



Basilica of San Albino

Established 1852

Roman Catholic Church

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Gift Store

2270 Calle Principal, Mesilla, NM (north side of office) 12:00 pm— 4:00 pm Monday-Sunday

MASS TIMES

4:30 pm Saturday (English) 8:00 am Sunday (Spanish) 9:30 am Sunday (English) 11:00 am Sunday (English) 9:00 am Monday—Friday (English)

9:00 am First Saturday (Every Month)

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

First Friday of every month, after 9:00am Mass and by appointment—please call the office

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION: in the confessional

Saturday (Sábado) 3:15pm - 4:10pm Thursday (Jueves) 5:30pm - 6:30pm Or by appointment - please call the office

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Monday through Friday 8:00am - 8:45am, Monday 6:30pm - 7:30pm (Bilingual) (Livestream) Thursday 8:00am - 8:45am and 3:00pm - 9:00pm Friday 10:00am - 4:00pm (subject to change) Saturday 3:15pm - 4:15pm

Cemetery: 3131 Calle de Guadalupe, Mesilla Open Daily: 7:00am - 5:00 pm (Subject to change)

Yannes Hall

2261 Calle de Guadalupe

Fourth Week of Lent MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 9, 2024

4:30 pm Collective Mass Intention

†Amador &†Vangie Apodaca by family

†Gary & †Beth McDonald

†Esie Bustamante

†Cynthia & †Thelma Plummer

†Ardythe Griffin by family

Sunday, March 10, 2024

8:00 am

†Mike Estrada by family

9:30 am Collective Mass Intention

†Leticia "Tish" Segovia by family

†Orlando Garcia

*For all parishioners from by Fr. Christopher

*For all souls in purgatory by Ida Ojinaga

†Francisco Rivas by Behnke family

Monday, March 11, 2024

9:00 am

*St. Benedict

*St. Joseph

Tuesday, March 12, 2024

9:00 am

*Tawny Aguirre - Birthday by Teresa Corral Wednesday, March 13, 2024

9:00 am

†Dan Estrada

Thursday, March 14, 2024

9:00 am

†Lita Apodaca by Behnke family

Friday, March 15, 2024

9:00 am

†Penina Slotnick

Saturday, March 16, 2024

4:30 pm Collective Mass Intention

†Don & †Eleanor Biad

†Raymundo Lujan

†Bertha Lujan

†Gregorio Lopez by family

†Peter McGrath by Darlina McGrath

†Amelia Garcia by Darlina McGrath

Altar Servers Meeting

The Knights of the Altar are having a meeting on Sunday, March 17th from 12:15 to 1:45 pm in the church.

Youth Group Meeting

Wednesday, March 20th 5:30 to 7:00 pm in the parish hall.

Lenten Reconciliation Services

St. Albert the Great Parish March 13th at 7:30 p.m. Basilica of San Albino

March 14th at 5:30 p.m. **St. Genevieve Church**

March 15th at 6:30 p.m.



Stations of the Cross Every Friday of Lent 5:30 p.m.

Meatless soup will be served at the parish hall after praying the stations.

SPONSORS SCHEDULE

3/15 Linen Cleaners, Adorers, and Lectors

3/22 Docents, Choir Members, Young Couples, and Office Staff.

Easter Triduum

PASSION, DEATH, RESURRECTION March 28th—31st, 2024

Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00 pm (Bilingual)

Eucharistic Adoration until midnight

Good Friday

Stations of the Cross 3:00 pm Veneration of the Cross 7:00 pm

Holy Saturday

Paschal Vigil Mass 8:00 pm

Easter Sunday

Masses at regular schedule

I Am The Light of the World

"I am the light of the world."
When he had said this, he spat on the ground and made clay with the saliva, and smeared the clay on his eyes, and said to him, "Go wash in the Pool of Siloam", which means Sent. So he went and washed, and came back able to see.

