

July 6, 2025

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



# ST. GABRIEL

## THE ARCHANGEL ♦ CATHOLIC CHURCH

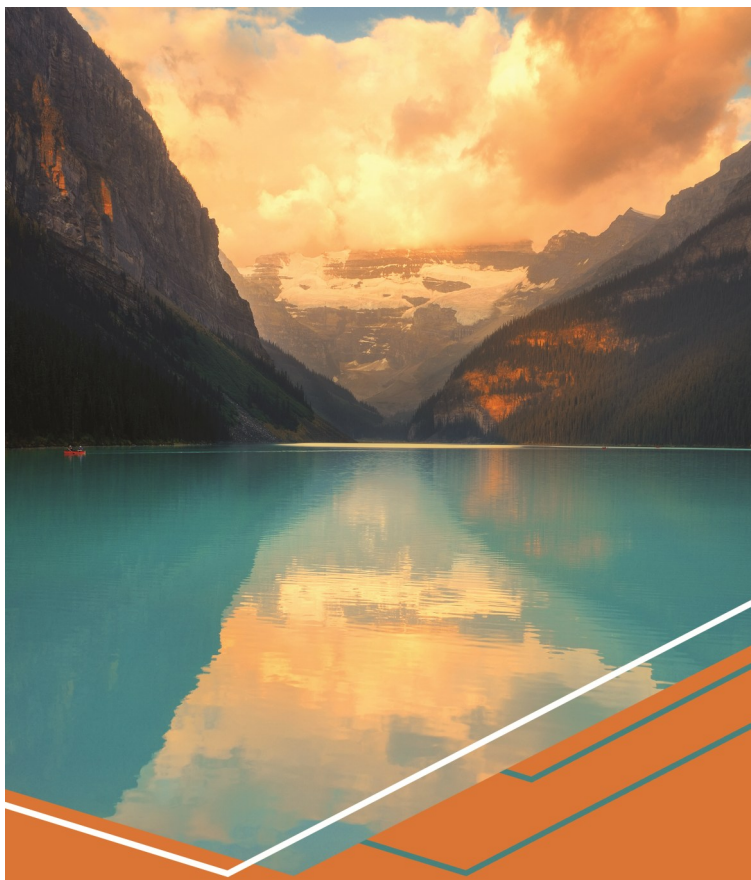
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*"Faith is to believe what you do not see. The reward of faith is to see what you believe." St. Augustine*



## 14<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Whatever town you enter and they welcome you, eat what is set before you, cure the sick in it and say to them, 'The kingdom of God is at hand for you.'"  
- Lk 10:8-9

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### MASS & CONFESSION SCHEDULE

#### English Mass

-Monday thru Friday 8am.  
-Saturday 4pm.  
-Sunday 8am and 10am.

#### Spanish Mass

-Sunday 1pm.

#### English Confession

-Wednesday 8:45-9:30am.  
-First Friday Confessions  
8:45am-9:30am.  
-Saturday 2:00-3:00pm.

#### Spanish Confession

-Sunday 12:00-12:45pm.

#### Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration: Monday through Friday  
8:30am to 9pm in Adoration Chapel.



### GENERAL CONTACT INFORMATION

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## SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

### Baptism

Please call the office to schedule the sacrament or to register for the Baptism class. Our Baptism class is offered on the Second Saturday of the month from 8:30am-12:30pm and are offered in both English and Spanish.

### Marriage

Preparation sessions must begin twelve months prior to marriage date. Please contact the office before any arrangements are made regarding the wedding.

### Permission Letter

If you are in need of a permission letter for a sacrament or to be a Godparent, call or come to the office. Submit permission letter request 1 week prior to pick up.

### Sick or Homebound

If you are homebound and wish to receive Eucharist please call the office.

### Funerals

Please call the parish office before scheduling date and time with a funeral home. The parish office schedules presiders, musicians, and servers in consultation with family members.

## MASS INFORMATION

\*If you are unable to receive Precious Body due to gluten sensitivity, please talk with the sacristan or usher before Mass and they can make arrangements for you.

\*Please silence all electronic devices.

\*We ask that a parent or responsible adult to please accompany children 12 and under if they need to go to the narthex or restrooms.

\*During sign of peace, please respect those who do not wish to shake hands and safely offer each other the sign of peace.

\*During cold and flu season: stay home if you are sick.

