

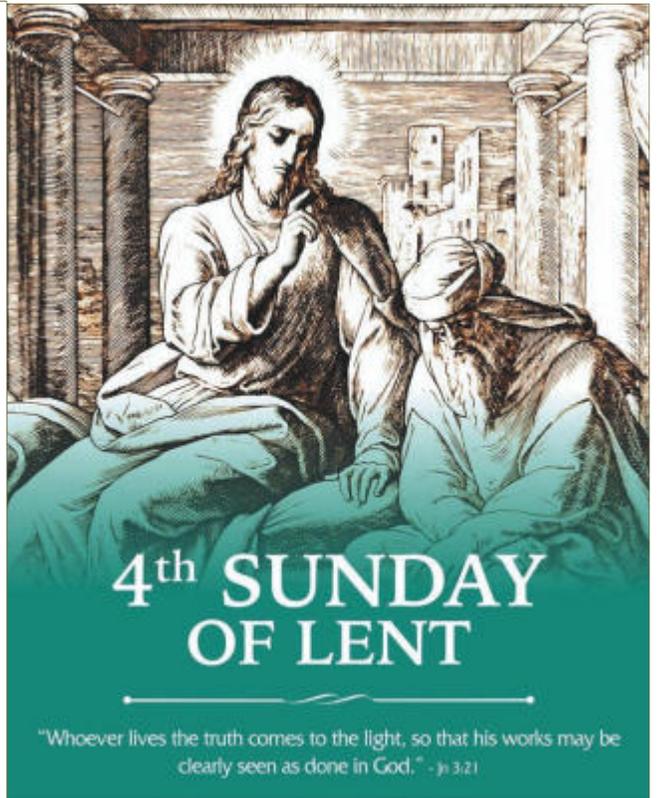
# THE PARISH OF ST. CECILIA ~ ST. GABRIEL

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH  
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*March 14, 2021*

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## Daily Mass at St. Cecilia Church

Monday through Friday 7:30 a.m.

## Weekend Masses at St. Cecilia Church

Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 12 Noon

## Mass at St. Gabriel Church

Sunday 10:00 a.m.

## RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE

### FOR ALL WEEKEND MASSES

To make a reservation please go to our Parish Website  
<http://stcecilia-stgabriel.org>

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for personal devotion  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday 12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.  
& Wednesday evenings from 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

## Confession Schedule at St. Cecilia Church

Wednesdays: 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
Saturdays: 3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

**BAPTISMS:** Sundays following Noon Mass at St. Cecilia Church.  
Arrangements should be made at least one month prior to the baptism.

**WEDDINGS:** St. Gabriel or St. Cecilia upon request of the couple.  
Arrangements to be made at least six months prior to the wedding.

**FUNERALS:** St. Gabriel or St. Cecilia upon request of the family.

**St. Cecilia - St. Gabriel Parish**  
**Mass Intentions**

*All Masses will be at St. Cecilia Church  
plus an additional 10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass at St. Gabriel Church.*

<b>SATURDAY</b> 4:00 p.m.	<b>March 13, 2021</b> <b>Deirdre McParland</b> (John & Michele Schule & Family)
<b>SUNDAY</b> 8:00 a.m.	<b>March 14, 2021</b> <b>Nicola Casinelli</b> (Pierluigi Vitti & Family)
10:00 a.m.	<b>Umberto &amp; Faye Maresca</b> (The Family)
10:00 a.m. <i>St. Gabriel</i>	<b>Peter Carlucci</b> (Antonio & Catherine Cardillo)
12:00 Noon	<b>Marge Rule</b> (Lynn Rule)
<b>MONDAY</b> 7:30 a.m.	<b>March 15, 2021</b> <b>Robert Wagner</b> (Vera Gardell)
<b>TUESDAY</b> 7:30 a.m.	<b>March 16, 2021</b> <b>For the Parish</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 7:30 a.m.	<b>March 17, 2021</b> <b>St. Patrick</b> <b>Edmond Quinn</b> (Alice Ryan)
<b>THURSDAY</b> 7:30 a.m.	<b>March 18, 2021</b> <b>St. Cyril</b> <b>Kerry Sheehan</b> (Her Family)
<b>FRIDAY</b> 7:30 a.m.	<b>March 19, 2021</b> <b>St. Joseph</b> <b>Thomas Poltrack</b> (His Daughter, Maryanne)
6:00 p.m.	<b>Confessions</b>
6:30 p.m.	<b>Stations of the Cross</b>
7:00 p.m.	<b>Mass of Consecration to St. Joseph</b>
<b>SATURDAY</b> 4:00 p.m.	<b>March 20, 2021</b> <b>Gloria Ricioppi</b> (The Pesce Family)
<b>SUNDAY</b> 8:00 a.m.	<b>March 21, 2021</b> <b>Richard O'Donnell</b> (Catherine Graf)
10:00 a.m.	<b>Michael P. Donnelly</b> (Tom & Terry McKiernan)
10:00 a.m. <i>St. Gabriel</i>	<b>Dylan Pape</b> (His Family)
12:00 Noon	<b>Barbara Bard</b> (Donna Napolitano)

