

# ARCHANGEL GABRIEL PARISH SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT DECEMBER 10, 2023



Stewarding God's gifts and mysteries to make missionary disciples for Jesus Christ and his Church.

#### PARISH CHURCHES

#### **Holy Trinity Church**

5718 Steubenville Pike Robinson Township, PA 15136

#### St. Malachy Church

343 Forest Grove Road Coraopolis, PA 15108

#### St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

1011 Church Avenue McKees Rocks, PA 15136

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES**

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Sacramental emergencies, please call: 412-787-2140 x2

Worship Aid

The first two pages of the inside front cover of the Hymnal contain the text for the Congregational Responses for Mass, including the Penitential Act, Gloria, and Nicene Creed. The inside back cover contains the text for the AGP Prayer, the AGP Hymn, the Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel, as well as a prayer for vocations.

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#### Choir Anthems – 10:00 AM Mass at Holy Trinity Church

Prelude: "Prepare the Way of the Lord," by William Rowan

Communion: "Comfort Comfort, O My People," arranged by John Ferguson

#### DAILY READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 10 SUN Is 40:1-5, 9-11 / Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 / 2 Pt 3:8-14 / Mk 1:1-8 Is 35:1-10 / Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 / Lk 5:17-26 MON TUE Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a, 12:1-6a, 10ab / Jdt 13:18bcde, 19 / Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47 WED Is 40:25-31 / Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8 and 10 / Mt 11:28-30 Is 41:13-20 / Ps 145:1 and 9, 10-11, 12-13ab / Mt 11:11-15 THU FRI Is 48:17-19 / Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 / Mt 11:16-19 SAT Sir 48:1-4, 9-11 / Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16, 18-19 / Mt 17:9a, 10-13 Is 61:1-2a, 10-11 / Lk 1:46-48, 49-50, 53-54 / 1 Thes 5:16-24 / Jn 1:6-8, 19-28 SUN

#### **SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday

4:00 PM St. Malachy Church 5:00 PM Holy Trinity Church

6:00 PM St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

Sunday

8:00 AM St. Malachy Church

10:00 AM Holy Trinity Church (Livestreamed)11:00 AM St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

12:30 PM Holy Trinity Church7:00 PM Holy Trinity Church

#### **REGULAR DAILY MASS SCHEDULE**

Monday

9:30 AM St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

6:30 PM Holy Trinity Church

Tuesday

9:30 AM St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

6:30 PM Holy Trinity Church

Wednesday

9:30 AM St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

6:30 PM Holy Trinity Church

Thursday

8:30 AM St. Malachy Church 6:30 PM Holy Trinity Church

Friday

8:30 AM St. Malachy Church 6:30 PM Holy Trinity Church

Saturday

8:30 AM St. Malachy Church

#### LIVESTREAM MASS

Sundays at 10:00 AM on Facebook. Find the link at ArchangelGabrielParish.org/Live.

#### RADIO BROADCAST

Tune in to 87.9 FM to listen to Mass from any AGP Church parking lot.

#### **CONFESSION SCHEDULE**

**Monday - Friday** 

5:30 PM - 6:15 PM Holy Trinity Church

Saturday

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM St. Malachy Church

Sunday

9:30 AM - 10:30 AM

St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION SCHEDULE**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

7:00 PM - 10:00 PM Holy Trinity Church

Thursday, Friday, Saturday

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM St. Malachy Church

#### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Home visits are available for those who are seriously ill or upon whom death is imminent. Call 412-787-2140 x2 to arrange a visit.

#### **MARRIAGE**

Couples desiring a sacramental marriage should contact the parish office at least six months before the date of the wedding. All couples must first meet with a priest before scheduling the wedding. Call 412-787-2140 x109 to schedule.

#### **BAPTISM**

Parents are required to participate in Baptism Preparation before the Baptism of their children. The next Baptism preparation session is scheduled for **Sunday, January 21 at 1:30 PM**. Call 412-787-2140 x 100 to register and/or to schedule a Baptism.

