

St. Genevieve Catholic Church

Established in 1859

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31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SUNDAY OCTOBER 30, 2022

POOR

“Behold, half of my
possessions, Lord, I shall
give to the poor.”

LUKE 19:8

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.

DECLARACIÓN DE LA MISIÓN DE SANTA GENOVEVA

La misión de la Iglesia de Santa Genoveva es aumentar la conciencia de la presencia de Cristo en nuestros hogares y comunidad. Estamos dedicados a ayudar a aquellos que necesitan asistencia espiritual y material y alentamos a todas las personas a utilizar plenamente sus dones en el servicio a los demás. Nuestro objetivo final es atraer a todas las personas hacia la santidad y una relación más cercana con Dios.

Rev. Theophine Okafor
Parochial Administrator

Monsignor Juan Moreno

Deacon Louis Roman

Deacon Robert Gallo

Frank Sanchez, Business Manager

Maggie Candia, Bookkeeper

Sandra Guerrero, Secretary

Veronica Garcia, Secretary-DRE-Liturgy

Ofelia Narvaez, Housekeeper

Bertha Hernandez, Housekeeper

Albert Carrasco, Facility/Cemetery Mgr.

Mass Schedule / Horario de Misas

Daily Mass / Misa Diaria

Saturday / Sabado

5:00 PM

Sunday / Domingo

8:00 AM (Español)

9:30 AM

11:00 AM

5:00 PM

Holy Days / Días Santos

7:00 AM & 6:00 PM

Anointing of the Sick

First Tuesday of the Month

After 7:00 AM Mass

Unción de los Enfermos

Primer martes del Mes

Después de la misa de las 7:00 AM

First Friday – All Day Adoration

Holy Hour 5:00 PM (Spanish)

Mass 6:00 PM (Spanish)

Primer Viernes - Adoración todo el día

Hora Santa 5:00 PM (Español)

Misa de 6:00 PM (Español)

First Saturday Rosary

10:00 AM

Rosario del primer Sábado

10:00 AM

Pray the Rosary

6:30 AM Mon – Friday English

5:30 PM Mon – Thursday Bilingual

Rezar el Rosario

6:30 AM de lunes a viernes Inglés

5:30 PM de lunes a jueves bilingüe

Divine Mercy Chaplet Saturday

3:00 PM

Coronilla a la Divina Misericordia Sábado

3:00 PM

Secular Franciscan Order

Second Sunday of the Month

1:00 PM Conference Room

Orden Franciscano Secular

Segundo domingo del mes

1:00 PM Sala de conferencias

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 10:00 AM—11:00 AM

Saturday 4:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Sacramento de la Reconciliación

Sábado 10:00 AM—11:00 AM

Sábado 4:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Marriage & Quince Años:

Contact Parish Office for Information

Matrimonio y Quince Años:

Póngase en contacto con la oficina parroquial para obtener información

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

INTENCIONES PARA LA SEMANA

October 29—November 6/29 Octubre—6 Noviembre '22

Saturday 29th—Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00 AM Health of Angel Quiñones by Family

5:00 PM †Marcy Parra & †Keain Padilla

†Beatrice Peña by Joe & Socorro Garcia

†Ofelia Sanchez by Anna Fernandez

Sunday 30th—Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Para los Feligreses por Padre Theo

9:30 AM †Repose of the Soul Christopher Maduabuchi by Wendy & Jose Gonzalez

†Jimmy Guzman by Cristina Guzman

†Repose of the Soul of Lena Ontiveros by Elena Ortega

11:00 AM †Keain Padilla & †Marcy Parra by Lee Padilla

5:00PM For Parishioners by Fr. Theo

Monday 31st—Weekday

7:00 AM †Maria de Jesus Gomez, & †Alex Marquez by Myrna Gomez

Tuesday November 1st—All Saints

7:00 AM †Eternal Repose of the Soul of Barbara Mascareñas By Family

Wednesday 2nd—All Souls' Day

7:00 AM †Vincent Ortega by Michael & Roxanne Ortega

Thursday 3rd—Weekday

7:00 AM †Ann & †Thomas Reilly By Mike Reilly

Friday 4th—First Friday St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

7:00 AM †Juanita, †Steven, & †Marcos Infante

†Jack, †Ruth, & †Jim Wireman

†Fr. Narciso Rivera & †Fr. Ronald J. Burke

6:00 PM All Members of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday 5th—Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00 AM Happy Birthday Tom Wireman

5:00 PM †Raul Peña by Joe & Socorro Garcia

In Thanksgiving for all the Hard workers with intercession of San Martin Caballero by David

Sunday 6th—Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM †Luther Garcia by Mamma, Papa, Hermanos y Familia

9:30 AM †Repose of the Soul of Lena Ontiveros by Elena Ortega

†David Saenz & †Lucia Saenz by Rodriguez Family

11:00AM Happy Birthday Father Theo

† Fr. Rod Nichols, †Romolo & † Cathy Montoya by Cecilia Montoya

5:00PM For Parishioners by Fr. Theo

**Sanctuary Lamp for the Month of October
For the Repose Soul of Eloy H. Montano Jr.
Altar Bread & Wine for the Month of October
Health of Isidro Garcia by Sister Delia**

SUNDAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING:

But you have mercy on all, because you can do all things;
and you overlook people's sins that they may repent.
For you love all things that are
and loathe nothing that you have made. (Wis 11:23-24)

PSALM:

I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God. (Ps 145)

SECOND READING:

We always pray for you, ...
that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you,
and you in him,
in accord with the grace of our God and Lord Jesus
Christ. (2 Thes 1:11-12)

GOSPEL:

"Today salvation has come to this house
because this man too is a descendant of Abraham.
For the Son of Man has come to seek
and to save what was lost." (Lk 19:9-10)

Readings for the Week / Lecturas de la Semana

October 23-30, 2022 / 23-30 de Oct. de 2022

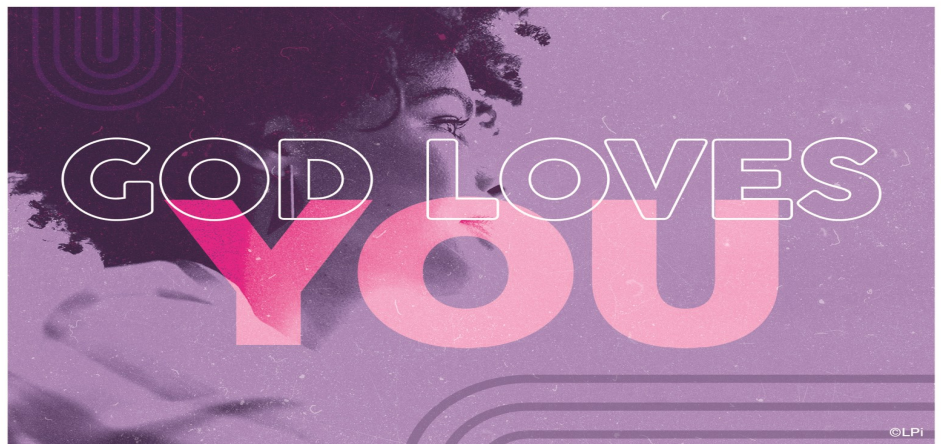
Sunday 10/30	Wis 11:22—12:2/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10
Monday 10/31	Phil 2:1-4/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/ Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday 11/01	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
Wednesday 11/02	Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, and 7b, 17-18, 20-21/Rom 5:17-21/Mt 11:25-30
Thursday 11/03	Phil 3:3-8a/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/ Lk 15:1-10
Friday 11/04	Phil 3:17—4:1/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Lk 16:1-8
Saturday 11/05	Phil 4:10-19/Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a and 9/Lk 16:9-15
Sunday 11/06	2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 [15b]/2 Thes 2:16—3:5/

GOSPEL MEDITATION

ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

Barry had a life sentence in prison for doing unthinkable crimes. He would often remark to the chaplain that he was an atheist and could not bring himself to believe in any "god." When the chaplain asked why, Barry quickly retorted that the book of Genesis speaks of God creating everything and feeling very good about it. God's creation of people and things is beautiful. Barry continued, "If there is a God who creates something and likes what He makes and that God is good, then how could He have created someone as evil as me?" The chaplain fell silent as tears welled up in his eyes. "God loves you too, Barry. The stuff that you did is another matter. God puts His image and likeness in each one of us, in our souls. How can God not love himself?" God cannot despise or hate anything or anyone. He made you. Life hurt you. He is always about unconditional love and mercy. Barry found a glimmer of hope that day and was touched by love.

Zacchaeus met love incarnate in Jesus. He knew there was something special about him, and he had to see Jesus for himself. Realizing and knowing



God's unconditional, penetrating love is a game-changer. Sinners don't repulse Jesus, he wants to eat with them! We can often find ourselves conflicted about how God sees us. We want to believe that He loves us, but other tapes playing in our heads convince us that this cannot be true. We carry our sins around like heavy sacks weighing on our shoulders. We are crippled.

God's divine blessing lives in each of our souls. It is our essential goodness, a free gift given to us by God. The beginnings of salvation's blessings are

discovered when we begin to understand who God is, who we are, and how we are to act relative to our brothers and sisters. We become more focused and courageous, eager to gather up all of the fragments of our lives and become whole. Zacchaeus, after meeting Jesus, finally knew who he was. He saw his sins and his potential for goodness as a blest child of God. When we allow God to meet us and touch us in such a profound way, we find what our selfishness has lost. We are on the road to salvation.