**From the Ruins**

Last weekend, perhaps overshadowed by the media coverage given to Oprah Winfrey's interview of the former Duke and Duchess of York, Pope Francis made a historic pilgrimage to Iraq, becoming the first pope to visit that country. The images from the visit are remarkable, especially the Holy Father's visit of the city of Mosul. Mosul is the second-largest city in Iraq, and was the place where the leaders of the Islamic State declared the establishment of a caliphate in June 2014. Mosul still shows the terrible damage caused by the battle to re-take the city from ISIS, who terrorized the inhabitants of the city for three years before they were defeated in July 2017. While following the reporting on the pope's pilgrimage, I came across an article that juxtaposed a photo of ISIS graffiti on a wall in Mosul that threatened to abduct the pope and behead him, with a photo of the Holy Father standing amidst the rubble of the old city and waving to the crowds that had come to welcome him.

During a press conference in which he shared his experience of the Apostolic Journey to Iraq, Pope Francis spoke of a meeting he had with a woman who lost her son during the battle to liberate the region from ISIS. She told him: "Our strength undoubtedly comes from our faith in the Resurrection, a source of hope. My faith tells me that my children are in the arms of Jesus Christ, Our Lord. And we, the survivors, try to forgive the aggressor, because our Master Jesus has forgiven His executioners. By imitating Him in our sufferings, we testify that love is stronger than everything." The grand event of the pope's Apostolic Visit to Iraq revealed what otherwise would have been the hidden witness of the fidelity of the Christian community in Iraq, and their desire to worship the Lord Jesus and imitate His example. "Today," said the pope, "I can see at first hand that the Church in Iraq is alive, that Christ is alive and at work in this, His holy and faithful people." This was, I think, the greatest grace given to the Church by the pope's trip.

The image of the Holy Father standing as the Vicar of Christ in the ruins of Mosul made me think of another dramatic image from almost exactly a year ago, when he presided over Benediction in a dark, empty, rainy St. Peter's Square. At that point the pandemic was in its early stages. Now, 12 months later, there is a palpable sense that the worst days of the pandemic are firmly behind us. The ordeal we've experienced does not compare to the suffering of the people of Iraq, but we too must think about the rebuilding of our community post-pandemic. In his final homily of the trip to Iraq, the Holy Father echoed the words of the Iraqi woman, saying: "The Lord promises us that, by the power of the resurrection, he can raise us, and our communities from the ruins left by injustice, division, and hatred. That is the promise we celebrate in this Eucharist." In the Eucharist, he continued, "we recognize the presence of the crucified and risen Lord in our midst. And we learn to embrace His liberating wisdom, to rest in His wounds, and to find healing and strength to serve the coming of His kingdom in our world. By His wounds, we have been healed (cf. 1 Peter 2:24)." As we move forward, Christ Jesus must be at the heart of all that we do as a parish family – Christ in the Eucharist, in the confessional, in our neighbor. To that end, it is time for the faithful to

prayerfully consider returning to regular attendance at Sunday Mass, and to encourage others personally to come back. We need the strength that the Lord offers us there through the Sacrament and the healing that comes from life together as the Church, so that we might emerge from the ruins into a time of authentic renewal.

