

St. Genevieve Catholic Church

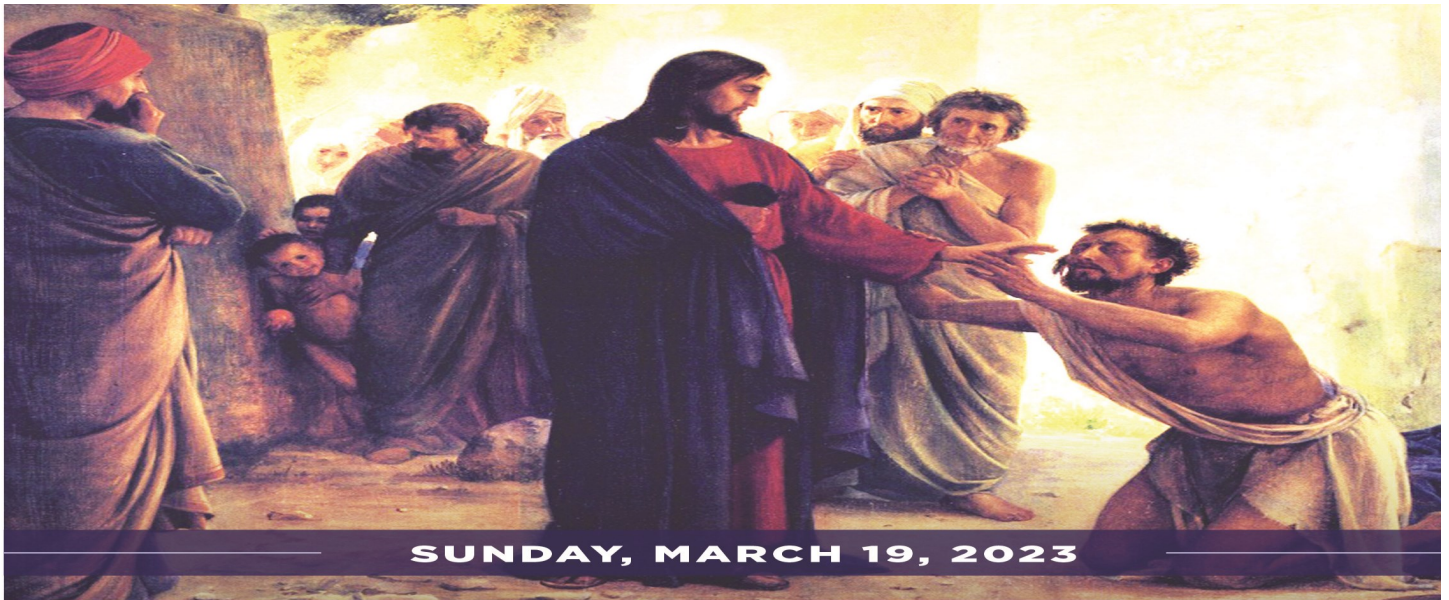
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SUNDAY, MARCH 19, 2023

4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

When Jesus heard that they had thrown him out, he found him and said, "Do you believe in the Son of Man?" - Jn 9:35

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.

Jose Valenciano, Facility Maintenance

Mass Schedule / Horario de Misas

Daily Mass / Misa Diaria

7:00 AM Monday to Saturday /Lunes ha Sabado

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

March 18 to 26, 2023

Saturday 18th—Lenten Weekday

7:00 AM Happy Birthday Patsy Guerra & Family

†Raul Arellano by Family

Happy Birthday Carmen Arellano by Family

5:00 PM For Parishioners by Fr. Theo

Sunday 19th—Fourth Sunday of Lent

8:00 AM †Juanita & †Ernesto Medrano por Familia

9:30 AM Living & Deceased Members of St. Genevieve

Knights of Columbus

†John B. Roman by Lou & Mary Helen Roman

Healing of Salvador Ramirez by Ryan Dailey &

Ramirez Family

11:00 AM †Carlos & Estella Sanchez by

Frank & Aurora Sanchez & Family

5:00 PM For Parishioners by Fr. Theo

Monday 20th—Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00 AM Happy Birthday Christopher Infante

