

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Mission: We are a dynamic and welcoming Catholic community, cooperating with God's grace for the salvation of souls, serving those in need, and spreading the Good News of Jesus and His Love.

Iglesia del Sagrado Corazón

Misión: somos una comunidad católica dinámica y acogedora, cooperando con la gracia de Dios para la salvación de las almas, sirviendo a aquellos en necesidad, y compartiendo la Buena Nueva de Jesús y Su amor.



Pastoral Team

Pastor:

Rev. Fr. Franklin Iwuagwu

Deacons:

Rev. Mr. Juan A. Rodríguez

Rev. Dr. Michael Rowley

Rev. Mr. Eric Nelson

Masses/Misas

Monday: 12:10pm

Tuesday: No Mass / No Misa

Wednesday: 12:10pm

Thursday: 7:00am

Friday: 12:10pm

Saturday/sábado: (Vigil/vigilia)

6:00pm (Spanish / en español)

Sunday: 8:30am, 10:30am & 5:00pm

St. Catherine's Mission in Melrose

1st Sunday of month/1er domingo del mes

@ 1:00pm

1st Saturday Mass / Misa del

Primer Sábado: 9:00am

2nd Saturday Mass / Misa del

Segundo Sábado: 9:00am

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Food Pantry/Despensa:

2nd & 4th Saturday/2º y 4º sábado:
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Office Hours/

Horario de la oficina:

Monday - Friday / lunes - viernes

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Lunch / Almuerzo

1 p.m. - 2 p.m.



December 1st, 2024 / 1 de diciembre, 2024

1st Sunday of Advent 1er domingo de Adviento

Welcome to Sacred Heart Church, where we embrace each other as family, just as Jesus taught us to love one another and share each other's burdens. We strive each day to grow a little kinder, a little better, guided by the light of our faith. We are thrilled to extend our warmest greetings to you as you join our community. We make it our mission to make you feel at home, starting with reserving you a seat among us. We invite you to explore our website or stop by the church office to learn more about how you can become an integral part of our parish family. We look forward to getting to know you and journeying together in faith. Remember Sacred Heart in your will!

Bienvenidos a la Iglesia del Sagrado Corazón, donde nos abrazamos como familia, así como Jesús nos enseñó a amarnos los unos a los otros y compartir las cargas de los demás. Aquí nos esforzamos cada día por ser un poco más amables, un poco mejores, guiados por la luz de nuestra fe. Estamos encantados de extenderle nuestros más cordiales saludos al unirse a nuestra comunidad. Nuestra misión es hacerle sentir como en casa, empezando por reservarle un asiento entre nosotros. Lo invitamos a explorar nuestra página web o pasar por la oficina de la iglesia para obtener más información sobre cómo puede convertirse en una parte integral de nuestra familia parroquial. Esperamos conocerle y caminar juntos en la fe. ¡Recuerda el Sagrado Corazón en tu testamento!

Confession Times/ Confesiones

**Mon., Wed. & Fri.
lunes, miércoles y viernes**

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Thurs. / jueves

6:30 a.m. - 7:00 a.m.

Sat./sábado: 4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration/ Adoración del Santísimo

**Wednesday / miércoles
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.**

**Thursday / jueves
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

**Friday / viernes
6:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

Pastor's Corner

Christmas Message for Our Parish Bulletin

Dear Beloved Parishioners,

Merry Christmas! With great joy and gratitude, I extend my warmest Christmas blessings to each of you and your families. As we gather in the glow of the Nativity, let us pause to reflect on the true meaning of this sacred season: **Emmanuel—God is with us!**



Christmas is far more than the exchange of gifts, twinkling lights, or festive meals. It is the celebration of the greatest gift humanity has ever received: **the birth of Jesus Christ, our Savior.** In the humble setting of a manger, the eternal Word became flesh and dwelt among us, bringing hope, peace, and redemption. The angels declared, *“Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to those on whom His favor rests”* (Luke 2:14). This message reminds us that Christmas is an invitation to rejoice in God’s love and share that love with one another.

This year, I urge all of us to embrace the beauty of Christmas by coming together as a parish family to celebrate the Christmas Masses and festivities. There is no better way to honor the birth of Christ than by gathering around His altar, where heaven touches earth. Here, in the Eucharist, Emmanuel continues to be present with us, nourishing our souls and strengthening our faith.

