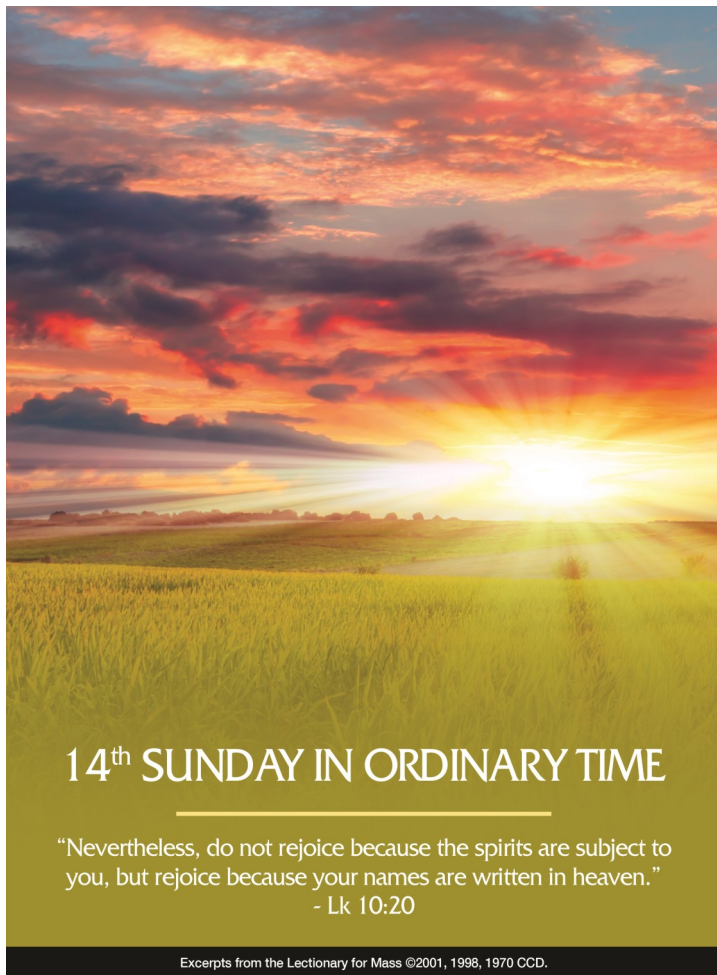


**July 2 & 3, 2022**

## **Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



### **14<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

"Nevertheless, do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice because your names are written in heaven."  
- Lk 10:20

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

#### **Mass Schedule**

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:00 a.m.  
10:00 a.m.  
7:00 p.m. *(Temporarily postponed)*

Tues—Fri 12:00 p.m.  
Holy Days 12:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.

#### **Reconciliation**

Saturday 3:45 p.m.

#### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

First Fridays 1:00 p.m.—3:00 p.m.



## **St. Francis Newman Center**

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Silver City, NM 88061

#### **Administrator:**

***Bartholomew Ezenwelem, Pastor***

#### **Secretary:**

***Danna Lopez***

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**Facebook:** St-Francis-Newman-Catholic-  
Church-Silver-City-NM

### **Office Hours**

Monday—Thursday 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.  
Friday 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.  
~ The office does not close for lunch ~

### **Other Contacts**

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Food outreach (Mondays at 4:00 p.m.)

Utility & Rent Assistance (2nd & 4th Saturdays)

# Gospel Reflection

Freedom properly defined is freedom properly understood. The Cambridge Dictionary tells us that it is, “the condition or right of being able or allowed to do, say, think, etc., whatever you want to, without being controlled or limited.” That same dictionary defines liberty as, “the freedom to live, work, and travel as you want to.” Both definitions sound very similar. Is there a difference between freedom and liberty? Many are accustomed to believing that freedom and liberty are interchangeable and simply involve possessing rights and privileges. For the Christian, however, there is a big difference between the two.

St. John Chrysostom directs that “the only person who is free is the one who lives for Christ.” There are many other inspirational people throughout history who see freedom as something far greater than liberty. True and properly understood freedom has little to do with entitlement or self-promotion. For the believer, it is a matter of the heart and soul. Freedom (and liberty, for that matter), seen only in terms of the world, can quickly be taken away. The freedom spoken of by St. John Chrysostom can only be lost by personal choice. When one lives for Christ, they live in pursuit of virtues that enlighten one’s soul (faith, hope, and love) and strengthen one’s character (justice, fortitude, temperance, and prudence). Rather than having the ability to acquire or do more things, true freedom asks us to be detached. Privileges, rights, and responsibilities are important, but they do not define us.

