Old San Miguel Mission

One of The Oldest Catholic Churches in the United States

Míssíon Statement

"We Strive to Bring People Closer to God." (Adopted August 5, 2008)



Parish Vision Statement

We, the faith filled members of San Miguel Parish and its Missions, a part of the

Archdiocese of Santa Fe, find strength, unity and grace in the Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. As the voices and hands of Jesus in our time, our purpose is to express God's grace by offering Christian Love and

Service to each other and to everyone we meet. We reach out to the world in prayer, action and deeds in unity with the Holy Roman Catholic Church. (Adopted May 15, 2007)

Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. John Anasiudu Mike Ybarra **Deacons:**

Nick Keller

Religious Ed: Bernadette Zamora

Admin. Assistant: Annie Anaya **Business Manager:** Rowena Romero **Newman Center:** Deacon Nick Keller RCIA: Deacon Mike Ybarra

Gift Shop Rita Steinnerd

Parish Council Officers—2018

William Chavez **President** Frank Lewark **Vice-President** Lorraine Archuleta Secretary





Fourth Sunday of Advent December 23, 2018

Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. — *Luke 1:42*

OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Thursday 8:30 am—4:30 pm Closed during the Noon Hour from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. Friday: 8:30 am—12:00 Noon San Miguel 403 El Camino Real NW, Socorro, NM 87801

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MASS SCHEDULE:

SAN MIGUEL:

At San Miguel Church

Saturday: (Sunday Mass of Anticipation) 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am (Bi-lingual

10:00 am

Daily Mass & Communion Service is held at the **Guadalupe Chapel in the Office Building:**

Monday: (Communion Service) 5:30 pm **Tuesday:** 5:30 pm 9:00 am Wednesday, Thursday & Friday:

> **MISSION-SATURDAYS:** 7:00 pm

1st San Lorenzo, (Alamillo during Remodel) 2nd San Antonio, Luis Lopez 3rd La Sagrada Familia, Lemitar

4th San Jose, Luis Lopez 5th San Antonio, Alamillo

ST. MARY MAGDALENE-MAGDALENA:

Sunday: 12:30 pm

ST. PATRICK NEWMAN CENTER:

1st Monday of the Month 7:00 pm

(When Tech is in Session)

CONFESSIONS:

San Miguel Church Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm (Or Anytime by Appointment)

Magdalena 1st Sunday before Mass

BAPTISMS:

2nd & 4th Sundays of each Month—Parents must register their child at least two weeks before attending class. Baptism Class—1st Thursday of the Month 6:00 P.M. – Guadalupe Chapel

RCIA:

Monday 7:00 p.m. - Church Office Class Rooms. For information contact Deacon Mike Ybarra @ 835-2943

From the Desk of.....Fr. John Fourth Sunday of Advent December 23, 2018

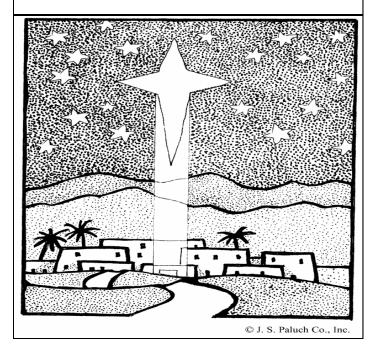
In a few days, we will be celebrating the birthday of Christ. Christ comes most readily to those who realize their need of him. When Prophet Micah was writing, Jerusalem was under siege and David's dynasty was in jeopardy. But salvation would come from a comparatively insignificant place (Bethlehem). From there a new leader would come to gather together the scattered exiles and unite the nation once more.

Christians see this promise as foreshadowing the coming of Jesus Christ, the prince of peace, who was born in Bethlehem and descended from the line of David. It was through Mary that God is seen to keep the promise announced through the Prophet Micah so long ago. The promise of God will take flesh in her and be formed in the person of Jesus.

In today's Gospel, Mary is blessed for believing "that the promises made her by the Lord would be fulfilled". In Mary we see someone who allows the promise of God to shape her whole life.