Let us make this Christmas a time to:

1. **Rejoice in the joy of the season.** Reflect on the mystery of God’s love, which took on human form for our salvation. Share this joy with others, especially those who may be lonely or in need.
 2. **Come together as a community of faith.** Join us for the liturgies and celebrations, where we will sing carols, proclaim the Gospel, and receive Christ in the Eucharist. Let’s make our church a home for everyone during this holy season.
 3. **Share the gift of Emmanuel.** Whether through acts of kindness, prayer, or fellowship, let us bring the presence of Christ to others, spreading the light of His love in a world that so desperately needs it.
- Christmas reminds us that we are never alone. In the Christ Child, God comes to us—humble, vulnerable, and full of love. Let us rejoice, for Emmanuel is with us now and always.

May the peace of Christ fill your hearts, may His light guide your steps, and may the joy of His birth bring new hope to your homes. Together, let us proclaim with the angels, *“Glory to God in the highest!”*

Blessings to you and your loved ones this Christmas and always,

Fr. Franklin



Weekly Faith Movies



We are having weekly faith movies every single **Wednesday at 10:00a.m.** The movies are shown in **Room One** and the topics of the movies vary from week to week. This is a great way to expand your knowledge of the faith and spend some time with your brothers and sisters in Christ. All are welcome to attend!

Christmas Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve - Tuesday, December 24th

Children's Mass - 4:00pm

Mass (Español) - 7:00pm

Christmas Day - Wednesday, December 25th

Mass - Midnight (12:00am)

Mass - 8:30am

Mass - 10:30am



Horario de Misas Navideñas

Noche Buena - Martes, 24 de diciembre

Misa para los Niños - 4:00pm

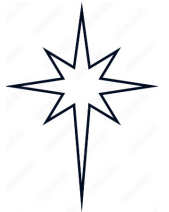
Misa (Español) - 7:00pm

Día de Navidad - Miércoles, 25 de diciembre

Misa - Medianoche (12:00am)

Misa - 8:30am

Misa - 10:30am



We are looking for families for our Posadas this December. If you are interested in volunteering to host an evening at your home, please contact Maria Aragonéz at 575-219-1214 or call the church office and they will place you in contact with her. The Posadas will go from ***December 16th to the 24th.***

Estamos buscando familias para nuestras Posadas de este **diciembre, del 16 hasta el 24.** Si estas interesada en recibir una en tu casa, contacta a Maria Aragonéz al 575-219-1214 o en la oficina de la iglesia para más información.

Adult Faith Formation Calendar 2024-2025

Adult Faith Formation is open to everyone. However, participation is **MANDATORY** for parents whose child(ren) is/are currently enrolled in Holy Communion I, Holy Communion II, Sacramental Prep. I, Sacramental Prep. II, Confirmation I, Confirmation II, and RCIC. Parents must attend 4 classes in order to fulfill the requirement. Sign-in sheets will be available in the rear of the church; please sign-in next to your child's name. Classes start at 6:00 pm.

Dec. 4 Spanish Class

Dec. 11 Spanish Class

Dec. 18 Spanish Class

Dec. 25 No Class (Christmas Break)

Jan. 1 No Class (Christmas Break)

Jan. 8 English Class

Jan. 15 English Class

Jan. 22 English Class

Jan. 29 English Class

Feb. 5 Spanish Class

Feb. 12 Spanish Class

Feb. 19 Spanish Class

Feb. 26 Spanish Class

Mar. 5 Attending Ash Wednesday will count as a class

Mar. 12 English Class

Mar. 19 No Class (Spring Break)

Mar. 26 English Class

Calendario de Formación en la Fe para Adultos 2023-2024

La formación de fe para adultos está abierta a todos. Sin embargo, la participación es **OBLIGATORIA** para los padres con hijos inscritos en Sagrada Comunión I, Sagrada Comunión II, Preparación Sacramental. Yo, Pep Sacramental. II, Confirmación I, Confirmación II y RCIC. Los padres deben asistir a 4 clases para poder cumplir con el requisito. Las hojas de registro estarán disponibles en la parte trasera de la iglesia; inicie sesión junto al nombre de su hijo. Las clases comienzan a las 6:00 pm.