# SAFE ENVIRONMENT INFORMATION Protecting God's children is everyone's responsibility.

24-Hour Child Abuse Hotline: 1-800-932-0313
Diocese of Pittsburgh Victim Assistance: 1-888-808-1235
Call 911 immediately if a child is in imminent danger of abuse.

For more information about Safe Environment protocols at Archangel Gabriel Parish, please visit the website at Archangel Gabriel Parish.org/SafeEnvironment.

#### **DECEMBER 10, 2023**

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#### **CLERGY TEAM**

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**Fr. Regis Ryan,** *Priest in Residence* Saint Mary, Help of Christians

**Fr. Lou Vallone**, *Priest in Residence* Saint Mary, Help of Christians

# ARCHANGEL GABRIEL PARISH CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Vigil Masses Sunday, December 24

4:00 PM | Holy Trinity Church

\*4:00 PM | St. Malachy Church - AGP Children's Choir

4:30 PM | St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

9:00 PM | Holy Trinity Church - AGP Choir

\*The 4:00 PM Mass on December 24 will be Livestreamed.

**Christmas Masses Monday, December 25** 

12:00 AM | St. Mary, Help of Christians Church 9:00 AM | St. Malachy Church 10:00 AM | Holy Trinity Church 11:00 AM | St. Mary, Help of Christians Church 12:30 PM | Holy Trinity Church

\*\* There will be no evening Mass or Confession at Holy Trinity on Monday, December 25.

#### A MESSAGE FROM OUR CLERGY



#### WHAT IS NEXT?

Mark gets to the point quickly: "Before I tell you about Jesus, I am going to tell you about who pointed Him out to you." John the Baptist begins this gospel, so there is no question of how the ministry of Christ begins. The role of John is two-fold. He first proclaims a new message that embraces a new spiritual life through a new passage from what is to what will be. Baptism cleanses, redeems, and renews the soul. This is the first offering of unconditional love from God. Beginning with mercy, followed by forgiveness, and then invited into a renewed relationship with the Lord, John now points to Jesus as the Word. The newly baptized in the Jordan River are eager for what is next.

Fr. Alan E. Morris Parish Administrator

The second role of John is to convince them that they should look no further than the Christ. Baptizing was easier, novel, and attention-grabbing. Convincing the public that John isn't the Messiah is much harder. John doesn't shy away from the challenge.

He even directs his followers to abandon him. The truth is more important than the notoriety. With prayer, John accepts his role, knowing it will diminish in time. He rejoices in the ministry of Jesus and even more so that his disciples have found "what is next" in Christ.

In this Second Sunday of Advent we should be looking for what Jesus has lined up for us. He first needs us to get the message of repentance so He can fill our hearts with the joy of discovery. Discover how deeply satisfying an intense relationship with the Lord is! The light of dawn gives way to the sunrise. The shadowy images in the first hours of the morning disappear to reveal where Christ is active in our lives today! This Wednesday, the Light is on for You for reconciliation. We will be offering confessions at Holy Trinity Church from 5:30 PM - 9:00 PM. After the 6:30 PM Mass, we will have a prayer service with intermittent music so the spirit of prayer will embrace all those who gather with us.



