



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, December 29th.

6:00 p.m. Clifford Brito by Emily Brito

Tuesday, December 30th.

6:30 p.m. †Clifford Brito (Happy B-Day) by Emily Brito & Mykael
†Elias Maez by Ron & Gloria Salazar

Wednesday, December 31st - Anticipated Holy Day Mass.

6:00 p.m. †Clifford Brito by Emily Brito
†Teddy Otero by Kathy Otero
†Rick M. & †Rick W. by Kathy Otero

Thursday, January 1st, 2009 - Holy Day of Obligation.

10:00 a.m. †Domis Griego by Teofila Griego & Family
†Elias Maez Jr. & Maez Family by Kennedy Family

Friday, January 2nd, 2009

8:00 p.m. **FIRST FRIDAY MASS - FOLLOWED BY
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**
†Castulo Sr., †Art Sr. & †George Moya Sr. by Erlinda Moya
†Dion Romero by Grandma Apodaca
†Dennis, †Rose & †Eloy Baca by Mary Lee Charlton

Saturday, January 3rd, 2009.

6:00 p.m. †Jimmy Joe Baca by Jimmy & Lillian Baca & Family
†Walter Keller by Elaine Ruten
†Elias Maez Jr. & †Jimmy Joe Baca by Joe & Filo Otero & Family

Sunday, January 4th, 2009.

8:00 a.m. †Clifford Brito by Martin Garcia Choir Group
†Manuelita Garcia by Emily Brito
†Margaret Garcia by Emily Brito
9:30 a.m. †Elias Chavez & †Armida Otero by Merlinda Perea
Int. of Connelly/Gonzales Family & †Michael Gonzales
by Dad & Mom
11:15 a.m. †Rose Baca (2nd Ann.) by Mary Lee Charlton & Family
†Michael McCoy (2nd Ann.) by Family

COLLECTION REPORT:

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NEW PARISHIONERS

Are requested to register at the parish office.

CONFESSIONS - SATURDAY FROM 4:00 - 5:00 P.M. OR BY APPOINTMENT

MARRIAGES

Arrangements must be made with the parish priest at least 6 months
prior to wedding date.

BAPTISMS

Parents must arrange the Baptism of their child in advance in the
parish office, and all necessary paperwork must be completed by the
1st week of the month. Parents and Sponsors must attend **ONE**
instruction class in preparation for Baptism. Sponsors **MUST**
be registered and active in a parish; married in the Catholic Church; and
be baptized and confirmed in the Catholic Church. Class instruction
is on the **1ST SATURDAY** of every month - 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. in the
parish hall. Baptisms take place on the **3RD SUNDAY** of every
month.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLUE ARMY: Rosary every Monday - 10:00 a.m. Any
parishioner who would like to have the statue of the Blessed Mother
in your home and joining us in praying the rosary, you are asked to
please call Rebecca Cordova - 869-2863.

LEGION OF MARY: Every Thursday, 10:00 a.m., in the parish
hall. We welcome new members.

3RD ORDER SERVANTS OF MARY: Meet on the last
Sunday of the month to pray the rosary at 12:15 p.m. A meeting will
take place following the rosary in the parish hall.

**BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE PAID FOR THE MONTH
OF DECEMBER FOR BLESSINGS RECEIVED BY TEOFILA
GRIEGO. FOR SANGRE DE CRISTO: PAID FOR SPECIAL
INTENTION—SONYA & ELIAS MAEZ FAMILY BY PATSY
MAEZ.**



“My eyes have seen your salvation,
which you prepared in sight of all the peoples,
a light for revelation to the Gentiles,
and glory for your people Israel.” - Lk 2:30-32

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MISSION STATEMENT: In
sharing with others our faith, experience, and earthly goods, we grow in
faith and are living the missionary call that goes out to all believers.
Our pastor, Fr. Hoi Tran, our ministers, and all our parishioners
extend our arms in welcome to all others not in our worshipping
community to worship with us and to assist us with your prayers and
charitable works as we walk our spiritual journey together.

.Readings for the Week of December 28, 2008

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3/Col 3:
12-21 or 3:12-17 or Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19/Lk 2:22-40
or 2:22, 39-40

Monday: 1 Jn 2:3-11/Lk 2:22-35

Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:12-17/Lk 2:36-40

Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:18-21/Jn 1:1-18

Thursday: Nm 6:22-27/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21

Friday: 1 Jn 2:22-28/Jn 1:19-28

Saturday: 1 Jn 2:29---3:6/Jn 1:29-34

Next Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

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CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR PARISH FAMILIES WHO ARE REPRESENTING THE HOLY FAMILY:

6:00 p.m. Mass - M/M Matthew (Denise) Sena & Family
 8:00 a.m. Mass - M/M Claudio (Nora) Moya & Family
 9:30 a.m. Mass - M/M

11:15 a.m. Mass - M/M Anselmo (Rebecca) Cordova & Family

JANUARY 1ST - THE FEAST OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, MOTHER OF GOD:

Is a Holy Day of Obligation, our Mass schedule is as follows: Anticipated Mass, Wednesday, December 31st, 6:00 p.m. in Peralta; Thursday, January, 1st, 10:00 a.m. in Peralta.

