

# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday, August 17th, 2015.**

6:00 p.m. Int. of Parishioners

**Tuesday, August 18th, 2015.**

8:00 a.m. †Ben Armijo by Judy Armijo  
†Patty Armijo by Judy Armijo

**Wednesday, August 19th, 2015.**

8:00 a.m. †Maria Aragon by Colfita Sanchez & Family

**Thursday, August 20th, 2015.**

8:00 a.m. †Mickey Sanchez by Colfita Sanchez & Family

**Friday, August 21st, 2015.**

8:00 a.m. COMMUNION SERVICE Deacon Eddie

**Saturday, August 22nd, 2015.**

5:00 p.m. †Julian Barela by Daughters  
†Deliria Barela by Daughters  
†Ruben Barela by Sisters

**Sunday, August 23rd, 2015.**

8:00 a.m. †Angie Gutierrez by Mark & Ida Pohl & Fam.  
†Anthony Duke (4th Ann.) by Dad, Mom & Boys  
†Rosie Tapia Garcia (Happy B-Day) by Herman Garcia & Fam.  
9:30 a.m. †Cuca Apodaca by Lorenzo & Sally Perea  
†Joe W. Aragon by Luge Aragon & Fam.  
†Joseph Duran (2nd Ann.) by Grandma Rose & Fam.  
11:15 a.m. †Steven Gonzales by Bernice Gonzales & Fam.  
†Larry Artiaga by Marta Artiaga & Fam.  
Int. of Geneva Huertaz (Happy B-Day) by Legion of Mary Members

**COLLECTION REPORT:**

August 9th, 2015  
Our Lady of Guadalupe -\$5,985.52 Sangre de Cristo - \$1,911.55

**NEW PARISHIONERS**

Are requested to register at the parish office.

**CONFESSIONS - SATURDAY FROM 3:30 to 4:30 P.M. OR BY APPOINTMENT**

**MARRIAGES**

Arrangements must be made with the parish priest at least 6 months prior to wedding date. For policy go to [www.archdiocesasantafe.org](http://www.archdiocesasantafe.org).

**INFANT BAPTISMS**

Parents must make arrangements for the Baptism of their child in advance at the parish office, and all necessary paperwork must be completed by the 1st week of the month. Parents and Sponsors must attend ONE instruction class in preparation for Baptism. Sponsors MUST be registered for (3) months and active in the parish; married in the Catholic Church; and be baptized and confirmed in the Catholic Church. Class instruction is on the 1ST SATURDAY of every month - 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. in the parish hall. Baptisms take place on the 3RD SUNDAY of every month.



**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**BLUE ARMY:** Rosary every Monday - 10:00 a.m. Any parishioner who would like to have the statue of the Blessed Mother in your home and join us in praying the rosary, you are asked to please call Rebecca Cordova - 869-2863.

**LEGION OF MARY:** Meet every Thursday, at 10:00 a.m., in the parish hall. We welcome new members.

**3RD ORDER SERVANTS OF MARY:** Meet on the last Sunday of the month to pray the rosary at 12:15 p.m. A meeting will take place following the rosary in the parish hall.

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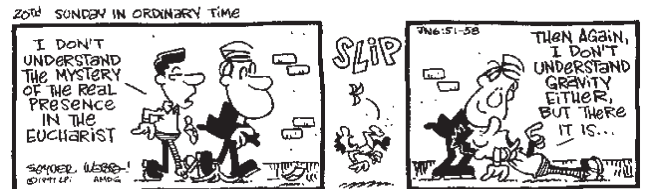
**BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST @ OUR LADY OF GUDALUPE PAID BY GIL & LUPE DUNCAN FOR INTENTION OF CHILDREN FOR BIRTHDAYS.**

**BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST @ SANGRE DE CRISTO, PAID BY ESTELLA BRINI FOR PRAYERS ANSWERED.**

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**COLUMBIAN SQUIRES TRAVELING VOCATIONS**

**CHALICE:** We invite all parishioners to sign up to take the chalice into their homes and to pray for vocations. Prayers are included with the chalice, but we encourage you to also include your own. If you have any questions, or are interested in having the chalice in your home, please call Elias Maez at 550-7817.



Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day. For my flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink."

- Jn 6:53-55

**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MISSION STATEMENT:** In sharing with others our faith, experience, and earthly goods, we grow in faith and are living the missionary call by Our Lord Jesus Christ that goes out to all believers. Our pastor, Fr. Hoi Tran, our ministers, and all our parishioners extend our arms in welcome to all others not in our worshipping community to worship with us and to assist us with your prayers and charitable works as we walk our spiritual journey together, to seek the greater honor and glory of God and the salvation of souls.

**Readings for the Week of August 16, 2015**

- Sunday:** Prv 9:1-6/Eph 5:15-20/Jn 6:51-58
- Monday:** Jgs 2:11-19/Mt 19:16-22
- Tuesday:** Jgs 6:11-24a/Mt 19:23-30
- Wednesday:** Jgs 9:6-15/Mt 20:1-16
- Thursday:** Jgs 11:29-39a/Mt 22:1-14
- Friday:** Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Mt 22:34-40
- Saturday:** Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Mt 23:1-12
- Next Sunday:** Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69

# PARISH NEWS

**PLEASE NOTE:** Finance Council will meet this Monday, August 17th at 7:00 p.m. in the parish office.

**PLEASE NOTE:** There will be a meeting for all current Lectors, Monday, August 17th at 7:00 p.m. in the Peralta Church. There will be a meeting for all current Extra-ordinary ministers on Tuesday, August 18th at 7:00 p.m. in the Peralta Church.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION:** A second collection will be taken up today for our St. Vincent de Paul Society. Please be generous.

**FAITH FORMATION NEWS:** We are still in need of a catechist for 5/6 Grade class on Monday's, 4:30-6 pm. Please contact the Faith Formation office if you are willing and able to help. No prior experience required. 2015/2016 Faith Formation classes begin: September 13th, 14th & 15th: Sunday, 9:30 - 11:00 a.m.: Confirmation, RCIA & Adult Confirmation, and 1st Holy Communion; Monday, 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. Pre-K/Kinder, 1st, 4th and 5/6 Grades. Monday 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. 7th Grade and pre-confirmation. Tuesday, 5:00 to 6:30 p.m.; 1st Holy Communion, 2nd Grade (reconciliation) and RCIC.

**ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL UPDATE (ACA):** Parish Goal - \$31,000.00; Total pledged - \$23,109.00 (75% of Goal has been pledged); \$18,514.00 has been paid (60% of Goal has been paid). Number of registered families - 698; 102 parishioners have pledged.

**ARCHDIOCESE OF SANTA FE - MINISTRY RESOURCE CENTER/FORMATION FOR CHRISTIAN SERVICE:**

**The Vision of Vatican II for the Laity.** Monday, August 17th, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.; Shrine of St. Bernadette Parish. Jason Rodarte Ed.D., Instructor. \$10 course fee, 2 credit hours.  
**Co-workers in the Vineyard of the Lord.** Monday, August 24th, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.; Shrine of St. Bernadette Parish. Jason Rodarte, Ed.D., Instructor, \$10.00 fee; 2 credit hours.  
 Register online at: <https://secure.acceptiva.com?cst=3cbb4e>, or call Rosalie @ 831-8179.

**YOU DID IT FOR ME:** In August 2014, ISIS forced thousands of Iraqi families out of their homes. Many of those families sought refuge to the north in the Kurdistan region of Iraq. Thanks to CRS and Caritas Iraq, child support centers are being built to help more than 2,000 Iraqi children heal and find structure and normalcy in their disrupted childhoods with games and learning activities.