At Christmas we celebrate the great event that Jesus is the kept promise of God. He comes to us again as gift of the Father and invites us to have the confidence to make few promises ourselves. As Christians, we are a people of promises, and God holds fast to the words of promises we have made to Him.

As advent closes, we thank God for keeping His word to us, and ask Him to help us keep our word to Him and to each other.



MINISTRIES & SPECIAL CLASSES

THE SAN MIGUEL GIFT SHOP IS OPEN DAILY MONDAY THRU THURSDAY 10:00 AM TO 4:00 PM & FRIDAY—10:00 AM TO 12:00 NOON

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Every Friday following the 9:00 am Mass until Noon.

Litany of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus: Every First Friday of each month following the 9:00 A.M. Mass

Mass and Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary: Every First Saturday of each month at 9:00 A.M.

Legion of Mary: Thursdays – 4:30 P.M. at Church Office Conference Room. For information on Pilgrim Virgin visits, enthronements, and home visits for the sick and shut ins, call: Mayme Aragon, Secretary; 575-517-6031

Matthew 25: 1st Thursday of the Month; 12:00 Noon; Parish Office. For information call Ann Hook @ (575)838-4517

Catholic Daughters: Every Second Thursday of the Month. 6:00 P.M.—San Miguel Parish Hall. For information please call Patricia Landavazo @ 575-418-7062

Knights of Columbus: Second Wednesday of the Month @ 7:00 P.M. at the K of C Hall on Highway 60 West w/Corporate Communion every 2nd Sunday of the Month @ 10:00 a.m. Mass.

Atlar Servers: Third Thursday of the Month 6:30 p.m. at the San Miguel Church.

Newman: (New Mexico Tech Students) Meet on Thursdays, 7:00 pm at St. Patrick's Newman Center; 801 School of Mines Rd. Mass is celebrated every first Thursday at 7:00 pm at the Newman Ctr. Chapel. (Note: During School Session)

Baptism Class: Mandatory Baptism Class for Parents and Godparents is held on the First Thursday of each month at 6:00 pm at Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel in the Church Office. Parents must make arrangements for the Baptism at the Church Office at least two weeks prior to the class.

ALL PAPERWORK MUST BE COMPLETE PRIOR TO THE CLASS. Next Class: Thursday, January 3, 2019; 6:00 P.M.; Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel-Church Office



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

REMINDER: DAILY MASS IS HELD AT THE GUADALUPE CHAPEL IN THE OFFICE BUILDING

Monday, December 24, 2018 (Christmas Eve-Family Mass) 5:00 +Lawrence Torres By: Mary Torres & Far

By: Mary Torres & Family PM +Herman Montoya By: Cecilia Montoya +Doris Long By: Diana & Lorraine Monday, December 24, 2018 (St. Mary Magdalene-Magdalena)
7:00 +M/M Yoman Lasley By: Ivan Lasley

PM +Dina Latasa (20th Ann) By: The Family +M/M Lucas Serrano By: The Kerr Family

Tuesday, December 25, 2018 (San Miguel—Midnight Mass)

12:00 +Lala Fraissinet By: The Fraissinet Family Mid- +David Flores By: His Mom & Dad night +Marcella Archuleta By: Eric Archuleta

Tuesday, December 25, 2018 (Christmas Day)

By: Heidi Guerra 9:00 +Ankuh Rogelj (3rd Ann) **AM** +Rufina Gonzales By: Eric Archuleta +All Deceased Members of By: The Family The Chavez/Ulibarri Family

Wednesday, December 26, 2018

NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE

Thursday, December 27, 2018

9:00

COMMUNION SERVICE AM

Friday, December 28, 2018

9:00

COMMUNION SERVICE AM

Saturday, December 29, 2018 5:00 +Rafaelita Zamora

By: Mary Zamora & Family By: Mary Torres & Family PM +Lawrence Torres +Theresa Vigil Ulibarri By: Ann Hook

NO MISSION MASS

Sunday, December 30, 2018

By: Their Children 8:00 +M/M Ernest P. Gonzales

By: Jose y Yolanda Gonzales **AM** +Sr/Sra Emilio Rivera

+M/M Ramiro Rodriguez By: Joe & Millie Lopez

10:00 +Shiela Porath By: Cecilia Montoya **AM** +Martin "Marty" Lopez By: Lola Otero +M/M Bart Long By: Diana & Lorraine

