

St. Genevieve Catholic Church

Established in 1859

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Office Hours

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15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"A man fell victim to robbers as he went down from Jerusalem to Jericho. They stripped and beat him and went off leaving him half-dead. A priest happened to be going down that road, but when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight." - Lk 10:30b-31, 33

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SUNDAY JULY 13, 2025

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

Deacon Steve Apodaca

Frank Sanchez, Business Manager

Maggie Candia, Bookkeeper

Veronica Garcia, Admin Assistant/
Liturgy Coordinator

Irene Esparza, Secretary

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

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

July 12 to 20, 2025

Saturday July 12—Weekday

7:00 AM For all parishioners by Father Theo

5:00 PM †Reyes Gonzales by Gonzales family

†Richard Legarreta by Victor & Bernice Eres

†John Beuyukian by Wife & Son

†St. Anthony & St. Jude-Birthday & Thanksgiving

Sunday July 13—Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM †Fred Estrada by Sal

9:30 AM †Robert Ramirez by family

†Benjamin F. and †Estefana Garcia by Teresa Garcia

11:00 AM †Kitty Romero by Guy & Carla Floyd

5:00 PM For all parishioners by Father Theo

Monday July 14—Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

7:00 AM †For the Poor Souls in Purgatory by Antonia Bencomo

†Rebecca Castillo by Bernadette

†Gwen, †Ann, & †Thomas Reilly and

All the Holy Souls in Purgatory by Mike Reilly

Happy Birthday Jorge Chavez (Living) by Mom

Tuesday July 15—St. Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor

7:00 AM †Rafael R. Robles by Family

†Louie & †Molly Figueroa & †Missy Corens

by Nancy Holguin

†Manuel & †Maria Montoya by Emma Galvan

Wednesday July 16—Weekday

7:00 AM For parishioners by Father Theo

Thursday July 17—Weekday

7:00 AM For parishioners by Father Theo

Friday July 18—Weekday

7:00 AM †Alfredo B. Tirre by Victor Eres

†Joe T. Hernandez by Hernandez Family

†Tony & †Letha Trujillo by Gloria Lithgow

Saturday July 19—Weekday

7:00 AM For all parishioners by Father Theo

5:00 PM For the Living & Deceased Members of the

St. Genevieve Knights of Columbus

†Reyes Gonzales by Gonzales family

†Antonio Yañez by Socorro & Joe Garcia

†John Beuyukian by Wife & Son

Sunday July 20—Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

†Ruben Rodriguez Jr. por Familia

9:30 AM †Hermelinda Silva by Husband Celso & Family

Happy Birthday Diana Infante (Living)

11:00 AM †Bonifacio M. Sanchez Jr. & †Abraham M. Sanchez

by Frank & Aurora Sanchez & Family

†Cuca Gutierrez Gonzales by Agnes & sons

5:00 PM For all parishioners by Father Theo

†Alberto Carrasco by Parents

Sanctuary Lamp for the Month of July

In Loving Memory of Arturo C. & Josephina O. Galceran

by Rudy & Liz Alvarez

Altar Bread for July

In Memory of Frances & Claudio Medina by Roberto & Ada Medina

Altar Wine for July

In Memory of the Departed Souls of the Quezada Family by Family



Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

July 13, 2025/15th Sunday in Ordinary Time Luke 10:25-37

I used to be a bad neighbor. I'd get wrapped up in my life and ignore those around me. Then I found sage advice from Benjamin Franklin to this effect: to be a better neighbor, ask someone to do a favor for you. It's counterintuitive, isn't it? Tell strangers that I need their help? Yuck. I'll risk looking needy. Worse, I'll be indebted to them. But I tried it, and it works like a charm. Recently I asked my neighbor Alan for a hacksaw, and Inga for an egg. They kindly obliged, and our friendship is growing.

This week we hear a scribe of the law cynically ask Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" (Luke 10:29). Like him, we prefer to keep the list of our "neighbors" as short as possible. It requires less interruption and inconvenience. But when Jesus tells the parable of the Good Samaritan, he exposes the lonely, cold-heartedness tendency of the scribe's (and our) heart. My "neighbor" is anyone I encounter who manifests a concrete need. There isn't time to require any other credential because human need opens us to the happy reciprocity which is love.

Jesus' words challenge us this week to ask a neighbor for help in some small way. How marvelous that God himself shows us how. He moves into our world and asks us to love Him with small deeds of love. Maybe that's where Ben Franklin got the idea.

— Father John Muir

JUNE 29, 2025

1st Collection	\$7,260.53
2nd Collection-Peter's Pence	\$ 911.34
Candles	\$ 164.05
WeShare June 23 to 29, 2025	\$ 180.00

JULY 6, 2025

1st Collection	\$7,945.84
2nd Collection-St. Vincent De Paul	\$2,366.88
Candles	\$ 138.00
WeShare June 30 to July 6, 2025	\$ 550.00

Upcoming Second Collection

July 06, 2025	St. Vincent de Paul
July 13, 2025	Good Shepherd
July 20, 2025	UIM/Church Projects

Did you know, you can sponsor...