The world is not always open to listening to the truth. “I am sending you like lambs among wolves,” Jesus tells his disciples. The secular definitions of freedom and liberty are very attractive. They promise us a great deal. It is no wonder Jesus asks his disciples to travel with very little. The Gospel is not dependent upon things or anything those with worldly power or investment can say or do. When one chooses to live for Christ, they choose to live with peace. That’s what true freedom will give us. If we do not want what Christ offers, we can close the door, and the messenger will walk away. Distracted by the lure of personal liberties, we risk losing our freedom. We will not have anything truly life-giving to share with others.

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## Readings for the Week

### July 3, 2022

Sunday:	Is 66:10-14c/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 [1]/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9
Monday:	Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26
Tuesday:	Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10/Mt 9:32-38
Wednesday:	Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10:1-7
Thursday:	Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt 10:7-15
Friday:	Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 10:16-23
Saturday:	Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33
Next Sunday:	Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [9]/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

### Observances for the week of July 3, 2022

Sunday:	14 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time; St. Thomas, Apostle
Monday:	Independence Day
Tuesday:	St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St. Elizabeth of Portugal
Wednesday:	St. Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr
Thursday:	
Friday:	
Saturday:	St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs
Next Sunday:	15 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### July: Month of the Most Precious Blood



*“Precious Blood, ocean of divine mercy: Flow upon us! Precious Blood, most pure offering: Procure us every grace! Precious Blood, hope and refuge of sinners: Atone for us! Precious Blood, delight of holy souls: Draw us! Amen.”*

### Mysteries of the Rosary

- Sunday—Glorious Mysteries
- Monday—Joyful Mysteries
- Tuesday—Sorrowful Mysteries
- Wednesday—Glorious Mysteries
- Thursday—Luminous Mysteries
- Friday—Sorrowful Mysteries
- Saturday—Joyful Mysteries



## Mass Intentions

### For the week of July 4—July 10

- Monday, July 4**  
12:00 P.M. — **NO NOON MASS**
- Tuesday, July 5**  
12:00 P.M. — Students, Staff, Faculty, and Alumni of WNMU
- Wednesday, July 6**  
12:00 P.M. — Students, Staff, Faculty, and Alumni of WNMU
- Thursday, July 7**  
12:00 P.M. — Students, Staff, Faculty, and Alumni of WNMU
- Friday, July 8**  
12:00 P.M. — Students, Staff, Faculty, and Alumni of WNMU
- Saturday, July 9**  
5:00 P.M. — † Ricky Altamirano by Jenny Crist  
For God's protection over all our military by Sylvia Misquez  
For an end to abortion by Sylvia Misquez  
For healing for victims of sex trafficking by Sylvia Misquez  
For the President of the United States  
Students, Staff, Faculty, and Alumni of WNMU
- Sunday, July 10**  
8:00 A.M. — † Elena Garcia by Richard & Virginia Rodriguez  
Students, Staff, Faculty, and Alumni of WNMU  
10:00 A.M. — Students, Staff, Faculty, and Alumni of WNMU



### Altar Bread & Wine for July

*is for the souls of John & Berardine Simon; John & Wilba Gilbert; and Mark Gilbert  
By John & Kathie Gilbert*

## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Doris Ann & John Walsh	Gus & Martha Alatorre	Dolores Gomez
Sam & Mando Medina	Gloria Aralica	Susanne Sanchez
Maggie Simpson	Louise Perez	Rodney Tschirhart
Eddie Carbajal, Jr.	Delfina Diaz	Bob Hall
Sam Silva	Matthew Leyba	Luisa Carbajal
Irene Alvarado	Sandy Irealos	Rick Silva
Sam Montoya	Wanda Garcia	
Pat & Barbara Lambert	Danny Sandoval	
Nestor Placencio	Cesario C. Maldonado	
Keegan Browning	Freddie Polanco	
Mary Lou Ortega	Belle Kempf	