#### THE WEEK AHEAD

#### Sunday, December 10

**Fam Cat (Luke Section)** | 8:15 AM *Archangel Gabriel School, Holy Trinity Campus* 

**Fam Cat (John Section)** | 10:45 AM *Archangel Gabriel School, Holy Trinity Campus* 

**Baptism Prep Class** | 1:30 PM *Gathering Place, St. Mary Campus* 

#### Monday, December 11

**BINGO** | 7:00 PM (Doors open at 5:00 PM) Weirauch Hall, St. Malachy Campus

**Food Pantry Meeting** | 6:30 PM *Ministry Center, Holy Trinity Campus* 

**St. Vincent DePaul Meeting** | 7:00 PM *Ministry Center, Holy Trinity Campus* 

#### **Tuesday, December 12**

**Advent Book Club** | 7:00 PM *Ministry Center, Holy Trinity Campus* 

#### Wednesday, December 13

**The Light is on for You** | 6:00 PM *Holy Trinity Church* 

**Service of Love Blanket Making** | 6:00PM *Weirauch Hall, St. Malachy Campus* 

**EDGE (BCA Group)** | 6:30 - 8:00 PM *Youth Ministry Center, St. Malachy Campus* 

**Advent Prayer Service** | 7:00 - 9:00 PM *Holy Trinity Church* 

#### **Thursday, December 14**

**Tai Chi Advanced Class** | 10:00 AM *Youth Ministry Center, St. Malachy Campus* 

**Tai Chi Beginner Class** | 11:15 AM *Youth Ministry Center, St. Malachy Campus* 

**Children's Choir Rehearsal** | 4:00 PM *Holy Trinity Church* 

**Envisioning Team Meeting** | 6:00 - 9:00 PM *Ministry Center, Holy Trinity Campus* 

**Life Teen** | 6:30 - 8:30 PM Youth Ministry Center, St. Malachy Campus

**Parish Choir Rehearsal** | 7:00 PM *Holy Trinity Church* 

#### Friday, December 15

**Pizza Kitchen** | Order 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM Call 412-771-0848 | Pick up by 6:00 PM *St. Malachy Cafeteria* 

# Thank You

The Archangel Gabriel Parish Food Pantry would like to thank you for your contributions of food and money at the Thanksgiving Mass and for the contributions received on Feed the Needy Weekends this year. The demand has been greater than ever for food pantry services, and your generous donations help the food pantry provide services to those who are most in need.

#### OPLATKI CHRISTMAS WAFERS

Oplatki Christmas Wafers are available in the Parish Office and in the narthex of all AGP churches during weekend Masses for a donation of \$3. Proceeds benefit the St. Vincent de Paul Society and the Archangel Gabriel Food Pantry.



#### **PARISH NEWS & EVENTS**

# THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU Holy Trinity Church Wednesday, December 13 6:00 - 9:00 PM Confession will be available at Holy Trinity Church as part of the Advent Prayer Service. St. Malachy Church and St. Mary, Help of Christians Church will not be open for Confession.

# **December Music Ministry Offerings**

#### December 10

10:00 AM Mass | Holy Trinity Church Music provided by: Parish Choir

7:00 PM Mass | Holy Trinity Church Music provided by: Women's Schola of Franciscan University

#### **December 17**

10:00 AM Mass | Holy Trinity Church Music provided by: Parish Choir

#### **December 23**

4:00 PM Mass | St. Malachy Church Music provided by: Parish Choir

#### **December 28**

7:00 PM | St. Malachy Church

Parish Choir Concert





#### **PARISH NEWS & EVENTS**

# CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD AT ARCHANGEL GABRIEL PARISH

AGP celebrates the Liturgy of the Word with children during the 10:00AM Sunday Mass at Holy Trinity Church, except when the heavenly voices of our children's choir are singing. Led by Pat Kulak and Christa Gerlowski, this ministry has been growing and now averages 14 children per week, with as many as 30 attending in recent weeks. During our time with the children, we follow the same Liturgy of the Word that the rest of the Mass participants do, but in a manner that children can easily understand. We share an opening prayer, take time to say we are sorry for our sins, and sing the Gospel acclamation, including the version that Fr. Lou uses during school Masses. The Gospel is proclaimed in ageappropriate words to promote understanding and a love of the Word. The leader then guides the children through the homily, retelling the Gospel story and discussing how to incorporate that message into their daily lives. The children respond to questions and demonstrate their understanding through activities, such as drawing. We have recently begun to sing the Creed, which the children love. We close with the universal prayers and then joyfully return to our families, eager to celebrate the Liturgy of the Eucharist. If your child is in Kindergarten through Grade 2, we encourage them to come and experience this special time with God and their peers!

#### BINGO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The AGP BINGO is in need of volunteers to work as ticket sellers once a month.

BINGO takes place every Monday night at Weirauch Hall on the St. Malachy Campus. Doors open at 5:00 PM.

If interested, please contact Patty at patpapp@aol.com.



