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Gospel: Matthew 25:14-30
Key Theme: Faithful living every day
Focus: Using God's gifts



Summary: God gives each person gifts and responsibilities. Faithful people work with purpose, care for others, and stay ready for the Lord.
Challenge: Do not hide your gifts through fear or laziness. Use them with trust, generosity, and love.
Action Step: Use one of your gifts to help someone this week.
Verse to Remember: "Well done, my good and faithful servant." (Matthew 25:23)
Faithful Living Every Day
The 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A reminds us that faith is shown in how we live each day. The readings speak of hard work, care for others, and using the gifts God has given us. They call us to be watchful and ready, not afraid or lazy, but active in faith and love.
This Sunday points to the end of the Church year. It helps us think about how we spend our time and how we serve God in our daily lives. The wise woman in Proverbs, the faithful worker in the Gospel, and the alert believer in Thessalonians all show what it means to live with purpose.
The 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A reminds us that faith is not only about belief but also about action. When we live with care, generosity, and trust, we share in God's plan. Each small act of goodness brings light to the world and prepares us for the Lord's coming.
Mass Readings for the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A
First Reading – Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31: A good wife is invaluable, trusted by her husband and doing good all her life. She's hardworking and charitable, deserving of praise especially for her fear of the LORD.
Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 128: Those who fear the LORD and walk in His ways are blessed. They enjoy fruitful labor, a prosperous family, and lifelong blessings from God.
Second Reading – 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6: The day of the Lord will arrive unexpectedly. While others may be caught off guard, believers are children of light and should stay alert and sober.
Gospel – Matthew 25:14-30: A man going on a journey entrusts his servants with different amounts of money. Two servants invest and double their money, receiving praise and more responsibility from their master upon his return. The third servant hides his money and is chastised for his inaction, losing even what he had.

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If parishioners would like to contact Fr. Patrick with suggestions or Concerns, you can contact him via email at: pmontgomery@rcdlc.org



Popes' Monthly intention's November

For the proper use of wealth
Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

Our Parish Mission — 'Nuestra Senora de La Luz' (Our Lady of the Light) is a community that comes together to model Jesus to all peoples by addressing physical concerns and spiritual matters, and to do as Jesus did, giving everything to bring people into a closer relationship with God, in celebration.



Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Saturdays: 3:00 – 3:30 pm
Weekend Masses:
Saturday Evening (Vigil): 4:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am - Rosary recited before Mass
Communion Service: Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 8:30am
Weekday Masses: Every other Tuesday, and every Thursday at 9:00am
Eucharistic Adoration: Thursdays after the 9:00 am morning Mass
Anointing of the Sick: 1st Friday of the month after the 9:00am mass.

Mass Intentions

Sat: Poor Souls in Purgatory
Sun: Children's mass- Sick of the Parish
Mon: Communion Service -St. Margaret of Scotland & St. Gertude Virgin
Tues: No Mass – St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious
Wed: The Dedication of the Basilicas Of Sts. Peter & Paul apostles St. Rose Philippine Duchesne Virgine
Thurs: Mass- Sick of the Parish
Fri: Communion service Sick of the Parish
Sat: The presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Sun: Sick of the Parrish

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November 15, 2026
33rd Sunday in Ordinary time



Altar Servers - C. Garcia (575) 446-2129
Nov 14: Jackson & Damian
Nov 15: Joseph & Ovian
Nov 21: Joseph & Jackson
Nov 22: Damian, Isadora & Joseph

Lectors - Cheryl Kline (575) 491-4015
Nov 14: T. Lozano & M. Kellar
Nov 15: C. & S. Moquin
Nov 21: M. Montgomery & C. Kline
Nov 22: K. Burnett & D. Chelgren

Eucharistic Ministers—Cheryl Kline
Nov 14: T. McGinn, C. Duran & D. Lozano
Nov 15: D. & V. Chelgren & M. Vince
Nov 21: T. Lozano, C. Duran & G. Aguilar
Nov 22: A. Selph, K. Burnett & S. Moquin

November Church Cleaner: Kathy Burnett. If you can't make your assigned date, or you need to get into the church to clean, please contact Carol Garcia at (575- 446-2129).

****Parish Office Hours**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday:
10:00am - 2:00pm
Closed on
Wednesdays, Fridays & Major Holidays.
Parish Office phone: (575) 434-9460
(www.ourladyof thelight.org)

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We regret that our recent church bulletin did not include a special recognition of our veterans. This omission falls short of the Church's call to give 'honor to whom honor is due' (Romans 13:7) and to show gratitude for the sacrifices of those who have served our nation.

