at 505-753-3345. (16 Saints left that need to be adopted.)

Mother Teresa of Calcuta....ADOPTED	\$1,300.00	St. John	\$ 834.00
Blessed Pedro Roca.....ADOPTED	\$1,250.00	St. Joseph.....ADOPTED	\$ 834.00
St. Terese of the Little Flower..ADOPTED	\$1,150.00	St. Frances Xavier Cabrini *	\$ 350.00
St. Joseph Manyanet.....ADOPTED	\$1,000.00	St. Francis of Assisi.....ADOPTED	\$ 150.00
St. Rita.....ADOPTED	\$1,000.00	St. Theresa of the Andes	\$1,700.00
St. Matthias.....ADOPTED	\$2,000.00	St. Ignatius of Antioch	\$1,000.00
Mother Mary, Mother of God	\$1,300.00	St. Veronica	\$1,700.00
St. Elizabeth.....ADOPTED	\$3,025.00	St. John	\$1,000.00
St. Cecilia *	\$2,475.00	St. Zita	\$1,700.00
St. Monica.....ADOPTED	\$ 700.00	St. Lucy *	\$ 502.50
Blessed Jaime Puig	\$1,600.00	Our Lady of Guadalupe.....ADOPTED	\$1,000.00
St. Anthony of Padua	\$ 667.00	St. Adele	\$ 667.00
St. Sylvia	\$ 667.00	St. Genevieve	\$1,300.00
St. Teresa of Avila	\$ 834.00	St. Hilary.....ADOPTED	\$ 600.00

The heavens were opened and the voice of the Father thundered: This is my beloved Son, listen to him. (Mark 9:7)

RCIA *Vocations: Marriage, Priesthood, Religious Life* is our teaching in RCIA this Wednesday. It is based on the teachings of *1 Samuel 3* and *John 1:35-42*. The following quote by Martin Luther King Jr. describes the service that all vocations strive to offer:

“If you want to be great—wonderful. But recognize that he who is greatest among you shall be your servant. That’s a new definition of greatness. By giving that definition of greatness, it means that everybody can be great, because everybody can serve. You only need a heart full of grace, a soul generated by love.”

Samuel heard his name called many times but he didn’t know who was calling him. He wanted to know who had spoken his name, so, Eli, his friend and teacher, helped him learn it was God who was calling him.

Why did it take Eli to reveal to Samuel that it was God who was calling him? Most likely, it was because Samuel did not know the Lord, so he didn’t recognize his call. In Scripture, we read of many others who were called by the Lord: John the Baptist didn’t recognize Jesus at first as *the Lamb of God*. Andrew told Peter, his brother, that in Jesus he had found the Messiah everyone had been waiting for. When Mary came to her cousin, Elizabeth’s aid, Elizabeth cried out, *“How is it that the mother of my Lord has come to me. . .the moment I heard your greeting, the baby leapt in my womb!”*

Will we recognize Jesus when he calls us? How long will it take for us to become familiar with the Lord? Although we are saved by faith in Jesus, we have been given so many gifts to come to know and love him more—the Holy Spirit, the Church, the Bible, the traditions handed down to us by the Apostles, the lives of those declared saints by the Church, the examples of our parents and grandparents and others who have revealed Jesus to us.

God knows each one of us *intimately!* He knows us each by name! When Samuel finally came to know that it was the Lord who was calling him, he replied, **“Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.”** As we begin to listen more for the Lord’s call, we, too, will see Jesus as *the Lamb of God* and we, too, will recognize him as the Messiah. We will begin to recognize that, because we love him, we will learn more each day of our lives about his call to us and his desire for us to live a life of service to others, but especially to those who have no voice, those who are poor and those who are neglected.

RCIA, the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is the Church’s journey of faith for those who wish to become Catholic through Baptism, or for those who, if Catholic, can prepare to receive the remaining sacraments of full initiation into the Catholic Church: Confirmation and First Communion. We meet every Wednesday from 7-9 pm in the Religious Education Center. We prepare all teachings through a Lectionary-based Catechesis which offers those attending a chance to grow through Scripture and the Mass. RCIA also offers fellowship with other adults as they meet to prepare to learn the Catholic faith. We also meet with children from 7-8:30 on the same evening for those whose parents want their child to be baptized. You may call Janet Ortiz for more information: 455-7520.

