SAINT GABRIEL PARISH

St. Gabriel Parish is committed to renewing all things in Christ, beginning with ourselves!

St. Gabriel, pray for us!



SEPTEMBER 12, 2021 TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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All **SACRAMENTAL RECORDS** of the former **Saint Aloysious** and **King of Peace Parishes** are located at Saint Gabriel Parish. Sacramental records may be obtained by calling Saint Gabriel Parish during business hours from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm, Monday - Thursday. The office is closed on Saturday and Sunday.

The weekly parish bulletins can be found on https://www.stgabes.org

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass -----4:30 pm

Sunday Morning Mass ----- 10:00 am

Daily Mass Schedule ----- 8:30 am (Church)

Holy Day Schedule

Vigil: 6:00 pm; Morning Mass: 9:00 am

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SAINT GABRIEL FOOD CUPBOARD

Our parish provides food assistance to help our neighbors. It operates out of the lower level of the school hall on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 9:00 - 10:30 am. During the summer it is open on Tuesdays & Fridays. Our parishioners are asked to bring non-perishable food items with them to Mass on the first Sunday of the month.

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Call Parish Office: 215-463-4060

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: All couples who plan to have their baby baptized at St. Gabriel should notify the rectory for appropriate preparation. Sponsors must be Confirmed and at least 16 years of age. They are required to bring a letter from their parish stating that they are practicing Catholics. Baptisms are usually held the fourth Sunday of the month at the 10:00 am Mass.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession): Saturdays from 3:00 to 4:00 pm or anytime by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: The Archdiocese requires that couples planning to marry must contact the parish at least six months before the intended date. All couples are required to attend premarital instructions in preparation for marriage.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: In case of serious illness or advanced age, please call the rectory. Priests and Eucharistic ministers distribute communion to those who are sick and elderly, as well as to those unable to attend Mass. Sick calls should not be deferred until the person is unconscious or in imminent danger of death.

PARISH REGISTRATION: New parishioners are most welcome. Please call the rectory to make an appointment with the pastor. Please notify the rectory if you move. If you never receive a mailing from the parish you are not in our registry; contact us to give us your current information.

BECOMING CATHOLIC: We would be most happy to assist those interested in becoming Catholic. Please contact the pastor for information.

GETTING INVOLVED: Call the pastor to discuss ways to become active in one or more of our parish ministries.

WORDS OF WISDOM FROM THE SAINTS:

- "Actions speak louder than words; let your words teach and your actions speak!"

St. Anthony of Padua (+1231)

- "Christians! Recognize the great worth of the wisdom that is yours. Recognize too the discipline you must exercise, and the great prize you are called to. Mercy demands that you be merciful, righteousness that you be righteous, so that the creator may be shown forth in the creature and that, in the mirror of man's heart as in the lines of a portrait, the image of God may be reflected."

St. Leo the Great (+461)

- "The world tells you that you are made for comfort. You are not made for comfort, you're made for greatness!"

Pope Benedict XVI



St. Joseph, Patron of the Church, Husband of Mary and foster Father of Jesus, Pray for us!

In Honor of the Year of St. Joseph

The St. Joseph Novena will be said at the

4:30 PM Mass and the 10:00 AM Mass

beginning September 18 ending November

13.

St. Joseph Pray for us!

Intentions for the Week

4:30 PM Saturday, September 11
The Sweeney Family RB Mary & Jim Bradley
10:00 AM, Sunday, September 12
Edward Higgins RB Joe Ebbinger

8:30 AM Monday, September 13 Elizabeth White RB the Family

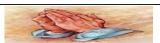
8:30 AM Tuesday, September 14 Ed Cassidy RB Pat Rafferty

8:30 AM Wednesday, September 15
Those who give to the Memorial Fund
RB the Parish

8:30 AM Thursday, September 16
Joseph & Bernard Greco RB Aunt Mary
FRIDAY, September 17 NO MASS