4 de diciembre Clase en español

11 de diciembre Clase en español

18 de diciembre Clase en español

25 de diciembre No hay clases (vacaciones de Navidad)

1 de enero No hay clases (vacaciones de Navidad)

8 de enero Clase en inglés

15 de enero Clase en inglés

22 de enero Clase en inglés

29 de enero Clase en inglés

5 de febrero Clase en español

12 de febrero Clase en español

19 de febrero Clase en español

26 de febrero Clase en español

5 de marzo Asistir Miércoles de Ceniza contará como clase

12 de marzo Clase en inglés

19 de marzo No hay clases (vacaciones de primavera)

26 de marzo Clase en inglés

Religious Education

Grades Kindergarten to 5th, Sacramental Prep. 1&2:

Wednesdays, 6PM to 7PM

Grades 6th to Confirmation II:

Wednesdays, 7:20PM to 8:30PM

RCIC: Mondays, 6PM to 7PM

RCIA: Mondays, 6:15PM to 7:45PM

Educación Religiosa

Grados Kinder hasta 5, Preparación Sacramental 1&2:

Miércoles, 6PM - 7PM

Grados 6 hasta Confirmación II:

Miércoles, 7:20PM - 8:30PM

RCIN: Lunes, 6PM hasta 7PM

RCIA: Lunes, 6:15PM hasta 7:45PM



The food pantry operates each 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month at 9:00a.m. in an effort to help the less fortunate of God's children in our community. Thanks be to God, our Food Pantry is now the largest in Eastern New Mexico! Anyone interested in volunteering, please come at **8:30AM** or call **Mary Marez** at **575-693-0232** for further information.

We are only providing commodities outside of the gym. This drive-thru system will be in effect until further notice.

Many thanks to all those who donate their time and goods to this wonderful ministry!!!

ATTENTION!!! All donations are greatly appreciated. However, if you are donating to the Food Pantry, please ensure that all items are in their original packaging and are unopened. Also, no items past their best buy date will be accepted. Thank you for your generosity!



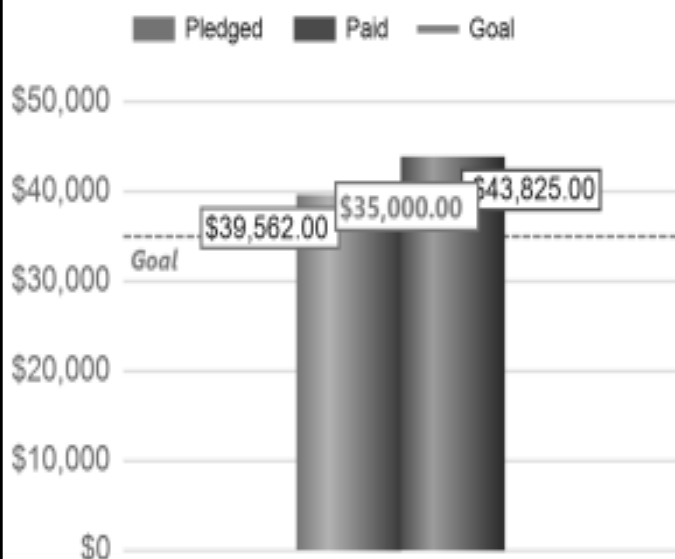
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Scan this QR code to give your donation or tithe to Sacred Heart Church online.



Congratulations to Sacred Heart Catholic Church as we have met and exceeded our Annual Catholic Appeal goal for the 2024 year! We would really like to raise our participation as only about 6% of registered parishioners gave this year. If everyone can give just a \$1, we can make this goal a parish-wide effort! God bless us all and thanks again to those who gave in order to meet our goal with months to spare!

¡Felicitaciones a la Iglesia Católica del Sagrado Corazón porque hemos alcanzado y superado nuestra meta de la Campaña Católica Anual para el año 2024! Realmente nos gustaría aumentar nuestra participación, ya que solo alrededor del 6% de los feligreses registrados donaron este año. Si todos pueden donar solo \$1, ¡podemos hacer de esta meta un esfuerzo de toda la parroquia! Dios nos bendiga a todos y gracias nuevamente a quienes donaron para alcanzar nuestra meta con meses de sobra.

Weekly Readings



Monday, December 2nd:

IS 2:1-5 *PS* 122:1-2,3-4b,4cd-5,6-7,8-9 *MT* 8:5-11

Tuesday, December 3rd: St. Francis Xavier

IS 11:1-10 *PS* 72:1-2,7-8,12-13,17 *LK* 10:21-24

Wednesday, December 4th:

IS 25:6-10a *PS* 23:1-3a,3b-4,5,6 *MT* 15:29-37

Thursday, December 5th:

IS 26:1-6 *PS* 118:1,8-9,19-21,25-27a *MT* 7:21,24-27

Friday, December 6th:

IS 29:17-24 *PS* 27:1,4,13-14 *MT* 9:27-31

Saturday, December 7th: St. Ambrose

IS 30:19-21,23-26 *PS* 147:1-2,3-4,5-6 *MT* 9:35—10:1,5a,6-8

Sunday, December 8th: 2nd Sunday of Advent

BAR 5:1-9 *PS* 126:1-2,2-3,4-5,6 *PHIL* 1:4-6,8-11 *LK* 3:1-6



Sacred Heart Prayer Warriors!

