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Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 9:00 AM-5:00 PM
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Mass Schedule

Daily Mass (Mon-Sat) 7:00 AM
Saturdays: 5:00 PM
Sundays: 8:00 AM & 12:30 PM
(Español)
9:30 AM, 11:00 AM, & 5:00 PM
(English)
Holy Days: 7:00 AM & 6:00 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 10:00—11:00 AM &
4:00—5:00 PM

Religious Education for Children

Saturdays 9:00 AM
Cuca Medina, Grades 1-6

Religious Education for the Youth

Sundays 9:00 AM
Joey Valenzuela, Grades 7-12

RCIA Adults-Tuesdays 6:30 PM

Children-Sunday 9:15 AM, Lucy Leyva

Adult Confirmation

Monday 7:00 PM Den. Louis Román

First Saturday Rosary 10:00 AM

St. Vincent De Paul Thursday

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM at Parish Hall

Marriage

Please call the office 6 months in
advance for preparation

Secular Franciscan Order (Spanish)

Second Sunday of the Month
1:00 PM in the Conference Room

Bingo

Thursday, Friday & Sunday 7:00
P.M. at Parish Hall

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2019

ST. GENEVIEVE CHURCH

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ST. GENEVIEVE'S MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Saint Genevieve Church is to increase the awareness of Christ's presence in our homes and community. We are dedicated to helping those in need of spiritual and material assistance and we encourage all people to fully utilize their gifts in service to others. Our ultimate goal is to draw all people towards holiness and a closer relationship with God.

31st Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME



When he reached the place,
Jesus looked up and said,
"Zacchaeus, come down
quickly, for today I must stay at
your house." And he came
down quickly and received him
with joy. When they all saw this,
they began to grumble, saying,
"He has gone to stay at the
house of a sinner." - Lk 19:5-7

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF November 2-9, 2019

Saturday (2nd)

5:00 PM John Valencia-For Healing
†Michael Rede, †Martin Rede & Steven Rede
by John Rede

Sunday (3rd) 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM In thanksgiving for Healing & Health & Family
by Francisco Venegas
9:30 AM
11:00 AM †Carlos Sanchez, Jr. by Sanchez & Rodriguez Family
12:30 PM Parishioners by Pastor
5:00 PM †Fr. Ronald J. Burke-1st Anniversary
by Grandma & William

Monday (4th) St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

7:00 AM †Priscilla Perales by Lorraine Gutierrez

Tuesday (5th)

7:00 AM †Debra Lois Barncastle
6:00 PM †Robert James by Dolores Fleming

Wednesday (6th)

7:00 AM Fr. Theo Okafor-Happy Birthday Blessings

Thursday (7th)

7:00 AM †Beatriz Serrano by Villani Family

Friday (8th)

7:00 AM †Ana James by Dolores Fleming

Saturday (9th) The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

7:00 AM †Antonio & †Carmen Alemán

*Let us pray for our faithfully departed parishioners
and their loved ones:*

†Martin Rede
†Lupe Jimenez
†Roberto Estrada

Benefit Concert for San Jose Catholic

San Jose Catholic Parish, 353 Josefine St., La Mesa, NM presents an evening benefit concert with Marty Rotella, 3 time Grammy nominee singer, songwriter, musician. Friday, November 15, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at their parish hall. Tickets \$10-can be purchased at the door. For information and tickets call 575-233-3191.

Message from Food for the Poor, Inc.

Food For The Poor wishes to thank you for the welcome you extended to Fr. Alfred Lopez on our recent visit to your parish. On behalf of our brothers and sisters throughout the Caribbean and Latin America, we thank you for your compassion and care. We are all blessed by and grateful for your generosity. -In Christ, The Food For The Poor Family.

In consideration for all attending Mass, and especially for individuals who suffer with allergies and other smell sensitivities, we kindly ask that strong colognes and perfumes be avoided.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick will be given on Tuesday, November 5, 2019 at 7:30 a.m. in the church.

Readings for the week of November 3, 2019

Sunday: Wis 11:22—12:2/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14
[cf. 1]/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10
Monday: Rom 11:29-36/Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36 [14c]/
Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday: Rom 12:5-16b/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9 [5a]/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday: Rom 14:7-12/Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14 [13]/
Lk 15:1-10
Friday: Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [cf. 2b]/
Lk 16:1-8
Saturday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8, 9 [5]/
1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22
Next Sunday: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 [15b]/
2 Thes 2:16—3:5/Lk 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38

PRAY FOR THE SICK IN OUR COMMUNITY

Alex Perez	Irma Jenkins	Mickey Marquez
Amada Gomez	Israel Jude Olivas	Ofelia Chaffino
Bobby Muñoz	Jacob Andazola	Olivia Reed
Colin Derenthal	Jose Jimenez	Pamela Holland
Consuelo Martinez	Jose Tapia	Patty Calzada
Cruzita Tapia	Lydia Lucero	Petra Gomez
Danny Garcia	Mari Morales	Ralph Merrill
David Montoya	Maria Louise Alirez	Terri Villa
Dominga Flores	Marshal Eric Olivas	Tony Robles
Fr. Valentine Jankowski	Mary Jane Duncan	William Beltran
Gabriel Castillo	Mary Jane Jimenez	
Ida Castillo	Matilde Evaro	

The prayer list has been updated. Names will remain on the prayer list for one month. Please contact the office by phone 524-9649, or email sgcchurch@qwestoffice.net to add or remove a name.