#### **AGP PIZZA KITCHEN NEWS**

This Friday, December 15, is the last Pizza Kitchen of 2023! Thank you for your many compliments - they make us work even harder!

Monday, December 11, is the final day of gnocchi making; our ricotta gnocchi is sold in two-pound bags, frozen, and will be sold as long as the supply lasts.

Also, we will make haluski this week. Remember to call early to order your haluski; this Friday is the last day we will feature it on our menu.

You may want to order an extra pizza or two because the Pizza Kitchen will be closed on December 22 and 29 for the holidays. Most of you already know that all of our items freeze well. We'll be back on January 5th with something really special to announce.

As always, our menu is available on the parish website at ArchangelGabrielParish.org/Pizza.

# SERVICE OF LOVE PRAYER BLANKET MINISTRY

Weirauch Hall, St. Malachy Campus December 13 | 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Make a warm blanket to donate to the Pleasant Valley Men's Shelter on the North Side. Bring 2 pieces (1 and ½ yards each) of fleece fabric (3 yards total) or a fleece tie blanket kit (48 x 60 in.) and a SHARP pair of scissors. No previous experience is needed. If you knit or crochet, just bring your yarn. You can also make a blanket at home and bring it to our meeting or have it picked up or donate fleece (1½ yard) pieces or yarn. We also have Prayer Shawls and Lap Blankets available to anyone in need of prayer. For any questions, please contact Pat at obx16@verizon.net or 412-262-1162 or Patti at 412-331-0685.



#### **PARISH NEWS & EVENTS**

#### **RCIA NEWS**

RCIA at Archangel Gabriel Parish serves adults who are seeking any of the sacraments of initiation - Baptism, Eucharist, and/or Confirmation. We offer RCIA on a year-round basis, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, so that individuals who are already baptized (Candidates) may receive their sacraments throughout the year. Those who are unbaptized (Catechumens) are also welcome to join RCIA at any time, and would receive all three sacraments of initiation at the following Easter Vigil (at least one year of preparation).

On November 26, the Feast of Christ the King, we joyfully welcomed Bree Blair, Ashley Person, and Toni Schipani into the Full Communion of the Catholic Church!

Our next RCIA cohort will begin on January 21, 2024, with plans to receive their sacraments on Divine Mercy Sunday. Individual intake sessions to prepare for that cohort will be held on Sunday, January 7, and Sunday, January 14. For more information, or to schedule an intake session, please contact Patty Sampogna at psampogna@archangelgabrielparish.org.



Congratulations to (from left) Toni Schipani, Ashley Person and Bree Blair, who were received into the Full Communion of the Catholic Church on the Feast of Christ the King!

# AGP LADIES OF CHARITY CHRISTMAS GIFT PROJECT This is the final weekend to drop off your Christmas gifts!

Please make sure your gift is SECURELY wrapped with the **RECIPIENT'S CODE CLEARLY PRINTED** on the package.

Place your wrapped gifts in the large receptacles in the entrances of the churches this weekend (Dec. 9 &10). Churches will be open at least 30 minutes before and after each weekend Mass.

The Ladies of Charity will also be collecting monetary donations near the Christmas gift bins in the back of each church.

For questions or more information, please contact Pat Kulak at obx16@verizon.net or 412-262-1162.



#### **COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS**

#### A SILENT NIGHT WITH RING PITTSBURGH

December 10, 2023 | 2:00 PM Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish St. Margaret Mary Church

All is calm and all is bright as Ring Pittsburgh Handbell Ensemble prepares a glorious handbell concert series for you, featuring "Silent Night" woven throughout several musical selections. You will also hear a beautiful arrangement of "The First Noel," a moving "The Holly and the Ivy," the playful "Parade of the Tin Soldiers," and so much more. CONNECT WITH US:

www.RingPittsburgh.org

https://www.instagram.com/ringpittsburgh\_official\_www.facebook.com/RingPittsburgh\_

# LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR CHRISTMAS CARD AND CRAFT SALE

The Little Sisters of the Poor are hosting an online store with Christmas Crafts through the end of the year, including Christmas Cards sketched by Sister Martha, lsp. The cards are 7 for \$10 (plus \$2.00 shipping), 12 for \$15 (plus \$3.00 shipping), or 30 for \$25 (plus \$8.00 for shipping). Cards and crafts can be viewed and ordered at <a href="https://www.littlesistersofthepoorpittsburgh.org">www.littlesistersofthepoorpittsburgh.org</a>. Please call (412) 307-1100 if you have questions. All proceeds help to support the elderly residents in the Little Sisters' care.