In Christ,  
Fr. John

## Mass for the Fourth Sunday of Lent

**Introit:** Rejoice ye with Jerusalem: and be glad with her all ye that do love her: rejoice for joy with her all ye that mourned deeply for her, that ye may nurse and be satisfied by the sweet milk of her consolations. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

### First Reading: Chr 36:14-16, 19-23

In those days, all the princes of Judah, the priests, and the people added infidelity to infidelity, practicing all the abominations of the nations and polluting the Lord's temple which He had consecrated in Jerusalem.

Early and often did the Lord, the God of their fathers, send His messengers to them, for he had compassion on His people and His dwelling place. But they mocked the messengers of God, despised His warnings, and scoffed at His prophets, until the anger of the Lord against His people was so inflamed that there was no remedy. Their enemies burnt the house of God, tore down the walls of Jerusalem, set all its palaces afire, and destroyed all its precious objects. Those who escaped the sword were carried captive to Babylon, where they became servants of the king of the Chaldeans and his sons until the kingdom of the Persians came to power. All this was to fulfill the word of the Lord spoken by Jeremiah: "Until the land has retrieved its lost sabbaths, during all the time it lies waste it shall have rest while seventy years are fulfilled."

In the first year of Cyrus, king of Persia, in order to fulfill the word of the Lord spoken by Jeremiah, the Lord inspired King Cyrus of Persia to issue this proclamation throughout his kingdom, both by word of mouth and in writing: "Thus says Cyrus, king of Persia: All the kingdoms of the earth the Lord, the God of heaven, has given to me, and He has also charged me to build Him a house in Jerusalem, which is in Judah. Whoever, therefore, among you belongs to any part of His people, let him go up, and may his God be with him!"

**Gradual:** I was glad when they said unto me, we will go into the house of the Lord. Peace be within thy walls and plenteousness within thy palaces.

### Second Reading: Eph 2:4-10

Brothers and sisters: God, who is rich in mercy, because of the great love He had for us, even when we were dead in our transgressions, brought us to life with Christ - by grace you have been saved - raised us up with Him, and seated us with Him in

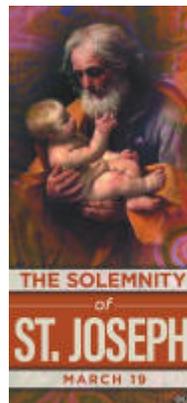
the heavens in Christ Jesus, that in the ages to come He might show the immeasurable riches of His grace in His kindness to us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not from you; it is the gift of God; it is not from works, so no one may boast. For we are His handiwork, created in Christ Jesus for the good works that God has prepared in advance, that we should live in them.

### Gospel: Jn 3:14-21

Jesus said to Nicodemus: "Just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the desert, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, so that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life."

For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life. For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through Him. Whoever believes in Him will not be condemned, but whoever does not believe has already been condemned, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God. And this is the verdict, that the light came into the world, but people preferred darkness to light, because their works were evil. For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed. But whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God.

**Communion Antiphon:** The tribes go up to Jerusalem, to give thanks to your name.



### Mass of Consecration to St. Joseph The Church of St. Cecilia

March 19, 2021

Mass - 7:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross - 6:30 p.m.

Confessions - 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

On the Solemnity of St. Joseph, Bishop Frank Caggiano will have a special Mass at the Cathedral of St. Augustine in Bridgeport to consecrate the Diocese of Bridgeport to the care of the Patron of the Universal Church.

The Parish of St. Cecilia-St. Gabriel will join him in the consecration during a parish Mass celebrated at the same time as the Mass at the cathedral.

We hope you will join us. There will be Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m., with Mass following at 7:00 p.m. Confessions will be available before the Mass and during Stations of the Cross from 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.

Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray,

and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host,

by the power of God, cast into hell Satan,

and all the evil spirits,

who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen.