Sunday Collection for October 27, 2019

\$5,340.03

**Second collection (UIM/Projects 2019) was
\$659.93**

Thank you for your generosity!

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

November 3, 2019	St. Vincent de Paul
November 10, 2019	Archdiocese for Military Services
November 24, 2019	Campaign for Human Development & UIM/Projects 2019

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MINISTRY

Volunteers Needed During this Busy Season!

Have you been thinking about a way to help our brothers and sisters in need? St. Vincent de Paul Ministry helps on Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Parish Hall. Volunteers are needed to help put food boxes together, collect the food items at the church, and assist with paperwork. Please consider joining this very important ministry.

Open Enrollment for Medicare Advantage Plan

Irene Hernandez Sonora will be available to answer your Medicare questions every Friday at St. Genevieve Church in the conference room starting November 1 through 22, from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information or to set up a time, please call 915-833-7065.

PAN DE MUERTOS SALE

Pan de Muerto will be available after all Masses this weekend. \$10 per loaf.

ANNUAL SVDP TURKEY DRIVE**November 4-20, 2019**

The St. Vincent de Paul Ministry is in need of turkeys for Thanksgiving baskets for those in need. Canned goods and other non-perishable, not expired, food items are also being accepted. Please bring donations to the parish office. Thank you for helping to provide our brothers and sisters in Christ a delicious meal for Thanksgiving Day.

St. Genevieve's Columbarium Niches Sale**November 4-18, 2019**

Niches to entomb cremains of your loved ones are on sale for

\$800**Regular price is \$1,000**

- Niches measure one square foot
- May accommodate up to 4 urns.
- Payment plan available.

Don't miss out on this special offer!**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO FATHER THEO**

Wishing abundant blessings to Father Theo on his special day, November 6!

STAND SUNDAY

On November 10th churches around the world will be gathering with a shared vision, voice, and purpose to stand for the children in foster care. There are over 2,340 children in care in New Mexico, 149 children are in Dona Ana County and 39 children are freed for adoption. We do not have enough foster families or forever homes to care for all of these vulnerable children. Will you stand with churches across the nation for kids in foster care?

Foster Care Informational Meeting at St. Genevieve
November 14 at 5:30 p.m. Come to learn more about foster care, requirements, procedures, meet foster/adoptive parents, ask questions, and learn more about the Southern New Mexico Foster Adoption Ministry.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The parish council will meet on Tuesday, November 12 at 6:00 pm in the conference room. The following 12 individuals were elected to the parish council: Richard Archuleta, Sandra Beltran, Rita Brown, Gerald Byers, Thomas Castillo, Jaime Flores, John Frye, Lucy Leyva, Rita Meraz, Gilbert Perez, Ignacio Romero, and Frank Sanchez, Jr.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

If you have a few hours to spare between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Saturday, November 16th, we would really appreciate some help at our Gordita Plate Fundraiser. We especially need volunteers who have completed the Exempted Food Service Worker Training. This is the same training that volunteers who worked in the fiesta booths received. If you would like to volunteer, but have not had the training yet, the materials are available in the parish office. We acknowledge that time is so valuable to each of us, and that is why we are so appreciative of any time you may be able to give to our fundraiser.

St. Genevieve Gordita Plate Fundraiser**Saturday, November 16, 2019 at St. Genevieve Parish Hall**

Tickets for our upcoming Gordita Plate Fundraiser have been mailed out to our parishioners. Please return ticket money to the parish office or drop it in the collection basket in an envelope marked "Gordita Money". The fundraiser will take place at the parish hall from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tickets are \$7 each. Proceeds will benefit Projects 2019.

Donations Needed For Our Fundraiser

We kindly request donations of the following items to help reduce the expenses of this fundraiser: 20 gallons of Canola oil, 50 lbs. of grated cheese, 140 lbs. of 90-10 ground beef, bottled water, cases of Dr. Pepper and Sprite, and monetary donations to purchase paper goods. We truly appreciate the generosity of our parishioners. Thank you in advance for your support of this fundraiser.

Special Altar in Memory of our Loved Ones

During the month of November, we will have a special altar to honor the memory of our deceased loved ones. We invite you to bring a framed picture of our deceased loved ones to place at the altar. The names of loved ones written on the All Souls' Day donation envelopes will also be placed at the altar.

BLANKETS NEEDED

We will be collecting new and gently used blankets for the St. Vincent de Paul Ministry to give to those in need. Please bring items to the parish office. Thank you.

ST. GENEVIEVE'S CHURCH**Antiques & Collectibles****Show & Sale****St. Genevieve Parish Hall****November 30 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.****December 1 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.****Admission \$2****FOOD! * FUN!****For information call Annalie Rollins 575-522-8003****New Vendors Welcome!****2019 UNITED IN MINISTRY CAMPAIGN****Our Goal-\$62,292.70****Pledged-\$49,835.77****Paid-\$44,640.77****Number of Donors-116**

Thank you to all who have made a pledge to this year's UIM Campaign. We have about 2 months left to meet our goal. It's not too late to make a one time pledge. If you have not made a pledge or donated to UIM/Projects 2019, please help us. Every dollar counts. If we don't meet our goal, the parish pays the balance. Currently, we are \$12,456.93 below our goal. Any amount paid that goes above our goal is returned to the church in a rebate check. Last year, through your generosity and participation in our various fundraisers, we received \$16,278.22 in a rebate check.

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK**Sonora Insurance Group**

If you are interested in placing an advertisement for your business, please call

call 1-800-950-9952 ext. #267

Personal ads for loved ones can also be placed at this same number.