## KENNEDY TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sunday, December 17 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM Kennedy Fire Hall

Enjoy a breakfast of pancakes, french toast, sausage, and more, and free treats for kids. Cost is \$8 for adults and \$5 per child (age 10 and under).



The South Regional Catholic Elementary Schools invite you to...

# Give the Gift of Catholic Education

Support the Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) Program today!

For a two year contribution commitment of \$3,000+ per year, any donor who qualifies to donate through the EITC/OSTC programs can receive a 90% tax credit back. Funds will go directly towards providing financial aid to local students who desire to receive a Catholic education but do not have the financial means to do so. Through your generosity, you can provide the gift of Catholic education.

To learn more, please contact Michael Freker, Director of Planned Giving at the Diocese of Pittsburgh at 412-456-3055, or email mfreker@diopitt.org.





To learn more, please visit our website at ArchangelGabrielPgh.org or contact Susan Kalich at 412-787-2656 x 3152 or skalich@archangelgabrielpgh.org.

# ARCHANGEL GABRIEL

JOSH AND GAB
KINDNESS
AND BULLYING
AWARENESS
ASSEMBLY
On Tuesday,
November 28, we



had a special assembly. Josh and Gab spoke and performed for our 4th - 8th graders and then our Kindergarten - 3rd graders in our gymnasium. They perform award-winning kindness and bullying awareness programs for kids, teens, and families, and, as a St. Malachy alumni, Gab was super happy to be with us. The performance focused on healthy choices, creativity, and community and was a high-energy mix of original music, stand up comedy, dance segments, and interactive lessons with participants. Thank you AGS and PTG for cosponsoring this event.

#### 8TH GRADE CSI LAB

Our 8th grade Life Science students participated in a DNA Fingerprinting lab. They made an onion mixture in which they extracted the DNA and observed it under a microscope. They then used this as part of a case study to solve a crime.





# STEAM "THANKSGIVING DAY" PARADE

The 1st - 3rd grades participated in a parade around the school carrying balloons they made in their weekly STEAM class, similar to the Thanksgiving parade in New York! Thank you, Mrs. LaGrosse, for the amazing lesson!







# BEST SCHOOLS IN AMERICA



#### INTERCESSIONS

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR

Names submitted for our sick and suffering list will appear for 4 weeks and then be removed. To submit a name, please contact the Parish Administrative Office at 412-787-2140.

#### **OUR SICK AND SUFFERING**

Charles Bastyr Patricia Dillion Ellie Dombrowski Dorothy Bastyr Mary Lou Berry Terri Donovan Robert Bradswell Ken Dorman Charles Campbell Joseph Duran Kathy Campbell Maryann Fenio Tim Cerrone Katie Gasior Earl Cetto Bob Gasior, Sr. Margaret Chickini Paul Hoffman **Brandon Culley** Kim Hogan

Evelyn Gahr Holland Melissa Jones-Westhead Lydia King Clare Knapp Robert Langmann John Leaman Loretta Leaman Patricia Levda Karen Logue Sara Lyons

Debbie Manion Frank A. Manslow Judy Martys Louise Marushak Brother Michael Miller, OSB Ron Rogowski Patty Pappaterra Amy Pesce Paula Petrie **Shirley Pieto** Carol Poecking Mary Kay Pollinger

Anna Ritter Patty Rodriguez Benjamin Rogowski Bill Rogowski Mary Anne Scrabis Richard Stefanos Bruce Thompson Sandy Wolf Audrey Elaina

#### THOSE PASSING FROM DEATH INTO NEW LIFE

We extend our sympathy to the families of those from our parish who died recently, including Colleen Aleski, Thomas Marnich, Sr., Shirley Reel, and all of the deceased of our parish whose names we've not yet received.