\*If you are sick or experiencing symptoms of sickness, you are not obligated to attend Mass. You may watch Mass online at [https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL\\_yRM1q1wJ5yBlZu\\_ptuu8bBU8c4owpta](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL_yRM1q1wJ5yBlZu_ptuu8bBU8c4owpta)



Would you like to become a prayer warrior for a pregnant mom and her unborn baby living at Mater Filius? We are looking for individuals willing to join our prayer warrior team. If you are interested, please email Kathy at: [Spirituality@materfiliuscs.org](mailto:Spirituality@materfiliuscs.org)



Hi! I'm Austin! I want to introduce you to my best friend, Father Francisco.

Have you signed up to attend the Parish Picnic on July 20?

Are you bringing a side dish or are you bringing a dessert?

USE THE QR CODE ON THE RIGHT TO SIGN UP TO ATTEND THE PARISH PICNIC ON  
**SUNDAY, JULY 20 FROM 3PM TO 6PM**  
or email [ipopolano@saintgabriel.net](mailto:ipopolano@saintgabriel.net) by July 17



## DISCERNMENT RETREAT

Discernment Retreat for men ages 18 - 40

\* Saturday, 12 Jul: Sign in at 1:30PM; Retreat starts at 2PM

\* Location: St. John Henry Newman Center,

4785 Stanton Road, Colorado Springs  
Presentations by a priest, a parent of a priest and the Seminarian's Panel  
Adoration and the rosary will also be offered

BBQ immediately following for discerners and their parents...no other family members please!

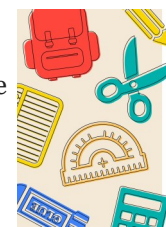
Mike Lehnertz, Vocations Ministry Lead at Our Lady of the Pines is organizing this retreat with me;

**RSVP by email:**

[mlehnertz@icloud.com](mailto:mlehnertz@icloud.com)

## BACK TO SCHOOL DRIVE

The BACK-TO-SCHOOL DRIVE - is our annual appeal coordinated through the St Gabriel Outreach Committee for children in the foster care system served by Fostering Hope. This collection benefits children and teens in multiple school districts. This year we are asking for Walmart gift cards in any denomination so the kids can go shopping for their own school supplies. Our goal is for all the children currently being served by Fostering Hope to receive a gift card. A table will be set up in the Narthex from July 5th through July 19th for you to drop off your gift cards. Having the required school supplies can make a huge difference in a young person's self-esteem and can help keep him or her on the right track towards school success. These youngsters need our support, encouragement and most importantly our prayers. In advance, we thank you for supporting at risk youth in our community and for your unfailing generosity!



**BACK  
TO SCHOOL  
DRIVE**

## CALENDAR/EL CALENDARIO

### This Weekend

Sat	Confessions 2-3pm.
Sat	English Mass at 4pm
Sun	English Masses 8am and 10am.
Sun	Confesiones en español 12-12:45pm.
Sun	Misa en español 1pm.

### Upcoming

July 7	Daily Mass at 8am. Adoration 8:30am-9pm.
July 8	Daily Mass at 8am. Adoration 8:30am-9pm.
July 9	Daily Mass at 8am. Confessions 8:45am-9:30am. Adoration 8:30am-9pm.
July 9	Rosary and Evening Prayer 6pm in Adoration Chapel.
July 10	Daily Mass at 8am. Adoration 8:30am-9pm.
July 10	Hora Santa 7pm.
July 11	Daily Mass at 8am. Adoration 8:30am-9pm.

## ADVERTISING DEADLINE

The deadline for all forms of advertising to include bulletin, Mass announcements, and TV slides will be:

**\*Monday, July 7th for the July 12/13th Bulletin.**

All submissions are due by 10am. Please send all submissions to: [office@saintgabriel.net](mailto:office@saintgabriel.net).

## COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

If you would like to read the latest minutes from the finance council or pastoral council, please go to our website. Click on the "About" and the "Councils" tab, from there you can see the members of both councils, their mission statements, and the meeting minutes.

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## CROSS CATHOLIC

Last weekend we were blessed to have a visiting priest from Cross Catholic Outreach. More than ever, poor families in developing countries depend on Catholic missions for assistance with food, water, shelter, medical care and spiritual nourishment. It's not too late to support Cross Catholic Outreach and the Church missions that live out the Corporal Works of Mercy, such as feeding the hungry and giving drink to the thirsty. To participate, please go to [CrossCatholic.org/outreach](http://CrossCatholic.org/outreach), or scan this QR code:



## BRIARFEST SILENT AUCTION

We're gearing up for our annual Briarfest Silent Auction, and we need **your help** to make it a success!