†Ricardo Medina by Family

†Frances Gonzales Heavenly Birthday

by Sandra Guerrero

Tuesday 21st—Lenten Weekday

7:00 AM Deceased Members of the Roman Family

by Mary Pizzuti

†Gloria Guzman & †Hope Martinez by Sister

†Luis Eres by Wife, Romelia Eres

Wednesday 22nd—Lenten Weekday

7:00 AM †Frances N. Lucero by Raymond C. Lucero & Family

†Alice Talaski & Barbie Kanaski by Radford Family

†Loring & †Julio

Thursday 23rd—Lenten Weekday

†Tony Trujillo by Gloria Lithgow

Deceased Members of the Roman Family

by Mary Pizzuti

Friday 24th—Lenten Weekday

7:00 AM Happy Birthday Samuel Infante

†Frances Mascarenas by Family

†Loring & †Julio

Saturday 25th—The Annunciation of the Lord

7:00 AM For the Souls of Departed Family Members and

the Souls in Purgatory by Maria Ume

5:00 PM †Carmen H. Flores by Hijos

†Culbert Medina, Happy Birthday by Family

Sunday 26th—Fifth Sunday of Lent

8:00 AM †Ramon y †Pilar Hernandez por Hija

†Carolina Terrazas Tapia by Son

9:30 AM †Alicia Garcia by Daughters Margaret & Martha

†Francisco B. Rocha by Lou & Mary Helen Roman

11:00 AM For Parishioners by Fr. Theo

5:00 PM For Parishioners by Fr. Theo

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

Then Samuel, with the horn of oil in hand, anointed David in the presence of his brothers; and from that day on, the spirit of the LORD rushed upon David. (1 Sm 16:13)

Psalm:

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. (Ps 23)

Second Reading:

"Awake, O sleeper, and arise from the dead, and Christ will give you light." (Eph 5:14)

Gospel:

He spat on the ground and made clay with the saliva, and smeared the clay on his eyes, and said to him, "Go wash in the Pool of Siloam" — which means Sent — . So he went and washed, and came back able to see. (Jn 9:6-7)

Readings for the week of March 19, 2023

- Sunday:** 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38
- Monday:** 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
- Tuesday:** Ez 47:1-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 5:1-16
- Wednesday:** Is 49:8-15/Ps 145:8-9, 13cd 14, 17-18/Jn 5:17-30
- Thursday:** Ex 32:7-14/Ps 106:19-20, 21 22, 23/Jn 5:31-47
- Friday:** Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
- Saturday:** Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7 8a,8b-9, 10, 11/Heb 10:4-10 Lk 1:26-38
- Next Sunday:** Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7)/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

March 19, 2023/4th Sunday of Lent

God asks a rhetorical and slightly sarcastic question to Samuel, the prophet: "How long will you grieve for Saul, whom I have rejected as king of Israel?" Like us, Samuel is depressed that the old king failed. It's painful to admit that the old regime is done. But God won't let us wallow our pity-party forever. "I am sending you to Jesse of Bethlehem," announces the Lord, "for I have chosen my king from among his sons." Samuel finally goes and anoints the young David as the new king. And his kingdom is glorious; it's the golden age of Israel's earthly history.

How discouraging to see that my own selfish ego is no longer in charge! How long will I grieve that money, power, pleasure, and reputation have been rejected as the ruler of my life? How wonderful that God has a new future in store for you and me. He is

sending us to Bethlehem to anoint the new David as our king. His kingdom won't fail us. He'll slay our go-liaths, unite our dispersed energies, and build a Temple where God himself will dwell.

So how long will you grieve? How long?

— Father John Muir



Sanctuary Lamp for the Month of March

† Kel Valencia Love Mom & Al

Altar Bread & Wine for

Last Two Weeks of March

Health of Isidro Garcia, Jack & Hope Merk

By Delia Narvaez



Upcoming LENTEN EVENTS Holy Week

Mass Schedule

- **Wednesdays @ Noon Stations of the Cross**
- **Friday's @ 6:15 AM & 6:00 PM Stations of the Cross**
- **Monday March 20th thru Thursday March 23rd, Lenten Mission 6:00 to 7:00 pm in the church.**
- **Friday, March 24th, Lenten Penance Service at 6:30 pm in the church.**
- **Tuesday, March 28th, Chrism Mass at 5:30pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary**
- **HOLY WEEK 7:00 AM MASS ONLY MONDAY, TUESDAY, AND WEDNESDAY.**
- **Thursday, April 6th, HOLY THURSDAY The Lords Supper 7:00 pm Mass with the Alter of Repose till midnight.**
- **Friday, April 7th, GOOD FRIDAY Stations of the Crosses at 4:00 pm in the Cemetery Good Friday Mass at 6:00 pm**
- **Saturday, April 8th, HOLY SATURDAY NO 7:00 AM OR 5:00 PM MASS NO CONFESSIONS Easter Vigil Mass at 8:00pm**
- **Sunday, April 9th, EASTER Regular Mass Schedule**