LIVE THE LITURGY

INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

God does not set things in motion or create something and then step back to attend to other matters. When God creates, God remains connected. God's continued and constant presence is necessary for everything we see to exist. Without God, life as we know it would cease. God's imperishable spirit is in all things! Being the author of love, God cannot despise or hate Himself. Therefore, God cannot despise or hate anything or anyone. How can God be repulsed by the image of Himself reflected in a human soul? Jesus goes to the homes of sinners. His very presence there is enough to change even the most conflicted and self-serving of hearts. The soul who realizes its utter dependency upon God is a soul who knows salvation. The beginnings of salvation's blessings are discovered when we understand who God is, who we are, and how we are to act relative to our brothers and sisters. We find what our selfishness lost.

MEDICARE OPEN ENROLLMENT

Fridays, November 4, 11, and 18
9:00 am—12:00 pm in the conference room
Contact Irene Hernandez-Sonora
915-833-7065 TTY 711

OCTOBER 24, 2022

1st Collection	\$8,723.86
Candles	\$95.81
2nd Collection	\$1,346.52
Online Collections	\$245.00
<i>October 10th to 16th</i>	
Next Second Collection	
<i>Nov. 5 & 6-St. Vincent De Paul</i>	

October 15, 2022

United In Ministry

# of Donors	98
Cash Paid	\$38,275.60
Total Pledge	\$43,669.25
Goal	\$53,000.00

Did you know, you can sponsor...

<i>Altar Bread & Wine (1 Wk)</i>	<i>\$10.00</i>
<i>Mass Intentions Week Day</i>	<i>\$10.00</i>
<i>Mass Intentions Weekend</i>	<i>\$15.00</i>
<i>Sanctuary Lamp (1 Month)</i>	<i>\$40.00</i>
<i>Prayer Request</i>	<i>Free</i>



Attention All Girls

Ages 6 to 18

Are you interested in joining a group which provides friendship, spiritual growth, leadership skills, activities, and community involvement?

Come join Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas

Our mission is to nurture personal and spiritual growth, to promote service to others and to foster an awareness and appreciation of diversity through a variety of suggested activities and experiences.

We meet on the first Saturday of each month following the 10 am Rosary at St. Genevieve's.

For further information contact
Rose Mary Medina roremarrymedina1@gmail.com
Dawn Gonzales dawgonza@nmsu.edu or
Cathy Lindsay clindsay@nmsu.edu



Come get your \$5.00
Sonic Coupon Cards
At the Parish Office!

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ALL SAINTS & ALL SOULS

All Saints Day then is a celebration of holiness, the working of the Holy Spirit bearing fruit in human beings throughout the world and throughout time. It is a remembrance of all the saints — the known and unknown, the canonized and the “blessed nobodies,” the deceased and the living, who serve as our companions and models in the journey of faith and in the body of Christ. Even more broadly, the working of the Spirit knows no confessional boundaries, and we can recognize holiness found in all people.

All Souls is a commemoration of the dead. It’s a funeral liturgy — based still in the hope and promise of the resurrection, but a mass or office for the dead, a communal commemoration of those who have died. It allows time for collective remembrance, sorrow, and hope during a time of year at least in the northern hemisphere when the natural world is dying and taking its winter rest.

Those souls we remember who have died are indeed among our saints, and we the saints on earth will join as souls in heaven, and as such these holy days are distinct celebrations yet one in the fullness of holiness and in the communal banquet of heaven and earth. As William How writes in his hymn:

*O blest communion, fellowship divine!
We feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
Yet all are one in Thee, for all are Thine.
Alleluia, Alleluia!*

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MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday November 1st All Saints Day is a Holy Day of Obligation. We will celebrate Mass at 7:00 am and 6:00 pm.

Wednesday November 2nd All Souls Day Mass will celebrate s at 7:00 am and 6:00 pm in the church. We will have Mass at 10:00 am in the cemetery.

Baptismal for November will be celebrated on Saturday the 19th at 10 am. Parents and Sponsors class is Saturday the 12th from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. All paperwork must be submitted no later than November 14th. St. Genevieve’s is not accepting online classes

Prayer Request

Julie Loera	Matt Ortiz
Alysa Rodriguez	Ignacio Romero
Lisa C.	Eli Gomez
Susie Watley	Ronnie Johnson
Erika Salcido	Ralph Robles
Sandra Ramirez	Joey Jaramillo
Selena Romero	Angel Quinones
Joline Rosen	Wesley Floyd
Adam Guerrero	Victor Banegas
Carol Lotzer	Joshua De La Rosa
Joshua Willhite	Mr. & Mrs. Morales
Terri Villa	Armanda Lucero
Jacob Villa	Socorro Garcia
Guadalupe Alvarez	Fr. Ruben Romero
Jameson Arellano	Margart Alvarado
Breana Romero	Tim Araujo
Michael Reyes	John
Gracy Garrigan	Luna Lopez
Everardo Meza	Kasey Romero



Join us for a
BIRTHDAY
party

For: Fr. Theo
When: Sunday November 6th
Where: St Genevieve’s Hall
1025 E. Las Cruces Ave
Time: 12:30 to 3:30 pm
Pot luck party. Please bring your favorite dish. Call Veronica at the parish office for more details.