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Sunday, September 1, 2019 Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary

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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Parish Office Hours:

Mon- Thurs 8:30 am to 5:00 pm
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Mass Schedule

Monday—Friday: Daily Mass @ 5:30 pm
Vigil Mass (Saturday) @ 5:30 pm
Sunday Masses @ 8:00 am, 9:30 am (Spanish)
11:15 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 Dcn. Jim Winder, Victim's Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of Las Cruces, at (575) 523-7577, or email jimwinder@jwinder@rcdlc.org



With the six tasks in mind, parents are reminded that each grade holds a special purpose in the full religious formation of our children. In Kindergarten our goal is socializing our children into the faith, setting the foundation for future years and is part of the Pre-Sacrament Preparation for First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. First Grade is considered First Reconciliation 1 so that children are ready for the sacrament in grade 2 – First Reconciliation Preparation. Instruction in grades 1 and 2 are essential and the Diocese requires that children engage in two years of preparation for First Eucharist in third grade. Finally, grades 4 and 5 allows us to further establish our children’s role in the church; teaching them how they can participate in the mass in preparation for confirmation.

Religious Education Reminder –Don’t forget to register your children for religious education. Our first class is September 8 (Sunday class) or September 9 (Monday classes). Registration is Now Closed. Visit our Newman Parish website (<https://www.stalbertnewmancenter.org/>) and select the Faith Formation tab.

**Enedina Vazquez
K-5 Religious Education Coordinator
Children Ministry**



The Annual St. Genevieve Fiesta will be Saturday, September 7th (2 pm to 11 pm) and Sunday, September 8th (12 pm to 7 pm) They are celebrating their 160th anniversary. The event will be held at the Parish Hall, 1025 East Las Cruces Ave. Please bring your families for a weekend of fun!



Office will be closed in observance of Labor Day on (Monday) September 2, 2019

Daily Mass will be at 10:00 am.

THERE WILL NOT BE A 5:30 PM MASS ON THIS DAY

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. Air Force

A1-C Zacariah Eye, Amn Estevan O. Perez, SSgt. Ernesto X. Perez, Tgt Julianne Marie Lujan, AB Esmeralda Castañeda, SMSgt. Karen Clark

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

**THAT MAN IS YOU!!
Men’s Leadership Group**

**Basilica of San Albino
Saturday Mornings, Starting
September 7, 2019
6:45 am—8:30 am**

**Readings for the Week of
September 1, 2019**

Sun: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/ Ps 68:4-7, 10-11

Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a / Lk 14:1, 7-14

Mon: 1 Thes 4:13– 18/ Ps 96:1, 3-5, 11-13

Lk 4:16-30

Tue: 1 Thes 5: 1-6, 9-11/ Ps 27: 1, 4, 13-14

Lk 4: 31-37

Wed: Col 1:1-8/ Ps 52:10-11/ Lk 4:38-44

Thurs: Col 1:9-14/ Ps 98:2-6/ Lk 5:1-11

Fri: Col 1:15-20/ Ps 100:1-5/ Lk 5:33-39

Sat: Col 1:21-23/ Ps 54:3-4, 6, 8/ Lk 6:1-5

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

From September 25th—November 3rd. You are invited to join other Christians for 40 days for Life— 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. The prayer vigil will be held on the NMSU campus, 3080 Breland Drive, across from the Health and Wellness Center. Vigil days are Sunday –Saturday, and the hours are 11am to 4pm . You may sign up for your desired day and time online at 40daysforlife.com/las_cruces or by contacting Ann Garcia in our parish at (833) 388-Lifex704 or by email



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

Bertha Salas, Msgr. Getz, Manuela Chavez,
Jed Hendee, Grace Rivas, Freddy Rodriguez,
Charles Miller, Gloria Newton, Angel Castillo,
Monica Dominguez, Gina McFeely, Jim Delaney,
Raymond Telles, Sylvia Vasques, Don Medina,
Joan Jacinto, Greg Noel, Angelica Lempke,
Ed Schoonover, Leticia Baskette, Jose Rodriguez,
Cynthia Lackey, Rick Schoonover, Nancy Jackson,
Lindsey Johnson, Pierce Scroggins, Jim Tooley,
Joe & Terrie Churilla, Rocio Edmondson, Larry and
Carol Hill, Jennie Meeham

Homebound

Bertha Banegas, Gina Gomez, Juanita Lujan,
Raymond Barreras, Virginia Stevens,
Willemina Paupaw, Beatrice Aguilera, Lee Sandoval,
Herlinda Apodaca, Josefina Marrufo, Bernada Gamboa,
Joe & Dolores Wallace, Eddie & Gloria Carrillo

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

GIFT SHOP NEWS -

We are happy to announce that the Gift Shop will now be open after the 7:30PM Sunday mass on a regular basis. Patsy Warthen has volunteered to be our Sunday night clerk. Please stop by and say hi to Patsy next week. Patsy would welcome help, if you are interested let her know.