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me and eat." Then turning to God in prayer: "I thank You, O Lord, that I am permitted to enter Your portals." To comfort him during his torments God said to him: "My servant, do not be afraid. I am with you." He was put to death upon the Viminal Hill and buried on the Tiburtinian Way.

*O glorious Saint Lawrence, Martyr and Deacon, who, being subjected to the most bitter torments, didst not lose thy faith nor thy constancy in confessing Jesus Christ, obtain in like manner for us such an active and solid faith, that we shall never be ashamed to be true followers of Jesus Christ, and fervent Christians in word and in deed. Amen.*

**ST. LAWRENCE:** This young deacon and heroic martyr is numbered among those saints who were most highly venerated by the ancient Roman Church. Next to the feast of Sts. Peter and Paul, that of St. Lawrence ranked highest in the Roman sanctoral cycle. "From the rising of the sun unto its setting," says St. Leo, "whenever the glory of Levites beams forth in splendor, Rome is deemed no less illustrious because of Lawrence than Jerusalem because of Stephen." Even though we have no genuine account of St. Lawrence's martyrdom, we do possess considerable evidence from most ancient times regarding the particulars of his passion. Legendary *Acts* tell how Lawrence was a disciple of Pope Sixtus II (257-258), who dearly loved him because of his special talents, but principally because of his innocence; in spite of his youth, the Pope numbered him among the seven deacons of Rome and raised him to the position of archdeacon. As such, Lawrence had the immediate care of the altar and was at the side of the saintly Pope whenever he offered the holy Sacrifice; to him also was confided the administration of the goods of the Church and the responsibility of caring for the poor. During the persecution of Emperor Valerian (253-260), Sixtus II and his four deacons were martyred. Very ardently Lawrence desired to die with his spiritual father and therefore said to him: "Father, where are you going without your son? Where are you hastening, O priest, without your deacon? Never before did you offer the holy Sacrifice without assistants. In what way have I displeased you? In what way have you found me unfaithful in my office? Oh, try me again and prove to yourself whether you have chosen an unworthy minister for the service of the Church. So far you have been trusting me with distributing the Blood of the Lord." This loving complaint of joyous self-oblation Sixtus answered with words of prophecy: "I am not forsaking you, my son; a severer trial is awaiting you for your faith in Christ. The Lord is considerate toward me because I am a weak old man. But for you a most glorious triumph is in store. Cease to weep, for already after three days you will follow me". After these comforting words he admonished him to distribute all the remaining Church goods allocated to the poor. While Lawrence was dispersing these items in the house of a certain Narcissus, a blind man named Crescentius asked for healing help by the imposition of hands. The holy deacon made the Sign of the Cross over him and the man began to see. From his relations with Pope Sixtus, it was known that he acted as the steward over the Church's property. He was arrested therefore and placed under the watch of a certain Hippolytus. There in prison Lawrence cured the blind Lucillus and several other blind persons; impressed thereby, Hippolytus embraced the faith and died a martyr. Ordered by the authorities to surrender the treasures of the Church, Lawrence asked for two days time during which to gather them. The request was granted and he brought together in the house of Hippolytus the poor and the sick whom he had supported. These he led to the judge. "Here are the treasures of the Church!" Lawrence was tortured, scourged, and scorched with glowing plates. In the midst of excruciating pain he prayed: "Lord Jesus Christ, God from God, have mercy on Your servant!" And he besought the grace of faith for the bystanders. At a certain point the soldier Romanus exclaimed: "I see before you an incomparably beautiful youth. Hasten and baptize me." He had observed how an angel dried the wounds of Lawrence with a linen cloth during his passion. Again during the night he was dragged before the judge and threatened with immediate death. But he replied: "My God I honor and Him alone I serve. Therefore I do not fear your torments; this night shall become as brightest day and as light without any darkness." When placed upon the glowing gridiron, he jested with his executioners and the cruel tyrant. "Now you may turn me over, my body is roasted enough on this side." Shortly after this had been done, he cried again: "At last I am finished; you may now take from

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