2015 PRE-CONFIRMATION & CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE

January 11th Class 5:30-6:45 pm
 January 18th Class 5:30-6:45 pm
 January 25th Class 5:30-6:45 pm



OASIS OF PEACE YOUTH GROUP:

YOUTH GROUP MASS on Sunday, January 25th at 10:30 am.

SIPAPU SKI TRIPS: January 19 and February 16, 2015. Contact Felice Gurule at 929-2955 for more information.

SOUPER BOWL OF CANNA: January 31st & February 1st after all Masses.

Welcome Iglesia de Santa Cruz de la Canada, priests, sister, parishioners, and staff welcome all those that are visiting our church as well as our newly registered families: May your life be touched, and inspired as we give praise and worship to Our Lord through the power of Holy Spirit. Welcome!

DRESS FOR MASS: Dress modestly for Mass, please remember you’re coming to see Jesus. Thank you.

MINISTRIES

January 17th & 18th	Eucharistic-Minister	Usher/Greeter	Lector/Commentator
Saturday 5:30 p.m.	George Lujan Kathy Lujan	Willie Atencio Teofilo Sanchez	Francine Huerta Bianca Archuleta
Sunday 7:00 a.m.	Barbara Garcia Feliz Quintana	Larry Jaramillo Dianne Jaramillo	Elena Gomez Neri Reynolds
Sunday 8:30 a.m.	Sam Montoya Debbie Montoya	Gonzalo Medina Americo Medina	Ana Derma Luis Andrade
Sunday 10:30 a.m.	Ernestine Montoya Susan Maestas	Gerald J. Romero Joseph Martinez	Tania Sanchez Shirley Herrera
Sunday 12:30 p.m.	Lydia Trujillo Christine Bustos	Steve Gonzales Michael Gonzales	Marie Garcia Antoinette Martinez
Sunday 7:00 p.m.	Ronnie Vigil	Savannah Martinez Volunteer	Brian, Noelle & Brianna

FOR THE MONTHS OF JANUARY



Catholic Daughters

Thursday, January 15th at 7:00 pm at the meeting room

Cursillo

Wednesdays, January 14th & 28th
6:30 pm at the meeting room

Finance Council

Wednesday, January 14th at 6:30 pm at the Rectory

Pastoral Council

Monday, January 12th at 6:00 pm at Marian Hall

RCIA

Wednesdays, January 14th & 21st
7:00 pm at the Religious Education Center

CHURCH LINEN: Juanita Lujan

CHURCH CLEANING FOR JANUARY

TEAM 1

Sylvia Atencio - Maria D. Fernandez
Mary Alice Molina - Christine Bustos
Sandra Salazar - Theresa Romero

TEAM 2

Priscilla Medina - Elma Fernandez
Shirley Herrera - Marie Garcia - Vangie Salazar



Rest in Peace

Manuel A. Vigil *Age 71* *December 30, 2014*
Joan Montoya *Age 82* *January 4, 2015*

ALTAR & ROSARY UPCOMING EVENTS

- Meeting—Thursday, January 15th at 6:30 pm in the church.
- Frito Pie Dinner—Thursday, January 22nd at 5:30 pm at Marian Hall.

SURVEILLANCE COMMITTEE: We are still looking for volunteers to serve on a surveillance committee. If you are interested, please contact the parish office. Nine men have come forward to help in this ministry, however we still need more.

2015 GALA COMMITTEE, would like to recruit new members to help organize the 2015 Gala to be held on September 19, 2015. If your are interested, please contact Debbie Valdez at 614-6430 or Helen Finch at 927-6290



Baptism makes us a new creation in the risen Christ and marks the beginning of a child's journey of faith as a child of God. **Empowered by the Holy Spirit to spread the word of God,** through the example of parents and godparents, a child will grow to become a follower of Christ.

WELCOME

Newly Baptized in Christ
For the Month of January

Lilyana Elizabeth **Katy** LaRoche
Trinity Delaney Quintana



The weekly Rosary which is prayed for the intention of our Nation has been moved to Thursdays at 1:00 pm.