

# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday, February 20th, 2017.**

6:00 p.m. †Mickey Sanchez (9th Ann.) by Daughters

**Tuesday, February 21st, 2017.**

8:00 a.m. †Fr. James Andrew Wolff  
†Pete H. Trujillo (1st Ann.) John & Ana Lopez & Fam.

**Wednesday, February 22nd, 2017**

8:00 a.m. †Sister Vera Klaus by Emily Brito

**Thursday, February 23rd, 2017.**

8:00 a.m. †Eloy Garley by M/M Damian Gutierrez  
†Annie Moya (Happy B-Day) by M/M Damian Gutierrez

**Friday, February 24th, 2017.**

8:00 a.m. Mass - Int. of Parishioners

**Saturday, February 25th, 2017.**

5:00 p.m. †Pierre Amestoy by Berry Family  
†Claudette Harvey by Berry Family  
†Ronnie Amestoy by Berry Family

**Sunday, February 26th 2017.**

8:00 a.m. †Lucy Lucero by Ray Lucero & Fam.  
†Eileen Garcia (16th Ann.) by Gene, Barbara & Boys  
†Arthur Montoya by Family  
9:30 a.m. †Roland Victor Padilla by "Mom" Laura Padilla  
†Benny Sena by M/M Christian Garcia & Fam.  
†Lola Sena by M/M Christian Garcia & Fam.  
11:15 a.m. Int. of Parishioners

**COLLECTION REPORT:**

February 12th, 2017  
Our Lady of Guadalupe - \$5,732.18 Sangre de Cristo - \$1,438.65

**NEW PARISHIONERS**

Are requested to register at the parish office.

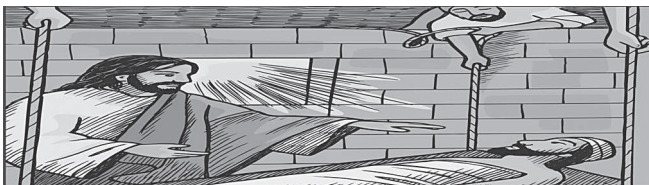
**CONFESSIONS - SATURDAY FROM 3:30 to 4:30 P.M.  
OR BY APPOINTMENT**

**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. 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 prior to Baptism 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 MONDAY** of the month - 6:30 p.m. in the parish office. Baptisms take place on the 3rd Sunday of the 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:** Meets 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.

**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.

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**BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY @ OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE PAID BY CASIAS & MCKAY FAMILIES FOR THOSE AFFECTED BY CANCER.**

**BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY @ SANGRE DE CRISTO, PAID BY PATSY MAEZ FOR ALL DECEASED MEMBERS OF MAEZ & SANCHEZ FAMILY.**

**ADVANCE NOTICE - MEETING - LITURGY COMMITTEE:**

Will take place on Tuesday, March 7th at 7:00 p.m. in the parish office.



**"You have heard that it was said, An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth. But I say to you, offer no resistance to one who is evil. When someone strikes you on your right cheek, turn the other one as well." - Mt 5:38-39**

**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.

**Readings for the Week of February 19, 2017**

- Sunday:** Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13/1 Cor 3:16-23/ Mt 5:38-48
- Monday:** Sir 1:1-10/Ps 93:1-2, 5/Mk 9:14-29
- Tuesday:** Sir 2:1-11/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40/Mk 9:30-37
- Wednesday:** 1 Pt 5:1-4/Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6/Mt 16:13-19
- Thursday:** Sir 5:1-8/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Mk 9:41-50
- Friday:** Sir 6:5-17/Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34-35/Mk 10:1-12
- Saturday:** Sir 17:1-15/Ps 103:13-18/Mk 10:13-16
- Next Sunday:** Is 49:14-15/Ps 62:2-3, 6-9/1 Cor 4:1-5/Mt 6:24-34

# PARISH NEWS

**PLEASE NOTE:** If you are interested in running for Pastoral Council, please call the parish office. Three - 3 year terms will become vacant in May. For information, please call the parish office.

**NINE CONSECUTIVE MONDAY'S - NOVENA:** Sponsored by the Secular Order of Servites, will begin this Monday, February 20th, immediately following the 6:00 p.m. Mass, and will continue for 9 consecutive Monday's ( thru Monday, April 17th). This novena is for all those who are sick in the parish, and especially those who suffer from cancer. Everyone is invited to attend and bring along a friend.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - SECOND COLLECTION:** Will be taken up today for our St. Vincent de Paul Society. Your generosity, will be greatly appreciated by those that benefit.

