

**THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD
(CHRISTMAS)
December 25, 2022**



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Saturday & Sunday Masses

Weekday Masses

- * Monday—Friday: 7:30AM & 12:00 Noon
- * Saturday: 8AM

Saturday Vigil Masses

- * St. Gertrude's Missions: 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. Classes are on the 1st Friday of the month. Baptisms are done on the first 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-505-835-0199

Sunday Collection for

December 18, 2022 : \$3,877.00
(Envelopes:\$3,226.00 Loose: \$651.00)
Envelopes used: 88

Thank you for your generosity! God Bless You!

Altar Society:

December 26, 2022
Amy Duran & Mae Olivas



Holy Hour
Come spend time in
the presence of Jesus.

Welcome the New Year with a Holy Hour

Come give thanks and pray for blessings for the New Year on New Years Eve, Saturday, December 31 from 11pm to New Year's Day at midnight.

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

**The Office will be closed December 26th until
January 2nd. Have a Merry Christmas and a
Prosperous New Year!!**

SATURDAY— December 24 Vigil Mass

6PM Mass Celebrant Fr. Paul Grala

- + Devin Candelaria /by Grandma Viola
- + Larry Johnson, Johnny Johnson & Bengie Torres /by Edmond & Margie Romero
- + Soul of Lupita Montoya /by Sr. Mary Teresa

11PM Mass Celebrant Fr. Dale Craig

People of Our Parish

- + Thomas Sanchez Jr., Andy Padilla & Eddie Vigil /by Inez
 - + Beatrice Alcon, Adelina Medina, Ida Roper & Cathy Armijo * For the Health of Clara Maes/by Inez
- Is 62:1-5 Ps 89:4-5,16-17,27,29 Acts 13:16-17,22-25 Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25

SUNDAY—December 25 THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD (CHRISTMAS)

10AM Mass Celebrant Fr. Dale Craig

- + Ricardo & Mauricia Romo /by Nicanora, Donna & Albert
- + Deacon Ray Cordova (Christmas Present)
- + Leroy Salas
- + Gabrielle Cordova, Steven Cordova & Alfonsito Cordova
- + Ida Romero (B-day) /by Family
- + Richard Lucero (B-day), Mary & Joe Lucero /by Inez
- + Roy Juan Antonio Valdez /by Mom & Dad

Is 52:7-10 Ps 98:1-6 Heb 1:1-6 Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5,9-14

MONDAY— December 26 Saint Stephen, The First Martyr 7:30AM Mass

- + Gabrielle Cordova, Steven Cordova & Alfonsito Cordova
- + Soul of Lupita Montoya /by Sr. Mary Teresa

12:00PM Mass

Acts 6:8-10;7:54-59 Ps 31:3cd-4,6-8b,16bc,17 Mt10:17-22

TUESDAY— December 27 Saint John, Apostle, Evangelist 7:30AM Mass

- + Gabrielle Cordova, Steven Cordova & Alfonsito Cordova
- + Roy Juan Antonio Valdez (Happy Heavenly Birthday) /by Mom & Dad

12:00PM Mass

1 Jn 1:1-4 Ps 97:1-2,5-6,11-12 Jn 20:1a,2-8

WEDNESDAY— December 28 The Holy Innocents, Martyrs 7:30AM Mass

- + Soul of Lupita Montoya /by Sr. Mary Teresa

12:00PM Mass

1 Jn 1:5—2:1 Ps 124:2-5,7b-8 Mt 2:13-18

THURSDAY — December 29 The Fifth Day Within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord; Saint Thomas Becket, Bishop, Martyr 7:30AM Mass

- * Bercy Espinoza /by Mary Calvert

12:00PM Mass

1 Jn 2:311 Ps 96:1-3,5-6 Lk 2:22-35

FRIDAY— December 30 The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph 7:30AM Mass

- + Soul of Lupita Montoya /by Sr. Mary Teresa

12:00PM Mass

Sir 3:2-6,12-14 or Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 Ps 128:1-5 Mt 2:13-15,19-23

SATURDAY— December 31 The Seventh Day Within the Octave of The Nativity of The Lord 8AM Mass

- + Bianca Oswald (B-day)

1 Jn 2:18-21 Ps 96:1-2,11-13 Jn 1:1-18



SATURDAY— December 31 Vigil Mass

4PM Mass Celebrant Fr. Paul Grala

- * To the Miraculous Infant Jesus of Prague for trust in God's love /by Eufrazio & Norma Vigil

