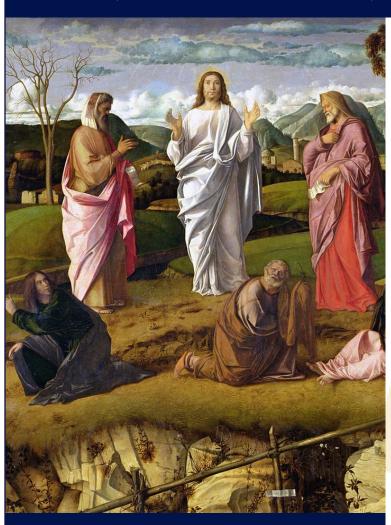




### ARCHANGEL GABRIEL PARISH

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

### WEEKEND 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 Church 7:00 PM | Holy Trinity Church

### **WEEKDAY 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



### Worship IV Page Numbers for the Second Sunday in Lent

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.

Lectionary and Psalm1032
Opening Hymn: "Bless the Lord"
Lenten Gospel Acclamation
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Post-Communion Hymn: "My Song is Love Unknown," v. 3-4490
Choral Anthems for 10:00 AM Mass at Holy Trinity Church:

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Communion: "Anima Christi," by Marco Frisina (b. 1954)

Closing Marian Antiphon: "Ave, Regina Caelorum," simple tone

### Please do not leave bulletins in the pews. Thank you!

### Daily Readings for the Week of March 16

**Sunday, March 16:** Gen 15:5-12, 17-18 | Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14 | Phil 3:17-4:1 OR 3:20-4:1 | Lk 9:28b-36

Monday, March 17: Dan 9:4b-10 | Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 | Lk 6:36-38

**Tuesday, March 18:** Is 1:10, 16-20 | Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 | Mt 23:1-12

**Wednesday, March 19:** 2 Sam 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16 | Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29 | Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22 |

Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a OR Lk 2:41-51a

**Thursday, March 20:** Jer 17:5-10 | Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 | Lk 16:19-31

**Friday, March 21:** Gen 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a | Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 | Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

**Saturday, March 22:** Mic 7:14-15, 18-20 | Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 | Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

**Sunday, March 23:** Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15 | Ps 103: 1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 | 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12 | Lk 13:1-9

### SACRAMENTS

### **CONFESSION**

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

### 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.

### **BAPTISM**

Baptisms at Archangel Gabriel Parish are scheduled on the second Sunday each month (alternating between St. Mary, Help of Christians Church at 12:15 PM and St. Malachy Church at 9:15 AM). Baptisms are also scheduled on the fourth Sunday of each month at Holy Trinity Church at 1:45 PM.

Parents are required to participate in Baptism Preparation before the Baptism of their children. The next Baptism preparation session is scheduled for **Sunday**, **April 13 at 1:30 PM**. To register and begin the scheduling process, go to <u>ArchangelGabrielParish.org/Baptism</u> to fill out the Baptism Request Form. If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at 412-787-2140.

### **FUNERALS**

Funeral details are handled through the Funeral Home. However, if at any time you have a question, please feel free to contact the Parish Office at 412-787-2140. If you have questions about the music selections for a funeral, please contact Dr. Vincent Rone, Director of Music, at 412-787-2140, x118 or <a href="mailto:vrone@archangelgabrielparish.org">vrone@archangelgabrielparish.org</a>.

### **MARRIAGE**

Couples desiring a sacramental marriage should begin the scheduling process at least six months before the date of the wedding. To begin the process, please visit <a href="ArchangelGabrielParish.org/holy-matrimony">ArchangelGabrielParish.org/holy-matrimony</a> to complete a Marriage Planning Form. Here you can also find additional information about scheduling and planning your wedding. All couples must then meet with a priest to confirm the scheduled wedding date. For more information, please contact the Parish Office at 412-787-2140.

### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM St. Mary, Holp of Christians Church

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

**Parish Holy Hour at St. Malachy Church** Thursdays | 7:30 PM

To sign up the be a scheduled adorer, please visit adorationpro.org/agp.

