



Fr. Ted's Corner

From a treatise on the Lord's Prayer by Saint Cyprian, bishop and martyr

(Nn.28-30: CSEL 3, 287-289)

Prayer should be expressed in deeds as well as words

Dear friends, why does the fact that God has taught us such a prayer as this astonish us? Did he not express all of our prayers in his own words of life? Indeed this was already foretold by Isaiah. Filled with the Holy Spirit, he spoke of the majesty and fidelity of God: *the Lord will speak a final brief word of justice, a word throughout the world.* Our Lord Jesus Christ came for all mankind. He gathered together male and female, the learned and the unlearned, the old and the young and taught them his saving doctrine. He did not want his disciples to be burdened by memorizing his teaching; he made a complete summary of his commands such as was necessary for a trusting faith, and could be quickly learned.

Thus he summarized his teaching on the mystery of eternal life and its meaning with an admirable, divine brevity: *And eternal life is this: to know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you sent.* Again, in quoting the first and the greatest precept of the law and the prophets, he spoke in the same way: *Listen, Israel, the Lord your God is one Lord, and: you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength. This is the first commandment. The second is like it: You must love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depends all that is contained in the law and the prophets.* On another occasion the Lord said: *Always treat others as you would like them to treat you: that is the meaning of the law and the prophets.*

God taught us to pray not only by his words, but also by his actions. He taught us by his own example for he often prayed on our behalf. The Scripture says: *He withdrew to the wilderness and prayed.* And again: *He went into the hills to pray and he spent the whole night in prayer to God.*

Was the sinless Lord praying for himself? No, he was paying and interceding on our behalf. He explained this to Peter: *Behold Satan demanded that he might sift you like wheat, but I have prayed for you that your faith may not fail.* Later on he prayed to the Father for everyone: *I am not praying for these only, but also for those who will believe in me through their preaching, that they may be one; just as you Father, are in me, and I in you, that they also may be one in us.* God loves us; for the sake of our salvation he is generous towards us. He is not satisfied with redeeming us by his blood. He also prays to the Father on our behalf. Consider the love exemplified in that prayer. The Father and Son are one; we too are to abide in that oneness.

Religious Education News

By Edwinia Rivas, Director of Religious Education

“What you are is God's gift to you, what you become is your gift to God.”

— Hans Urs von Balthasar

Thank you to all the volunteers thus far for stepping forward to teach religious education to our youth.

We are still missing just one more individual to lead our middle school youth (6th, 7th, & 8th).

Quick reminder dates are:

August 18, 2019—Meeting with our volunteer educators and DRE 3pm at St. Patrick's Parish Hall in Chama.

August 25, 2019—Meet/Greet & Register your kiddos for a fun filled year of Faith Formation at 3pm at the San José Parish Hall in Los Ojos.

August 26, 2019—Religious Education begins in Los Ojos after school at the San José Parish Hall.

September 4, 2019—Religious Education begins in Chama after school at the St. Patrick Parish Hall.

EL VALLE CATOLÍCO SAN JOSÉ, SANTO NIÑO & ST. PATRICK PARISHES

August 17 & 18, 2019

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Confessions: Saturday, August 24, 2019 will be held at St. Patrick/Chama at 3:00 p.m and after Mass in Cebolla, Sunday, August 25, 2019 San José, Los Ojos-1st Saturday ~ St. Patrick, Chama-2nd & 4th Saturday ~ Santo Niño, Tierra Amarilla-3rd & 5th Saturday San Juan Nepomuceno, Canjilón-1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays after Mass ~
Santo Niño de Atocha, Cebolla-2nd and 4th Sundays after Mass

Baptisms: By prior arrangement with Fr. Ted Butler and attend Baptismal Preparation Class: Call Offices to Register.

Marriages: By prior arrangement with Fr. Ted Butler (6 months before wedding date)

Funerals: Please contact the Parish Offices before making final arrangements/dates. Masses will be at 11:00 am

FORMED Website: Register at FORMED.org Parishioners, enter code: 8HKJKQ

El Valle Catolico Prayer Group: 2nd Friday of the month at Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel of St. Patrick Church in Chama at 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Daily Readings

Sunday, August 18, 2019
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
JER 38:4-6, 8-10
PS 40:2, 3, 4, 18
HEB 12:1-4
LK 12:49-53

Monday, August 19, 2019
Monday of the Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
JGS 2:11-19
PS 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43AB AND 44
MT 19:16-22

Tuesday, August 20, 2019
Memorial of Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church
JGS 6:11-24A
PS 85:9, 11-12, 13-14
MT 19:23-30

Wednesday, August 21, 2019
Memorial of Saint Pius X, Pope I
JGS 9:6-15
PS 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
MT 20:1-16

Thursday, August 22, 2019
Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
JGS 11:29-39A
PS 40:5, 7-8A, 8B-9, 10
MT 22:1-14

Friday, August 23, 2019
Friday of the Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
RU 1:1, 3-6, 14B-16, 22
PS 146:5-6AB, 6C-7, 8-9A, 9BC-10
MT 22:34-40

Saturday, August 24, 2019
Feast of Saint Bartholomew, Apostle
RV 21:9B-14
PS 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18
JN 1:45-51

Sunday, August 25, 2019
Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
IS 66:18-21
PS 117:1, 2
HEB 12:5-7, 11-13
LK 13:22-30

Masses at San José

Sundays 10:00 a.m.
Fridays 9:00 a.m.
First Friday Devotion 8:00 a.m.