Do you own a business, provide a service, or have access to unique items or experiences? Donate a product, service, gift certificate, or basket to our Silent Auction and help us raise funds for our parish school, Saint Gabriel Classical Academy. For more information or to donate, contact [SaintGabrielAuction@gmail.com](mailto:SaintGabrielAuction@gmail.com)

# FINANCIAL BLESSINGS

## TITHING RECIPIENT

### Mater Filius

Mater Filius Colorado Springs is committed to helping women of all backgrounds facing an unexpected pregnancy who need housing or other support.

Offeritory	Month		FYTD	
	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget
December	\$ 165,997	\$ 140,000	\$ 714,694	\$ 674,175
January	\$ 120,913	\$ 106,835	\$ 838,033	\$ 781,011
February	\$ 111,192	\$ 106,835	\$ 949,225	\$ 887,846
March	\$ 135,104	\$ 106,835	\$ 1,084,999	\$ 994,681
April	\$ 143,557	\$ 106,835	\$ 1,228,556	\$ 1,101,516
May	\$ 111,580	\$ 106,835	\$ 1,340,137	\$ 1,208,351
June		\$ 106,835		\$ 1,315,186
Prior Year Actual			\$ 1,269,857	

## BRIARFEST 2025

### SILENT AUCTION DONATIONS NEEDED

- Vacation Rentals
- Event / Sports Tickets
- Experiences
- Unique Items
- Gifts

**IF YOU OR YOUR BUSINESS HAVE SOMETHING TO DONATE, EMAIL:**

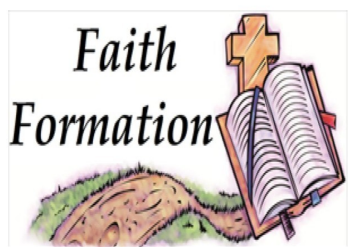
[SaintGabrielAuction@gmail.com](mailto:SaintGabrielAuction@gmail.com)



# Growing in Faith Together

Registration for 2025-2026 faith formation classes is now open!

Registration forms are available in the office  
on our website [www.saintgabriel.net](http://www.saintgabriel.net) or scan the qr code



**Registration deadline  
is September 4th**



## ***Volunteers needed***

Do you enjoy working with kids and  
want to share your love of Jesus?  
Prayerfully consider helping with the  
2025-2026 faith formation classes.

**We need lead teachers and aides.**

**Contact:** Michelle at [mmaher@saintgabriel.net](mailto:mmaher@saintgabriel.net)

Kim at [kseiler@saintgabriel.net](mailto:kseiler@saintgabriel.net)

or call the office at 719-528-8407

# Rediscover Your Faith: *The Power of a Spiritual Retreat*

In the midst of our busy lives, finding time to step back and reconnect with our faith can be a challenge. Yet, Jesus Himself often retreated to pray and be with the Father. A spiritual retreat offers us the same opportunity — a chance to pause, reflect, and renew our commitment to Christ.

This summer, we invite you to experience a powerful retreat in the Diocese of Colorado Springs. It will provide practical insights into living as a faithful steward of God's many blessings.

## Embracing Jesus Through Stewardship

Led by: Very Rev. Gary Kastl, Diocese of Tulsa, Okla.

**St. Gabriel the Archangel Catholic Church,  
Colorado Springs  
August 16, 2025  
8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

Scan the QR code or visit [www.CatholicSteward.com/CO2025](http://www.CatholicSteward.com/CO2025) for more details and to register. For questions about the retreat, please contact Michelle at 706-877-5052 or [michellemigone@catholicsteward.com](mailto:michellemigone@catholicsteward.com).



### ST. GABRIEL CLASSICAL ACADEMY NEWS

#### Job Opening St. Gabriel Classical Academy is Hiring



We are growing and doubling our classes and are in need of teachers. We have 2nd - 4th grade openings. If interested, please send your resume to Principal Schneider at [rschneider@stgabrielcos.com](mailto:rschneider@stgabrielcos.com). Questions? Please call 719.418.5670.

### DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Bishop Golka invites married couples celebrating a milestone anniversary (first or any anniversary ending in "0" or "5") to thank God for the Sacrament of Marriage. Mass will be offered on Saturday, July 19 at 10:00 am at Holy Apostles Catholic Church, with a reception to follow. Please RSVP by using the QR code or visiting [www.diocs.org/July-2025-Anniversary-Mass](http://www.diocs.org/July-2025-Anniversary-Mass). For more information, or to RSVP over the phone, please contact your parish office or Kathleen at 719-866-6426.