### **LIVESTREAM MASS**

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

### **RADIO BROADCAST**

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

### 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

If a child is in imminent danger of abuse, call 911 immediately.

For more information about Safe Environment protocols, please visit the parish website at <a href="https://example.com/ArchangelGabrielParish.com/SafeEnvironment">ArchangelGabrielParish.com/SafeEnvironment</a>.

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### **MESSAGE FROM THE CLERGY**



Fr. Ken Marlovits
Pastor

HEALTH UPDATE: I want to thank you for your continued prayers for my health. To prevent rumors and unnecessary worry, I want provide you an update. I continue to be treated for autoimmune hemolytic anemia. At the beginning of year, it seemed my treatment path was going to require me to receive four weeks of infusion treatments to "reset" my immune system. However, my blood started to show improvement, so those treatments were cancelled, and I was tapered off all my medication.

Unfortunately, coming off the medicine did not go as hoped, and my illness came back. I spent three weeks off all medicine to see if my body would recover, however, my blood numbers only got worse. Last month, I restarted my medications at full dosage. At this time, I am tapering off the high doses of the medicine and, starting this Monday, I will begin the infusion treatments. Over the next four weeks I will be receiving treatment at the Robinson Medical Oncology Center. Because of the location, there is a high possibility that I will be seen by someone who knows me, and therefore, the chance that people will talk and rumors might start. I felt it was better to get out in front of any stories and let you all know what is happening. In short, I will be treated in a way that (in layman speak and very simple terms) will suppress and reset my immune system. This treatment has worked for me in the past and should work this time too. I will continue to work as much as my body allows, and I will offer the sacraments and prayers for you! You, the Body of Christ, are doing amazing things and sharing the Love of God with so many – keep that up. I am looking forward to being back to functioning at 100% soon. Thanks for your prayers and your patience.

**SAINT MARY, HELP OF CHRISTIANS CLEANING:** Volunteers interested in joining a cleaning crew at St Mary's are invited to do so on Thursday, March 20, from 12:00 - 2:30 PM. It would be helpful for volunteers who are able to bring a shop vac, cleaning buckets, and/or clean rags, if possible, as we have a limited supply at the Church. If you have questions, please contact Donna Spohn at 412-491-9669.

Please remember, we all can help keep our churches clean by making sure books and hymnals are put back in place, putting the kneelers up after Mass, taking bulletins with you (not leaving them in the pew), and throwing away all trash. Thanks for giving us a helping hand.

### STAFF SPOTLIGHT: Dr. Vincent Rone

Greetings! I'm Vincent Rone, the Director of Music. I plan, play, sing, and coordinate the music for the liturgical life of AGP. Moreover, I direct the Parish Choir, accompany the Children's Choir, train cantors, and supervise organists, singers, and contemporary groups. As a Professor of Sacred Music at the Franciscan University of Steubenville, I also bring the Women's Choir and Schola Cantorum to AGP for special events and concerts.

According to Vatican II's Constitution of Sacred Music, the Church values sacred music above all other arts and identifies its two purposes: To glorify God and sanctify the Faithful. Sacred music is one of the deepest joys for me because I get to evangelize the Faith through this art form. Every day shows me how fulfilling and rewarding this vocation is. For example, I risked teaching the congregation the Gregorian hymn "Puer Natus in Bethlehem" for Midnight Mass (Christmas), not knowing how it would turn out. People began singing more and more, until virtually the whole Church was chanting. I was moved to tears.

Sacred music is also a serious commitment. It complements and brings into focus the mysteries made present at Mass and elevates those mysteries where words fall short. It's a lifelong commitment to make—through music—a more beautiful and more pleasing liturgy to the Lord and to evangelize those for whom faith seeks understanding. This is something I could not accomplish without the Parish Choir; together we strive for a more pleasing sound to the Lord!