We are sorry for this lapse, and we recognize it as a missed opportunity to affirm the faith and service of our veteran community. We ask for your understanding and forgiveness as we take steps to make this right.

May God bless our veterans and their families, and may our parish continue to be a place where their service is honored and their needs are met.

Rosary for Life

The Rosary for Life will be recited at the home of Dave & Vanita Chelgren at 1008 24th Street in Alamogordo, Wednesday, November 18th at 6:00 PM. If you would like more Information, call 575-437-8065 or 575-491-8066. Please Join us.



Prayer List

Dana Wood
Carol Garcia
Stacey Gomez
Michelle Cutaia
Carlos Romero
Denzil Thompson
Marie Black
Cheryl Kline
Trudy & Maryn Shipley

We are pleased to invite you to our **Parish/Finance Council Meeting** on November 19th at 6 PM in the Parish Hall.

This meeting will mark the **official introduction of our new Parish Council and Treasure Council**, as well as an update on parish finances and stewardship priorities.



Please pray for those serving in our military

Merceas Hergenreder (Navy)
Major Paul Weaver (USAF)
Jeremiah Williams (USAF)
Eric Gayso (Army)
Blaine Gayso (USAF)
TSgt. Eliza Granados
Austin (USAF) TSgt.
Robert Seaburgh (USAF)
Markie Campbell
Raul Martinez Jr. (USAF)
Ralaya Martinez (USAF)
Raquel Martinez (USAF)
Capt. Amanda Armijo
John Gill - (USAF)
Victor Baray (Marines)
Master Sgt. Matt Leal
(USAF) Christopher Garcia (USAF)
Vincent L. Amasula (Army)
Jacob Phillips (Army)
Scott Phillips (Army)
Kyle Steeby (US Coast Guard)
Master Sgt. Daniel Lamb (USAF)
John Phillips V - (Navy)
Adam Shock (USAF)

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Our Lady of the Light Food Pantry

On October 20, 2026, the Food Pantry served 177 families with 500 individuals in those families. The Food Pantry is open on Tuesdays (except for the 1st Tuesday of the month) from 10am until 2:00pm. Listed below are food items that are needed. Empty Egg cartons, hot & cold cereal, diced & stewed tomatoes, canned green beans, peas, soups, ramen, dry beans and rice. Thank you for your continued support of OLOL Food Pantry. We could not help over 100 families every week without your generous donations. God Bless you all.

Find Peace & Purpose
Aligned with your Faith
Are you feeling stuck or looking to bridge the gap between where you are and where God is calling You to be?
Work with a Catholic Life Coach
To build virtuous habits, overcome obstacles, and align your daily goals with your faith.
Contact Molly today to schedule a free discovery call and see if Coaching is the right fit for you.
Call/Text (575) 937-0923

Weekend Collection
$1,475
2nd collection 11/14th & 15th
Catholic Campaign for Human Development
Also, a special collection for Food for the Poor
Thank you for your continued support and donations. God's continued blessings on you all.

A Call for Eucharistic Ministers

As you are aware, our church is in great need for more parishioners to find it in their heart to join this critical ministry. Through Baptism and Confirmation, you share in the common priesthood of the faithful. In this ministry, you bring the Risen Lord to the people of God, witnessing to the real presence and inviting them into the banquet of Christ. This is a sacred trust that calls for humility, prayer, and constant awareness of the mystery you are handling. You are not just handing out bread and wine — you are holding and sharing the very presence of Christ.

"God of Love and Mercy, with reverence and humility I desire to approach the Eucharist and this ministry. Grant me the grace to help others encounter You in this sacrament. Amen"

Contact: Cheryl Kline 575-491-4015
quiltqueennm@gmail.com
Training will be provided.

Confession Times

Confessions are heard at St. Francis de Paula in Tularosa on Thursdays from 4:00 – 6:00 pm. Confessions will not be held on the Thursday before 1st Friday of the Month. Confessions are heard at Our Lady of the Light on Saturday Afternoons at 3:00pm.
- Fr. Patrick

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PLEDGE TO HEAL

SAFE ENVIRONMENT COMPLIANCE—

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Las Cruces requires that all new and existing volunteers undergo a background check, participate in a VIRTUS Protecting God's Children Training Module and sign a code of conduct every 5 years. **All PARISHIONERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND THE VIRTUS TRAINING. New volunteers must create a VIRTUS account and complete the policy requirement before beginning volunteer work. Existing volunteers must log in to your account to renew the requirements at**: www. virtusonline.org For questions or assistance contact the Virtus local administrator, Dave Chelgren at: dpchelgren@gmail.com or Safe Environment Coordinator Mary Garcia mgarcia@rcdlc.org.