



# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

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## SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF:

Tome, Adelino, La Ladera, Las Maravillas, Pasitos del Cielo,  
La Constancia, Tavalopa, El Cerro Mission South, Casa Colorada,  
Salomon Estates, San Fernandez and Rio Communities

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**SECRETARY: Mary Ann Baca    BOOKKEEPER: Bessie Gallegos**

**DEACON: ROBERT SANCHEZ**

## OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday-Saturday (Closed Mondays)  
9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Martha Sanchez, DRE, (505) 865-4220  
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## MASS SCHEDULES

### SATURDAY

5:30 P.M. MASS in ENGLISH

### SUNDAY

8:00 A.M. MASS in SPANISH

10:00 A.M. MASS in ENGLISH

### WEEKDAYS

9:00 A.M. MASS TUESDAY – FRIDAY

Casa Colorada Mission 12:00 noon

Every 4th Sunday of the Month

## CONFESSIONS

4:00 P.M. Saturdays in the Chapel or by  
Appointment

## BLESSED SACRAMENT

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every First Friday  
starting December 3rd after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Holy Hour at  
11:00 am followed by Benediction at 12:00 pm

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

In order for children to be enrolled in the CCD program it is  
necessary that the parents/guardians be registered.

**All students must attend Mass regularly.**

## SACRAMENTS ADULT INITIATION (RCIA)

Process of Initiation for non-baptized individuals, Christians of  
other faiths wishing to become Catholic, Catholics who have not  
received Holy Communion, or Confirmation and for Catholics  
who are interested in deepening their faith.

## SPECIAL SACRAMENTS (RCIC)

Process of initiation into the Catholic Church for baptized children under  
the age of 15 and children over the age of 8 who have not yet received  
their first Holy Communion.

## CONFIRMATION

Contact the CCD office.

## HOLY COMMUNION

Children must have completed the two year preparation process to enter  
the Sacramental class in the third grade.

## MARRIAGE

For registered parishioners 1) Interview with parish priest six months  
before the wedding. 2) Diocesan marriage preparation program.

## BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish office to make arrangements for the Sacrament  
of Baptism. Registration of three months required.

## CARE OF THE SICK

For Holy Communion and Anointing, for seriously ill or homebound  
parishioners, please call the Parish Office for an appointment.

## MINISTRY OFFICERS:

Finance Council Chairperson: Anna Moya Troyer

Parish Council Chairperson: Victoria Zamora

Lectors: Theresa Johnson

Extraordinary Ministers  
of the Eucharist

Anthony Furnari

Eucharist to Homebound:

Youth Altar Servers: Tanisha Mora Gutierrez

Adult Altar Servers: Lawrence Johnson

Music 5:30 p.m.: Ron Vigil

8:00 a.m.: Monica Padilla

10:00 a.m.: Angela Norman

10:00 a.m. (1st Sun) John Duran (Youth Choir)

Buildings & Property: Robert Sanchez

Cemetery: Luis Sanchez

SVDP: Erica Chavez

Flowers: Angela Norman

Knights of Columbus: Domonic Vilella

Mayordomos: 5:30 p.m. Ambrose & Jeanette Padilla

8:00 a.m. Adrian & Maria Delgado

10:00 a.m. Aaron & Melanie Hahn

CC: 12:00 p.m. Ramon & Carmelita Baca

## *Mission Statement*

*Our faith-family of Immaculate Conception and  
its rich history and traditions, invite all Catholics  
to help them grow and mature as faithful followers  
of Jesus Christ.*

April 24, 2022  
 First Reading: Acts 5:12-16  
 Psalm: 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24  
 Second Reading: Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19  
 Gospel: John 20:19-31

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

4/26: Confirmation Practice—5:30 pm at Belen Church  
 4/27: Youth Choir—6:00 pm in the Church  
 4/29: First Communion practice—6:00 pm in the Church  
 4/30: First Communion (Mass)—10:00 am