Dr. Vincent Rone Director of Music

### THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday, March 16

Children's Liturgy of the Word | 10:00 AM Mass

Holy Trinity Church

**Christian Initiation** | 10:00 AM *Ministry Center, Holy Trinity Campus* 

Monday, March 17

BINGO | Opens 5:00 PM/Early Birds 6:45 PM

Weirauch Hall, St. Malachy Campus

Bible Study | 6:30 PM

Gathering Place, St. Mary Campus

**Tuesday, March 18** 

**Alpha** | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Youth Ministry Center, St. Malachy Campus

**Bereavement Support Group** | 7:00 PM

Ministry Center, Holy Trinity Campus

Wednesday, March 19

**Fish Fry Prep** | 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

St. Malachy Cafeteria

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

**Thursday, March 20** 

Fish Fry Prep | 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

St. Malachy Cafeteria

Tai Chi (Advanced) | 10:00 AM

Youth Ministry Center, St. Malachy Campus

**Tai Chi (Intermediate)** | 11:15 AM

Youth Ministry Center, St. Malachy Campus

Children's Choir Rehearsal | 4:00 PM

Holy Trinity Church

**Service of Love Blanket Making** | 6:00 PM

Weirauch Hall, St. Malachy Campus

Life Teen | 6:30 PM

Youth Ministry Center, St. Malachy Campus

First Penance | 6:30 PM

St. Malachy Church

Parish Choir Rehearsal | 7:00 PM

Holy Trinity Church

Lenten Book Club | 7:00 PM

Ministry Center, Holy Trinity Campus

Parish Holy Hour | 7:30 PM

St. Malachy Church

Friday, March 21

Fish Fry | Take Out or Eat In | 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Call 412-771-0848 to order, starting at 10:00 AM

St. Malachy Cafeteria

**Traditional Stations of the Cross** | 1:30 PM

St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

**Living Stations of the Cross** | 7:00 PM

St. Malachy Church

Saturday, March 22

First Penance | 10:00 AM

Holy Trinity Church

Sunday, March 23

Children's Liturgy of the Word | 10:00 AM Mass

Holy Trinity Church

Christian Initiation | 10:00 AM

Ministry Center, Holy Trinity Campus



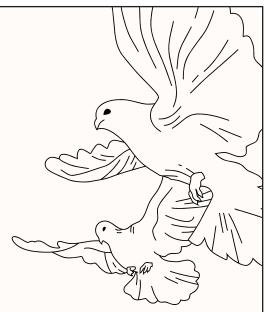
Please pray for all of the children of our parish who will receive their First Reconciliation this Thursday and Saturday. May God be with them and guide them as they prepare to receive their First Holy Communion.

# Prayer for Pope Francis

O God, shepherd and ruler of all the faithful, look favorably on your servant Francis, whom you have set at the head of your Church as her shepherd;

Grant, we pray, that by word and example he may be of service to those over whom he presides so that, together with the flock entrusted to his care, he may come to everlasting life.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.



# LENTEN PRAYERFUL SATURDAY MARCH 29



### Spend Saturday morning in prayerful reflection and preparation for Lent.

8:30 AM | Mass at St. Malachy Church

9:30 AM | Multi-media celebration of the Stations of the Cross, led by Deacon Tim Killmeyer, in the Youth Ministry Center

10:30 AM | A reflection, A Journey from Brokenness to Healing, on how suffering is part of our faith with Fr. Ken Marlovits, in the Youth Ministry Center

11:00 AM | Adoration, Confession, and Benediction at St. Malachy Church



ARE YOU BEING CALLED TO OUTREACH SERVICE IN OUR COMMUNITY?

## SHARING OUR LIGHT

Committed to being present in the world around us and the communities we serve

Archangel Gabriel Parish's newly-formed Community Outreach Ministry is looking for volunteers to attend various community events, sharing the light of our faith with our neighbors in fellowship and service. If you are interested in representing AGP at one of these events, or you know of an upcoming event that you think we should attend, please contact us at communityoutreach@archangelgabrielparish.org.

Learn more about upcoming opportunities for service and community outreach events at ArchangelGabrielParish.org/Outreach.

