

2020/2021 Fiscal Year

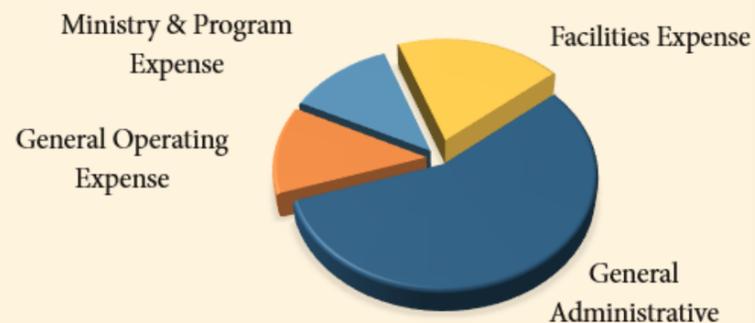
Operating Income

Offertory & Administrative	\$2,575,527
Ministry & Program Income	36,783
Other Operating Income	8,277
Total Operating Income	\$2,620,587.00



Operating Expenses

General Administrative	\$608,537
General Operating Expense	134,560
Ministry & Program Expense	132,226
Facilities Expense	210,168
Total Operating Expense	\$1,085,491.00



Net Operating Surplus/(Deficit) \$1,535,096.00

Capital Expenditures	\$1,969,515
Fundraising	\$335,360
Income-Expense after Capital Expenditures	-\$99,059

Ways to Support & Give to Our Parish



ONLINE

Visit our website to give electronically at www.saintgabriel.net/giving/giving-options



MAIL

Mail to:
8755 Scarborough Drive
Colorado Springs, CO 80920



Legacy Giving

Remember the Parish in your will
Call the Diocesan Stewardship Office at 719-866-6518

Scan this QR code with your smartphone to fill out your Commitment Card online.



The Work of Our Hands

Dear Members and Friends of St. Gabriel Parish:

Consider for a moment how far we have come in just a few short years. The countless number of people who have worshipped and celebrated the sacraments with us is amazing!

If you can, try to imagine the thousands of hours offered by members of our parish family to help design and build our church, welcome newcomers, proclaim the Scriptures, teach, assist the Mass, visit the sick, and who offer their prayers daily for needs of others! Consider the tremendous amount of time and energy spent reaching out to those in need through our monthly Gabriel's Gifts Food Bins and other Christian service ministries. And then there are the "behind the scenes" folks who care for our facilities inside and out, help with the day-to-day business, and those who always find a way to contribute when there is a need.

All of these things are accomplished through a true love of our community, nourished through prayer and a willingness to allow the gifts of the Holy Spirit to work through us. Without such a spirituality we would be unable to spread the Gospel and be true witnesses of the Gospel as we are.

However, while prayer is a significant piece of the mystery that brings the community to life and allows it to flourish, it is not the only piece! We must also strive to be good stewards of the gifts that God has given, so that the human element of the Church will have the resources it needs to accomplish its mission. So, as we strive to be disciples, we must also remember that things like paying our mortgages and other bills, building worship spaces and sustaining staff, is also a part of doing the work of Christ!

Over the past few years, our parish has continued to grow, expand, and offer new programs. We have hired more staff to support this work along with building new facilities and with added expense to maintain those facilities to plan for future growth. It is an exciting time that requires that we secure our financial future while at the same time continuing to evangelize and meet the varying needs of our growing community. For those that are newcomers and current members I'd like to introduce or reintroduce you to our "Work of Our Hands" program. Please consider how you and your family will help our St. Gabriel family to continue the work of Christ. Our goal is a simple one: to substantially increase our Sunday offertory contributions by asking each family to prayerfully consider the following:

- A one-time gift to help recover lost offertory from the shutdown.
- A renewal of your regular offertory contribution.
- An increase in the amount of your offertory contribution.

Please know that any gift, no matter the amount, is most appreciated and will enable us to continue our mission of loving God and serving our neighbor.

If you are unable to give financially, know that I am grateful for your gift of presence in our community. Without each and every one of you, our parish would have no reason to exist.

If, for whatever reason, you have been separated from the Church for a time, know that our parish doors are always wide open to you, awaiting your return. The Lord, in his overwhelming mercy and love, never tires of welcoming us home to Him.

Our goal this year is to increase our offertory by 5%. Please know that you and your families remain in my daily prayers, and I humbly ask that I remain in yours.

I would like for our members to consider a 5% increase of your current offertory, and to encourage those who do not give to lift them in their faith to a more committed level by helping those who already contribute carry the financial load. I am looking forward to your prayerful and generous responses on our commitment Sunday.

Thank you for whatever you can do to help our parish continue to thrive!

Your Servant in Christ,
Rev. Kirk J. Slattery
Rev. Kirk Slattery



The Work of Our *Hands*



PRAY

Our faith journey is never at an end, and we at St. Gabriel The Archangel Catholic Church know that prayer and participation in the sacramental life are the best ways to grow closer to Jesus Christ.



564

Masses said in our church each year

3,120

Hours devoted to Eucharistic Adoration

3,224

Visits by Eucharistic Ministers to the homebound

270

Parishioners served in Liturgical Ministry

SERVE

St. Gabriel the Archangel Catholic Church is a community with the heart of a servant. Through the generosity of parishioners like you, we are able to provide material and spiritual assistance to those in most need.

For more information about opportunities to serve your parish call the church office at 719-528-8407



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Funeral lunches prepared + served

Over a **1,000+** Families received food assistance through Mercy's Gate
30,000+ pounds of food

Over **400** kids have received food and tennis shoes in Panama



SHARE

As disciples of Jesus Christ, we are called to share the Gospel message with the world. We are able to carry out our mission of evangelization, helping more people to know and love the Lord. Your generous giving helps to ensure that all within our community can grow in faith, hope and love.



1,400

Families in our parish

51

First Communions

43

Confirmations

287

Children in Religious Ed

10

RCIA Candidates