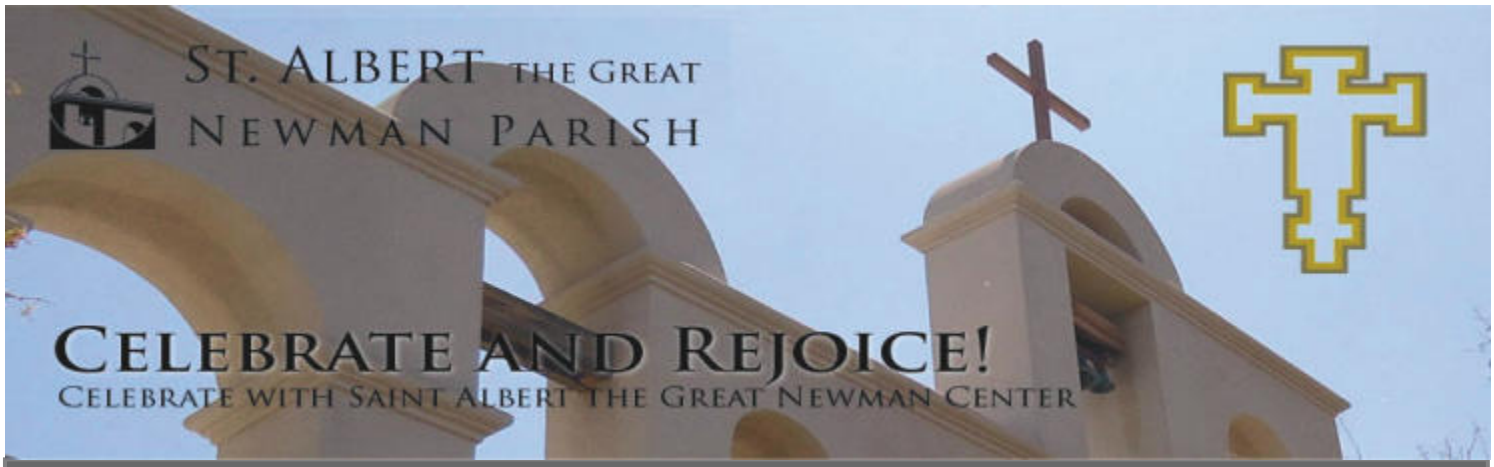

Sunday, September 30, 2018 Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Mission Statement

St. Albert the Great Newman Parish, a Roman Catholic community at New Mexico State University, as a family of faith, welcomes everyone to encounter Jesus Christ through Word, Worship, Community, and Service. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we are changed for the better and sent forth as disciples of Christ to continue his work in the world.

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Fridays 8:30 am to 1pm
Phone: (575) 522-6202 Fax: (575) 521-3453

Mass Schedule

Monday—Friday: Daily Mass @ 5:30 pm
Vigil Mass (Saturday) @ 5:30 pm
Sunday Masses @ 8:30 am, 11:00 am & 7:30 pm

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4 to 5 pm; or by appointment.

Baptism

Parents who have been registered in the parish for 6 months need to schedule an interview with the Pastor through the parish office at least 3 months prior to the baptism date.

Marriage

Couples need to schedule an interview with the Pastor, through the parish office, 6 months prior to the wedding date.

Pastoral Care for the Sick

Ill and homebound parishioners, please call the parish office to schedule visits.

Anointing of the Sick

First Friday of the Month

REPORT SEXUAL ABUSE

If you or someone you know has been a victim of sexual abuse by clergy or church personnel, contact Ms. Margarita Williams, Victim's Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of Las Cruces, at (575) 523-7577, or email mwilliams@rcdlc.org

From the Pastor Desk

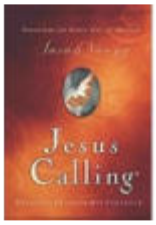
Hello friends,

In today's Gospel, the choices that Christ lays out for his followers are very black and white. Anyone who is not with me is against me. If anyone interferes with someone else's effort to follow Christ, by scandal or bad example, it would be better for that person to be tossed into the ocean with a millstone around the neck.

Those who hold back, or hedge in their own choice of Christ's values, had better do some drastic rearranging of their lives if they hope to be saved. In imagery that is almost gruesome, Christ tells his followers, If it is your hand or your foot or your eye that leads you astray, cut it off, pluck it out.
No the point must certainly be made that by no means was Christ literally calling for the cutting off of hands and feet and eyes. But he certainly was insisting that nothing is worth sacrificing salvation, and those foolish enough to throw away their hope of salvation in favor of anything else deserve just what they get.