# LIVING ROSARY FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE UNBORN

The Respect Life group thanks all who are participating in the Living Rosary, praying at least one decade daily during Lent for a pro-life intention.

# Together, we have 85 Rosaries being said daily.

May these prayers help us all to become more boldly prolife and to follow God's will. May all those considering abortion realize the alternatives available and choose life! There have been over 65 million babies that have died from abortion since 1972.



## Parish Holy Hour

St. Malachy Church Thursdays | 7:30 - 8:30 PM March 20 Theme: Lent - Almsgiving

During Lent, Archangel Gabriel
Parish will continue to host a Holy
Hour on Thursdays at 7:30 PM at St.
Malachy Church. Each night is
focused on a theme and praying for
a specific need of our Church or
community, and features Solemn
Exposition of the Eucharist,
reflection, and Benediction.

Confessions will also be available during Parish Holy Hours during Lent.



# The Light is on for You

Wednesday, April 9



On Wednesday, April 9, parishes across the Diocese of Pittsburgh will "keep their lights on," offering opportunities for Confession, worship, and prayer. At Archangel Gabriel Parish, priests will be available for **Confession** during the following times:

10:00 - 11:00 AM St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

12:00 – 1:00 PM St. Malachy Church

5:30 – 9:00 PM Holy Trinity Church

In addition, we will celebrate **Mass** at Holy Trinity Church at 6:30 PM.

A **Lenten Prayer Service** will follow Mass and will feature Eucharistic Adoration, liturgy of the word, and contemplative prayer and music.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** will continue (as usual) until 10:00 PM

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# YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

TACO TUESDAY
MINISTRY CENTER,
HOLY TRINITY CAMPUS
APRIL 1 | 6:30 PM

Young adults of the parish (must be 21+) are invited to gather at 6:30 PM in the Ministry Center on the Holy Trinity Campus for a taco dinner, drinks, prayer, and fellowship. This is a free event, but we request you register online at **ArchangelGabrielParish.org/Tacos** so we can plan accordingly.



Holy Trinity Church Friday, April 4 1:30 - 4:00 PM

Families with children of any age are invited to spend some time with Jesus. Feel free to bring books, fidgets, small toys, or anything else that will make your children feel like welcome guests in God's house. Resources will be available, including parent guides, prayers, and coloring and activity pages. Coffee and snacks will be provided.

Learn more about Adoration for children at ArchangelGabrielParish.org/FamilyAdoration.

### Call 412-771-0848 to order!

Take out or eat in from 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM. (3:00 - 6:00 PM with limited menu on Good Friday)

Phones open at 10:00 AM on Fridays.

St. Malachy Cafeteria | 343 Forest Grove Road | Coraopolis, PA 15108

### MENU

Fish Sandwich	\$12
Fish Sandwich Dinner	\$16
(includes coleslaw and choice of fries or mac & cheese)	
Jr. Fish Sandwich	\$7
Baked Fish	\$10
Baked Fish Dinner	\$14
(includes coleslaw and choice of fries or mac & cheese)	
Crab Cakes (2)	\$7
Jumbo Breaded Shrimp (5)	
Popcorn Shrimp & Fries	
Tuna Salad Sandwich & Chips	
9" Cheese Pizza	\$7
Pierogies (potato & cheese or sauerkraut)	
Dozen	\$12
Half Dozen	\$7



### SIDES

Extra Bun	\$1
Macaroni & Cheese	
Fries	
Haluski (cabbage & noodles)	
Coleslaw	
Single Serving	\$1
Half Pint	

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FAMILY SPOTLIGHT: JOHN & BETTY MCDERMOTT FAMILY

John and Elizabeth (Betty) McDermott are lifelong members of St. Mary's Help of Christians Church, now a part of Archangel Gabriel Parish (AGP). John was baptized, confirmed, and graduated from, St. Francis de Sales, while Betty did the same at St. Mary's. Both parishes subsequently became a part of St. John of God Parish, which is now a part of AGP. Betty and John were married at St. Mary's with Betty's uncle from Austria, Msg. Eduard Gerger, officiating their marriage, along with Father Becker. They recently celebrated their 60th anniversary in July at St. Mary's with a Mass officiated by Father Ken Marlovits. Their roots are deeply planted in St. Mary's as Betty's parents were married there in 1934.