(NO MASS AT ST. MARY MAGDALENE—MAGDALENA)



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Weekday of 4th Week of Advent/Christmas Eve 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5,

27, 29; Lk 1:67-79

Tuesday: The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)

Vigil: Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25 [18-25]

Night: Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-3, 11-13;

Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14

<u>Dawn</u>: Is 62:11-12; Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12;

Ti 3:4-7; Lk 2:15-20

Day: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1-6; Heb 1:1-6;

Jn 1:1-18 [1-5, 9-14]

Wednesday: Feast of St. Stephen, First Martyr

Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 8ab,

16bc, 17; Mt 10:17-22

Thursday: Feast of St. John, Apostle and Evangelist

1 Jn 1:1-4; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Jn 20:1a, 2-8

Friday: Feast of the Holy Innocents, Martyrs

1 Jn 1:5 — 2:2; Ps 124:2-5, 7b-8; Mt 2:13-18 Mass of Anticipation for Sunday Obligation

Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28; Ps 128:1-5 or Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10; Col 3:12-21 [12-17] or 1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24; Lk 2:41-52

Sunday: Solemnity of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and

Joseph

Saturday:

Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28; Ps 128:1-5 or Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10; Col 3:12-21 [12-17] or 1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24; Lk 2:41-52

SANCTUARY LAMP OFFERINGS & INTENTIONS

In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph..... By: Belinda & Jared

For the Intentions of her Children and Grandchildren......

By: Valerie Moore

3) For the Intentions of All Soldiers & Veterans.....

Rv. Luz Barreras

For Soul of Charles Anthony Torres.....

By: Mom & Dad

For the Soul of Johnny D. Lucero..... By: The Family

For the Soul of Walter Ulibarri & the Health of Mary Lou Chavez and John Armijo...... By: Sally & Demitra Ulibarri

In Loving Memory of Trini Padilla.....

By: Belinda & Jared

For the Souls of Levi & Ruth Del Curto.....

By: Mary Soto

For the Soul of Clorinda Miller..... By: The Family

10) For the Soul of Jesus M. Barela.....

By: The Family

11) For the Soul of George O. Miller..... By: The Family

12) For the Soul of Gene Torres.....

By: The Family

13) For the Souls of M/M Frank Grandjean.....

By: Valerie Moore

14) For the Soul of David Grandjean.....

Bv: Valerie Moore 15) For the Soul of Steven Grandjean.....

By: Valerie Moore

Special Prayers

For All the Sick in Our Parish and Missions And

For the Families & Friends who have recently lost a loved one.... May the Lord be with You all during Your Time of Healing



Donations:	December 16, 2018	
Regular Collection:	\$	Thank
Matthew 25 Fund:		You!
Retired Religious:		
Christmas Flowers:		
Missions Trust Fund:		
Magdalena-Regular:		
Christmas Flowers:		



Total:

Due to Early Deadline, Collections will be reported in next issue!

Annual Catholic Appeal—2018 (2019) Archdiocese of Santa Fe



San Miguel ACA Goal—\$22,500.00



Total Pledged to Date: 28,095.00 **Total Paid:** 27,644.00

Thank You For Your Support!

Total Families 525



Total Families Pledged 113

The Annual Catholic Appeal Campaign for 2018 Is coming to a Close. If you have made a Pledge, Thank You!

Final Pledges are Due the Month of December.

The Campaign for 2019 will begin soon! If you have not pledged in the Past, Please consider Pledging & Donating in the coming year!

APOLOGETICS CLASS—2019

San Miguel Catholic Apologetics is offering "Catholic Apologetics-The Beginning" starting on Tuesday, January 22, 2019 @ 6:15 in the Capilla.

This class is an introductory course that is open to all, especially those who are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith. The class will cover a wide variety of topics including the Holy Bible, the real presence in the Eucharist, the Blessed Virgin Mary, the papacy, confession, the end times, the Second Coming, the Rapture, Heaven, Hell, Purgatory, and Indulgences along with many other topics.