SUNDAY—January 1 SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord

9AM Mass Celebrant Fr. Dale Craig

- + For the Soul of Thomas Manuel Sanchez /by Michael & Angelica
- + Deacon Ray Cordova, Steven Cordova & Alfonsito Cordova
- + Nick & Paul Hernandez & Felia Montoya /by Niza, Steve & Tami

11AM Mass

- + Sofia Serna (Anniv) /by Robert Serna

5PM Mass

Nm 6:22-27 Ps 67:2-3,5-6,8 Gal 4:4-7 Lk 2:16-21

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Are you a young adult between the ages of 18 and 35? Do you want to hang out with others around your age, have a lot of fun, and grow in your faith at the same time? If so, come join the missionary volunteers for our young adult nights! We meet every Tuesday in the blue room of the Pastoral Office and will have both board game nights and Bible Studies. Come join us!

Board Game Nights: From 7pm to 9pm on Tuesday 1/3, 1/17, 1/31 (Bring a game and snacks or a drink to share)

Bible Studies: From 7:30pm to 8:30pm on Tuesday 12/27, 1/10, and 1/24 (Bring a Bible, notebook and pen/pencil.)

Important Information

- + On Wednesday, December 28th, there will be a Community Holiday Dinner at the Senior Citizen Center from 4-7pm. There will be gifts for the children.
- + Please do not drop off any items for the yard sale. We don't have any storage space. The yard sale will be closed for the winter.

Adoration Chapel: The Chapel is now open. It will be open 24 hours. Anyone who wants to devote an hour of adoration please contact Deacon Eloy at 505-948-6887.

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 Monday's from 10-12 & 1-3pm..

Legion of Mary: Each of you are invited to grow in your faith. Join the Legion of Mary every Tuesday at 8:50am at the Pastoral Center.

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

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 meets every Thursday at 10am in the Pastoral Center.

We Pray for the Repose of the Soul of: Thomas Manuel Sanchez



First Confession-First Communion - There will be No Class December 27th and January 3rd.

Confirmation I & II: There will be No Class December 25th and January 1st.

Family of Faith: We are inviting all children in the Parish to participate in our **Nativity Play**. Interested children of ALL ages are invited to be a part of the stable animals. Also, mark your calendars now for an **Epiphany Celebration on the first week of January**.

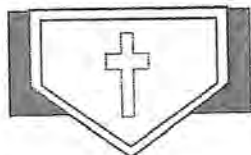
R.C.I.A There will be no RCIA class on Monday, December 26th. The next class will be on Monday, January 2nd.

2022 Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA) Update:

St. Gertrude Goal: \$12,273.00
Pledged to date: \$10,272.02
Paid as of 011/30/22: \$10,929.20
of Participating Families: 62

Ways to make your pledge or donation: Pledge/Donation forms are located at all entrances of the Church or in the Parish Office. We would like to thank you in advance for your generosity and continuous support.

Altar Society



The Altar Society is asking for volunteers to help clean the altar and wash linen. If you have any questions please call the office or contact Frances Martinez at 575-387-5535.

Ministry Schedule

December 31st 4pm

Lector: Rhonda Trambley
Choir: Nazario Montoya
Server: Marcus, Haley & Justina
EU Minister: Chris Kelly
Mavordomos: William & Monica Romero

January 1st 9am

Lector: Sr. Esperanza
Choir: Santa Maria
Server: Adult Servers
EU Minister: Evelyn Cordova
Mavordomos: Jason & Loretta DeHerrera

January 1st 11am

Lector: Angela Romero
Choir: San Manuel
Server: Gabriel & Cory
EU Minister: Clarence Montoya
Mavordomos: Garrick & Jessica Martinez

January 1st 5pm

Lector: Ted Sandoval
Choir: Youth Volunteers
Server: Ysabela & Nieves
EU Minister: Frances Martinez
Mavordomos: Michael & Tammy Alexander

Honoring St. Gertrude Seminarians

Please join us to honor our two Seminarians Mr. Robbie Kelly & Mr. Warren Roybal with a spiritual bouquet, which includes offering Masses, Adoration hours, rosaries, etc. There will be a dinner on Tuesday, December 27th at 5:30pm at the Parish Hall. Your welcome to bring a dish, dessert or drinks.

Thank You,

Legion of Mary



-Legion of Mary: A Call to Arms-
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Pray for the people on our parish prayer list.