Over the years, both John and Betty have volunteered in a variety of capacities: working booths at the annual St. Mary's bazaar; preparing meals in the kitchen; attending parish Mardi Gras events; working the Mother of Sorrows flea markets; making gnocchi and falagones in the Pizza Kitchen; decorating St. Mary's Church for the holidays;





and cleaning the Church as well. Both John and Betty continue to volunteer for the parish, especially helping at St. Mary's to maintain the Church as an active, welcoming place of worship. Betty also serves as a Director of Leo Meyer Manor (formerly St. Mary's School) and was a money counter for the weekly collections at St. Mary's for many years. John serves as an usher when needed.

John and Betty travel extensively and enjoy visiting religious shrines and making pilgrimages to churches in Europe and Canada. The pilgrimage shrines in Austria are a favorite of theirs, especially in the area of Betty's ancestors. Visiting Maria Zell in Austria (the basilica which was the resting place of Cardinal Jozsef Mindszenty) was especially moving for them since Betty's uncle, Msg. Eduard Gerger, led a pilgrimage there every year and celebrated Mass at the beautiful altar which had a solid silver image of the Blessed Mother. They were also blessed to have seen, and received the blessing of, Pope Francis in 2023. In 2024, they were at Fatima in Portugal, a sacred place where countless miracles have taken place. It was an experience that they find hard to put into words and will remain in their hearts forever!

# STATIONS OF THE CROSS Friday, March 21 1:30 PM | St. Mary Church | Traditional Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM | St. Malachy Church | Living Stations of the Cross Friday, March 28 1:30 PM | St. Mary Church | Traditional Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM | St. Malachy Church | Traditional Stations of the Cross Friday, April 4 1:30 PM | St. Mary Church | Traditional Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM | St. Malachy Church | Living Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM | St. Mary Church | Traditional Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM | St. Malachy Church | Traditional Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM | St. Malachy Church | Traditional Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM | St. Malachy Church | Living Stations of the Cross Wed, April 16 7:00 PM | St. Mary Church | Living Stations of the Cross

# SERVICE OF LOVE PRAYER BLANKET MINISTRY

Weirauch Hall, St. Malachy Campus March 20 | 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Our last blanket making date will be April 10; then we will resume in September.

Join us as we make fleece tie blankets. Bring 2 pieces (1½ 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 <a href="mailto:obx16@verizon.net">obx16@verizon.net</a> or 412-262-1162 or Patti at 412-331-0685.





Women's Day Out Tea Party Flowers of Our Faith

April 26, 2025 | 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

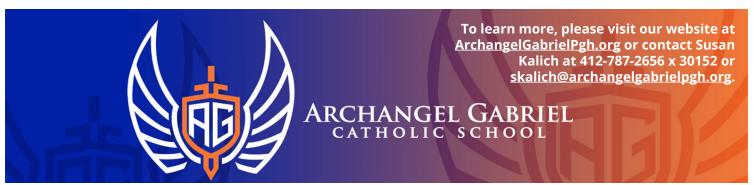
The AGP Ladies of Charity invite you to join us in the Youth Ministry Center on the St. Malachy Campus for a day of fellowship, reflection, and prayer. Let's spend some time together and celebrate life.

We'll provide lunch and tea as we:

- Enjoy a talk on the symbolism of flowers
- Pray the Rosary
- Listen to praise and worship music
- Shop at vendor booths

This is a free event, but you must register to reserve your spot. Register online at ArchangelGabrielParish.org/WomensDay or call Claudia at 412-780-1485. Space is limited, so don't wait to register. Attendees are asked to please bring a non-perishable food item for the AGP Food Bank.







