



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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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 every First Friday after 9:00 a.m.

Holy Hour at 5:00 pm followed by Benediction at 6:00 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: Martha Sanchez

Lectors: Theresa Johnson

Extraordinary Ministers
of the Eucharist

Eucharist to Homebound: Anthony Furnari

Youth Altar Servers: Mary Fresquez

Adult Altar Servers: Marianne Holmes

Music 5:30 p.m.: Lawrence Johnson

8:00 a.m.: Ron Vigil

10:00 a.m.: Cathy Jaramillo

10:00 a.m. (1st Sun) Angela Norman

Park: John Duran (Youth Choir)

Cemetery: Ramon Torres

SVDP: Flavio Perea

Flowers: Erica Chavez

Knights of Columbus: Angela Norman

Mayordomos: 5:30 p.m. David & Amanda Sanchez

8:00 a.m. Adrian & Maria Delgado

10:00 a.m. Marcos & Victoria Zamora


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.*

August 29, 2021
First Reading: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8
Psalm: 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5
Second Reading: James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27
Gospel: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS
 8/29: CCD/RCIA Registration in Parish Hall 9-12:00 noon
 9/1: Bible Study 6:30 p.m.
 9/2: Knights of Columbus 6:30 p.m.
 9/5: Catechist Commissioning & Blessing 10:00 a.m Mass
 9/5: CCD Classes Begin



Mon. Aug. 30 - No service

Tue. Aug. 31
 9:00 am +Ireneo Romero by M/M Dave Holmes
 For the US Military Past, Present & Future by Sandy Johnson

Wed. Sep. 1
 9:00 am +Pete Garcia by the Family

Thu. Sep. 2
 9:00 am +Richard Schultz by M/M Dave Holmes

Fri. Sep. 3
 9:00 am +Aggie Gallegos (Birthday Blessings) by Mary Fresquez
 +Michelle Piro by Lisa Piro

Sat. Sep. 4
 5:30 pm +Deacon Lorenzo, +Larry & +Daniel Castillo & All the Faithful
 Departed by Gloria Castillo
 +Senaída & +Tomas Sanchez by M/M Higinio Romero

Sun. Sep. 5
 8:00 am +Carolina, +John David & +Thomas Montoya by Manuel Montoya
 +Frank Apodaca by Patsy Apodaca
 +Guadalupe Chavez by M/M Mario Chavez

10:00 am +Jose Rito & +Isidora Baca by the Family
 +Jose Ramon & +Teofilo Baca by the Family
 Horacio Benavidez (Birthday Blessings) & +Bobby Benavidez by
 Clara Jordan
 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, Jeff Baca, Michelle Baca, Antoinette Bencomo, Assunta Berry, Justin Beyerl, Elaine Bland, Jennie Brown, Jerry Buffington, Luga Calles, Gloria Castillo, Helen Chavez, Joseph Cook, Ernestine Cordova, Roselyn Cordova, Mary Crespín, Renee DeBaca, Ashley Echavarría, Flora Eylicio, Ernest Fresquez, Maria Garcia, Yolanda Gallegos, Patricia Gardner, Dolly Glass, Rene Gonzales, Joel Gutierrez, Isabel Jacquez, 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, Steve 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, Marcella Silva, James Sneed, William "Bill" Taylor, Angelica Torrez, Jose Luis Villa

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

Gabriel Project for August: Needed: clean and gently used infant and toddler clothing and equipment If you are able to help, please leave your donations at San Clemente Parish Office marked: Gabriel Project.

Aug 31 1:00 pm Oral/Dental Hygiene, Protection from infections
 For Zoom ID and Password for each class, contact Julie @ 505-850-4075.
Complements of San Clemente Gabriel Project: Attendees can receive a \$10 McDonalds gift card. Free child and adult masks. *Free infant and young children equipment and supplies.


Virtual Weekend September 25 & 26. Cost \$30.
www.abqsfec.org to register.
 Spanish Retreat October 30-31, 2021. 505-831-8152 to register.



Divorce Recovery Class 6-8 pm Fridays starting September 17, 2021 for 12 weeks at the Catholic Center, 4000 St. Joseph Pl NW, 87120. Call Jane to register or for more information (505) 688-8663 (walk-ins accepted). \$20 class fee. Christ desires that relationships broken through divorce/separation be healed of anger or bitterness and replaced with lasting peace and hope.

Collections:

8/22: Reg: \$1,537.00
 Loose: \$607.00
 Bldg. Fund: \$397.00 Assumption: \$5.00
 Catholic Charities: \$2.00 SVDP: \$127.00



Counters:

9/5: Melissa, Frances, Melanie
 9/12: Sandra, Norma, Mary Ann 9/19: Kristy, Mary Ann
 9/26: Leeanna, Sylvia, Andy 10/3: Melissa, Frances, Melanie
 10/10: Sandra, Norma, Mary Ann 10/17: Kristy, Mary Ann
 10/24: Leeanna, Sylvia, Andy 10/31: Melissa, Frances, Melanie

GIVE IT ALL BACK

Pop culture has given us a unique idea of the term justice. Justice, we often think, is about taking. Taking what's owed. Taking revenge. Taking what we deserve. This worldview tends to make mincemeat of our catholic Social teachings. Seeking the good of the poor, a call to community and participation, solidarity—on the face of it, in a society where everything must be earned and we are encouraged to hoard for ourselves whatever success we can achieve, these principles look a lot like highway robbery.