There are so many tempting attachments in our lives that can seem to be so good, so satisfying, so important. Any number of times each of us must choose between those kinds of satisfactions and Christ.

Gift Shop - The Jesus Calling books have arrived and are available for purchase. If you ordered this book please stop by to pick up your copy.



LUNCH BUNCH MENU

Everyone is Welcome
$2.00 - Students $4.00 Non - Students
11:15 am to 1:15 pm

Mon. (Oct. 1st.) — Salisbury Steak & Rice
Tue. (Oct. 2nd) — Chili Relleno Casserole Chips & Salsa
Wed. (Oct. 3rd) — Tuscan Soup, Rolls
Thur. (Oct. 4th) — Chicken Tacos, Refried Beans
Fri. (Oct. 5th) — Veggie Lasagna, Garlic Sticks

MEALS SERVED WITH SALAD, DESSERT & DRINKS

*** We also offer take out boxes for meals ***

Magnificat, A Ministry to Catholic Women, Our Lady of the Cross Chapter

Magnificat cordially extends an invitation to the women from St. Albert the Great Newman Parish to attend the next Magnificat meal on **Saturday, October 27, 2018**

Speaker: **Veronica Ortega**
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Doors open at 8:45 am
Place: NM Farm & Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road.
Reservations must be postmarked by October 18.
Tickets are **$14.50** per person.

No tickets will be sold at the door.
Since the day is designed to speak to the hearts of women, free of distraction, it is respectfully requested that young children not be in attendance.
Tickets are available at St. Albert's parish office.

Please Support our Sponsor of the Week

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Mass Intentions for the Week of September 30 - October 6, 2018

MASS STIPEND IS $10.00 PER MASS
We can list up to 3 Intentions per Mass

Sunday, September 30th
8:30 am For the Parish By: Pastor
11:00 am For Agnes Dorean Padilla
By: Chuck & Agnes Van Deusen
7:30 pm For the Parish By: Pastor

Monday, Oct. 1st
5:30 pm For the Parish By: Pastor

Tuesday, Oct.2nd
5:30 pm For the Parish By: Pastor

Wednesday, Oct.3rd
5:30 pm For the Parish By: Pastor

Thursday, Oct. 4th
5:30 pm For the Parish By: Pastor

Friday, Oct. 5th
5:30 pm For the Parish By: Pastor

Saturday Oct. 6th
5:30 pm † In Memory of Mary Elizabeth Cox Birthday
By: Carol Mundy
5:30 pm † In Loving Memory of Greg Grusenmeyer
By: Knights of Columbus #16465

Nursery: The nursery is currently unavailable to use. Gospel Story Telling is using this room during the morning masses. We are in the processing of trying to establish another room for those with small children. Please be patient with us.

Please include these people and their families in your prayers that they may experience Christ' comfort and healing:

Leonard Keep, Walter Kazmier, Ernest Chavez, Bertha Salas, Msgr. Getz, Manuela Chavez, Marie Tighe, Grace Rivas, Freddy Rodriguez, Monica Dominguez, Matt Bridges, Angel Castillo Raymond Telles, Sylvia Vasques, Don Medina, Joe Harbeck, Gina McFeely, Joan Jacinto, Carolyn Ehr Frank Gonzales Jr., Gloria Newton, Priscilla Daneliak, Ed Schoonover, Leticia Baskette, Jose Rodriguez, Rick Schoonover, Corrine & Mel Jolly, Nancy Jackson, Dewaine Ohmen, Bryan Johnson, Pierce Scroggins, Charles & Mary Miller, Greg Noel, Jed Hendee,

Homebound

Bertha Banegas, Rocio Edmondson, Gina Gomez, Raymond Barreras, Virginia Stevens, Janet Mills, Willemina Paupaw, Dolores Luna, Lorraine Schulte, Beatrice Aguilera, Herlinda Apodaca, Josephine Marrufo, Bernarda Gamboa, Lee & Barbara Sandoval, Ida Lopez, Eddie & Gloria Carrillo, Joe Wallace

If you or your loved one is/are in need of prayer, Please notify the Parish Office at (575) 522-6202.

