

St. Genevieve Catholic Church

Established in 1859

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Office Hours

Monday–Thursday 9:00 AM-12:30 PM 1:30 PM-4:00 PM Friday 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

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14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Come to me, all you
who labor and are
burdened, and I will
give you rest.”
- Mt 11:28

SUNDAY JULY 5, 2026

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. Casmir Anozie
Parochial Administrator

Deacon Rick Autry

Frank Sanchez, Business Manager

Maggie Candia, Bookkeeper

Veronica Garcia, Admin Assistant/
Liturgy Coordinator

Robert Pompa, 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 04 to JULY 12,, 2026

First Saturday July 4—Weekday—Independence Day

7:00 AM

NO MASS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

5:00 PM

†Refugio Palacios by Family

†Reyes Gonzales by Gonzales Family

Happy Birthday Blessings for Maclovio Gonzales

by Gonzales Family

Sunday July 5—Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM

†Tomas Nañez Sr. & †Michael Tavarez por Familia

†Juanita & Ernesto Medrano por Familia

9:30 AM

Blessings for Sabrina & Fabio Negri of the Casa de Maria

in Loretto by Wendy and José Gonzalez

†Cuca Medina by Family

†Sammy Saenz & †Mary Rodriguez

11:00 AM

†Rose C. Apodaca, †David & †Rosita Chavez

by Gilbert Apodaca

For the Health of the Arellano Family

For the Healing of Ron & Diana Galla

For the Parishioners of St. Genevieve by Father Casmir

5:00 PM

Monday July 6—Weekday

7:00 AM

Happy Birthday Joyce Wireman

†Claudio Medina by Ada & Roberto Medina

†Marina Morales (Aunt) by Family

Tuesday July 7—Weekday

7:00 AM

†Debra L. Barncastle by Family

†Nellie Bouvet by Daughter Melissa & Family

In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered by Ileana

Wednesday July 8—Weekday

7:00 AM

Happy Birthday Chris Garcia by Family

In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered by Susan

Thursday July 9—Weekday

7:00 AM

In Thanksgiving for Answered Prayers by Veronica

Friday July 10—Weekday

7:00 AM

†Robert Narvaez III by Mom Ofelia

†Tony & †Letha Trujillo by Gloria Lithgow

†Don & †Daryl Lithgow by Gloria Lithgow

†Reynaldo Terrazas Jr. by Family

For the Poor Souls in Purgatory by Antonia

Saturday July 11—Saint Benedict, Abbot

7:00 AM

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5:00 PM

†Esther Ledesma by Daughters & Family

Sunday July 12—Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM

Feliz Cumpeaños Padre Ivan Torres por Familia

†Juanita & Ernesto Medrano por Familia

†Tomas Nañez Sr. & †Michael Tavarez por Familia

9:30 AM

Blessings for Sabrina & Fabio Negri of the Casa de Maria

in Loretto by Wendy and José Gonzalez

†Robert Ramirez by Family

Happy Birthday Israel Angel by Mom & Dad

11:00 AM

†Leo, †Willie, & †Ernest Montoya by Cecilia Montoya

5:00 PM

†Paul Duran by Family

Sanctuary Lamp for the Month of July

In Memory of Josephine Salas by Family

Altar Bread for the Month July

In Memory of Manuel, Jessie, & Vincent Ortega by Ortega Family

Altar Wine for the Month of July

In Memory of Abram & Mary Martinez by Family

HE HAS
COME
TO
UNITE
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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

July 5, 2026

**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time-
Matthew 11:25-30**

This weekend, our nation celebrates the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. Unlike most nations, the United States was not founded primarily on a shared ethnicity, language, or culture. Instead, our founders built a political community out of diverse peoples united by a shared vision of liberty. That vision echoes something deep in the Christian mystery revealed in today's Gospel.

Jesus returns to his hometown. The people see only what is familiar: the carpenter, the son of Mary, one of their own. As Mark tells us, "They took offense at him. Jesus said, 'A prophet is not without honor except in his native place and among his own kin and in his own house.'" Their narrow vision blinds them. Jesus has come to inaugurate a new communion that transcends geography, bloodlines, and culture. He has come to unite all people in himself.

At its best, America's national unity reflects this possibility, which fully subsists only in the Catholic Church. Our unity is not based on ancestry or tribe, but on a shared commitment to higher ideals. For this reason, we can love our country with gratitude while situating patriotism within the broader horizon of faith.

Rooted in Christ, we are less vulnerable to the unholy tribalism that threatens civic life and faith. This weekend, let us thank God for our nation and pray that we also live as citizens of Heaven in Jesus Christ.