But when you remember the presence of an omnipotent, all-loving and all-merciful God, it turns our gunslinging sense of justice on its head. For how does justice inhabit the same universe as a God who is so quick to give and indeed to forgive?

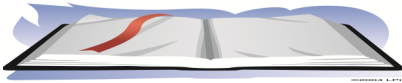
Well, very easily, when we remember Who exactly is the source of every good and perfect thing in this world. There is no law that cannot be traced back to the Word. And the Word saves our souls.

Is that justice? No, that is a gift. It is the reckless, indulgent gift of a father whose love is greater than His anger. What is justice in the Biblical sense?

The answer is simple. Look at your life. See the hours in your day? See your spouse, your kids, your grandkids? See the house they live in, the money in your wallet, the food in your fridge, the breath in your lungs?

Call it all your own, refusing to share any of it—that's robbery. Giving it all back to the One who gave it to you—that's justice.

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.



22ND Sunday in Ordinary Time

Albert Einstein said that the “true measure of intelligence is not knowledge but imagination.” Being a disciple of Jesus Christ requires a great deal of imagination. It is not enough to simply attend to facts, rules and rituals and consider the job done. Quite contrarily, the Gospels demand creativity, of trying to discern how to put flesh on the Beatitudes and properly serve God’s children. Jesus never doled out a top down agenda. Not once did he ever demand conformity over conversion or sacrifice over mercy. The Gospel is always about putting people in touch with their compassionate, forgiving, and unconditionally loving God and meeting them where they are.

For Jesus, it often meant breaking a few rules. Well respected and time-honored traditions had to be set aside in order to attend to what really mattered. God’s compassion, mercy and true conversion were always the trump cards. The story of the Good Samaritan, healing on the Sabbath, and bypassing of purification rituals all display this theme. Human beings can get too hung up on protocol and tradition. This is so much so that often preserving all of these things is of greater concern than the beggar knocking on our door or the sinner looking for mercy. It is no wonder, then, that we can easily become hypocritical. Many can see us on our knees in prayer while our true heart and actions, rooted in judgment and self-preservation, are hidden from others. It is a trap into which we can easily fall. Who cares how we live our lives as long as our hands are properly washed!

Here enters the need for imagination and the distinction of truly being a wise and intelligent person. It takes a good measure of creativity and a lot of guts to really be a doer of God’s word and not merely a hearer. Being a person who doesn’t just tell people about God but shows people God requires courage and ingenuity. That’s why people like St. Francis of Assisi and St. Teresa of Calcutta are timeless. Their genuineness speaks volumes generation to generation. It’s risky business taking the step to allow God into our hearts. Permitting God to release us from the grip of our evil thoughts, infidelity, greed, malice, sexual improprieties, licentiousness, envy, arrogance, folly, and the like takes courage. That’s why we prefer to spend our energy rearranging the future rather than take measures to secure a foundation that is most certainly crumbling.



“No sin or crime is greater than God’s mercy. The sacrifice of the Cross reveals that Christ’s greatest desire is to forgive those with a repentant heart.”

“Ningun pecado o crimen es mas grande que la misericordia de Dios. El sacrificio de la cruz revela que el mayor deseo de Cristo es perdonar a los que tienen un corazon arrepentido.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
“Death Penalty: Catholic Q&A



CCD/RCIA
Classes start
Sunday,
September 5th,
2021

Sale of church properties:

You may have already heard that properties are going up for Auction in September. We are in phase I of this sale and phase II will be in 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. The auction company is SVN Auctions Services, LLC; 954-931-0592.

Schedules:

Youth Altar Servers:

9/4: 5:30 p.m.—Lainey Racette, Ryan Saavedra, Ismael Otley Avila
9/5: 10:00 a.m.—Maurice Aragon, Madison Aragon, Zane Zamora
Mariangeli Aragon

Adult Altar Server:

9/5: 8:00 a.m.— Ricky Trujillo

Lectors

9/4: 5:30 p.m. — Theresa Moya
9/5: 8:00 a.m. — Ann Garcia
9/5: 10:00 a.m. — Vickie Zamora

Eucharistic Ministers:

9/4: 5:30 p.m.— Janet Torres, Marianne Holmes
9/5: 8:00 a.m.— Eileen Chavez, Ramon Torres
9/5: 10:00 a.m.— Ernest Gilbert, John Duran

ACA Update

Keep those pledges coming. Thank you parishioners for your response. We have four more months to reach our pledge. We will get there with your help.



ARCHDIOCESE WORKSHOP—ABUSE AWARENESS

IMPORTANT: For two 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 Domonic Villella, at (505) 550-0755.

Divine Mercy meets each Thursday 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 Parish Hall. Due to Covid-19 this is temporarily suspended.



Blessed Sacrament Devotions will resume at a later date. Please call the office for updates. Thank you.