**ADVANCE NOTICE: ASH WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1ST:** Our Mass schedule is as follows: 12:10 (noontime) - Peralta; 5:00 p.m. - Valencia; and 6:30 p.m. - Peralta. Rules and regulations will be announced in next Weekends bulletin.

Stations of the Cross will take place on all Friday's of Lent at 7:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Guadalupe.

**Mark your calendar!! PARISH LENTEN CONFESSIONS:** Will take place on Monday, March 13th at 6:30 p.m. with (4) Confessors.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Theology on Film Series presents "The First Grader" (2010). Join us at the Norbertine Community of Santa Maria de la Vid Abbey in the Our Lady of Guadalupe Commons for a screening of the film and discussion to follow on Wednesday, February 22, 2017 at 6:30 pm. Pizza and popcorn will be provided. For more information, contact the Abbey at (505) 873-4399 ext. 237 or [cchavez@norbertinecommunity.org](mailto:cchavez@norbertinecommunity.org). We hope to see you there!

**PLEASE NOTE:** All are invited to the Norbertine Community of Santa Maria de la Vid Abbey for a Holy Hour and Reconciliation Service on the first Friday of Lent, March 3, 2017 at 7:30 pm. This service will provide opportunities for prayer and adoration before the Blessed Sacrament and the sacrament of Reconciliation during the Lenten season. Join us!

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**EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP:** My pastor likes to say that his parents would always remind him to "leave a place you visited a little better than the way you found it." I have always tried to live by those words as well. The important word here is "tried" as I am sure that I have not always been successful. The desire to always go a step further, to give even more than is required, is truly honorable. Jesus speaks to his disciples about this when he urges them to give more than what is asked and to travel two miles in service when all that was required of them is one. As disciples of Jesus, we are called to live the same way. It is fundamental to understanding a stewardship way of life. True generosity has no limits. When we say that mature disciples are to answer the call of Jesus Christ regardless of the cost, we are inviting good stewards to embody this type of generosity. We can be the person who does not respond to the call, be the person who responds and gives what is required, or, finally, be the person who seeks to give above and beyond what is required. God doesn't just give us what we need, but he gives us more than we need. Made in his image, we are called to do the same. If we try to live in this manner every day, then we might just succeed in leaving this world a little better than the way we found it.

**Q** Do young children really need to go to confession? After all, how much sin can they really have?

**A** Ask any mom about her child and see how many would say that they are perfect angels! Parents know that kids do wrong things and know they are doing it! After hearing youngsters' confessions many times, I am sure that they know the difference between right and wrong. Sometimes what children consider sinful might not be considered sinful to an adult. For most young people, when asked, can easily explain why something is wrong and why they did it. Confession for children can be a great way to help them form their consciences, make better choices in the future, and grow in their understanding of sin and how it affects others. Most importantly, they learn the value of forgiveness, both received and given.

Confession, and the other sacraments, form the spiritual life and helps children connect everyday things with their relationship to God. With confession comes hope, forgiveness, and a new start. It also helps them understand God's unconditional love and helps them develop a sense of self-worth that unshakes their feelings. New habit for an Our Father and a...

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**7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:** "Give to the one who asks of you, and do not turn your back on one who wants to borrow." At first glance, we might think this instruction refers only to money or possessions. Jesus would surely want us to be generous with our finances, and in the spirit of today's Gospel, to give without seeking to receive. However, the principle also applies to our time and our talents.

Most likely, some of the people God has placed in our lives are "asking" for our time: children in need of care; elderly parents; neighbors or friends experiencing sickness, etcetera. Often, the needs of others do not coincide perfectly with our own plans. Rather, serving our families and communities frequently requires a change in our normal program of life. When such interruptions occur, do we share our time and attention freely, handing over our "cloak" as well without a grumble or a grudge? And what about the use of our God-given talents? We have all been blessed in different ways with gifts that can strengthen our communities. When our abilities could be useful to others, are we willing to share them without seeking recompense? Gifts of organization or artistry, culinary or mechanical skills, musical or ministerial talents...what we have received can be a blessing to those in our parish, our workplace, our neighborhood, and our family. Rather than being stingy with the treasures God has given us, may we be willing to follow the Lord's command to go the extra mile.