— Father John Muir

June 28, 2026

**FIGURES NOT AVAILABLE AT TIME OF
PRINTING OF BULLETIN**

Up-coming Second Collections

July 05, 2026

St. Vincent De Paul Society

July 12, 2026

Good Shepherd

July 19, 2026

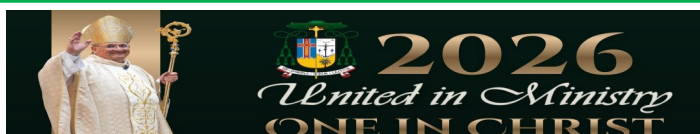
UIM/Projects 2026

FRIENDLY REMINDER PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE

TO: ST. GENEVIEVE PARISH

**Please consider
online giving**

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



You can contribute at our secure site online at www.rcdcl.org or the QR code provided. Pueden contribuir en nuestro sitio seguro en linea www.rcdcl.org o utilizar el código 'QR' provisto.



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Public Notice – Action Required

Sexual Abuse Claims in the Diocese of El Paso Bankruptcy

Regardless of how old you are today or when the sexual abuse occurred, you need to file your claim so that it is received by September 11, 2026.

The Diocese of El Paso ("Diocese") has filed bankruptcy to restructure its nonprofit organization and pay Putative Abuse Survivors. Please read this notice carefully as it may impact your rights against the Diocese and provides information about the case, *In re: Diocese of El Paso* (Bankr. W.D. Tx.). This notice is a short summary. For more detail, go to <https://cases.stretto.com/diocesefelpaso> or call (833) 345-0351.

Who Should File a Claim?

Anyone who alleges they were abused and believes the Diocese, or persons affiliated with the Diocese, may be responsible for the abuse must file a claim. This includes abuse in connection with any entity or activity associated with the Diocese, including schools, orphanages, parishes, or Catholic Charities. A list of such entities associated with the Diocese is available on the website or by calling the toll-free number listed below.¹ If you have an abuse claim against any entity on that list, you may have a claim against the Diocese. Only the Diocese is in bankruptcy. If you have a claim against any entity on that list, you must take additional legal action to preserve and pursue your rights.

When and How Should I File a Claim?

You should file a claim using either Official Bankruptcy Form No. 410 (or a form substantially similar thereto) or the Abuse Proof of Claim Supplement Claim so that it is received by September 11, 2026. If you do not file a timely claim, you may lose rights against the Diocese, including any right to compensation.

Your information will be kept private. You can download and file a claim at the website or call the toll-free number listed below for help on how to file a claim by mail.

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¹This may include parishes formerly under the ecclesiastical jurisdiction of the Diocese and, as of August 17, 1982, under the ecclesiastical jurisdiction of the Diocese of Las Cruces, NM as set forth on the following websites:

- A. <https://www.clpasodiocese.org/parishes-by-vicariate.html>
- B. https://www.clpasocatholicsschools.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=653277&type=d&pREC_ID=1108512
- C. <https://oldredcl.org/parishes-1>
- D. <https://oldredcl.org/catholicsschools>

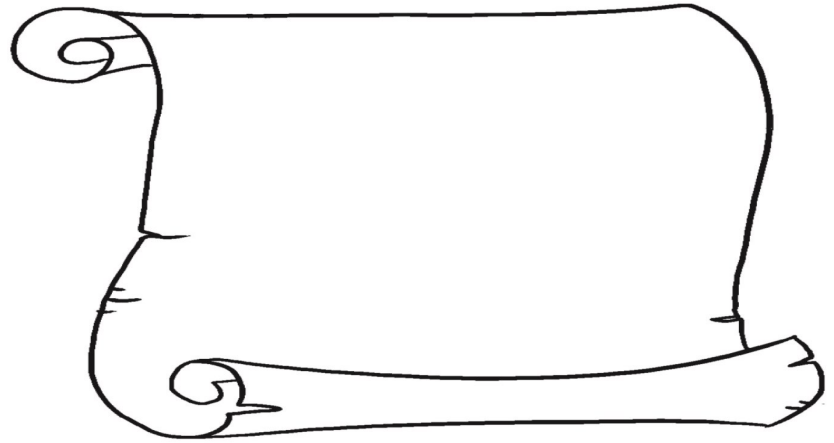
Prayer

Lord Jesus, fill me with love for my family, friends, and neighbors.

Mission for the Week

I will tell God when I am tired and upset. He will calm me.

Draw a place you like to rest.



Sharing the Gospel

When you are tired and upset, go to God. Talk things over with him. Tell him the whole story. God is a good listener. He has a gentle heart. He will say to you, "I love you. I forgive you." Then snuggle up with your favorite blanket and take a nap. When you wake up, you will feel much better. Then you will share your love by saying, "May I help you?"

Now color the picture! →



Readings for the week of July 5, 2026

Sunday:

Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14/
Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

Monday:

Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5,
6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday:

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8,
9-10/Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday:

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/
Mt 10:1-7

Thursday:

Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/
Mt 10:7-15

Friday:

Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and
17/Mt 10:16-23

Saturday:

Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33

Next Sunday:

Is 55:10-11/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14/
Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

Liturgical Life

Questions of the Week

Invite Parishioners to Reflect and Respond to Scripture

First Reading:

Zechariah speaks of a just and humble king who will lead all people to a future of peace and joy. What are some things that make you genuinely happy?