Readings for the week of March 10, 2024

.**Sunday:** 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (6ab)/Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21

Scrutiny: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Monday: Is 65:17-21/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b/Jn 4:43-54 **Tuesday:** Ez 47:1-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 49:8-15/Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18/Jn 5:17-30

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20/Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12/Jn 7:40-53

Next Sunday: Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:3 -4, 12-13, 14-15 (12a)/Heb 5:7-9/ Jn 12:20-33

Scrutiny: Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7)/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

Last Week's Collection March 3, 2024

\$13,615.89

UIM \$ 180.00 2024 Goal: \$57,500

Thank you for your generosity. Gracias por su generosidad.



Saint Matilda

Ca. 895-968

Queen of Germany, wife of King Henry I (The Fowler), born at the Villa of Engern in Westphalia, about 895; died at Quedlinburg, 14 March, 968. She was brought up at the monastery of Erfurt. Henry, whose marriage to a young widow, named Hathburg, had been declared invalid, asked for Matilda's hand, and married her in 909 at Walhausen. which he presented to her as a dowry. Matilda became the mother of: Otto I, Emperor of Germany; Henry, Duke of Bavaria; St. Bruno, Archbishop of Cologne; Gerberga, who married Louis IV of France; Hedwig, the mother of Hugh Capet. In 912 Matilda's husband succeeded his father as Duke of Saxony, and in 918 he was chosen to succeed King Conrad of Germany. As queen, Matilda was humble, pious, and generous, and was always ready to help the oppressed and unfortunate. She wielded a wholesome influence over the king. After a reign of seventeen years, he died in 936. He bequeathed to her all his possessions in Ouedlinburg. Poehlden, Nordhausen, Grona, and Duderstadt.

It was the king's wish that his eldest son, Otto, should succeed him. Matilda wanted her favourite son Henry on the royal throne. On the plea that he was the first-born son after his father became king, she induced a few nobles to cast their

vote for him, but Otto was elected and crowned king on 8 August, 936. Three years later Henry revolted against his brother Otto, but, being unable to wrest the royal crown from him, submitted, and upon the intercession of Matilda was made Duke of Bavaria. Soon, however, the two brothers joined in persecuting their mother, whom they accused of having impoverished the crown by her lavish almsgiving. To satisfy them, she renounced the possessions the deceased king had bequeathed to her, and retired to her villa at Engern in Westphalia. But afterwards, when misfortune overtook her sons, Matilda was called back to the palace, and both Otto and Henry implored her pardon.

Matilda built many churches, and founded or supported numerous monasteries. Her chief foundations were the monasteries at Quedlinburg, Nordhausen, Engern, and Poehlden. She spent many days at these monasteries and was especially fond of Nordhausen. She died at the convents of Sts. Servatius and Dionysius at Quedlinburg, and was buried there by the side of her husband. She was venerated as a saint immediately after her death. Her feast is celebrated on 14 March.

Source: www.ewtn.com

Reproductive Rights
does not mean it is right
to kill a child in the
womb.
We believe in the sanctity
of life from conception
until natural death.



CHRISM MASS

Tuesday, March 19th, 2024 Immaculate Heart of Mary Cathedral 5:30 pm (Bilingual)

Everyone is invited to participate in the Holy Mass, in which the oils used for the Sacraments during the year are blessed. The priests of the diocese renew their priestly promises during this Mass.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas

Court Santa Cruz #1298

Is offering two \$500 Scholarships to senior girls who have completed their sacraments and have a 3.0 GPA or better.

Jessie C. Carabajal, Scholarship Chairman dacingjessie@msn.com 575-202-5769

Deadline: March 22, 2024

The Holy Rosary

Everyone is invited to pray the Rosary in the church on Sundays at 7:00 am, Mondays at 6:30 pm, and Thursdays at 8:00 pm.

Todos están cordialmente invitados a rezar el Rosario en la iglesia los domingos a las 7:00 am, lunes a las 6:30 pm, y los jueves a las 8:00 pm.

40 Days For Life – Prayer. Fasting. Vigil.

The Spring Campaign of "40 Days For Life" started on February 14th, 2024. We must plead for God's help to end the horror of abortion. For six consecutive Thursdays, from 3-5pm, beginning February 15 and ending March 21, 2024, the Basilica of San Albino is asking you to volunteer to pray peacefully on the public sidewalk of Planned Parenthood of the Rocky Mountains in Las Cruces. Please call the Parish Office for more information, and to sign up to be a prayer partner for one hour on these Thursdays. If you are not able to be physically present at those times, please consider praying and fasting on your own for the end of abortion.