### RETREAT FOR ENGAGED COUPLES

Engaged couples are invited to a retreat on **Saturday, August 9, 2025** from **10:00 am-5:00 pm** at the **Franciscan Retreat Center** (7740 Deer Hill Grove, Colorado Springs). Come and take a break from wedding planning to spend time with Jesus and with each other! Cost is \$45 per couple and includes lunch. Space is limited so don't miss out on this opportunity! Register by **July 24** at <https://www.diocs.org/Retreat-for-Engaged-Couples>. Questions? Contact Dcn. Mike McGrady at 719-866-6293 or [mmcgrady@diocs.org](mailto:mmcgrady@diocs.org).

### WMLT JULY MEETING

The July 9 (second Wednesday of month) Women's Ministry Leadership Team meeting is cancelled. Therefore, the next WMLT meeting will be Wednesday, August 13th at 6:30pm in the St. Cecilia room. Any questions, please contact [lpopolano@saintgabriel.net](mailto:lpopolano@saintgabriel.net).

### FILM & FOSTER FAIR

Did you know that 390,000 children are in foster care in the United States? You can help these vulnerable children. All are invited to the Film & Foster Fair on Saturday, July 19 at 1:30 pm at St. Gabriel Church (8755 Scarborough Dr, Colorado Springs). Watch the short film "Adopting Faith" and learn from area foster organizations about ways you can volunteer to help foster children, including but not limited to being a foster parent. The event is free to attend but RSVPs are requested: <https://tinyurl.com/FosterFairCS>

### THIRD THURSDAY GRIEF SUPPORT GATHERING

The St. Gabriel Grief Support Ministry is introducing "Third Thursdays", a drop-in grief support group that offers both educational and social support to participants. Attend once or attend every month, no registration required. These Third Thursdays are open to everyone grieving the death of a loved one, whether recent or not. The next "Third Thursday" group will be held on Thursday, July 16th from 6:30pm to 8:00pm in the Parish Hall. For more information, email [lpopolano@saintgabriel](mailto:lpopolano@saintgabriel) or phone the office, 719-528-8407.



## ANUNCIOS EN ESPAÑOL



¡Hola! ¡Soy Austin!  
Quiero presentarte  
a mi mejor amigo,  
Padre Francisco.

¿Se ha inscrito para  
asistir al Picnic  
Parroquial el 20 de  
julio?

¿Llevas una  
guarnición o traes un  
postre?

USE EL CÓDIGO QR A LA DERECHA PARA INSCRIBIRSE PARA  
ASISTIR AL PICNIC PARROQUIAL **EL DOMINGO 20 DE JULIO DE  
LAS 3PM A LAS 6PM** o envíe un correo electrónico  
[lpopolano@saintgabriel.net](mailto:lpopolano@saintgabriel.net) antes del 17 de julio



### SACERDOTE VISITANTE

La semana pasada fuimos bendecidos con la visita de un sacerdote de Cross Catholic Outreach. Ahora más que nunca, las familias pobres de los países en vías de desarrollo dependen de las misiones Católicas para recibir ayuda con alimentos, agua potable, vivienda, atención médica y nutrición espiritual. Aún queda tiempo para apoyar a Cross Catholic Outreach y a las misiones de la Iglesia que viven las Obras Corporales de Misericordia, como alimentar a los hambrientos y dar de beber a los sedientos. Si desea participar, visite [CrossCatholic.org/sacerdote](http://CrossCatholic.org/sacerdote), o escanee este código QR con su celular::



SAN GABRIEL ARCANGEL TE INVITA AL  
**RETIRO DE MUJERES**  
**ESTOY A LA PUERTA Y LLAMO**  
EN: EI TESORO RETREAT CENTER, 232 BLOSSOM ROAD, WOODLAND PARK

**AGOSTO 8-9-10**  
**5:00 P.M.**  
**\$100**  
CUPOS LIMITADOS !!!

PARA MAS INFORMACION  
**(719) 528-8407**

**ESTE ES UN RETIRO DE SANACION**

### SUBASTA SILENCIOSA DE BRIARFEST

Nos estamos preparando para nuestra subasta silenciosa anual de Briarfest y necesitamos su ayuda para que sea un éxito. ¿Posee un negocio, proporciona un servicio o tiene acceso a artículos o experiencias únicas? Done un producto, servicio, certificado de regalo o cesta a nuestra subasta silenciosa y ayúdenos a recaudar fondos para nuestra escuela parroquial, la Academia Clásica San Gabriel. Para más información o para donar, comuníquese con [SaintGabrielAuction@gmail.com](mailto:SaintGabrielAuction@gmail.com).

## STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

IS 66:10-14C; PS 66:1-7, 16, 20; GAL 6: 14-18; LK 10:1-12, 17-20

In today's Gospel passage, from Luke, we find our Lord appointing disciples to go out and prepare others to receive His invitation into the Kingdom of God. Every verse has something to say about the way a Christian steward should approach others. Let's consider at least one of the coaching tips Christ gives.

"The Lord appointed seventy-two others whom He sent out ahead of Him in pairs to every town and place He intended to visit." In His wisdom, Christ sent His disciples out not as individuals but in pairs, as teams. This approach to evangelization certainly provided practical advantages. The disciples could lean on each other for mutual support and encouragement, helping each other to stay on task and to put their heads together to pray and problem-solve. This teamwork approach is just as relevant to us modern-day Christian stewards. It takes courage and commitment to go out and invite others into the Christian life. We need to work together to do it well.

But there is also symbolic importance to working in teams. It points to the reality that when we invite others to embrace the Good News of the Gospel, we are not merely inviting them into a belief system, but into a relationship with Christ and through that relationship, into Christ's family — our fellow Christian disciples near and far.

Our parish is our immediate spiritual family in this extended worldwide fold. We are not meant to live as isolated individuals within the parish any more than we are meant to live in isolation within our families. We are meant to be a community. That is why it is so important for us to foster a vibrant, supportive, welcoming parish life. This is why we emphasize hospitality as one of the pillars of stewardship. It is not enough just to point others to Christ; we must invite them to join us in community with Him; we must offer a place and mission for them in the Church and within our parish family.

## PRAYER CHAIN

If you have a request for needed prayers, strength, hope, courage or thanksgiving for yourself, family or friends, please email [ncbelanger54@gmail.com](mailto:ncbelanger54@gmail.com).

## Readings for the Week of July 7

Monday: Gn 28:10-22a/Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab/Mt 9:18-26  
Tuesday: Gn 32:23-33/Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15/Mt 9:32-38  
Wednesday: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19/Mt 10:1-7  
Thursday: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 10:7-15  
Friday: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40/Mt 10:16-23  
Saturday: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7/Mt 10:24-33  
Sunday: Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 (see 33)/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

# HAVE YOU PRAYED TODAY?



## PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

Jul 7	Dan Prochaska, Deacon Aspirant
Jul 8	Thomas Schott, Deacon Aspirant
Jul 9	Phillip Thomas, Deacon Aspirant
Jul 10	Fr. Christian Vaca-Rodriguez
Jul 11	Deacon Dominic Ambuul, Seminarian
Jul 12	Deacon Ian White, Seminarian
Jul 13	James McCann, Seminarian

## ALTAR FLOWERS THIS WEEK

Altar Flowers this weekend are donated by Michele Bogle in memory of Russell Bogle.

## BAPTISMS

We welcome into our Faith Community the newest members of God's family: Clara Fose baptized June 28, 2025 and Thiago Leo Aguirre baptized June 29, 2025.



The suggested donation for a Mass Intention is \$10. Mass Intentions can be booked for either living or deceased persons; a Mass Intention can be booked for more than one person if both or all the people for whom the Mass is being celebrated are either all living or all deceased. According to the Code of Canon Law, c. 953, we can only reserve Mass Intentions up to one year out from the current month. When booking Mass Intentions, especially more than three or four at one time, we would greatly appreciate receiving the Mass Intention donations at the time you reserve the dates of the Masses.

Sat	Jul 5	4:00pm	for: Jessica Robinson (SI)
Sun	Jul 6	8:00am	for: Nydia Garcia (+)
Sun	Jul 6	10:00am	for: Walt Ehmer (+)
Sun	Jul 6	1:00pm	for: Pope Leo XIV & All Religious (SI)
Mon	Jul 7	8:00am	for: Christopher Sohns (SI)
Tue	Jul 8	8:00am	for: Richard Sohns (SI)
Wed	Jul 9	8:00am	for: Francisco Salas (+)
Thu	Jul 10	8:00am	for: Julia & Dennis Murphy (SI)
Fri	Jul 11	8:00am	for: Kim Seiler (SI)
Sat	Jul 12	4:00pm	for: Nicholas Franchs (+)
Sun	Jul 13	8:00am	for: Alec Parkin (+)
Sun	Jul 13	10:00am	Pro Populo
Sun	Jul 13	1:00pm	for: Jose Santillan Ronquillo & Guadalupe Ronquillo (+)