November 22, 2026

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessed is the Kingdom of our father David that is to Come!

(Mark 11:9,10)

¡Bendito el que viene el el nombre del Señor! ¡Bendito el que llega, el reino nuestro padre David!

(Marcos 11:9,10)

Our Lady of Sorrows Parish



Church Rectory: Calle de la Iglesia
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Missions
San Antonio in Abeytas
San Antonio in Sabinal
San Juan in Veguita
San Isidro in Las Nutrias
San Jose in Contreras

NEW OFFICE HOURS*
Mon & Thurs: 9am-3pm
Tues-Wed: 9am-4pm
Closed: Friday, Saturday & Sunday

Pastor/Sacerdote: Fr. Christopher Bernabe
Cell: 505-252-1446
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Parish Office: 505-864-4461
Secretary-Miranda Pino
Bookkeeper-Leticia Valenzuela

Religious Education
DRE-Jana Adams

Music Ministry-
Ken Armijo: 505-550-7170

Finance Council
Robert Chavez, President
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James Lucero, Secretary
Ken Armijo, Member
Bernadette Sinclair, Member
Lorraine Baca, Member

Pastoral Council Chair - Sandra Garcia
Homebound Eucharistic Ministers
James Chavez 505-620-4890
Rosa Armijo 505-363-2436
Tom BeeBee 212-470-7754

Altar Server Coordinator –Parish Office
St. Vincent De Paul- Ken Armijo President
505-302-0014 *LEAVE A MESSAGE*

Immaculate Conception- Holy Day Mass Schedule 3 masses

Liturgical Celebrations/Holy Days • *Horario de Misas/Dia de Precepto*
Time & Place may change/*La hora y el lugar pueden cambiar*

Nov.	26, 2026	**9:30am**	La Joya ***(Thanksgiving Mass)***
Nov.	29, 2026	**9:30am**	Contreras *5th* Sunday Mass *(No Vigil Prior)*
Dec.	05, 2026	**9:30am**	La Joya Unity Mass
Dec.	*07, 2026*	**6:00pm**	*La Joya* ***(Holy Day- Immaculate Conception Vigil)***
Dec.	*08, 2026*	**9:00am**	*Sabinal Mass* **6:00pm** *Las Nutrias Mass*
Dec.	12, 2026	**5:00pm**	Veguita (**Holy Day Vigil-*Our Lady of Guadalupe*)**
Dec.	13, 2026	**8:30am**	Sabinal Mass **10:30am** Veguita Mass

Daily Mass / *La Misa Diaria (Holy Hour before every Mass)*
Mon-Fri in La Joya • 8:00am-Adoration & 9:00am- Mass
• 8:00am First Friday Only, **Contreras** -Adoration & Mass.
WATCHING MASS ON TV OR ONLINE DOES NOT FULFULL YOUR SUNDAY OBLIGATION. If illness, injury, or age prevents you to attend, you're excused from your obligation. Also, please call Fr. Bernabe.

Anointing of the Sick/Unción del Enfermo
Call/llame al Fr. Bernabe: **505-252-1446**

Confessions/ *La Reconciliación/Confesiones*
30 Minutes before all the Masses or by appointment.
30 minuto antes de todas las Misas o por cita,

Baptism & Classes/*Bautismos y los clases*
Baptism Registration at parish office. Catholic parents **MUST** Baptize before child completes 40 days.
Baptism classes- By Appointment only.
Registro par un bautismo in la oficina, Preferentemente antes de que el niño nace. Los padres católicos **DEBEN** *bautizar a su hijo antes de que cumpla 40 días de nacido.*
Clases de bautismo- *Solo por cita.*

Quinceañeras:
Registro in la oficina 6 meses antes, asistir a su primer o segundo año clase de confirmación. También tendrán que participar en su parroquia, y que tendrán que asistir a un retiro religioso católica.

Marriage/*Matrimonios*: Call the Parish Office to set appt. Mandatory marriage prep classes required. OLS offers classes- a 6 month course. *Llame a la oficina parroquial para programar una cita. Requerido clases de preparación matrimonial obligatorio. OLS ofrece estas clases; un curso de seis meses de duración.*

MASS INTENTIONS AND WEEKLY SCHEDULE

November 22, 2026—November 29, 2026

Ez 34:11-12,15-17/ 1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/ Mt 25:31-46
Sunday November 22 ***Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe***
8:30am Abeytas Mass
✝ ***For All Living & Deceased Members of OLOS***
10:30am Las Nutrias Mass
• Birthday Blessings for Alisha Lujan
• Birthday Blessings for Monica Adkins by Angie Lovato
✝ Leo Lovato by Angie Lovato

Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/ Lk 21:1-4
Monday November 23 *St. Clement I, Pope & Martyr/ St. Columban, Abbot/Blessed Miguel Agustin, Priest & Martyr*
8:00am Adoration/ **9:00am** Mass- La Joya
6:00pm NO CCD/Clase de Educación Religiosa @ parish office/oficina parroquial

Rv 14:14-19/ Lk 21:5-11
Tuesday November 24 *St. Andrew Dũng-Lac, Priest & Companions, Martyrs*
8:00am Adoration/ **9:00am** Mass- La Joya

