

**TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME**

August 16, 2026



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Saturday & Sunday Masses

Weekday Masses

* Monday—Friday: 7:30AM

* Saturday: 8AM

Saturday Vigil Masses

* Vigil Mass : 4:00PM

Sunday Masses

* Spanish Mass: 9:00AM

* English Mass: 11:00AM

* English Mass: 5:00PM

Confessions: Saturday: 3:00PM-4:00PM

Sunday: 30 minutes before all Masses



Celebration of Sacraments

Baptism: Parents may register their child for baptism at the parish office. Please turn in necessary paperwork **two (2) weeks prior to class**. Baptism Classes will be the 2nd Tuesday of every month. Baptisms are done on the fourth Sunday of the Month.

Marriage: Contact Parish Priest/Office at least **six (6) months** before the proposed wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick: Contact the Parish Priest /Office when a parishioner is seriously ill and/or is scheduled for major surgery. Emergency phone-505-604-9778.

Sunday Collection for

August 9, 2026: \$4,227.00

(Envelopes: \$3,266.00 Loose: \$961.00)

Envelopes used: 101

Guadalupita Mission: \$436.00

Chacon Mission: \$125.00

Thank you for your generosity!

God Bless You!

Altar Society:

August 17, 2026

Yvonne Montoya/Margie Romero

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Marriage Weekend Program

Sept. 25-27, 2026

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FOR MORE INFORMATION.

Immaculate Conception Parish



DEADLINE FOR THE BULLETIN IS: TUESDAY AT 12 PM IN WRITING, PLEASE!

SATURDAY— August 15**4PM Vigil Mass Santiago Mass** Celebrant: Fr. Dale

- + Alvin J. Vasquez (Anniv) /by Rita & family
- * Prayers for a successful surgery for Lenae Casados Garcia /by Sally Valdez & family

SUNDAY—August 16 TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**9AM Mass** Celebrant: Fr. Dale

- + Deacon Ray Cordova, Steven & Gabrielle Cordova /by Evelyn
- + Martin, Phillip & Margarito Romero /by Joe & Margaret
- + Alvin Vasquez (Anniv) /by family

11AM Mass Celebrant: Fr. Dale

- + Samuel Romero /by family
- * Willie Abeyta (B-day), + Loretta, William & George Abeyta (Anniv) /by Inez
- + Mary & Joe Lucero (Anniv), Celia Madrid & Effie Maes /by Inez
- * Addie Maestas, Evelyn Sanchez & Lynn Lujan /by Inez

5PM Mass Celebrant: Fr. Dale**People of the Parish**

- + Emenencia, Manuel C. Romo & Manuel Romo Sr. /by Evelyn
- * For the health of Raymond Pacheco /by Liz & Robert DeHerrera

Ez 24:15-23 (Ps) Dt 32:18-21 Mt 19:16-22**MONDAY— August 17****7:30AM Mass****Ez 24:15-23 (Ps) Dt 32:18-21 Mt 19:16-22****TUESDAY— August 18****7:30AM Mass**

- + Mr/Mrs Jessie Barela, Mr/Mrs Jose Archuleta, Angelina Archuleta /by Ivy Rae & MaryAnn

Ez 28:1-10 (Ps) Dt 32:26-28,30,35c-36b Mt 19:23-30**WEDNESDAY — August 19 Saint John Eudes, Priest****7:30AM Mass**

- + Phillip Bustos & special intention /by Richard & Marsha
- + Holy Souls in Purgatory & forgotten ones

Ez 34:1-11 Ps 23:1-6 Mt 20:1-16**THURSDAY— August 20 Saint Bernard, Abbot, Doctor of the Church****7:30am Mass****Ez 36:23-28 Ps 51:12-15,18-19 Mt 22:1-14****FRIDAY— August 21 Saint Pius X, Pope****7:30am Mass**

- * Matthew Cockrell (B-day), Bobby & Matthews special intentions

Ez 37:1-14 Ps 107:2-9 Mt 22:34-40**SATURDAY— August 22 The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary****8am Mass****Ez 43:1-7ab Ps 85:9ab,10-14 Mt 23:1-12****SATURDAY— August 22****4PM Vigil Mass Holman Mass** Celebrant: Fr. Dale

- + Sarah E. Martinez (Anniv) /by husband, daughters & family
 - * In Honor of Immaculate Heart of Mary for all the donors & helpers with the yard sale /by David & Barbara Kuehl
 - + In Honor of St. Joseph for Ramon Olivas /by David & Barbara
- SUNDAY—August 23 TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
- 9AM Mass** Celebrant: Fr. Dale
- + In Honor of Sacred Heart for Holy Souls in Purgatory /by David & Barbara Kuehl
 - + Martin, Phillip & Margarito Romero /by Joe & Margaret
 - + Richard Vasquez Jr., Max Valdez Jr. & Benjie Torres /by Jimmy & Lucille Sandoval

11AM Mass Celebrant: Fr. Dale

- + Manuelita Bernal & Lupita Olivas /by Evelyn Romo

5PM Mass Celebrant: Fr. Dale**People of the Parish****Is 22:19-23 Ps 138:1-3,6,8 Rom 11:33-36 Mt 16:13-20****Registration for Catechism and Confirmation**

It's that time of the year to start registering your children for the upcoming Catechism and Confirmation classes. Classes will begin in September. You can pick up a registration form in the lobby of the Church or at the Parish Office.

Important Dates for Religious Education

Sunday, August 30th—deadline for registration. (Please have all registration forms turned in no later than August 30th).