Masses at St. Patrick

Saturday 7:00 p.m.
Sundays 8:00 a.m.
Mondays & Wednesdays 9:00 a.m.
First Saturday Devotion 8:00 a.m.
Spanish Mass: 4th Sunday of month 5:00 p.m.
Blessed Sacrament Adoration:
Monday starting 10:00 a.m. through
Wednesday 9:00 a.m.



Masses at Santo Niño

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Thursday 9:00 a.m.
Blessed Sacrament Adoration:
Wednesdays starting 12:00 noon
through Fridays 12:00 noon

Masses at San Juan Nepomuceno/Canjilón

1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday, 12:30 Noon
Communion Service: 2nd and 4th Sunday,
12:30 Noon
Blessed Sacrament Adoration:
Sunday 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. and
Monday 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.
Masses at Santo Niño de Atocha/Cebolla
2nd and 4th Sunday, 12:30 Noon

Organization Meetings / Activities

***Al-Anon.** Gatherings are on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Chama Senior Citizen's Center.

***AA Meetings** are on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Chama City Hall.

***IT'S TIME TO BE FREE FROM ADDICTION** - La Clinica del Pueblo is proud to announce our new Substance Abuse Program, called KIN (KICK IT AND NAIL IT). We also have a Medication Assistance Treatment Program (MAT). Please call 575-588-9506 for an appointment.

***Knights of Columbus** Santo Niño Council #4445 Monthly meeting will be held **Tuesday, September 3, 2019**. Check with Officers for exact location. Officers meeting at 6:30 p.m. and General meeting at 7:00 p.m.

To subscribe to the **free PMD Express newsletter** from the Archdiocese of Santa Fe Pastoral Ministries Division, or if there is an address change please contact Denise Frias at dfrias@archdiocf.org or 505-831-8165.

12th Annual Blue Mass will be held **Tuesday, September 24, 2019** at Noon at St. Jude Thaddeus in Albuquerque. For First Responders, family, friends, and supporters. Inquiry call Office of Worship at 505-831-8194

"Retrouvaile" (re-tro-vi; long i) is a Christian peer-ministry that helps couples in struggling marriages. It means "Rediscovery," and helps husbands and wives rediscover each other and why they feel in love. The program begins again on Sept 13-15, 2019. Brochures are available in the front entry.

Catholic Engaged Encounter Retreat: November 1-3, 2019 held at Madonna Retreat Center 4040 St. Joseph's Place NW on St. Pius Campus, Albuquerque, NM. Questions, call the Office of Family Life 505-831-8117 or www.abqsfec.org

Office of Worship Announcements from Maria Garcia, Secretary Office of Worship Archdiocese of Santa Fe
***RCIA 103:** Saturday, September 7, 2019 from 9am to 3:30pm in Rosario Hall at Holy Rosary. A Walk through the Rites: Rite of Acceptance, Rite of Welcome, Exorcisms, Scrutinies, Rite of Sending, Holy Saturday and Easter Vigil. You will be "walking through" these Rites. Cost \$10. Must Register by August 31, 2019 at https://form.jotform.com/Angelak/registration-form_rcia-103

***Music Minister Leader/Coordinator Meeting:** SW Deanery at San Clemente (244 Luna Rd. NE, Los Lunas, NM 87031) English: Saturday, September 14, 2019 from 10am to Noon. Spanish: Saturday, September 14, 2019 from 1pm to 3pm Please confirm your attendance by email to Maria Garcia at the Office of Worship.

***Archdiocese of Santa Fe Office of Worship Pastoral Musician Weekend:** Night of Music and Prayer, Friday, November 22, 2019, at St. Joseph on the Rio Grande at 6:30pm Cost: Free!