Mass Intentions Week Day	\$10.00
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Please consider online giving

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For questions in complying with these requirements,

please contact our

Safe Environment Coordinator,

Mary Frances Garcia at mgarcia@rcdlc.org

Prayer

Lord, let me know when it is wise to help.

Mission for the Week

If I see someone hurt, I will stop playing to get help.

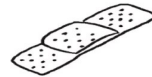
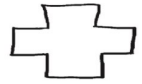
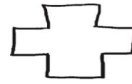
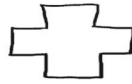
Sharing the Gospel

The Good Samaritan found a beaten man along the road. He spent a lot of time and money to take care of him. In today's time, he would have called 911 and paid the ambulance and hospital. Many people are afraid to stop to help others.

If you see someone who needs help, call 911 and explain who needs help and where. Trained police and paramedics will come to help. You can pray for the person.

Now color the picture! →

Circle the picture that is different. Then color in all the pictures.



Liturgical Life

Questions of the Week

Invite Parishioners to Reflect and Respond to Scripture

First Reading:

Moses taught the Israelite that the Lord is not remote but nearby to each of us. When was a time you felt especially close to God?

Second Reading:

Today's reading is a poem composed by Paul to describe the divinity and supremacy of Jesus. How do you express your thoughts about Jesus to others?

Gospel:

In the parable of the good Samaritan, Jesus teaches the lawyer that a neighbor is anyone you treat with mercy. Who might you treat with mercy this week?

Readings for the week of July 13, 2025

Sunday:

Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 (see 33)/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

Monday:

Ex 1:8-14, 22/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8/Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday:

Ex 2:1-15a/Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34/Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday:

Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7/Mt 11:25-27

Thursday:

Ex 3:13-20/Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27/Mt 11:28-30

Friday:

Ex 11:10-12:14/Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc, 17-18/Mt 12:1-8

Saturday:

Ex 12:37-42/Ps 136:1 and 23-24, 10-12, 13-15/Mt 12:14-21

Next Sunday:

Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 (1a)/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

Prayer Request

Emily Agosto	Espy Holguin	Placencia Family
Liz Alvarez	Irene Jacquez	Melissa Ramirez
Marty Arellano	Ric Jacquez	Marisa Ramos
Greg Archuleta	Connie Jorgenson	Bertha Rodriguez
Michelle Archuleta	Mary Jane Jimenez	Ignacio Romero
Mary Ann Benavidez	Joe Lopez	Romero Family
Missy Benavidez	Sherry Lopez	Jolene Rosen
Elias Bernal	Richard Lucero	Adelis Ruiz
Carrasco Family	Margarito Lucero	Gustavo Ruiz
Jesus Carrasco	Crystal Lujan	Cecilia Salas
Manuela Castaneda	Magda	Erika Salcido
Ramona Chavez	Salvador Marquez	Catherine Silva
Debbie & John	Luis "Butch" Marmolejo	Patricia Tellez
Erika R. Delgado	Tammy Martinez	Cleofas Tirre
Roberto Delgado Jr	Lupe Mirabal	Lester Titre
Aaron Diaz	Fred Misquez	Fred Urieta
Henry Diaz	Maria Moreno	Santiago Urieta
Margie Dominguez	Rosa Montes	Luciano Valverde
LeAnn Edwards	Thomas Mulheron	Christopher Villa
San Juana Fitch	George Ontiveros	Mercy Villa
Petra Flores	Edna Ordonez	Joseph Y.
Gloria Galaz	Yvette Ordonez	Antonio Zavala
Martin Garcia	Rosa Orosco	Rosa Zavala
	Eva Ozuna	Beverly Zubia
		Leandro Zubia



ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Reminder 2025/26 Parish tithing envelopes** are available for pick in the foyer or in the parish office during business hours.
- **St. Genevieve Parish Hall Renovation Money Raffle.** Drawing will take place on July 29, 2025. Please return the stubs and money by July 28, 2025.
- **Fiesta Royal Court candidates** will be having bake sales for the month of July after the weekend masses.
- **Fiesta Poster ads** are now available for purchase. Please contact the office for more information.
- **CCD, Confirmation, and Children needing all sacraments Registration in Person Sunday July 27, 2025 9:00 am to 12:30 pm at the Parish Hall**



Registration is now open for Catechism, Confirmation, OCIC. Classes will begin August 10, 2025. Please scan the QR code for more information and to register.



Mister Carwash Tickets \$10.00 each available for purchase in the parish office.



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Sunday August 17th - 7:30 am until 12:30 pm
Saint Genevieve's Parish Hall
1025 E Las Cruces Ave
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001
For tickets call Rebecca 575-640-6858

Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Everyone is our neighbor — those we love and those we can't stand, the people we agree with and the people whose opinions we hate. In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us that we must not only see ourselves in every person we meet — we must see him, too.