## St. Cecilia - St. Gabriel Parish Offertory Totals

Week ending March 7, 2021

Mail In	\$2,914
4:00 p.m.	\$1,791
8:00 a.m.	\$1,442
10:00 a.m. combined	\$1,400
Noon	\$ 156
Monthly Collection	\$1,087
Easter Flowers	\$ 417
Lenten Offering	\$ 356
Online Giving Total	\$6,766
Parishioner Matching Gift	\$3,600

Parishioner Gift Restricted to Rectory Remodel \$1,000  
Anonymous Gift Restricted to Rectory Remodel \$5,571



*Thank you for your continued support and generosity!*

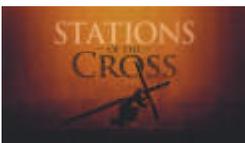
*Many thanks to those who have signed up for Online Giving and to those who continue to mail in your offertory envelopes.*

*For Online Giving please register at [www.osvonlinegiving.com/1522/](http://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1522/)  
The link is on our website, too!!*

**Reconciliation Monday**  
March 29th, 2021  
Confessions  
3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
St. Cecilia Parish Hall



Confessions also at Holy Spirit Church and Sacred Heart Church on the same date and times



FRIDAY EVENING AT 7:00 P.M.  
ST. CECILIA CHURCH  
DURING LENT

All safety protocols that are observed during our regular masses will be in effect. A mask must be worn at all times.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 2020-2021

SUNDAY, MARCH 14TH HOME STUDY ALL

SUNDAY, MARCH 21ST CLASSES MEET

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO SUBMIT COMPLETED LESSONS.**

**The health and safety of our children, families and catechists are of the utmost importance.**

Questions? Please email our DRE Maryanne Didelot at [DRE@stcecilia-stgabriel.org](mailto:DRE@stcecilia-stgabriel.org) or call 203.322.1562

**Coronavirus resources & information** can be found by visiting the Diocese of Bridgeport website at [www.bridgeportdiocese.org](http://www.bridgeportdiocese.org).

## On Line Giving

Help sustain our parish with Online Giving from OSV. As we move forward into 2021 there are still many uncertainties that lie ahead, and as a parish we continue to adjust. Right now, the ability to participate online is more important than ever. That is why our parish offers Online Giving as an option to support our ongoing mission and ministries. It is time to come together in faith so that we can continue to offer hope and healing to those around us. Online Giving allows you to make donations, payments, and pledges via your mobile phone, smart device or computer to our parish.

Set up your gift today or consider an additional gift via our web-based app on your smart device. Visit our parish website to sign up and get started. Our Online Giving system provides you the opportunity to give to our special collections in addition to regular offerings. Even if you typically use your offering envelopes, you may contribute online to a particular collection. It's easy and it's convenient!

*Please call the parish office or OSV Online Giving at 1.800.348.2886 if you have questions or need assistance in setting up your account.*



*Notre Dame de Perpetuel Secours*

*Creole Mass Schedule at St. Gabriel Church  
Saturday at 6:00 p.m. - Sunday at 8:00 a.m.*

*Tuesday at 6:00 p.m.*

*Stations of the Cross in Creole at St. Gabriel Church  
Friday evening at 7:00 p.m.*



**S.O.M.E (So Others May Eat)**

Please consider a weekly contribution of non-perishable food.

S.O.M.E. Baskets are at the MAIN ENTRANCE OF THE CHURCH. Please use strong reusable bags if possible.

**NO GLASS JARS AND PLEASE, NO PERISHABLE FOOD**

If you would also limit the bags and boxes of rice to 5lb. bags. Your contributions will be delivered to The Food Bank, Wilson Food Pantry, St. Mary's Food Pantry, Person to Person or New Covenant Center every week. THANK YOU for your responsible stewardship.

Last week we collected 21 Bags for Person to Person

*Questions? Contact Bob Violette 203.357.1481  
Thank you.*



**LOAVES AND FISHES**

You can transform lives with your Lenten offering!

Catholic Charities has been serving the Diocese since 1916 and is one of the largest providers of food resources in Fairfield County. Their food service programs continue to provide critically needed assistance via their soup kitchens, food pantries and meal deliveries to the elderly.

The New Covenant Center here in Stamford is open 365 days a year serving lunch and dinner. Your donation will make a difference in the lives of a hungry family. Go to their website at [www.ccfairfield.com](http://www.ccfairfield.com) to read more about their organization and to donate on line (select Loaves & Fishes). Or you may send a check, made payable to Catholic Charities, to Catholic Charities Finance - ATTN: Loaves & Fishes - 238 Jewett Avenue - Bridgeport CT 06606.





