St. Genevieve Catholic Church

Established in 1859

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Office Hours

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32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"'Lord, Lord, open the door for us!' But he said in reply, 'Amen, I say to you, I do not know you.'"
- Mt 25:11-12

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 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

Deacon Tim Flynn

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 Friday
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 dia
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

Rosary
6:30 AM Mon – Friday English
5:00 PM Mon – Thursday Bilingual
Rezar el Rosario
6:30 AM de lunes a viernes Inglés
5:00 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 – 4:45 PM
Sacramento de la Reconciliación
Sábado 10:00 AM—11:00 AM
Sábado 4:00 PM – 4:45 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 NOVEMBER 7 to 15, 2026

First Saturday November 7—Weekday
5:00 PM †Beatriz Serrano by Villani Family
†Juanita & †Ernesto Medrano by Family
†Mary Ann Rosencrans by Imelda Jaramillo

Sunday November 8—Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM †Tomas Nañez & †Michael Tavarez por Familia
9:30 AM All the Faithful Departed
11:00 AM †Rose C. Apodaca, †Apodaca & †Nevarez Ancestors by Gilbert
†Romolo & †Ernest Montoya & †Fr. Rod Nichols by Cecilia Montoya
5:00 PM †Maria Elena Romero by Pacheco Family

Monday November 9—The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
7:00 AM †Raul Peña by Joe & Socorro Garcia
†Romelia A. Eres
Healing of Henry Chavez
Healing of Linda Gomez

Tuesday November 10—Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church
7:00 AM †Robert Peña Sr. by Family
†Christina Jean Lopez by Ray Lopez
For the Deceased Baca & Montenegro Family Members

Wednesday November 11—Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop
7:00 AM †Pablo Misquez by Fred Misquez & Family

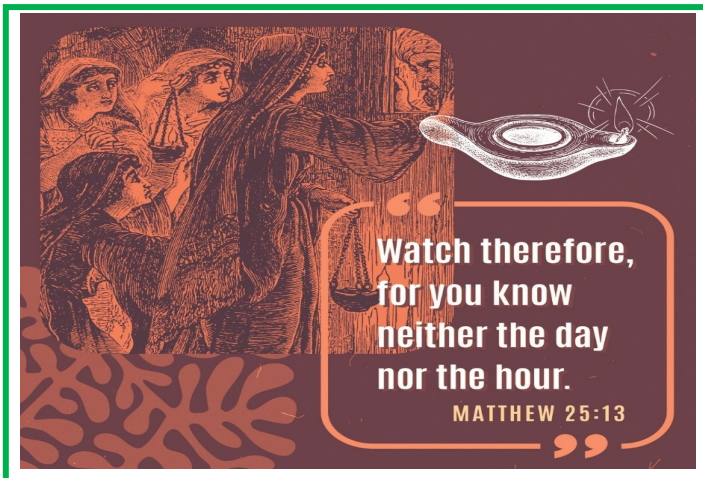
Thursday November 12—Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr
7:00 AM †Joshua Gonzales by Mom Sandra Guerrero

Friday November 13—Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin
7:00 AM †Jesus M., †Rosella, & †Florencio Delgado
†Ana Q. Torres by Victor & Elizabeth Torres
†Michelle Salas by Lupe B. Vigil
For the Souls in Purgatory by Antonia Bencomo

First Saturday November 14—Weekday
5:00 PM †Cleofas & †Hermelinda Tirre
by Priscilla & Andres Lopez
†Delmira, †Perfecto & †Martha Fajardo by Tomas

Sunday November 15—Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM †Luis R. & †Romelia A. Eres
†Tomas Nañez & †Michael Tavarez por Familia
9:30 AM For the Living & Deceased Members of St. Genevieve Knights of Columbus by St. Genevieve Council #13969
†Ricardo "Rick" Jacquez by Irene Jacquezz
11:00 AM In Honor of the Holy Family for prayers answered by Aurora & Frank Sanchez
5:00 PM †Jesus M. & †Rosella U. Delgado
by Victor & Elizabeth Torres

Sanctuary Lamp for the Month of November
In Memory of Bienvenido & Fermin Barrientos by Ada & Roberto Medina
Altar Bread for the Month November
In Memory of Deceased Family Members of the Desorcy, Barwick, and Gonzalez Families
Altar Wine for the Month November
In Memory of Deceased Family Members of the Desorcy, Barwick, and Gonzalez Families



Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

November 8, 2026
Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Matthew 25:1-13

My first instinct upon waking is to grab my phone and start scrolling. Sometimes I do it for 20 or 30 minutes, and it makes me feel distracted and agitated. I feel guilty, too, for wasting my first moments of the day. So recently, I committed those minutes to reading a book that would focus my mind on Jesus. I enjoy the fact that I am not scattering my attention as much. I feel more peaceful and focused on God.

In today's Gospel, Jesus speaks about attention. He contrasts wise and foolish virgins, and then sums up the teaching by saying, "Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour" (Matthew 25:13). The basic currency of the human heart is attention. The foolish bridesmaids are not immoral or malicious; they are unfocused, distracted, and unprepared. They assume that borrowed oil will suffice, that someone else's readiness can make up for their own lack. But the attention which is love cannot be outsourced. A relationship with God requires personal attentiveness cultivated over time.