Treats for the Homeless

On Friday, March 15th, we will be taking Chocolate Chip Cookies to the poor. Please call the office if you are available to bake some.

Coffee & Donuts on Sundays at 10:30

The Young Couples Group are sponsoring coffee and donuts after every 9:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday in the parish hall. All are welcome!

Baptisms have been scheduled for April 6th. All paperwork must be completed to register your child. Please register at the office by March 22nd.

The Knights of Columbus are collecting new socks of all sizes, along with our weekly food drive. Thank you for your donations.



Gift Shop

Gift shop hours are noon to 4:00 pm Monday-Sunday. You can find a selection of gifts for Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. We have

bibles, retablos, jewelry, new ornaments and many more items. Please visit the gift shop.

Parish Ministries

Homebound
Call the office
Marriage Prep - Host
Couples
Viviana & Nathan Coker
Leslie & Dino Cervantes
Charles & Teresa Perez
Mary & Rene Lujan
Lorenzo & Michelle Alba
John & Kathy Medina
Maria & Julio Ramirez
Gift Shop
Sharon Owen
Choir Leaders
L'30 nm Erapese Padilla

Choir Leaders
4:30 pm Frances Padilla
8:00 am Manuel Noyola
9:30 am Elena Roman
11:00 am Crystal Gonzales
Pianists: Andrew Medina
& Georgina Lavery

Altar Servers
Ronny Limon
Docents
Jim Yankovic
Funerals
Linda Misquez
Lectors
Becky Gomolka
Ex. Min. of Holy Communion
John & Kathy Medina
Altar Linens
Renee Williams
Youth Group Coordinator
Kathy Lestone

For information about these ministries please contact the parish office at 575-526-9349.

Parish Council Members

John Medina: President Lori Dahlstrom: Secretary Darlina McGrath Vicky Schneider Robert Owen

Finance Council Members Daniel Duffin: President Mary Lujan: Secretary

Mary Lujan: Keith A. Bird Gabe Anaya Bertha Lujan Sharon Owen

Please Pray for Our Sick & Homebound

If you know of a parishioner needing prayer please call the parish office to include them. Please call if there is a change.

Please Pray for Our Sick

Angel Baker Angelica Sandoval Berta Covey Bertha Alatorre Brizzi Zapata Carla Molina Chris Ayers Carmen Cardon Diana Roth Elena Escontrias Exander Sanchez Felicia Frietze-Rodriguez Fatima Aguilar Ortiz Gertrude Chavez James Anderson Joanna A. Grajeda Joel Rivera John Donovan

John F. Myers John Anderson Julie Loera Keith Bird Kimberley Gregoire Louie Ray Orona Louie Orona Leonard Cardon Leroy J. Carrillo Mary Kathleen Sims Maureen Anderson Maureen Castillo Mel Holquin, Jr. Patricia Calzada Ramona Avalos Rosa Gallegos Acosta Sandra Estrada Sidney Lopez

Sylvia Vasquez
Terry DiPiazza
Tom Carrillo
Xochitl Anguiano
Yolanda Boyle
Joanne Reynolds
Please Pray for Our
Homebound
Cecilia Padilla
Cecilia Guerrero
Estela Bejarano
Mary Branigan
Rosie Pacheco
Virginia & Lalo Maese

Viola Lucero

San Albino Calendar Recurring Events

Every 2nd Monday 6:00 pm Choir Practice (Sat 5:30 pm) Choir Practice (Sun 11 & 9:30 am) Religious Education First Communion Confirmation That Man is You

Knights of Columbus meeting (Hall) Monday 6:00 pm in the Hall Thursday 7:30 pm in the Hall Sunday 2:00 pm in the hall Wednesday, 5:30 pm in the Church Tuesday at 6:00 pm in the hall Saturday at 7:00 a.m. in the Hall