***Formation Day:** Saturday, November 23, 2019, Santa Maria de la Paz in Santa Fe at 8:30am Cost: \$10 (includes lunch)

"The Church affirms the inviolable dignity of every person, regardless of the duration or extent of the person's incapacity or dependency. Nothing diminishes the unchangeable dignity and sanctity of a person's life, or the obligation to protect and care for it." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Catholic Considerations for Our Earthly Passing"

- Sat. Aug 17 5:00 p.m. Santo Niño/TA**
To Father Pio for the health of all daughters by Lupe Martinez
Birthday Blessings for Eddie Quintana on June 19
†Phillip Montoya, †Elaine Montoya and †Isacc Montoya, Jr.
by Mr. and Mrs. Salvador Samora
- Sat Aug 17 7:00 p.m. St. Patrick/Chama**
To St. Anthony for favors received by Don and Angie Valdez
To San Martin de Porres for the repose of the soul of †Eppie Gallegos by the family
†Loyola Vigil by Joe Vigil
- Sun Aug 18 8:00 a.m. St. Patrick/Chama**
For all the people of the parishes
To the Sacred Heart of Jesus for a special intention by Ruby Atencio
†Santiago, †Juanita and deceased siblings of Gloria Chacon by Gloria Chacon
- Sun Aug 18 10:00 a.m. San José/Los Ojos**
For all the people of the parishes
†Amanda Martinez, †Anthony Paul Martinez and †Leroy A. Martinez
by Robert, JoAnne and family
†Louis G. Ortiz and deceased family of Louis G. Ortiz by MaryAnn Ortiz and family
- Sun Aug 18 12:30 p.m. San Juan Nepomuceno/Canjilon**
†Sofia Olguin (Anniversary) and †Sherrie Martinez (Birthday) by Livia Olguin
†Jose Luis, †Filimeno and †Mike Gallegos by Henry and Kathy Gallegos
†Mary and †Diana Leyba and all deceased family members of †Tobias and †Mary Leyba by Theresa Beavers and family
- Mon Aug 19 9:00 a.m. St. Patrick/Chama Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**
For the intentions of the Blessed Mother and the intentions of her children
- Tue Aug 20 9:00 a.m. San José/Los Ojos Communion Service**
- Wed Aug 21 9:00 a.m. St. Patrick/Chama Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament**
For Archbishop John Wester and his intentions
- Thur. Aug 22 9:00 a.m. Santo Niño/TA**
To San Antonio for all deceased Esclavas de San Antonio from Cebolla by Lorraine and Fermin Abeyta
- Fri. Aug 23 9:00 a.m. San José/Los Ojos**
†Epimena Gallegos (1 month Anniversary August 24), †Enriques and †Antonia Gallegos by Henry and Kathy Gallegos and family
- Sat. Aug 24 5:00 p.m. Santo Niño/TA**
†Emilio, †Juanita and †Ernesto Samora by the family
St. Theresa of The Little Flower of Jesus for †Santiago, †Juanita and †Filiberto Garcia by Lupe Martinez
†Delfina Gutierrez (18th Anniversary), †Martha Delgado and †Louis Delgado by Eddie and Margaret Quintana
- Sat Aug 24 7:00 p.m. St. Patrick/Chama**
To the Blessed Trinity for favors received by Don and Angie Valdez
For the health of Lupe, Juanita and the Martinez family by Gloria Chacon
For the health of Rose Radanovich by Joe Vigil
- Sun Aug 25 8:00 a.m. St. Patrick/Chama**
For all the people of the parishes
†Simona Trujillo by Vickie Lazzell
†Antonia Rivas (Birthday) and deceased sons by Cornelia Martinez
- Sun Aug 25 10:00 a.m. San José/Los Ojos**
For all the people of the parishes
†Alice Martinez by M.G Martinez and family
†Enriques and †Irene Mercure by Elipio Mercure
- Sun Aug 25 12:30 p.m. Santo Niño de Atocha/Cebolla**
For the safety and well-being of Dominic Cordova and repose of the soul of †Lucrecia Velasquez (Anniversary)
by Max and Mary Martinez
†Ermiño Johnson and †Gilberto Martinez by Adriano Valdez
†Max D. Martinez (13 year Anniversary), †Gustavo Martinez (17 year Anniversary) and †Gilbert Martinez (59 year Anniversary)
by Alice Martinez
- Sun Aug 25 12:30 p.m. San Juan Nepomuceno/Canjilon Sunday Communion Service**
- Sun Aug 25 5:00 p.m. St. Patrick/Chama Spanish Mass**
For those individuals who are battling substance addiction that they may find God

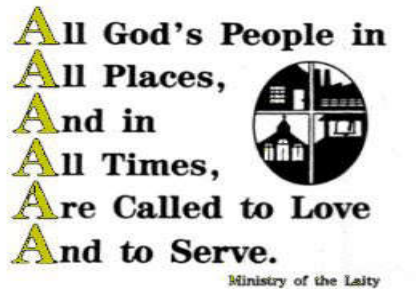


Collections/Attendance August 10 and 11, 2019				
	San José Parish	Santo Niño Parish	St. Patrick Parish	Mission:
Envelopes:	\$565.07	\$152.00	\$422.60	\$316.00
Loose:	\$196.64	\$252.00	\$360.00	\$184.00
Designated Donation:	\$116.00	\$110.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Attendance:	117	Not Reported	126	Not Reported
ACA 2019 Goal:	\$6,000.00	\$2,500.00	\$5,000.00	Canjilon Bldg Fund: \$50.00
Pledged:	\$3,095.00	\$1,250.00	\$2,345.00	Cebolla Bldg Fund: \$0.00
Total paid:	\$2,895.00	\$1,250.00	\$1,895.00	
2019 Actual Shortfall:	\$3,105.00	\$1,250.00	\$3,105.00	
			Bldg. Loan Collect:\$317.00	