March 5, 2023 CORRECTION

1st Collection	\$ 7893.98
2nd Collection-SVDP	\$ 2851.94
Candles	\$ 95.03
Online Collections Feb 27-3/5	\$ 190.00

March 12, 2023

1st Collection	\$ 8802.90
2nd Collection-UIM/Projects 23	\$ 1225.95
Candles	\$ 66.21
Online Collections Mar 6-12	\$ 185.00

Up coming Collections

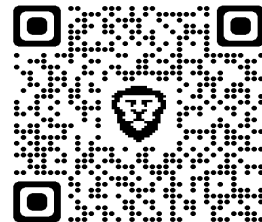
Mar. 19-Catholic Relief Services

Did you know, you can sponsor...

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

Please consider online giving

Our parish is grateful for your continued support at this time. Thank you!



Pray, Play, And Praise Youth Night

Youth 6-12th grade

Where: Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church

3600 Paroquia St., Las Cruces, NM 88001

When: March 31 Mass @5:30 Time:5:30-9:30

Join Us for Dinner,
Games, And Fellowship!

Contact: Isabel Lempke via

Phone: 575-636-3365

Email: Isabel.lempke@gmail.com

Instagram: [dolc.youthnights](https://www.instagram.com/dolc.youthnights)

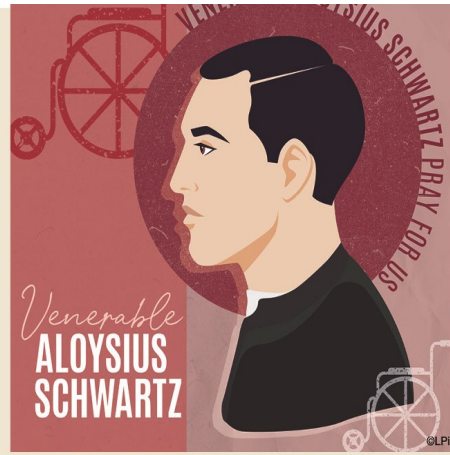
RSVP:

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Prayer Request

Guadalupe Alvarez	Rose Mary Leyva
Mary Ann Benavidez	Julie Loera
Modesta Benavidez	Everardo Jr. Lopez
Bishop Jose Mukala	Carol Lotzer
Lisa C.	Margarito Lucero
Sebastian Casaus	Richard Lucero Jr.
Ciprano Castillo	Jane Madrid
Stevie Chavez	J. Manuel Martinez
Joshua De La Rosa	Jimmy Ray Martinez
Erika Delgado	Tammy Martinez
Jeanette Ferrales	Moreno Family
Wesley Floyd	Jose Moreno
Theresa Fresquez	Dolores Nevarez
Emanuel Frieze	Sabrina Padilla
Micaela Frieze	Gilbert Peña
Frieze Family	Maria Piña
Riley Garcia	Sandra Ramirez
Joshua Gonzales-	Virginia Rios
Willhite	Gregorio Robles
Pete Gonzales	Ralph Robles
Raul Granados	Rosales Family
Corine Griego	Joline Rosen
Adam Guerrero	Grayson Saenz
Sandra Guerrero	Alejandro Salas
Rachel Hecker	Erika Salcido
Sylvester Hernandez	David / Veronica Soto
Alfonso Holguin	Marc Tellez
Otilia Jaquez	Patricia Tellez
Joey Jaramillo	Two Children Unborn
Ronnie Johnson	Mia Velasquez
Silas Kelly	Raphael Via
Abel Lara	Nellie R. Vigil



Saint of the week

Venerable Aloysius Schwartz (Father Al) spent his life embracing poverty, building hospitals, and supporting orphans in war-torn Korea, the Philippines, and the Americas. His legacy lives on through the religious orders he founded — the Sisters of Mary and the Brothers of Christ.

Prayer

Prayer for Venerable Aloysius Schwartz's intercession

Almighty, ever-living God, giver of good gifts, You have filled Msgr. Al with an ardent love for You and for souls. You have inspired him to dedicate his life to relieve the suffering of the orphans, abandoned, the sick and poor, especially the youth, which he did with all humility and courage until the end of his life. May his holy life of love and service to the poor be recognized by the Church through his beatification and canonization.

For Your honor and glory, we pray that the life of Msgr. Al. be an inspiration for us in striving for perfection in the love of God and service to others. I ask You to bestow upon me, through the intercession of Fr. Al (your intention).

I ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, and the maternal aid of Mary, the Virgin of the Poor.

Amen.



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