**THE SICK AND THEIR CAREGIVERS**

Sal Bonina, Michael Pratt, Nick Pensiero, Ken Byxbee, Conor Ehring, Mary Brundage, Matt Marshall, William Perkins, Tricia Saxe Cocomo, Steven Deccicco, Richard Negyesi, Ed Adams, Wendy Leonard, Edward Cioffi, Barbara Cebula, Columbia Smith, Kaye Gill, Baby Elyssa, Andrew Allesandro, Michael Anderson, Pat Arpaio, Gloria Boccuzzi, Christopher Brady, Amy Burns-Duda, Fr. Michael Cambi, Michael Cooper, Tim Cooper, Allyn Dodd, Carolyn Gagnon, Steve Grossman, Matthew J. Hammill, Eileen Hynes, Melissa Jambol, Musfira Khan, Kitty Mandi, Richard Nanos, Karen Parent, Chet Quinlan, Bill Ritchie, Bonnie Sigfried, Thomas Sparan, Dominic Totino, George Wetzler, Christopher Hoepfner, Caroline Andreana, Lori Ciccarelli, Mark Mullen, George Uzwiak, Alice Carella, Kimberley Pracilio, Marilyn Ritchie, Leon Zavos, Rose Sorbo Barosky, Deirdre, Steven Farrell, Joseph Freeth, Dorothy Tierney, Owen Ryan, Ginny Woolston, Mark Mones, Diane Heach, Kyle Bancroft, Joseph Roche, Randy Palonia, Miguel Machado, Joe Faugno, Sr., John Gaffney, Kevin Pierce, Msgr. Nick Greico ... all who travel ... the wounded and recovering military personnel and all who put themselves in harm's way to protect us ... victims of war, terrorism and violence around the world ... those whom we remember in our Eucharistic Celebrations this weekend and throughout the week and those who have died, especially Mary Patricia McMahon and George Terenzio.

We also have a prayer line available for anyone wishing for immediate prayers. Please send your prayer needs to Vicki at [VickiA@optonline.net](mailto:VickiA@optonline.net).

**PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY**

We pray that the Lord may preserve the members of our Army, Navy, Marines, Coast Guard, Air Force and National Guard from all harm, especially: SPC Thomas Boccuzzi, LCpl. Michael Lowe, SR Julia Terese Bova, Capt. Josie Quijano-Carpanzano, Capt. Mario Carpanzano, C.J. DelVaglio, Sgt. Taylor A. Ritchie, FN Ellie Fratturo, Lt. Col. Michael J. Souza, Jack H. Whitney, Christopher Ciacciarella, PO Joshua M. Hicks, SR Allison McNamara, 2Lt. James Arpaio.



**The Columbiettes Auxiliary #5833**

New Covenant Center is one of the major charities that the Columbiettes support during the year. Because of the pandemic, clients are not allowed into the NCC Café to sit and have a hot meal. NCC has a Grab-and-Go lunch bag program, which they distribute to their clients.

There is a need for the following items for their lunch program and we are asking for your assistance. Small individual sized food items such as raisins, chips, cookies, popcorn, fruit snacks, health bars, etc. are needed to round out the lunch bags. Boxes of items that are individually wrapped are also accepted.

The Columbiettes are so proud of what this parish has done in the past to support NCC. Your donations, as always, go a long way in nourishing the human soul and our neighbor's lives. Thank you and God bless you. The Columbiettes Donation Box is in the vestibule of St. Cecilia's Church.

Questions? Contact Nancy O'Connell, President at 203.561.6222

**Help Stop State Sponsored Suicide**

Politicians in Hartford are again considering assisted suicide legislation. The Public Health Committee of the Connecticut General Assembly is considering legalizing a form of suicide in our state commonly referred to as "aid-in-dying" or "physician-assisted suicide." The Committee has raised *House Bill 6425 "An Act Concerning Aid in Dying for Terminally Ill Patients."*

Modern hospice care and the proper use of pain medications render suicide unnecessary, and we need to be mindful of the threat that a suicide mentality poses to vulnerable people and to people with disabilities. Many people believe that a physician is deeply involved in this process. This is not true. The physician orders the mixture of medications, the patient must then consume the deadly cocktail of drugs without assistance. Many times without even a physician or nurse present.

**We should never allow legislators to establish suicide as a solution to medical issues.** Don't let the state persuade us that it's dignified for an ill person to sign their own execution order. Don't let the state create an environment where ill people will feel they have a "responsibility to die."