Registration Forms are available at the San Miguel Catholic Church Office during regular business hours. Pre-registration is required.

CONFESSIONS—SATURDAYS 3:30 P.M.—4:30 P.M.

In order to allow Fr. John time to prepare for the 5:00 p.m. Mass, Father will only hear Confessions until 4:30 p.m. Please make every effort to be there during this time. Private Confessions are available upon request.

WELCOME!

Are you new to Socorro? San Miguel Parish Welcomes You and invites You to visit the Office to Register in the Parish.

The office is open Monday thru Thursday from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. & Closed from 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m. during lunch and on Friday from 8:30 a.m. until 12:00 noon.

If your not new to Socorro and are not sure if you are registered, please come in or call the office. Perhaps your family has grown or your children have moved away, records need to be updated. Children ages 18 and over should register as adults.

MATTHEW 25 MINISTRY

Sanctity of Life Awareness and Unity Day Mass, March and Rally

Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi, Santa Fe January 16, 2019

Anyone interested in carpooling to this event please contact Margaret Middleton at (575) 835-4641

Afternoon includes:

- Mass:
- March to Round House;
- · Talks; and,
- · Contact with legislators, if desired.

Come support our unborn and vulnerable brothers and sisters. Please respond by January 5, 2019.

At this January 16th Mass there will be a collection of items for babies and the elderly.

Thank you for supporting the agencies served by the Matthew 25 Fund. Items needed by these agencies may be left at the parish office. Some suggested items are:

- Nonperishable food;
- Laundry detergent (powder preferred);
- Diapers, size Newborn, 3, 4, 5 and 6;
- Baby wipes;
- Lip balm;
- Knit caps; and
- Toilet paper

The Solemnity of Mary Mother of God, **World Day of Peace**

All Faiths Welcome

Encouraged by Pope Francis to Pray for Peace The Matthew 25 Ministry will host a **Prayer Service for World Peace** January 1st at 2:30 PM San Miguel Church

Reception immediately following in the Capilla Dining Room

"Where two or three are gathered in my name, there I am in their Midst" Matthew 20:18



December 2018 Birthday Blessings

Special Birthday Blessings and Prayers for:

Brady Bruton—December 1, 2018
Don Boyd—December 3, 2018
Ritchie Gutierrez—December 10, 2018
Josie Chester—December 12, 2018
Anthony P. Baldonado—December 17, 2018
Marianne Porter—December 17, 2018
Adrienne Baca—December 17, 2018
Jack W. Bruton—December 18, 2018
Denise Porter—December 20, 2018
Christina Carnagey—December 25, 2018
Kristina Anaya Andazola—December 25, 2018
Rufie Montoya—December 28, 2018



Religious Ed Classes

•Religious Ed Classes—San Miguel (Grades K-8) & Confirmation Classes; (1st Year Grades 9-11), (2nd Year must have completed 1st year Class)

Classes will begin on Sunday—September 9, 2018 Following the 10:00 a.m. Mass

•Religious Ed Classes—St. Mary Magdalene (Grades 1-3) in Magdalena on Sunday—11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

•Classes in San Antonio (Grades K-4) Meet

At the San Antonio School From 3:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. Parents must come into the school lunchroom to sign their student out.

ALL CCD STUDENTS MUST ATTEND MASS ON SATURDAY OR SUNDAY

For further information call Bernadette Zamora at (505) 302-8051 after 4:30 p.m. or the Church Office At (575) 835-2891 during office hours

Religious Ed Classes will Resume on January 6, 2019 Have a Blessed, Safe & Joyous Holiday Season!



 If you have a family member, friend or neighbor who is ill and would like the sacrament of anointing for the sick please call the church.

•If you have a family member or know of someone who is ill and unable to come to church that wishes to receive Communion, to please call the church office to have them placed on a list.

2018



12/23 Sun

6 PM

Deacon Nick & Nadine Keller – San Lorenzo 446 B Frontage Rd., Polvadera, NM

The San Miguel Church Office Will be Closed From Monday, December 24, 2018 Until Tuesday January 2, 2019

The Gift Shop Will be Closed From Monday, December 24, 2018 Until January 22, 2019.