Let us pray for all those serving in our Armed Forces

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us, bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

U.S. Army

PVT-2 Austin Meyers, PVT Vincent Fresquez Jr., PFC Joseph Chavira, PFC Gino Benedetti, SPC Vincent Chavira, SPC Jesus Navarro, SPC Vincent Fresquez Sr., SFC John Troy, SG Perry Harrison, SGT Johnathan Stadish, MAJ Sean Dixon, LTC James Brady, COL Edward Brady

If you know of anyone serving in the Armed Forces, please call the parish office at 575-522-6202.

Faith Formation 2018-2019
2018 — 2019

K — 5th grades

We are excited to start our youth religious formation. Many talented Newman parishioners have volunteered to instruct our students in grades Kinder through fifth. We are lucky to have such giving individuals and we want to thank them for stepping up for such an important role in our Newman community.

As a reminder, sessions are from 1-2 pm on Sunday, 4-5 on Monday, and 6-7 on Monday. We look forward to working with our children and engaging with parents to make this year a successful learning experience. As a consideration for catechists and staff, we remind parents to pick up their children promptly at end of the class.

Thank you.
Enedina Vazquez
Children Ministry Coordinator

October 2nd will be our first Middle School Youth Group! Meet in the Alumni Room at 6:30-8:00pm for some fun, felllowship and COOKIES!

October 3rd-HS Youth Group in the Alumni Room from 6:30 - 8:00 pm. Join us, we have been having a great time! Bring a friend\. The topic of the night, Love!

MS/HS Religious Education - We are entering our 4th week of classes and all is well! Be God's hands and volunteer to work the Pachanga, which is our first Confirmation Service Project. No Classes Oct. 14th as we will be at the Pachanga!

NMSU Catholic

Our member of the week is Justine! She is a servant leader, she was the intern last year, AND she's discerning to become a sister with the Sisters of Our Lady of Sorrows! She is studying early childhood education and graduates in December! She has been involve with NMSU Catholic for 4 and a half years! Thank you for your love, laughter, and service to our ministry Justine! We are so excited to witness the journey God has planned for you!
A huge thank you to everyone that came out to White Sands with us for our Full Moon Mass! It was an amazing turnout and we got to experience one of God's beautiful creations! The moon lit up our Mass, and we had food and lots of fun before!

ST. ALBERT'S FINANCIAL REPORT
COLLECTIONS – 2018:

September 22/23, 2018:

Sunday Collection:	**$ 6, 462.35**
Collected in Office:	**$ 635.00**
E-Giving –Sunday:	**$ 1, 525.00**
E-Giving Misc:	**$ 10.00**
TOTAL:	**$ 8, 632.35**

2nd Collection - San Juan Diego
E-Giving Misc : $ 190.00

UNITED IN MINISTRY – 2018
AS OF August 31, 2018

Goal:	**$ 89,262.22**
Amount Pledged:	**$ 78,887.00**
Payments Rec'd:	**$ 58,723.64**
Families Pledged:	**134**

Readings for the Week
September 30, 2018

Sunday: Nm 11:25-29/ Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14
Jas 5:1-6/ Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Monday: Jb 1:6-22/ Ps 17:1-3, 6-7/ Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday: Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23/ Ps 88:2-8
Mt 18:1-5, 10

Wednesday: Jb 9:1-12, 14-16/ Ps 88:10-15
Lk 9:57-62

Thursday: Jb 19:21-27/ Ps 27:7-9, 13-14
Lk 10:1-12

Friday: Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5/ Ps 139:1-3, 7-10, 13-14/ Lk 10:13-16

Saturday: Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17/ Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130/ Lk 10:17-24

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

AA Meets Sunday—Saturday at 7:00 am at The Bridge

Sunday

8:30 am - Mass

11:00 am - Mass

7:30 pm - Student Mass

Monday

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

Tuesday

12:10 pm - Mass on Campus (Campus Ministry)

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

5:30 pm - Christian Meditation (The Bridge)

6:00 pm - Rosary for the Families

Wednesday

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

Thursday

5:10 pm – Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

Friday -

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm – Daily Mass

Saturday

9:00 am - Music Practice

4:00 pm - Confessions

5:30 pm - Vigil Mass

Bulletin Deadline:
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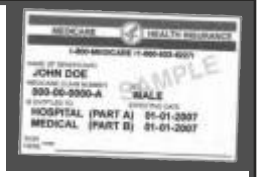

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