Catholic teaching condemns physician-assisted suicide because it, like murder, involves taking an innocent human life:

*Suicide is always as morally objectionable as murder. The Church's tradition has always rejected it as a gravely evil choice: To concur with the intention of another person to commit suicide and to help in carrying it out through so-called "assisted suicide" means to cooperate in, and at times to be the actual perpetrator of, an injustice which can never be excused, even if it is requested. Saint Augustine writes that "it is never licit to kill another: even if he should wish it." True "compassion" leads to sharing another's pain; it does not kill the person whose suffering we cannot bear. (John Paul II, The Gospel of Life, no. 66).*

**TAKE ACTION**

Go to the website below, read more on the issue and then sign the petition to stop the legalization of assisted suicide in Connecticut

[www.ctstopsuicide.org](http://www.ctstopsuicide.org)

**Connecticut Catholic Public Affairs Conference**



**THE STAMFORD CATHOLIC YOUTH GROUP**

For more information, contact Fr. Joseph Gill at [frgill@diobpt.org](mailto:frgill@diobpt.org), or 203.324.1553 or check out <https://stjohnbasilica.org/youth-ministry>

**Masks will be worn and social distancing will be observed!**

**Middle School Youth Group Schedule**

Regular Youth Group Meetings are from 7:00 p.m.– 8:30 p.m.

March 19 - April 23 - May 7, 21 - to meet at St. Gabriel

**High School Youth Group Schedule**

Regular Youth Group Meetings are from 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

April 16, 30 - May 14, 28 - to meet at Holy Spirit

**Service Projects & Trips for Both Middle School & High School**

- March 20: Trip to Liberty Paintball in Patterson, NY
- March 26: "Passion of the Christ" movie at Holy Spirit Church 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - for 8th to 12th graders
- April 9 to 11: Fearless Retreat in Graymoor, NY for 8th to 12th graders
- May 31: Hiking Trip to Sleeping Giant State Park

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### GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

The Wild Goose with Fr. Dave Pivonka



"The Spirit himself is 'God's gift' par excellence (cf. John 4:10), a gift from God, and in turn communicates different spiritual gifts to those who welcome him." - Pope Francis

The greatest gift of the Holy Spirit is the Holy Spirit. The living God gives the gift of himself to those who are baptized. From the Spirit flows other gifts, some of which are for our personal sanctification while others are for the building up and support of the body of Christ. Many of the gifts are very familiar to us (wisdom, counsel, love) while others are somewhat foreign (healing, prophecy, tongues). Whatever our experience, the gifts of the Holy Spirit are for all Christians, and no one should think that the gifts are not for them.

<https://watch.formed.org/the-wild-goose-with-fr-dave-pivonka/season:1/videos/gifts-of-the-holy-spirit>



### What are your CHILDREN doing this Lent?

Learn and pray with Brother Francis this Lent. This 4-part series will help children learn more about what Lent is all about and why it is so important. A new episode will be released each of the first four Sundays of Lent. Plus, join Brother Francis in praying a special Stations of the Cross for children.

<https://watch.formed.org/lent-with-brother-francis-4-part-series>

### The Search // Episode 2 // Who Are You?

To find clues as to the meaning of life, we first look at ourselves. Who am I? Is there more to me than matter? Is there more to us than meets the eye?



We talk with neuroscientists, psychologists, composers, and artists to examine the mystery of you. If you're just a body, then satisfaction in life should come from tending to simple bodily needs. Fill your stomach, be comfortable. But there's more to you than that. You are material and immaterial. And that unseen part of you craves for so much more. As C.S. Lewis once said, "If we find ourselves with a desire that nothing in this world can satisfy, the most probable explanation is that we were made for another world."

<https://watch.formed.org/the-search/videos/theseearch-ep2>



## St. Cecilia – St. Gabriel Bible Study

*Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother*

Tuesday Zoom meetings start March 2nd at 7:00 p.m.

Thursday in-person meetings start March 4th at 7:15 p.m.

St. Gabriel meeting room

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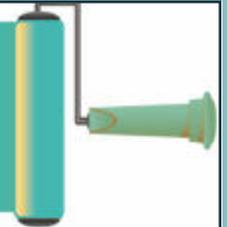
Be sure to RSVP to receive the ZOOM link and/or reserve your place for the live meeting

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