From the e Pastors Desk



Hello friends,

As we welcome the month of September, the Sacred Scriptures give us beautiful readings for us to think about humility. The first reading for this weekend, Sirach speaks to us about humility. This book offers us a wonderful exposure to Israelite wisdom literature. It is gentle wisdom that you heard today in the first reading: “My child, conduct your affairs with humility, and you will be loved more than a giver of gifts.” Now there’s a congenial quid-pro-quo. Be humble and you will be loved, not only show yourself to be lovable, but be, in fact, loved.

“Humble yourself the more, the greater you are,” says Sirach, “and you will find mercy in the sight of God.” You’re familiar with the saying, “The bigger they are, the harder they fall,” but not all “big” shots pay much attention to that dictum. The wisdom we heard proclaimed this weekend says, in effect, the bigger you are the more attentive you should be to humility. “The mind of the wise,” says Sirach, “appreciates proverbs, and the ear that listens to wisdom rejoices.” Are we wise enough to listen or, in your case, are the ears largely ornamental?

Estimados amigos,

Como verán, este domingo le damos la bienvenida al mes de septiembre. Dicen que el tiempo vuela. ¿Dónde quedo el mes de agosto? Así que hay seguir sacándole provecho a la vida. De hecho, las lecturas de este fin de semana nos hablan sobre la sabiduría de la literatura israelita. Es una sabiduría que se puede aplicar a nuestra vida cotidiana. El libro del Eclesiástico o Siracides nos dice: “Hijo mío, en tus asuntos procede con humildad y te amarán más que al hombre dádivoso.” Jesús mismo nos recuerda de ser humildes cuando nos dice en el evangelio: “el que se engrandece a sí mismo, será humillado; y el que se humilla, será engrandecido.”

Fr. Alex Ureña

Newman Community,

This Sunday was our annual Mass on the Grass event with the bishop presiding. It was such a great event! Thank you all who contributed and help make it a possibility.

During his homily, he touched a lot of points that really stuck with me. Some of the students I talked with felt the same. He was telling us about an instance when he was cleaning a chalice and wondered when it was really clean. He decided it was clean and perfected when he saw his reflection in the chalice lolling back at him. Similarly, that's how God wants us to be. He wants us to look at our work, the people we're around, the places we go and see His reflection looking back at us. I feel actively looking and searching for God in all those things will drastically change our perspective and outlook of life in such a positive way. Especially when we look for His face in places that seem He isn't there or is hard to find, then we see His reflection!

Another thing bishop asked of us is to pray for vocations especially for priests and consecrated life. Without priest, we won't have access to the body and blood of Christ. Join me in prayer!

Renee Baca, NMSU Catholic Campus Minister

Intentions for the Week of September 2, 2019 – September 7, 2019

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

Sunday, Sept. 1st

- 8:00 am † In Memory of Barbara "Bita" Sandoval
By: Frank & Lorraine Long
- 8:00 am In Celebration of Graham Miller
By: Romero Family
- 9:30 am For the Parish
By Pastor
- 11:15 am † In Memory of Mr & Mrs. Larry Candelaria Sr.,
Gene & Verla Parent's of Connie Candelaria
By: Larry & Connie Candelaria
- 11:15 am † In Memory of Benny Bachicha 1yr Anniversary
By: Della Bachicha
- 7:30 pm For the Parish By: Pastor

Monday, Sept. 2nd (Labor Day)

- 10:00 am For the Parish By: Pastor

Tuesday, Sept. 3rd

- 5:30 pm For the Parish By: Pastor

Wednesday, Sept. 4th

- 5:30 pm † In Memory of Jeanean Benavidez
By: Her Spiritual Van & Spiritual Corner