Rv 15:1-4/ Lk 21;12-19
Wednesday November 25 *St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin & Martyr*
8:00am Adoration/ **9:00am** Mass- La Joya

Rv 18;1-2, 21-23, 19:1-3/ Lk 21:20-28
Thursday November 26 *Thanksgiving Day*
9:30am Mass- La Joya



Rv 20:1-4. 11—21:2/ Lk 21:29-33
Friday November 27 *Weekday*
No Morning Mass

Rv 22:1-7 / Lk 21:34-36
Saturday November 28 *weekday*
5:00pm- No Vigil Mass Prior to 5th Sunday

Is 63:16b-17, 19b, 64:2-7/ 1 Cor 1:3-9/ Mk 13:33-37
Sunday November 29 ***First Sunday of Advent***
9:30am Contreras 5th Sunday Mass
✝ ***For All Living & Deceased Members of OLOS***

Pray:
Lord, today as I go through my ordinary routine,
allow me to see you in the faces I serve.
Instill my heart with peace so I may sit in your presence.
Teach me how to serve, and also how to be served.
I surrender all to you.
Your grace is enough for me. —Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS/ ANUNCIOS

NO Religious Education Class
Monday-Nov. 23rd
NO Clase de Educación Religiosa
NO *Clase el 23 de Noviembre*
OFFICE CLOSED for Thanksgiving!
¡Oficina cerrada el por el Día de Acción de Gracias!

It's that time of year!! Order your Luminarias $10/ Dozen- Email or call the parish office w/ your orders



¡¡Llegó esa época del año!! Haz tu pedido de luminarias: $10 la docena. Envía tu pedido por correo electrónico a la oficina parroquial (¡nuestras líneas telefónicas no funcionan!)



EVERYONE PLEASE JOIN US!

Turkey Bingo TODAY!!



Thanksgiving & the Hand of Divine Providence

As Thanksgiving approaches, our hearts naturally turn to gratitude. We thank God for family, faith, daily bread, and the countless blessings that often go unnoticed. But Thanksgiving is also an opportunity to remember how powerfully God's providence works, even through circumstances that seem confusing, painful, or impossible.

One of the most remarkable examples is the story of Squanto. As a young man, he was taken from his homeland and brought to Europe. Far from home, he learned English and encountered the Christian faith. Years later, he was able to return to North America. Looking only at the hardships he endured, it would have been difficult to see God's plan unfolding.

Yet Divine Providence was quietly at work. Of all the native peoples of the New world, Squanto was uniquely prepared to communicate with the English settlers. By what can only be described as God's providential timing, he was living in the very region where the Pilgrims arrived. Even more astonishing, he encountered them when they were at the brink of disaster. Many had died, supplies were scarce, and the colony itself seemed unlikely to survive. Squanto taught them how to cultivate the land and helped establish relationships of peace, trade, and mutual support with neighboring tribes.

What seemed impossible became possible because God had been preparing the solution long before anyone could see it. This is a message of hope for every one of us. The Lord is always at work, even when His hand is hidden. As St. Paul reminds us, "We know that in everything God works for good with those who love him" (Rom 8:28). This Thanksgiving, let us give thanks not only for blessings already received, but also for the providence that is working quietly in our lives today, preparing graces we cannot yet see.

God love you all and a blessed Thanksgiving,
Fr. Christopher Bernabe

El Día de Acción de Gracias y la Providencia de Dios

Al acercarse el Día de Acción de Gracias, nuestros corazones se vuelven naturalmente hacia la gratitud. Damos gracias a Dios por la familia, la fe, el pan de cada día y las innumerables bendiciones que con frecuencia pasan desapercibidas. Pero esta celebración también nos brinda la oportunidad de recordar cuán poderosamente actúa la providencia de Dios, incluso en medio de circunstancias que parecen confusas, dolorosas o imposibles.

Uno de los ejemplos más notables es la historia de Squanto. Cuando era joven, fue llevado lejos de su tierra natal y trasladado a Europa. Lejos de su hogar, aprendió inglés y conoció la fe cristiana. Años después, pudo regresar a América del Norte. Si observáramos únicamente las dificultades que sufrió, habría sido muy difícil reconocer que Dios estaba desarrollando un plan mucho más grande.

Sin embargo, la Divina Providencia estaba obrando silenciosamente. De todos los pueblos indígenas del Nuevo Mundo, Squanto fue preparado de manera única para comunicarse con los colonos ingleses. Por lo que solo puede describirse como el tiempo perfecto de Dios, vivía precisamente en la región donde llegaron los Peregrinos. Aún más sorprendente, los encontró cuando estaban al borde de la catástrofe. Muchos habían muerto, los suministros escaseaban y la colonia parecía destinada al fracaso. Squanto les enseñó cómo cultivar la tierra y les ayudó a establecer relaciones de paz, intercambio y apoyo mutuo con las tribus vecinas.