*Pray for our military  
serving around the world  
~~~~~ and ~~~~~  
for the President of the  
United States*

## Liturgy Schedule

### July 9 & 10

- Saturday, July 2—5:00 P.M.**  
**Lectors—** Janet Wallet-Ortiz and Sue Vento  
**Eucharistic Ministers: Host—** Cynthia Bridgeman  
**Cup— TBA**  
**Music—** Rosie & Friends
- Sunday, July 3—8:00 A.M.**  
**Lectors—** Cathy Gojkovich and Robert Salaiz  
**Eucharistic Ministers: Host—** Jo Ann Salcido  
**Cup— TBA**  
**Music—** Lorraine & Friends
- Sunday, July 3—10:00 A.M.**  
**Lectors—** Amadita Diaz and Dotty Pfeifer  
**Eucharistic Ministers: Host—** Lupe Flores  
**Cup— TBA**  
**Music—** TBD

## Dates to Remember

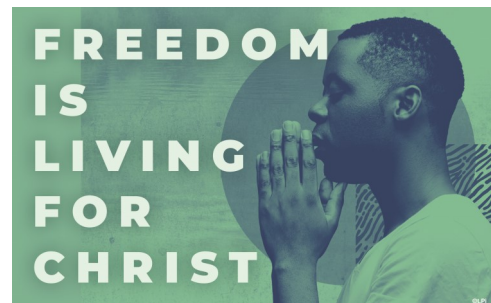
- July 4—Independence Day—Office Closed  
July 14—6:00 Baptism Class  
(please call the church if you plan to attend)  
August 5—12:00 First Friday Mass

## On-Going Events to Remember

### Baptism Classes

Every second Thursday of the month  
from 6:00—9:00 p.m.

*Please call the office to have your name added to the list.*



### REPORT SEXUAL ABUSE

*If you, or someone you know, has been the victim of sexual abuse by clergy or church personnel, contact the Victim's Assistance Coordinator at the Diocese of Las Cruces at (575) 523-7577, or vac@rcdlc.org.*



**Stewardship**

**COLLECTIONS**

**See June 19 bulletin for May 31—June 12 total.  
Please note that deposits will be made every 3 to 4 weeks. Thank you for your patience during this time.**

*Thank you for your continued generosity~*

**~ FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS NEEDED ~**

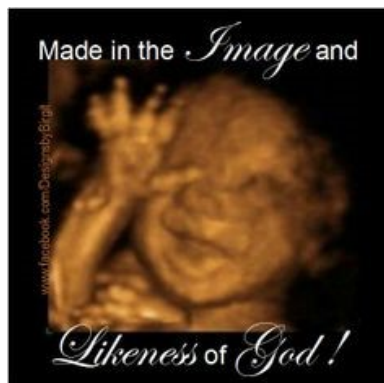
The pantry is in need of milk, canned corn, canned mixed vegetables, sugar, hot cereal, spaghetti sauce, ramen, milk, deodorant, detergent, shampoo, toothpaste, hygiene items, dish soap, empty egg cartons, and any "Just for You" items from Albertson's that you don't want.

They also need volunteers on Monday afternoons and on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from 8-10 am. If you can help, please contact Dotty at (575) 313-2817.

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Thank you for your continued generosity!  
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**~ Parking Lot Update ~**

Last week they poured the stairs from the upper parking lot to the sanctuary. This week they will begin digging the trench for the footing for the wall that will support the driveway out to Kentucky Street.



**~ Second Collections ~**

July 17— Good Shepherd  
July 24—St. Francis Associates  
August 7—Building Fund  
August 14—Catholic Charities of Southern NM  
August 21—St. Francis Associates

**Other Parish Information**

**Mission Statement**

Called in Baptism and rooted in our Catholic faith, we at St. Francis Newman Center Parish of the Diocese of Las Cruces are welcoming and compassionate people. We strive to be disciples of Christ with a special ministry to the Western New Mexico University community. The dynamic and diverse nature of our parish invites us to be open to spiritual formation and the values of charity. Nourished by the Word of God and the Holy Eucharist and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we reach out to all, encouraging active participation in the life, mission and work of the Catholic faith within our families, our parish, our diocese and our world. (Approved: January 4, 2012)

**Baptisms**

Parents and Godparents must complete the Baptism Application (available in the office) and take the Baptism class prior to scheduling a Baptism. Godparents must have all sacraments to be able to serve as Godparents. Contact the Parish Office for complete details.

**Marriages**

Marriages must be arranged 6 months in advance.

**Parish Membership**

All parishioners 18 years or older are urged to register— as a member of the Catholic Church, registration is required. As a registered member of our parish you are invited to participate as a volunteer in assisting the various ministries our parish offers.

**Volunteer Ministries**

St. Francis Newman Center has many ministry opportunities in which Parishioners can serve. Please call or stop by the office to inquire as to where you can best serve our Parish.

**Parish Registration / Update Information**

If you haven't registered in the parish or you would like to update your information, please fill out the following form and either drop in the collection basket or leave in the office at your earliest convenience. Thank you!

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

SPOUSE \_\_\_\_\_

DOB \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ ANNIVERSARY \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE#: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ This is a new registration

☐ I am updating my information