### **OBSERVING LENT AT AGS**

We had a beautiful Mass on Ash Wednesday with Father Lou Vallone as the celebrant. This Lenten season our school is participating in prayer, fasting, and almsgiving, including: Stations of the Cross, confession, collecting items for those in need, saying extra special prayers in and out of the classroom, sacrificing, and making sure we are good examples for those around us. We know this journey will bring us closer to God, and we are blessed to prepare for the Resurrection of Jesus as an AGS community. Lent is a time of renewal and spiritual growth, and we are honored to walk this journey with our students, deepening their understanding of God's love and mercy.



### **READING ACROSS AMERICA**

At Archangel Gabriel Catholic School we celebrated Reading Across America Day with excitement and enthusiasm! Our students, teachers, and staff came together to celebrate the joy of reading and the power of literacy. One of our favorite traditions is in Ms. Bruno's first grade classroom, where they make and enjoy green eggs and ham! This year, in the kindergarten classrooms, Father Lou Vallone read some favorite Dr. Seuss books as well. We love these activities that foster a love for books, highlight the importance of reading, and also reflect our commitment to nurturing young minds in the spirit of faith and learning.



### **DIOCESAN AND COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS**

### **LENTEN DISCERNMENT RETREAT**

Prayer is a conversation with God – not just saying prayers but speaking from the heart and listening for his response. If you know of a young man who may be interested in discerning the priesthood, encourage him to attend our Lenten Discernment Retreat from March 21 – 23 at Saint Paul Seminary. The retreat offers a chance to step away from daily distractions, spend time in prayer, and allow Jesus to reveal His plan. Registration can be completed at pghpriest.com/vocation-events. Together, let us encourage and uplift one another, trusting in God's will for our lives.





### VIRTUE OF HOPE MISSION

Join Sarah Swafford at Saints Martha and Mary Parish for a three-day parish mission for all ages and stages of life! We'll have faith-filled, fun activities for the kids and inspiration for the adults. Sarah's down-to-earth style engages audiences of all ages and helps us see the power and joy of growing spiritually and in virtue for ourselves and our families. Sarah speaks internationally and also shares her message as an author and podcast and TV host.

### Monday, March 31, at 6:30 PM

An Evening with Sarah Part 1 St. Catherine Church (2554 Wildwood Rd)

### Tuesday, April 1, at 6:30 PM

An Evening with Sarah Part 2 St. Richard Church (3841 Dickey Rd)

### Wednesday, April 2, at 6:30 PM

St. Catherine Church (2554 Wildwood Rd)
Parish Penance Service

An RSVP is requested to attend and is required for kid's activities or babysitting. RSVP at <a href="https://stsmarthaandmary.flocknote.com/signup/200124">https://stsmarthaandmary.flocknote.com/signup/200124</a>.



### **DIOCESAN AND COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS**

### **LENTEN ZOOM ROSARY**

Join Bishop Zubik and other holy priests, and the Brother André's Crew for a special Lenten Rosary focusing on the Sorrowful Mysteries. Join us via Zoom every Wednesday night at 7:00 PM as we meditate on Christ's



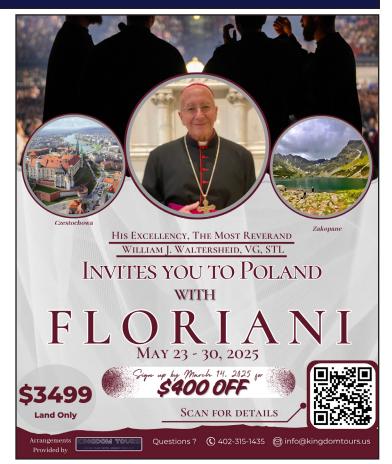
Passion through the Holy Rosary. Each week we will welcome a new leader for our prayer:

- March 19 Father Tim Deely, Pastor, Regina Coeli Parish
- March 26 Bishop David Zubik, Bishop of Pittsburgh
- April 2 Father Garvin Augustine, Executive Director, Mustard Seed Communities – Jamaica
- April 9 Father Peter Gruber, Director of Campus Ministry, Pittsburgh Oratory
- April 16 Bishop William Waltersheid, Auxiliary Bishop of Pittsburgh

To join us on Zoom, scan the QR Code provided or sign in through Zoom with Meeting ID: 834 1386 1699; Passcode: 094Cpk.