You can find our parish obituaries at <u>ArchangelGabrielParish.org/Obituaries.</u>

#### **OUR SERVICEMEN AND SERVICEWOMEN**

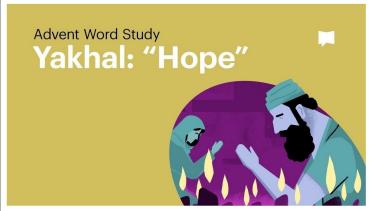
Lisa Aburaad Teresa Alejandro Brian Breland James Breslin Josh Bruchwajski **Justin Buckley** David DiSanto William Duffv Travis Dunham

Stephen W. Dukes Mark Finnegan Edward Glance **Iason Glance** Benjamin Goehring Eric Hall Lewis Hess Richard B. Ingold, Jr. Spencer Lindsay

James McGregor Benjamin Macek Jacob Mammay Matthew Marshall Steven Marshall Jeremiah Murphy Kevin Murphy Michael Murphy

Christopher McDermott Nick Obusek Douglas Peer Nicholas Rymniak Christian Smith Tyler Smith Chris Straw Wayne Stuebner James Van Dyke Stephen Vasko

Jeffrey Vittorio Ryan W. Wanek Chris Wasek Eric Wasek Jack Wasek loseph Wasek, Ill Matthew Zivic



#### **FORMED**° THE CATHOLIC FAITH.

#### Yakhal/Hope | Advent: Word Studies | The Bible Project

In the Bible people who have hope are very different from optimists! In this video, we'll explore how biblical hope looks to God's character alone as a basis for trusting that the future will be better than the present.

Our parish has a FORMED subscription. Visit formed.org/signup and select our parish Scan the QR code to download the FORMED app to your phone



#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

**Holy Trinity Church Tabernacle Lamp** - Becky Rogowski by Husband, Bill **St. Mary, Help of Christians Church Tabernacle Lamp** - To the Infant Jesus by Rosemary Litterini

Saturday, December 9

8:30 AM | SMC | Fr. Codori 4:00 PM | SMC | Fr. Morris

5:00 PM | HTC | Fr. Esposito 6:00 PM | SMHCC | Fr. D'Amico

Sunday, December 10

8:00 AM | SMC | Fr. D'Amico 10:00 AM | HTC | Fr. Morris 11:00 AM | SMHCC | Fr. Ryan 12:30 PM | HTC | Fr. Codori 7:00 PM | HTC | Fr. D'Amico

Monday, December 11

9:30 AM | SMHCC | Fr. D'Amico 6:30 PM | HTC | Fr. Codori

**Tuesday, December 12** 

9:30 AM | SMHCC | Fr. Codori 6:30 PM | HTC | Fr. D'Amico

Wednesday, December 13

9:30 AM | SMHCC | Fr. Morris

6:30 PM | HTC | Fr. Codori

Thursday, December 14

8:30 AM | SMC | Fr. D'Amico 6:30 PM | HTC | Fr. Morris

Friday, December 15

8:30 AM | SMC | Fr. Codori 6:30 PM | HTC | Fr. D'Amico

Saturday, December 16

8:30 AM | SMC | Fr. Codori 4:00 PM | SMC | Fr. Esposito 5:00 PM | HTC | Fr. Morris 6:00 PM | SMHCC | Fr. D'Amico

Sunday, December 17

8:00 AM | SMC | Fr. D'Amico 10:00 AM | HTC | Fr. Ryan 11:00 AM | SMHCC | Fr. Morris

12:30 PM | HTC | Fr. Codori 7:00 PM | HTC | Fr. Morris Lindsey Coccoli by Mom and Jessi