This Gospel leaves us with an honest question. What am I giving my attention to each day, and am I forming a heart that is awake, watchful, and ready to meet the Lord when He comes? How can I use key moments of my day to focus my attention where I need it to be?

— Father John Muir

November 1, 2026

First Collection	$	8,139.52
Second Collection—St. Vincent De Paul	$	2,596.37
All Souls Day	$	1,370.26
Candles	$	100.55
WeShare October 26 to November 1, 2026	$	594.63

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!

2026 Annual Fiesta Report

Fiesta Food & Game Sales, Monetary Donations, & Fiesta Poster Ads	$24,001.00
Fiesta Expenses	$18,818.22
Net Income	$ 5,182.78
Royal Court Bake Sales	$ 9,471.81
Annual Money Raffle	$16,365.00
Annual Raffle Expenses	$ 3,830.00
Net Income	$12,495.00



Knights of Columbus

St Genevieve Knights of Columbus Council 13969 will be selling their 2026 New Mexico State Council General Annual Raffles tickets after all the masses starting Saturday, November 14, 2026 or until all tickets are sold. The proceeds from this raffle will help support the Council activities – St Genevieve and Knights of Columbus Community Family Nights, "Light up for Christ", Las Posadas, Basketball Free Throw Championship, etc.

Grand Prize: $5000

1st Prize: Five - $1000 Prizes

The tickets are $5.00 each

To be drawn at the Mid-Year Meeting, December 5, 2026

Your support will be greatly appreciated,
Jaime M. Flores
Grand Knight

Knights of Columbus



Readings for the Week of November 8, 2026

Sunday

Wis 6:12-16/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13

Monday

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

Tuesday

Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Ps 37:3-4, 18 and 23, 27 and 29/Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday

Ti 3:1-7/Ps 23:1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5, 6/Lk 17:11-19

Thursday

Phlm 7-20/Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Lk 17:20-25

Friday

2 Jn 4-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18/Lk 17:26-37

Saturday

3 Jn 5-8/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 18:1-8

Next Sunday

Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/
1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

Liturgical Life

Questions of the Week

Invite Parishioners to Reflect & Respond to Scripture

First Reading Question

According to our Jewish sage, wisdom is a virtue that desires to be known by those who seek her. How does anyone know they have found wisdom?

Second Reading Question

Paul offers hope in the bodily resurrection of the dead for the Thessalonians who are grieving the death of a loved one. How does your faith in Jesus sustain you in times of grief and distress?

Gospel Question

In the Parable of the Ten Virgins, Jesus teaches his disciples the importance of planning ahead for the unknown. Do you consider yourself a pre-planner?

Live The Liturgy

Inspiration of the Week

The Christian life is a life of waiting, for the Bridegroom is long delayed. We can grow too comfortable in the waiting that we forget what it's all for. So let us look to our lamps and always remember — the waiting will not last forever.

Prayer Request

Marcella Abeyta
Anthony Acosta
Jeanette Acosta
Raquel Acosta
Julie Marie Addison
Hector Aragon
Marty Arellano
Lalita Bustillos
Mary Campagnone
Judy Cano
Katherine Chavarria
Tom Chavarria
Henry Chavez
Margaret Chavez
Navor Chavez
Brenda De Haven
Kat Dube
Frances Escalante
Gloria Galaz
Cecilia Garcia
David Garcia
Marta Garcia
O'Shea Garcia
Rose Garcia
PJ Garrison
Mary Gomez
Linda Gomez
Ralph Gomez
Debi Gonzales
Eli & Elijah Guzman
Martha H.
Ramon Herrera
Jane Hickok
Alex Holguin
Richard Holguin
Robert Holguin
John Hylant
Otilia Jaquez
Joey & Sal Jaramillo
Lupe Jimenez
Stacy Kocab
Alfred Lopez
Rosa Montes
Adulfa Morales
Frank Morales
Mannie Morales
Richard Morales
Jose Moreno
Maria Moreno
Annalia Narvaez
Rachel Nevarez
Al Ontiveros
Rosa Orosco
Blanca Peña
Marisa Ramos
Rosie Rico
Cynthia Robledo
Ivan Robles
Carlos Romero
Adric Rosales
Jacob Saenz
Ruben Salcido
Nora Sanchez
Terry Sanchez
Louie Trujillo
Rita Trujillo
Luciano Valverde
Mercy Villa
Antonio Zavala

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **November the month of the Faithful Departed.** During the month of November we remember all our beloved departed family. Please list them on the envelopes provided or on a piece of paper and place them in the basket that will be at the altar.
- **The 2027 Mass Intention book is now open**. Please stop by the office with your list.



Our United in Ministry Goal is $58,500.00. We are half way through the year and have raised $27,278.84. We kindly ask that if you have not made a pledge or a one time donation, please consider doing so. There are donation envelopes located at the tables as you come into the church. You can also contribute at our secure site online at www.rcdlc.org or the QR code provided. Please designate your donation to St. Genevieve Church.

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