PLEASE NOTE: The parish office will be closed until Tuesday, January 6th.

PLEASE NOTE: Faith Formation, (CCD) classes will resume on Sunday, January 4th, (Confirmation Class). All other classes will follow on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, January 5th, 6th & 7th.

PLEASE NOTE: 2009 parish calendars will be distributed following all the Masses. Please one per family until we are sure all families have received one. Thank you!

ADVANCE NOTICE: LITURGY COMMITTEE: Will meet on Tuesday, January 6th, at 7:00 p.m. in the parish office.

PLEASE NOTE: Extra-Ordinary Ministers to the Homebound from the Bosque Farms and Peralta area are asked to please pick up your new homebound schedule in the Peralta sacristy following Mass.

Deliver Christ to the World

The Virgin Birth is more, much more than a Christmas story; it is a picture of how close Christ will come to you. The first stop on His itinerary was a womb. Where will God go to touch the world? Look deep within Mary for an answer. Better still, look deep within yourself. What He did with Mary, He offers to us! He issues a Mary-level invitation to all His children. If you will let me, I'll move in! What is the mystery of the Gospel? "Christ in you, the hope of Glory." (Col. 1:27). Christ grew in Mary until He had to come out. Christ will grow in you until the same occurs. He will come out in your speech, in your actions, in all your decisions. Every place you live will be a Bethlehem and everyday you live will be a Christmas. You, like Mary can and should and will deliver Christ into the world.

DID YOU KNOW? FROM THE CATHOLIC CATECHISM FOR ADULTS:

The Family and the Kingdom. Family ties are important but not absolute. Just as the child grows to maturity and human spiritual autonomy, so his unique vocation which comes from God asserts itself more clearly and forcefully. Parents should respect this call and encourage their children to follow it. They must be convinced that the first vocation of the Christian is to follow Jesus: "He who loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me, and he who loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me." Becoming a disciple of Jesus means accepting the invitation to belong to God's family, to live in conformity with His way of life: "For whoever does the will of my Father in heaven is my brother, and sister, and mother."

Altar Servers

- 1/3 6:00 p.m. Mass - Isaac Abeita
Ashley Abeita
Kathryn Miller
- 1/3 8:00 a.m. Mass - Kayla Armijo
Marky Santistevan
Jean Sanchez
- 9:30 a.m. Mass - Jon Esquibel
David Esquibel
Angelo Martinez
- 11:15 a.m. Mass - Vanessa Sanchez
Gabriel Niski
Miranda Niski

**LECTORS, COMMENTATORS
EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS**

- 1/3 6:00 p.m. Mass - Robert Wirt - Commentator
John Taylor - Lector
E. Ministers - Deacon Joe,
John Bowman & Linda Sanchez
 - 1/4 8:00 a.m. Mass - Ellen Santistevan - Commentator
Kathy Salazar - Lector
E. Ministers - Mark Santistevan,
Alexis Lopez & Theresa Lockhart
 - 9:30 a.m. Mass - Larry Esquibel - Commentator
Nicole Miller - Lector
E. Ministers: - Deacon Eddie,
Phillip Armijo & Veronica Siamu
 - 11:15 a.m. Mass - Emily Spulak - Commentator
Grace Spulak - Lector
E. Ministers - John Rader.
Linda Rader & Lupe Duncan
- Homebound Ministers: Los Lunas: Desiree Baca; Valencia: Alexis Lopez. Bosque Farms: Theresa Lockhart; Peralta: Maria Gonzalez.

Prayer to the Holy Family

O most loving Jesus, Who by Thy sublime and beautiful virtues of humility, obedience, poverty, modesty, charity, patience and gentleness, and by the example of Thy domestic life, didst bless with peace and happiness the family Thou didst choose on earth, in Thy clemency look down upon this household, humbly prostrate before Thee and imploring Thy mercy. Remember that this family belongs to Thee; for to Thee we have in a special way dedicated and devoted ourselves. Look upon us in Thy loving kindness; preserve us from danger; give us help in time of need, and grant us the grace to persevere to the end in the imitation of Thy Holy Family; that having revered Thee and loved Thee faithfully on earth, we may bless and praise Thee eternally in heaven.

O Mary, most sweet Mother, to thy intercession we have recourse, knowing that thy Divine Son will hear thy prayers.

And do thou, O glorious Patriarch, St. Joseph, assist us by thy powerful mediation, and offer, by the hands of Mary, our prayers to Jesus. Amen.