Rocco Esposito by Wife, Margie Esposito, and Family

Ralph Seibel by Rob and Sherine Raymond

People of the Parish

**Second Sunday of Advent** 

Katherine Kulik by 8:00 AM Ushers Becky Rogowski by Husband, Bill Frances LoPresti by Pete and Mary Lou Mochnach James Burns by Keene Family John and Audrey Nicolazzo by Nicolazzo Family

**Optional Memorial of Saint Damasus I, Pope** 

David Salata by Chris and Al End Dr. Joanne R. Oleck by Claudia Van

Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Lorraine Domikoski by Betty Parrilla

Deceased Members of the Ferraro and Ferlazzo Families by Mary Lou Ferraro

Memorial of Saint Lucy, Virgin and Martyr

Deceased Members of Giafrancesco Family by Mary and Tom Dirda

Tiffany Morrow by Mom, Brothers, Sisters, and Children

Memorial of Saint John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church

Vincent Gasparovich by Family James Fisher by Ellen Egan

Eileen Gerger by Family

Barbara Killmeyer by Jim and Debbie Manion

Dave Devlin by Knights of Columbus Albert Hanobik by Hanobik Family Joseph Mitsch by Wife, Rosemary Theresa Bukowski by Jeanette Sideritch

**Third Sunday of Advent** 

Edward Zawatski by Wife, Marie, and Family
Jim Burns by Knights of Columbus
Special Intention for the Health of Tom Mattarochia and Wellbeing
of Dona Luikart by Pete Petrunya
Maria and Antonio Cirigliano by Family and Friends

People of the Parish

#### FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

#### WEEKEND OFFERTORY TOTALS NOVEMBER 26, 2023

Regular Offertory \$20,077.99 Parish Appeal Program (2023) \$1,370.00 Special Diocesan Collections \$998.00

The 11/26/23 weekend offertory totals include donations that were received by the parish during the period of Monday, 11/20/23 through Sunday, 11/26/23.

### MONTHLY ONLINE GIVING NOVEMBER 2023

Regular Offertory \$42,793.66 Parish Appeal Program (2023) \$8,281.50 Special Diocesan Collections \$4,207.00

#### **EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINES**

Below are upcoming early bulletin content deadlines.

December 17 & 24 Bulletin
Submission Deadlines have Passed

**December 31 Bulletin** 

Content submitted by Friday, December 15

Email your submissions to <u>bulletin@</u> archangelgabrielparish.org.

Thank you for the role you play in the continuation of the mission of Archangel Gabriel Parish:

Stewarding God's gifts and mysteries to make missionary disciples

for Jesus Christ and his Church

#### **WAYS TO GIVE**

It's easier than ever to support the mission and life of the parish.

#### 1. Online

Giving online is a convenient and secure way to support the work of the parish. Go to <u>ArchangelGabrielParish.org/Give</u> to learn more.

#### 2. Mail/Drop Off

Checks made payable to "Archangel Gabriel Parish" can be dropped off at or mailed to the Parish Administrative Office:

Archangel Gabriel Parish 5718 Steubenville Pike McKees Rocks, PA 15136

#### 3. Text to Give

Text a dollar amount to 412-775-2460.

#### 4. Offertory Collection

Donation envelopes can be placed in the offertory basket during Mass.

#### 5. Make a Bequest or Planned Gift

You can remember AGP in your Will or other estate plans. It's simple to do and helps support the future of our parish. For more information, please contact the Parish Office at 412-787-2140.

#### HONORING A LOVED ONE

#### **Hymnals**

Hymnal sponsorships are still being accepted. Each hymnal will have an inscription on the inside cover with your dedication at the cost of \$25. For more information, go to ArchangelGabrielParish.org/hymnal.

#### Mass Intentions

Mass intentions for 2024 are being accepted now. You can select up to two Masses, one Sunday/Vigil Mass and one weekday Mass. The stipend is \$10 per Mass. To check availability, please call the Parish Administrative Office at 412-787-2140 x100.

## Tabernacle Lamps & Holy Family Niche

Spots are available for the Tabernacle Lamps (at all three churches) and the Holy Family Niche flowers (at St. Malachy Church). Please call the Parish Office at 412-787-2140 x100 for more information.