Thursday, Sept. 5th

- 5:30 pm † In Memory of Chris Navarro
By: Mom & Dad
- 5:30 pm † In Memory of Rebecca Baeza Birthday
By: Family
- 5:30 pm For Nathan Duran's Birthday
By: Family

Friday, Sept. 6th

- 5:30 pm For the Parish By: Pastor

Saturday, Sept. 7th

- 5:30 pm † In Memory of James & Emma Banegas
By: Children & Grandchildren
- 5:30 pm † In Memory of John Z. Barela
By: Edna M. Barela & Jon Barela

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

*AA Meets Sunday – Saturday
at 7:00 am at The Bridge*

Sunday

- 8:00 am - Mass
- 9:30 am - Spanish Mass
- 11:15 am - Mass
- 3:30 pm: Confirmation Classes
- 7:30 pm - Daily Mass

Monday (LABOR DAY)

- 10:00 am - Daily Mass

Tuesday

- 12:10 pm - Mass on Campus
- 5:10 pm - Evening Prayer
- 5:30 pm - Daily Mass

Wednesday

- 5:10 pm - Evening Prayer
- 5:30 pm - Daily Mass
- 6:30 pm - High School Youth Group

Thursday

- 5:10 pm - Evening Prayer
- 5:30 pm - Daily Mass

Friday

- 5:10 pm - Evening Prayer
- 5:30 pm - Daily Mass (Anointing of the Sick)

Saturday

- 9:00 am - Music Practice
- 4:00 pm - Confessions
- 5:30 pm - Vigil Mass

Bulletin Deadline:

Mondays by Noon, Holidays on

Thursday by 12:00 noon.

ST. ALBERT'S FINANCIAL REPORT

COLLECTIONS – 2019:

August 24/25th

Sunday Collection:	\$ 6,276.52
Received in Office:	\$ 1,160.00
E-Giving – Weekly:	\$ 1,785.00
E-Giving Misc:	\$ 45.00
TOTAL	\$ 9,266.52

2nd Collection: San Juan Diego

Seminarian Fund – 9/15/2019

E-Giving:	\$ 10.00
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UNITED IN MINISTRY – 2019

As of August 2, 2019

Goal for St. Albert's:	<u>\$85,796.16</u>
Parishioners: who have pledged	133
Total Pledged:	\$68,700.00
Payments Received:	\$44,685.00

Thank you. If you have not contributed to our UIM goal, please do so, we have 4 months left to reach our Goal.

LUNCH BUNCH WELCOME BACK AGGIES!!

**\$2.00 - Students — \$4.00 Non Students
(Mon. - Fri.) 11:15 am to 1:15 pm
September 2nd - September 6th**

Mon. (Sept. 2nd) — Labor Day, (NO LUNCH)

Tue. (Sept. 3rd) — Posole, Tortillas

**Wed. (Sept. 4th) — Bow Tie Pasta w/
Veggies, Garlic Sticks**

**Thur. (Sept. 5th) — Cream of Chicken Soup,
w/Chili & Noodles, Rolls**

**Fri. (Sept. 6th) — Tuna Noodle Casserole,
& Chips**

*Lunch served with salad, dessert and drinks
Take-out boxes also available upon request*

MS & HS Faith Formation

Faith Formation Classes have started with a successful Parent/Student meeting this past weekend. If you have not yet registered your children for Religious Education, there are a few spaces left, classes will close soon.

Register @ stalbertnewmancenter.org

Pre-Confirmation – 3:30-4:30

Confirmation I at 3:30pm

Confirmation II at 5:30pm

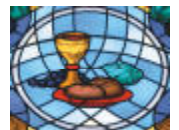
~If your child has not attended classes since 1st Holy Communion, sign them up for Pre-Confirmation Class. If they have been attending each year, sign them up for Confirmation 1. If they took Confirmation 1 last year, they will attend Confirmation 2.

HS Youth Group

St. Albert Youth Group meets weekly on Wednesday's from 6:30-8:00 in the Alumni Room. High Schoolers from every school in the District are actively involved in this youth group, and we'll welcome you too!

Sharon Kollosseus
MS/HS Youth Minister Coordinator

ADULT CONFIRMATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION



Are you ready to deepen your Relationship with our Lord as you explore the truths of your Catholic faith? Formation for adults seeking to receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and Holy Communion in Spring 2020 will begin October 17, 2019.

For more information, please call Patti at 575-649-2526. I look forward to seeing you!

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