Second Reading:

Paul teaches that the Spirit of God dwells in those who believe in Jesus. Where do you see the Holy Spirit active in your life?

Gospel:

Jesus speaks of himself as meek and humble of heart, and invites us to find "rest" in him. What are some burdens Jesus could relieve for you?

Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

These days, everyone's an expert. We have a world of information at our fingertips. But some answers can't be found in newspapers or even history books. What God hides from the wise, He reveals to the little ones. Are you looking in the right place?



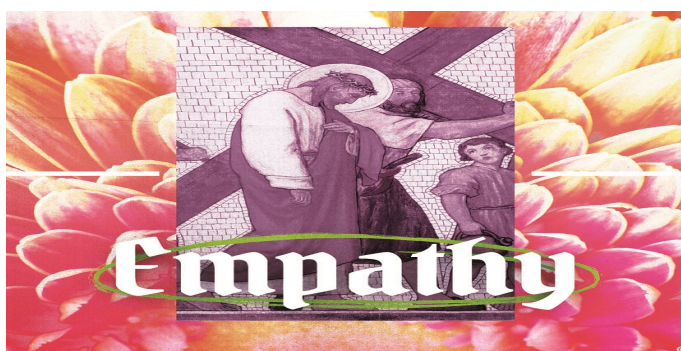
Mister Carwash Tickets
\$10.00 each available for purchase in the parish office.



Baptisms for July will be celebrated on Saturday, July 25 at 11:00 am. The Parents and Sponsors class is Saturday, July 11 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm in the church conference room. **All paperwork on baby, parents, sponsors & \$50 administrative fee due by Tuesday July 14 in the office.**

- Baptism classes are required for both Parents and Godparents.
- Godparents must have received the sacrament of Confirmation.
- If married, must be married by the Roman Catholic Church, and receiving the Holy Communion regularly.
- If not married, Godparents must not be living with a significant other.
- Only one Godparent is required
- If two Godparents then one male and one female are required.

Please contact the office for more information and to register.



Virtues, Explained!

Empathy describes our ability to connect emotionally with the suffering of others, as Christ connected emotionally with our suffering in original sin. This virtue flows directly from the virtue of charity, and growth in charity will enable growth in empathy.

Blessing for Our Country

Dear God,
Bless this land that we love, a land You created, in love.
We are at our best when we're close to You.
Please inspire, guide, and govern our leaders and our vision,
that our greatness may be founded in and defined in You.
Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Starting July 04, 2026 there will **NOT** be Saturday morning 7:00 am Masses until further notice.
- The Monastery of the Discalced Carmelite Nuns are selling their Annual Raffle tickets for \$10. Please stop by the office to purchase tickets. The Drawing will be held on Thursday July 16th during the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. All proceeds to benefit the construction of the Monastery Chapel.
- CCD Registration will take place on **SUNDAY JULY 26, 2026** in the Church Conference Room from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm. We will need copy of Birth Certificate and Sacramental Certificates (Baptism & First Communion)

Prayer Request

Vianca Abalos	Dolores Gomez	Esther Ramirez
Jose Acosta	Paul Gonzales	Jessie Ramirez
Lisa Acosta	Maxine Gonzalez	Melissa Ramirez
Julie Marie Addison	Delfina Gutierrez	Sandra Ramirez
Ray Alvarez	Marcos Infante Jr.	Richard Rivas
Avalos Family	Joey Jaramillo	Raul Rivera
Lisa C.	Sal Jaramillo	Carlos Romero
Larry Caesar, Jr.	Joan	Ignacio Romero
Susie Caro	Kathryn Johnson	Jolene Rosen
John Carpe	Kellie	Adelis Ruiz
Tomas Carrillo	Stacey Kocab	Gustavo Ruiz
Nancy Cramer	Raymond Lee	Mary Jean Ruiz
Chavez Family	Lourdes Lueras	Ruben D. Ruiz
Lupita Chavez	Lupe Leyva	Terry Sanchez
Jose Contreras	Liz	Janie Sandoval
Erika Delgado	Loretta Lithgow	Tommy Serna
Gabriel & Mary Desorcy	Mary Ann & Family	Veronica Soto
Andrew Diaz	Cecilia Mares	Stephanie
Henry Diaz	Willow Maese	Evelyn Stephenson
Donna & Dennis Dickey	Adam Marin	Eddie Tellez
Amanda Dominguez	Nora Medina	Marc Tellez
Paula Dominguez	Bertha Morales	Patricia Tellez
Dorothy	Richard Moralez	Cleofas Tirre
Brayden Eaton	Rosa Montes	Tim & Michelle Thomas
Frances Escalante	Adela Montoya	Stella Torres
Keith Freeman	R.J. Murvin	Cleto Valles
Gloria Galaz	Rachel Narvaez	Luciano Valverde
Garcia Family	Rosa Orosco	Jim Corrigan
Jodi & Thomas Garvey	Thomas Padilla	Dan & Socorro Vasquez
Jim Glasscock	Blanca Peña	Leandro Zubia Jr.
	Martha Quesada	
	Baby Quintana	