**MASST**  
 INTENTIONS

Mon. Apr 25 - No Service  
 Tue. Apr 26  
 9:00 am No Mass Intentions  
 Wed. Apr 27  
 9:00 am No Mass Intentions  
 Thu. Apr 28  
 9:00 am +Cristobal Piro by Lisa Piro  
 +Angelica and +Simon Otero by Lucille Otero  
 +Roque Sanchez (Birthday Blessings) by the Family  
 +Marcella Silva by the Family  
 Fri. Apr 29  
 9:00 am +Bertha Martinez by Anna Lee Torres  
 +Catalina Martinez (Birthday Blessings) by Ramon & Anna Lee Torres  
 +For Peace in the Ukraine by Louis Vergeer  
 Sabato D'Ambrosi by Catuccio's  
 Sat. Apr 30  
 5:30 pm +Tobias, +Lucy, and deceased brothers by M/M Urban Lucero  
 +Pete, +David, & +Carolina Garcia by the Family  
 Prayers for Souls in Purgatory by Vicky Ulibarri  
 Sun. May 1  
 8:00 am +Carolina, +John David, & +Thomas Montoya by Manuel Montoya  
 +Frank Apodaca by Patsy Apodaca  
 +Jose Rito and +Esidora Baca by the Family  
 10:00 am +Jose Ramon and +Teofilo Baca by the Family  
 +Father Anthony Balman by Archdiocesan Priests Ret. Fund  
 +William Terry Ulibarri by Vicky Ulibarri  
 Immaculate Conception Parishioners



*With compassion and concern, we offer our prayers for our community and especially for the sick of our parish:*  
 Eliana Alderete, Martin Alderete, Chance Apodaca, Joe S. Aragon, Jaime Armendariz, Annette Baca, Eddie Baca, Jeff Baca, Michelle Baca, Antoinette Bencomo, Luga Calles, Gloria Castillo, Helen Chavez, Joseph Cook, Ernestine Cordova, Roselyn Cordova, Mary Crespín, Renee DeBaca, Flora Elycicio, Diane Figgie, Ernest Fresquez, Maria Garcia, Yolanda Gallegos, Patricia Gardner, Dolly Glass, Joel Gutierrez, Dorella Hooper, Harold Wayne Hooper, Isabel Jacques, Allen Kenyon, Eileen Krug, Diana Lara, David Lopez, Robert Frank Lopez, Dayna Lozano, Rita Lozano, Abel Lueras, Dayjah Lueras, Sally Lynch, Aryel Maldonado, Anna Marie, Connie Marquez, Prudencio Marquez, Manuel Montoya, Waylon Moore, Chester Moya, Phil Moya, Charli Orgas, Jose C. Ortega, Conrado Otero, Tonia Pena, Gene Perez, Freddie Peralta, Erlinda Rael, Herman Rael, Jose Rael, Benjamin Rispoli, Ray Rivera, Dennis Rodriguez, Connie Rodriguez, Eduardo Rodriguez, Nicario Romero, Virginia "Jennie" Romero, Michelle Ruiz, Anthony Salcido, Isaiah Sanchez, Mariah Sanchez, Marty D. Sanchez, Proceso Sanchez, Tamara Sanchez, Michael Sandoval, Alex Santacruz, Mara Segal, James Sneed, William "Bill" Taylor, Jose Luis Villa

*Please call the office to add or remove a name. Thank you.*

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Evenings for the Engaged. Couples must attend the whole weekend. The cost is \$85.00 per couple. Please visit [www.familylifennm.org](http://www.familylifennm.org) to register for one of the events. Dates are as follows for 2022:

- May 27—29
- August 26—28
- November 11—13

ENGAGED ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS

The following dates have been scheduled for 2022:

- March 4—6
- June 3—5
- September 23—25

To register visit [abqsfee.org](http://abqsfee.org)

Collections:

4/17/22: Not Available

Counters:

4/24: Sandra, Norma, Mary Ann

Online Giving the easy way to keep current with your envelopes; sign on to online giving on the website. Contribution Statements for taxes are now available. Please call the office.