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, please contact Mary Shockley at (575)799-6402. She will place that individual that is

in need of prayer into a circle of prayer. Parishioners of Sacred Heart Church will then pray for those individuals to Almighty God. This is a wonderful ministry and privilege for us to be able to pray for you.

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Holy

Days of

Obligation

2024

January 1st -

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

May 9th -

Ascension of Jesus

August 15th -

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

November 1st -

All Saints Day

December 9th -

Immaculate Conception

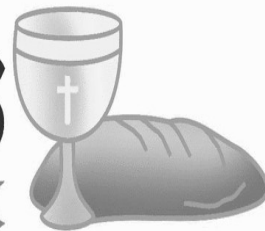
December 25th -

Nativity of our Lord, Jesus Christ



The Sacred Heart Men's Group meets every **Monday at 5:30 P.M.** in Room One in our school. This is a wonderful opportunity for Catholic Men to gather together in fellowship and grow in their faith. All men are invited to attend. We look forward to seeing you there!

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



Monday

12:10 PM

December 2nd, 2024

†Thomas Iwuagwu, †Stella Awoh Iwuagwu, Mario Trujillo Jr. (Birthday)

Tuesday

7:00 AM

December 3rd, 2024

No Mass

Wednesday

12:10 PM

December 4th, 2024

Gregory Bryant (Intercessions), †Blessed Stanley Rother (Canonization), Ben Martinez (Birthday)

Thursday

7:00 AM

December 5th, 2024

†Thomas Iwuagwu, †Stella Awoh Iwuagwu, †Teresa Weeks

Friday

12:10 PM

December 6th, 2024

†Thomas Iwuagwu, †Stella Awoh Iwuagwu, †Teresa Weeks

Saturday

6:00 PM

December 7th, 2024

Parish of Sacred Heart, †Maria del Socorro

Sunday

8:30 AM

December 8th, 2024

Gabriel Bryant & family, Bryant grandchildren, Kathleen Haynes-Burns (Blessings)

10:30 AM

†Florinda & †Nick Gallegos, Lawrence Robles (Healing)

5:00 PM

Marvin Campos, Marlon Lopez, & Ron Smith (Healing for all)

ESTUDIO BIBLICO EN ESPAÑOL

MARTES A LAS 6:30 PM
Todos cordialmente invitados.
En la biblioteca del Sagrado Corazón.

Contactos:

Lupe Sosa 575-218-9111
 Héctor Saucedo 575-291-6648



The Sacred Heart Youth Group is back in session!
 They meet on **Sundays from 6:15PM to 7:30PM** in the Room One in the school. Ages 13 through 12th grade are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Ministros—Sábado, 7 de diciembre, 2024 - 2do domingo de Adviento**Sacristanes**

6:00PM Carmen Sosa

Lectores

6:00PM Myrna Barraza & Diana González

Monaguillos

6:00PM Alejandro Gonzales, Gregory Bryant, & Naomi Ramos

Ministros Extraordinarios de Santa Comunión

6:00PM R-Tina Hernández L-Carmen Sosa

Ministers—Sunday, December 8th, 2024 - 2nd Sunday of Advent**Sacristans**

8:30AM Mary Shockley

10:30AM Anna Alexander & Jim Hicks

5:00PM Martha Campos

Lectors

8:30AM Mary Shockley & Lee Smith

10:30AM Libby Nichols & Francisco Rodriguez

5:00PM Martha Campos & Ebony Cooper

Altar Servers

8:30AM Noah Dybevik, Lizett Mendoza, George Hettinga, & Frank Hettinga

10:30AM Nykolás Sotelo, Jacob Gallegos, & Arabella Rodarte

5:00PM Carlos Bouchard, Justin Bouchard, & Devon Martínez

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

8:30AM *James Schoeffel, *John Schonberger, Kerry Sharer, Mary Shockley, Lee Smith, & Christy Gutiérrez

10:30AM *Silvia Cano, *Suzanne Ellis, Mariah Everett, Sara Gallegos, Mike Lysaght, & Jim Hicks

5:00PM R-Margaret Romero L-Jacquelyn Bonney

Tithes and Offerings - November 24th, 2024**Diezmos y Ofrendas - 24 de noviembre, 2024**

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