Valley Wide Assignments for the week...
SJSN Collection Counters Monday, August 19, 2019 at 9 am: Marie March and Carla Lucero

SANTO NIÑO, August 24, 2019	ST. PATRICK, August 24, 2019	Santo Niño de Atocha/Cebolla, August 25, 2019
Lectors: Manuel Trujillo and Chris Casaus	Richard and Juanita Atencio	Alice Martinez
Gifts: Jose and Rosario Jaramillo	Volunteers	Volunteers
EMHC: Fermin Abeyta and Agripina Salazar	Ray and Roberta Martinez	Sophie Martinez and Abraham Baca
Ushers: Fernando Chavez and Joey Quintana	Volunteers	Volunteers
Servers: Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Cleaners: Hema Ulibarri and Tatum Terrazas	Johanna, Tara and Reyes	Juanita and Sabino Salazar

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San Juan Nepomuceno/Canjilon, August 25, 2019 Communion Service:
Lectors, Ushers, Servers & Cleaners: Volunteers



Valley Wide Church Announcements...

For those close to death: May they persevere in their final days with their eyes fixed on Jesus in hope of the heavenly joy that awaits them;
We pray to the Lord:

Please **pray** that the upcoming Santo Niño Parish Fiesta is a success. ~Fr. Butler

Santo Niño Fiesta (August 31-September 1): Many raffle tickets available for purchase. Contact Anna Jaramillo to purchase your raffle tickets. **Raffle Prize donations are due by August 22.** Donations for cash bingo payouts, prize bingo prizes, food, paper goods, help, etc. are being accepted and greatly appreciated. Please contact Mayordomos, Melvin and Anna Jaramillo, to donate to the Fiesta or with any questions. You may turn in your donations to the Parish office as well. Your volunteer time, talent and treasure is most appreciated! **NOTE: The 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday, August 31, 2019 will be celebrated at San José/Los Ojos. The 10:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, September 1, 2019 will be celebrated at Santo Niño/Tierra Amarilla. This is to accommodate the Santo Niño Fiesta celebration at Santo Niño Parish on that day. Please plan accordingly.**

Santo Niño Parish is in **need of new Mayordomos** for the coming year! The exchange and installation will take place at the annual Santo Niño Fiesta Mass September 1, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.. If you are being called to this ministry, please contact current Mayordomos: Melvin and Anna Jaramillo at 575-588-7688.

San José Parish is in **need of new Mayordomos** beginning in October! The exchange and installation will take place Sunday, October 13, 2019 at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Pray about this important ministry and if you are being called to this ministry, please contact the Parish Office to sign up.

All ministries including but not limited to the liturgy of the Mass are in **need of volunteers at all three Parishes and Missions!** From Altar Servers, Collection Counters, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, Religious Education Teachers to Mayordomos, Sacristans, Church Cleaners and Grounds Keeper(s). **Please pray about these important ministries. These ministries are needed for our Parishes to thrive. Contact the Parish Offices for more information and to sign-up.**

Offertory Envelopes and Parishioner Database Updates: Database updates will be taking place soon, so please contact the Parish Offices to double check your information is correct. A few reminders: **Any Catholic 18 years or older is encouraged to register as an individual parishioner, not under their parents' names/registration.** Parishioner's boxed sets that are not picked up will be changed to inactive status. If a parishioner is **not attending Mass and not using their envelope, their registration will be changed to an inactive status due to inactivity after 6 months.** Usage of your envelope, allows for the parish staff to produce End of the Year tax statements. These updates assist not only the parish staff but the Archdiocese of Santa Fe staff as well i.e. the Annual Catholic Appeal office and the ParishSoft database office. Thank you for your cooperation.

Thank you to Angela Vigil for your service to St. Patrick and its Missions over the past 10 years. We wish you the best in your future endeavors. **If anyone would like to work at St. Patrick Parish Office, please schedule an appointment with Fr. Butler.**

See the flyer posted on the bulletin boards about attending a one-day conference in Dallas, Texas on October 12, 2019 regarding **Modern Fertility Awareness for Precision Women's Health.** To learn more and to register visit FACTSaboutFertility.org/learn-more/conferences ~From: Fr. Butler