NOS VAMOS A CASAR

Preparacion Matrimonial en Español

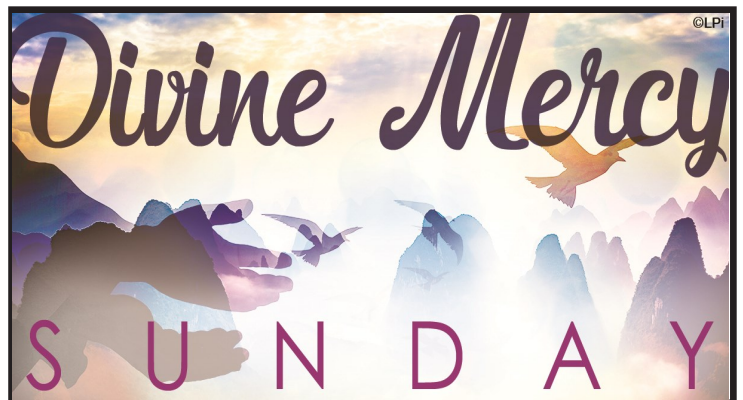
Sabado 23 de Julio

De 8:30 am—4:00 pm & Domingo 24 de Julio de 8:30 am—12 pm

Para mas informacion llame al 505-831-8147 o [ebecerra@archdiosf.org](mailto:ebecerra@archdiosf.org)



The Archdiocese of Santa Fe entered into Chapter 11 Reorganization during the first week of December 2018. The utmost concern is for the victims of abuse. Our prayers are with them. The Annual Catholic Appeal Foundation is not part of the Chapter 11 filing. ACA is separately incorporated and funding is not available for legal claims. ACA remains a significant source of funding for the ministries and services of the Archdiocese of Santa Fe throughout this process and beyond. Christ's loving work must endure through this. Thank you for continuing to support these efforts.





Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)

Even Thomas struggles to remove his boulder! Being very pragmatic and determined, he wants to see the risen Christ for himself! Thomas’s boulder is heavy with mistrust. Many of ours are too. A certain amount of skepticism is good, as it can save us from being duped or misled. But we can become so skeptical of things that it erodes our ability to trust anything we see or hear. Skepticism can actually be a well-disguised defense mechanism that we use to prevent us from being hurt or perceived as a fool. Having too much ego protection is a real risk. Thomas, because of the boulder blocking his vision, could not even trust the word of his friends.

Boulders are hard to move. It’s difficult to seek change or take a risk, especially when we are so afraid to be vulnerable or reluctant to trust another’s word. When we are closed minded, overly pragmatic, unwilling to see things in a different way, stubborn or defensive, it is difficult to be surprised by God and stretched. We need to be less guarded, self-assured, and self-absorbed. God cannot break into the ordinary moments of our lives and inspire us when we cling to doubt. If we are going to discover resurrection faith, we have to believe that what the witnesses say is true, especially when they are credible. We also have to trust that the risen Christ is alive in us, too!

While the first witnesses to the resurrection have faded into history, there are many others who have come after them. They continue to inspire by walking the talk of faith. They are the martyrs who offer their lives for the Gospel, the simple holy people in our communities who cling so steadfastly to their faith, those who have touched despair and found new hope and the ones who, even in spite of ridicule, still pursue their hunger and thirst for God. They are our friends, acquaintances, biblical heroes, and saints, and many others who are convinced that they have seen the Lord! The risen Christ may not surprise us with the same kind of visit as he did the first disciples, but God finds other ways. All we have to do is open our eyes, remove whatever is preventing us from seeing and believing and exclaim: “My Lord and my God!”



**Question:**

Can anyone offer the Anointing of the Sick to a sick or dying person, or is that only something a priest can do?

**Answer:**

The Letter of James speaks to us of the ancient tradition of a special anointing and blessing of those who are sick: “Is there anyone sick among you? Let him send for the presbyters of the Church and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord... If he has committed any sins, they will be forgiven him” (5:14, 15b). This passage forms the foundation for the theology of the sacrament that we call “Anointing of the Sick.” In keeping with what we read in the Letter of James and the ancient tradition of the Church, the anointing of a person of who sick or dying may only be performed by a priest or bishop.