# BENJAMIN BENEFIT FOUNDATION'S 2ND ANNUAL NIGHT AT THE RACES

Join us on Saturday, April 12, at SNPJ Lodge #6 (540 3rd Ave, Bridgeville, PA 15017) for our 2nd annual Night at the Races. Doors open at 5:00 PM for VIP seating/ 5:45 for General Admission. General Admission is \$50/person and includes general seating, buffet dinner, and open bar. VIP tables are \$440 and include 8 tickets, buffet dinner, open bar, reserved seating, exclusive raffle entry, special dessert, and early entry. Sponsorships are still available for interested businesses. Dinner will be provided by The Cooked Goose. Guests will also enjoy horse races, raffles, prizes, games, and ticket basket and silent auctions. Come for the thrill of the races, stay for the cause! All funds will directly benefit Benjamin Benefit Foundation, a 501(c)3 nonprofit with a mission of service on local, national, and international levels. Most recently, we made a donation to Brother Andre's Cafe to cover the cost of furniture in their new location at Assumption in Bellevue. Please visit www.benjaminbf.org or call 412-721-6221 to register and for more information on this event and the foundation's different projects.





### **INTERCESSIONS**

# Please pray for Our Sick & Suffering

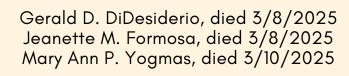
Names submitted for our sick and suffering list will appear for 4 weeks and then be removed. To submit a name, please contact the Parish Office at 412-787-2140.

Charles Bastyr Dorothy Bastyr Earl Cetto Dan Chujko Ken Dorman Maryann Fenio Katie Gasior Bob Gasior, Sr. Miller Ginsburg Lydia King Clare Knapp Andrew Kocis
John Leaman
Loretta Leaman
Louise Marushak
Jerry Moore
Joan Nunes
Paula Petrie
Mary Kay Pollinger
Whitney Rausch
Anna Ritter
Patty Rodriguez

Benjamin Rogowski Bill Rogowski Mary Anne Scrabis Richard Stefanos Audrey Elaina

# Please pray for those passing from death into new life.

We extend our sympathy to the families of those from our parish who died recently, including all those listed below and all of the deceased of our parish whose names we've not yet received.





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



### PLEASE PRAY FOR

ALL OF THE MEN AND WOMEN SERVING IN THE MILITARY, INCLUDING ...

If you would like to have the name of a loved one in the service listed in upcoming bulletins, please contact the Parish Office at 412-787-2140. Teresa Alejandro, Navy
Jessica Brisbin, Marines
Justin Buckley, Marines
Lt. Cdr. David DiSanto, Navy
Benjamin Goehring, Marines
Eric "Bubba" Hall, Marines
Caitlin Kosanovic, Navy
Courtney Kosanovic, Army
Spencer Lindsay, Army
Steven Maritz, Navy
James McGregor, Coast Guard
Nick Obusek, Air Force

Douglas Peer, Army
Jordan Powers, Marines
Jacob Schnelbach, Air Force
Christian Smith, Army
Tyler Smith, Air Force
Wayne Stuebner, Air Force
Nathan Stutzman, Navy
Alexus Walker, Navy
Austin Walker, Navy
Ryan W. Wanek, Navy
Matthew Zivic, Army

### MASS INTENTIONS

St. Mary, Help of Christians Church Sanctuary Lamp - Gregg Redmerski by Charlotte Patton Holy Trinity Church Sanctuary Lamp - Special Intention of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wayne Miller

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8:30 AM | SM | Fr. Masalu Gerry Famoso by Mary Lou Sklarsky 4:00 PM | SM | Fr. Gruber Rocco F. Esposito by Wife and Family