Sunday, August 30th—Mandatory Orientation for all parents & students. (Catechism 1:00 - 2:30pm and Confirmation 3:00-4:30pm). The meetings will be in the Holy Family Center (Portables behind the Pastoral Center).

Tuesday, September 8th—1st day of Catechism

Monday, September 14th—1st day of Confirmation

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

If anyone is looking to refresh their faith or needing any of their sacraments you may register at the Parish Office. The 1st day of OCIA will begin on Tuesday, September 15th at 6pm.

UPCOMING MISSION MASSES: As of Saturday, May 2nd, Saturday 4pm Mass will NOT be at St. Gertrude but in the Missions at 4pm. (Confessions @ 3:30)

Holman Mass	La Cueva Mass	Monte Aplanado Funcion
Immac. Heart of Mary	San Rafael	Santo Niño de Atocha
August 22nd	August 29th	September 5th
4pm	4pm	4pm

Adoration Chapel: The Chapel is now open 24 hours. Anyone who wants to devote an hour of adoration please contact Deacon Eloy at 505-948-6887 or Ellen Hagaman 505-504-4772.

Bible Study: As of August 16th, Bible Study will be every Sunday after the 5pm Mass. Everyone Welcome.

Cemetery Plots: All plots need to be prearranged by Mission Mayordomos or the Church Office. Also please clean & maintain your family member's plot.

Charitable Giving: Charitable Giving is on Mondays from 10-12 & 1-3pm.

Commodities: The Commodities will be distributed on Tuesday, August 18th. [USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender]

Legion of Mary: The Legion of Mary meets every Tuesday at 9am in the Pastoral Center. If you're interested in joining the Legion please come and see what it's all about.

Men's Group: Men's group meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month in the Chapel at 7pm.

Music Ministry: The Music Ministry will meet every second Wednesday of the month at 6pm in the Parish Hall. All Choir members please plan to attend. All interested in music ministry are welcome.

St. Gertrude Yard Sale: St. Gertrude's Yard Sale will be every Friday at the Parish Hall. If you have any questions please contact Helen DeHerrera at 575-387-5702.

The Sacred Heart of Jesus Society will be praying the rosary at 8:30 on the first Sunday of every month.

WINGS (Women In Need of God): The Wings group meets every Friday at 10am in the Pastoral Center for faith and fellowship. Please join us.

Franciscan Meditation

Take responsibility for your words -- Say less. Mean more.
A Franciscan life isn't only about what we do. It's also about what we release into the world.

Words leave a mark -- A few careless words can stay with someone for years. A thoughtful word can give someone strength they didn't know they needed. So, take responsibility for what you say.
St Francis chose simplicity and perhaps our words need some of that simplicity too.

Say what is true.
Say what is necessary.
Say it with love.

Before you speak, pause.

Will these words bring peace?
Will they build up?
Would I still say them if I were standing before God?
We cannot control the words of others. But we can take responsibility for the words that pass through us.

Let your words leave people with more dignity, more courage, and more peace than they had before they met you.
That's a Franciscan way of speaking.
Pax et Bonum.



Ministry Schedule

August 22nd 4pm
HOLMAN MASS

August 23rd 9am

Lectors: Sr. Esperanza

Choir: Santa Maria

Server:

EU Ministers: Dcn Eloy, Leo & Anabelle Pacheco

Mayordomos: Mike & Ann Lewitke

August 23rd 11am

Lector: Fidel Trujillo Jr.

Choir: San Manuel

Server:

EU Ministers: Dcn Clarence, Joann Martinez & David Rael

Mayordomos: Paul & Annette Velasquez

August 23rd 5pm

Lector: Anita Roybal

Choir: St. Therese

Server:

EU Ministers: Dcn Eloy

Mayordomos: Jesus & Rhonda Baquera



*"Protecting the unborn. . .
Supporting the expectant mother."*

Please pray for Baby Clorinda Casados, that God gives her comfort & healing and pray for peace for her family.

2026 Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA)

UPDATE:

St. Gertrude Goal: \$17,000.00

Pledged to date: \$17,512.00

Paid as of 07/31/26: \$16,448.00

of Participating Families: 66

If you haven't done your Annual Catholic Appeal yet, now is the perfect time to get it in.
This year our goal is \$17,000.

We continue to ask you to pray over the pledge for the 2026 ACA Campaign "Fearless in Faith, Boundless in Love". You can mail it in or drop it off at the Parish Office.

Save The Date

This year the Holman Mission Yard Sale (Immaculate Heart of Mary Mission) will be held on the second week of September. This year we will hold the sale for two days. Friday & Saturday, September 11th and 12th!

Please spread the word!

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**If you or any family member are in need
of prayer and would like to get on the
Parish Prayer list please call the office at
575-387-2336 so we can add you.
Thank you!!**

Mandatory Meetings for Confirmation and Catechism

Mandatory Parent/Student Meetings for Catechism and Confirmation are scheduled for Sunday, August 30, 2026.

**** Catechism Student & Parent Meeting: 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. at the Holy Family Center (Portables behind the St. Gertrude's Pastoral Center).**

**** Confirmation I and Confirmation II Parent & Student Meeting: 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Holy Family Center.**

Catechism classes will begin on Tuesday, Sept. 8, 2026 at 3:45 p.m. at the Mora Independent Schools.

Confirmation I and Confirmation II classes will begin on Monday, Sept. 14, 2026 at 6 p.m. at the Holy Family Center.

Registration forms are available at the entrance of the church or at the Parish Office.

Registration forms for Catechism and Confirmation must be turned in no later than Sunday, August 30, 2026.