Although deacons and other members of the Church are not able to celebrate the sacrament with a person who is sick, we can read Sacred Scripture and pray with and for those who are ill. Resources like the Book of Blessings also contain special blessings that can be celebrated by deacons or lay ministers. In the end, we want to be sure that we show a special care and concern for the sick, helping them to always experience God’s loving comfort made tangible through our acts of charity and service.

**Sale of church properties:**

Phase II of the properties to be sold will be on November 2021. To register to bid online before the auction begins, for more information on the properties, and terms and conditions of the sale, go directly to the auction website at [www.ASFbankruptcyauction.com](http://www.ASFbankruptcyauction.com). The auction company is SVN Auctions Services, LLC; 954-931-0592.

**Schedules:**

**Youth Altar Servers:**

4/23: 5:30 pm—Janeice Sanchez, Domico Villella, Madison Villella  
 4/24: 10:00 am—Dani Rae Zamora, Ryan Saavedra, Grant Baltazar  
 4/30: 5:30 pm—Anistacia Aragon, Robert Benitez, Elena Benitez

**Adult Altar Server:**

4/24: 8:00 a.m.—Steve Sanchez  
 5/1: 8:00 a.m.—Edward Gonzalez  
 5/8: 8:00 a.m.—Rey Aragon

**Lectors:**

4/23: 5:30 p.m.—Marianne Holmes  
 4/24: 8:00 a.m.—Rick Yzquierdo 10:00 a.m.—Dustin Duenas  
 4/30: 5:30 p.m.—Natalie Trujillo  
 5/1: 8:00 a.m.—Erica Chavez 10:00 a.m.—Tanya Maldonado

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

4/23: 5:30—Natalie Trujillo 4/24: 8:00—Eileen Chavez  
 4/24: 10:00—John Duran



If you or someone you know has had an abortion, be assured that it is never too late to seek God’s forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Additionally, other confidential, compassionate help is available.

Si personalmente o alguien que conoce tuvo un aborto, “tenga la seguridad de que nunca es demasiado tarde para buscar el perdón de Dios en el sacramento de la Reconciliación”. Además, se encuentra disponible otro tipo de ayuda compasiva confidencial.

**ARCHDIOCESE WORKSHOP—ABUSE AWARENESS**

**IMPORTANT:** For several years we have urged all of our members who are in a ministry to take the class on “Protecting God’s Children”. Many have not done so. The Archdiocese of Santa Fe mandates that this class be taken. This is for your protection. Please do not let this next year go by without taking this class. If you feel that there is a reason that you are unable or care to take the class, please call the office; otherwise we expect you to comply. It takes only 45 minutes to take the class online. In order to be in a ministry or volunteer in any capacity, this is mandatory.

**OUR PARISH**



Telephone : (505) 865-7495. Meetings are held every 4th Thursday of the month unless otherwise noted. Food distribution is on Wednesday beginning at 10:00 and Saturday beginning at 11:00. Requests must be called in before the days of distribution. Phone messages are accessed daily and responded to within 24 hours.

The Knights of Columbus meet on the 1st Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. They start by praying the Rosary at 6:30. If you are interested in joining the Knights of Columbus Padre Pio Council 10629 in Tome, please contact Domico Villella, at (505) 550-0755.

Divine Mercy meets each Tuesday after Daily Mass in the Classroom. Join them in praying the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy.

For anyone interested in joining the Legion of Mary, we meet on Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. The Legion of Mary would like to have the Pilgrim Virgin visit the homes of parishioners or anyone interested in having her for a week. Please contact Cecilia at 859-0547 or 864-7182 or Clara at 865-8488.

The Youth Choir practice is on the last two Wednesdays of the month. Practice will be at 6:30 p.m. in the Church.



**First Friday Blessed Sacrament Devotions. Hours for Exposition—After 9:00 am Mass until Noon. Holy Hour at 11:00 a.m. Benediction at 12:00 noon. There will be a sign-up sheet at the front entrance of the church. Please sign up early. Someone must be present at all times during the Exposition.**