5:00 PM | HT | Fr. Vallone Norma Jean Dellemonache by Jamie and Denise Seibel

6:00 PM | SMHC | Fr. Marlovits Brother McMahon by Family

### Sunday, March 16

The Second Sunday of Lent 8:00 AM | SM | Fr. Gruber Richard Bucek by Florence Gmitter 10:00 AM | HT | Fr. Gruber Becky Rogowski by Husband, Bill 11:00 AM | SMHC | Fr. Ryan Paul Johnston by Al and Chris End 12:30 PM | HT | Fr. Marlovits Mary Baker by Alvie Keene

7:00 PM | HT | Fr. Marlovits People of the Parish

### Monday, March 17

Optional Memorial of Saint Patrick, Bishop 9:30 AM | SMHC | Fr. Gruber Special Intention for Fr. Regis Ryan by Hemphill and Nestor Families 6:30 PM | HT | Fr. Gruber Butch Van by Claudia Van

### **Tuesday, March 18**

Optional Memorial of Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church 9:30 AM | SMHC | Fr. Morgan Brian Adams by Tom Adams and Family

Connie Oppido by Bob Greek 6:30 PM | HT | Fr. Gruber

### Wednesday, March 19

Solemnity of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary 9:30 AM | SMHC | Fr. Gruber Donald Pritchard by Ravas Family 6:30 PM | HT | Very Rev. Poecking Helen Corsetti by Family

### Thursday, March 20

8:30 AM | SM | Fr. Morgan Gregg Redmerski by Montour Class of 2004 6:30 PM | HT | Fr. Mele Bobbie Karabinos by Marlene Postufka

### Friday, March 21

8:30 AM | SM | Fr. Marlovits Melissa Ravas by Ravas Family Donald Kettering by Narkevic Family 6:30 PM | HT | Fr. Gruber

### Saturday, March 22

8:30 AM | SM | Fr. Gruber Gerry Famoso by Mel and John Weinstein 4:00 PM | SM | Fr. Morgan Helen Corsetti by Family 5:00 PM | HT | Fr. Marlovits Bernice Kelley, Private Intention Lillian M. Ricci by Judy Wasek 6:00 PM | SMHC | Fr. Gruber

### Sunday, March 23

The Third Sunday of Lent John B. Gallagher by Maree and Dan Gallagher 8:00 AM | SM | Fr. Morgan Joseph and Helen Ferlazzo by Joanne Ferlazzo and Mary Lou Ferraro 10:00 AM | HT | Fr. Gruber 11:00 AM | SMHC | Fr. Ryan Ruth Renkin by Sedlack Family 12:30 PM | HT | Fr. Marlovits Edward and Olga Diggans by Family 7:00 PM | HT | Fr. Marlovits People of the Parish

HT = Holy Trinity Church SM = St. Malachy Church SMHC = St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

### FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

# WEEKEND OFFERTORY TOTALS MARCH 2, 2025

Regular Offertory \$30,703.00 Parish Appeal Program \$3,528.00 Special Diocesan Collections \$162.00

The 3/2/25 weekend offertory totals include donations that were received by the parish during the period of Monday, 2/24/25, through Sunday, 3/2/25.

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

# Bulletin Submissions and Content Deadlines

The deadline for bulletin submissions is Friday (10 days prior to the bulletin date).
Submissions should be sent to bulletin@archangelgabrielparish.org.

March 23 Bulletin
Deadline Passed

March 30 Bulletin Content due by Friday, March 21

**April 6 Bulletin**Content due by Friday, March 28

Early deadlines will be published in the bulletin and on the website at ArchangelGabrielParish.org/Bulletin.

### 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 <a href="ArchangelGabrielParish.org/Give">ArchangelGabrielParish.org/Give</a> to learn more.

### 2. Mail/Drop Off

Checks made payable to "Archangel Gabriel Parish" can be dropped off at or mailed to the Parish 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 are being accepted. 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.

# Sanctuary Lamps & Holy Family Niche

Spots are available for the Sanctuary 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.