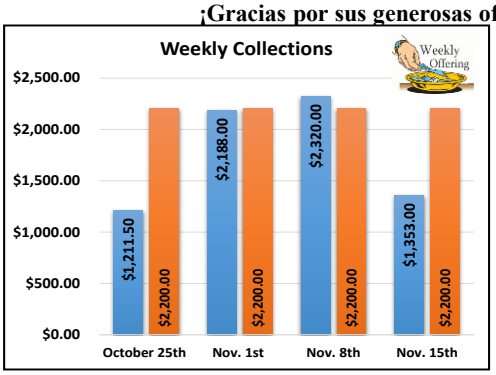
Lo que parecía imposible se volvió posible porque Dios había estado preparando la solución mucho antes de que alguien pudiera verla. Este es un mensaje de esperanza para todos nosotros. El Señor siempre está obrando, aun cuando su mano permanece oculta. Como nos recuerda San Pablo: "Sabemos que Dios dispone todas las cosas para el bien de los que lo aman" (Romanos 8, 28). En este Día de Acción de Gracias, demos gracias no solo por las bendiciones que ya hemos recibido, sino también por la providencia que sigue actuando silenciosamente en nuestras vidas, preparando gracias que todavía no podemos ver.

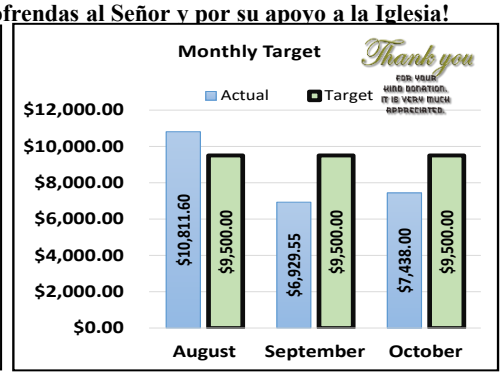
Que Dios los bendiga a todos y les conceda un santo y feliz Día de Acción de Gracias,
P. Christopher Bernabe

SUNDAY COLLECTION 11/15/2026	
Envelopes **$1,229.00**	***Loose*** **$124.00**
CMP/Human Deveopment **$204.00** *(doesn't go towards our account)*	**TOTAL: $1,353.00**

There's been a few changes for mass- We no longer stand when gifts are brought up, Announcements/ Birthday blessings are to be given before mass starts. ***Sunday Mass-*** Only 3 mass intentions allowed per mission & every weekend a mass offered for the people- no other intentions can be included for this mass (changes weekly). Fr. Bernabe has been so amazing to include why we are doing this in previous pastor's corners. Please refer to past bulletins on our website to view these explanations, thank you!

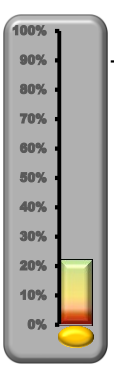
Thank you for your generous gifts to the Lord and your support of the Church!
¡Gracias por sus generosas ofrendas al Señor y por su apoyo a la Iglesia!











Parish Hall Project Income
$99,235.23

Goal-
$450,000.00

22%



MISSIONS	MAYORDOMOS	Phone #	CEMETERY	PASTORAL COUNCIL
La Joya	NEEDED!!		April M. Esquibel 505-450-4911	NEEDED!!
Contreras	Anna Gallegos	575-418-8583	Parish Office 505-864-4461	Ronnie Sinclair
Las Nutrias	Brian & Kalli Garcia	505-507-5171	Angie Lovato 505-410-9205	James Chavez
Veguita	Julio & Raquel Trejo Silvia Montes Parra	505-312-1676 505-485-7822	Sisto Griego 505-288-8731	M/M Danny Garcia Kim Griego
Sabinal	Patricio Pino	805-506-1243	Romy Baca 505-363-7530	Romy Baca Gilbert Pino
Abeytas	Al & Lori Sandoval Carl & Ines Martinez Martha Vasquez	505-263-6024 505-864-6815	Al & Lori Sandoval 505-263-6024	Rick Peralta Carl Martinez

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Invites you to become an Auxiliary or Active member (reciting Rosary and Tessera daily) We also encourage Home Enthronements. Many parishioners also host the Pilgrim Virgin of Fatima. Please call Ines Martinez at 505-864-6815 for info. It is an honor to be devoted in service to Our Mother Mary. Meet on THURSDAYS at 2:30pm at the San Antonio mission in Sabinal.

The Sacred Heart League is always welcoming new members. 2026-2027 Membership dues are $3 per year. Dues collected are used to offer Mass intentions held on the First Friday of every month in Honor of the Sacred Heart Mass is in Contreras. If you would like to join or have questions contact: Sarah Cordova at 505-859-0674. Mail your dues to the Parish Office-PO Box 534, Veguita 87062 or put your dues in an envelope with your name and write in Sacred Heart Dues and deposit in the collection basket; make check out to OLOS and on the memo line enter Dues-Sacred Heart. All are welcomed to contribute to the Sacred Heart League.

This space available for sale for Ad's or special announcements (with approval) like birthday, sympathy, wedding, congratulation, graduation, first communion, confirmation etc. The proceeds will offset the cost of printing the bulletins. Cost per week: This whole space $25.00

Cost for this space $5.00

Cost for this space $3.00

Cost for this Space $4.00