4:30 PM Saturday, September 18 Elizabeth Lockey RB Dorothy Hanshaw

10:00 AM, Sunday, September 19
Peter Braschoss RB the Sisters of St. Monica



Pray for those on the Sick List

Nicole Palandro, Donna Tafuri, Christopher Browne, Scott McDowell, Mary Kennedy, Steven Porter, Ed McCarron, Mary Bell, Tracy Cotter, Carol Mills, Grace Griffiths, Colleen Riddell, Janet Valania, Michaela Healy, Andrew Bennett, Dolores Masi, Joanne Gariffo, Theresa Sherwin, Barbara Curran, Ronald Mitchell, Dorothy Sheridan, Kathleen Liberi, Franny Mulhern Dougherty, Bill McCabe, Christine Ceja, Bob Sheridan, Nicholas, Amy & Dave White, Pat Pastore, Rick Haas, Carmine Zulli, Sr., Maureen Eckenroth, Martha Sweeney, Unique French, Terri Quinn, Jim Cotter Theresa Gianguilio, Elizabeth Majors, & Mia Andrilla

Names will remain on the Sick List for a month, unless otherwise requested.
Thank you!

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The Collection

August 01 - 031, 2021 **Online Giving** \$2666.00

We thank parishioners who attend Mass and contribute to the parish. We also thank those who have moved away and continue to support the parish when they can and those who give on line www.stgabes.org

Thank you for remembering St. Gabriel in your will!

The rectory is open Monday –Thursday 9:00 AM-3:00 PM. If you would ever like to drop your envelopes in the mailbox it is located on the left side of the rectory door.

Father Foley will be away the week of September 13-16. There will be daily Mass, but Father will not be available.

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15 Week Club tickets are available! See Kathy Tait on Monday at the rectory or check Captains! Have fun and help the parish!in with the 15 Week Club

MEMORIALS



Memorial Intentions

In commemoration of the Year of St. Joseph. parishioners may have a candle lit before his statue that will burn for a week. The offering is \$10. Please send your donation, along with your intention to the rectory.

Week of September 12, The Masturzo **Family RB Janet Haggerty** Week of September 19, The Gormley Family **RB Janet Haggerty**

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 10:00 Mass Welcome Back Celebration, Followed by refreshments!

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 7:00 PM MASS Celebration of St. Gabriel Feast Day START SPREADING THE NEWS!!! **PLEASE JOIN US!**



GALA OCTOBER 24, 2021

The Gala Committee is working hard on the details of the October 24th Gala. Have you responded to the Gala invitation?

Did you purchase your ticket for the Gala? Tickets are sold after the 4:30 and 10:00 Mass or stop by the rectory to fill out the ticket information.

"A Word From the Pastor" 24th Word from Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Along the way Jesus asked his disciples, 'Who do people say that I am?'
They answered, 'Some say John the Baptist, others Elijah, others one of the prophets.' 'And you,' he asked, 'who do you say I am?' Peter replied, 'You are the Christ.'" (Mark 8: 27 - 29) It is one of the key questions that Jesus asks in the Gospel, and he asks it of us as well as of the Apostles, "Who do YOU say that I am?" If, like Peter, we say that Jesus is the Messiah, the Christ, the Son of God, then we cannot stop listening when Jesus follows up with, "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." (Mark 8: 34)

Following Christ means embracing the cross; it means dying to selfishness, pettiness, and worldliness. It means never separating Faith from Action, as St. James tells us: "Indeed someone might say, 'You have faith and I have works.' Demonstrate your faith to me without works, and I will demonstrate my faith to you from my works." (James 2: 18) If we say Jesus is the Son of God, then we MUST follow him and imitate him by our actions. St. Anthony of Padua once said, "Actions speak louder than words; let your words teach and your actions speak!" It is not easy to follow Christ and live the gospel. It is not easy to take up our cross each day and follow the Lord. But as Pope Benedict XVI once said, "We are not made for comfort; we're made for greatness!" Jesus offers us all the grace we need to carry any cross and reach the ultimate greatness of being a child of God!

Our Music Director search continues...

We need everyone to pray and search to see if they know someone who could do the job!

Please contact rectory@stgabes.org for more information. Thank you!





Gospel Today

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time | Mark 8:27-35

Jesus asks, "Who do people say I am?" Some responded John the Baptist, Elijah, a prophet, but Peter replied "You are The Messiah." Jesus asked they tell no one and gave the first prediction of His passion.

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"WHO DO YOU SAY I AM?" Unscramble all of Jesus' many names **VAISOR RODL OGD** I MA **UJSSE KGNI EHT OEN SSMEIHA NSO FO AMN IRCSTH LEMAUNEM** PERNIC FO CPAEE **EREEDERM NSO FO DGO**

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