

## ST. GABRIEL THE ARCHANGEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

### PARISH OFFICE

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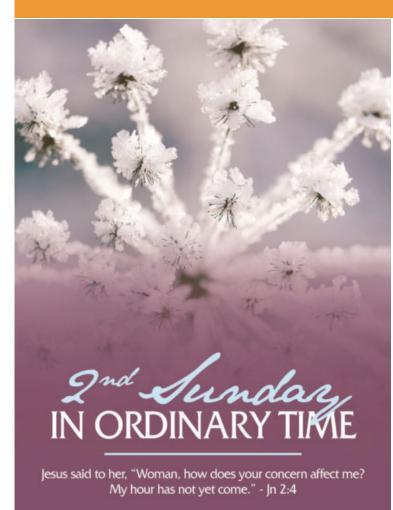
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"Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire!" St. Catherine of Siena



Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

### MASS SCHEDULE

### **English Mass and** Confession

- -Monday thru Friday 7:30am; Confession after Mass 8am-8:30am.
- -Saturday 4pm. Confession 2:30-3:30pm.
- -Sunday 8am, 10am and 4pm.

### Spanish Mass and Confession

-Sunday 1pm; Confessions before Mass at 12:30pm.

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

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



### GENERAL CONTACT INFORMATION

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kthomas@saintgabriel.net

School Principal: Robin Schneider rschneider@saintgabriel.net

### **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 and you will be referred to our Communion to Homebound/Nursing Home Ministry.

### **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.

### **OFFICE CLOSED**

The office will be closed on January 17th in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday. There will be daily Mass at 7:30am followed by Confessions from 8-8:30am. Adoration will be from 8am-9pm.

### ALTAR FLOWERS

Do you know that the beautiful flowers you see in church every week are all donation based. You can sign up and dedicate flowers in honor of or in memory of loved ones. Flowers will be displayed starting Friday before the weekend of your



choice and remain in front of the altar for a week. Flower dedications will also be highlighted in the bulletin. The minimum donation for the flowers is \$35. If there is not a request for flowers by the Monday before the weekend at 10am, there will be not be flowers in front of the altar.

If you would like to sign up for flowers, you can stop by the office Mon-Fri 9am-5pm or call the office at 528-8407.

Openings for Altar Flowers for January 2022 and beyond are available.

### **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.

\* Fr. Kirk wants to assure you that if you are sick or experiencing symptoms of sickness, you are not obligated to attend Mass. You may watch Mass online at https://www.saintgabriel.net/parish-info/mass-information/mass-videos.

### PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR NEEDED

St. Gabriel Catholic Montessori Preschool is seeking a Preschool Director to begin early 2022. This brandnew preschool is a large center with a 20-student capacity located in St. Gabriel the Archangel Church. We are seeking an individual who is energetic, organized, and passionate about early childhood education in Montessori pedagogy. Applicants should be Catholic in good standing with the Church. Colorado Director Certification required. Out of state? Visit the following website to apply for certification. https://www.coloradoshinespdis.com/s/ login/Initial compensation range \$35,000-\$40,000. A relocation stipend will be based on need. To be considered for the Preschool Director position at St. Gabriel Catholic Montessori Preschool, please submit a cover letter, copy of Colorado Director Certification (or intent to obtain it), and resume to Robin Schneider at rschneider@saintgabriel.net.

We will prefer you over other candidates if you have: Teaching experience in early education Catechesis of the Good Shepherd – Level 1 Certification

AMI or AMS or any Montessori certification.

## SECOND COLLECTION FOR COLORADO FIRES

In response to the terrible fires that struck our state recently, we will be having a second collection this weekend, January 15-16, 2022. You may also make donations in support of the recovery to a special fund here:

Marshall Fire Recovery Assistance Fund https://secure2.convio.net/cfnc/site/Donation2?df\_id=3220&3220.donation=form1&mfc\_pref=T. Thank you for your support.

### PRAY TO PROTECT LIFE!

JANUARY 19-27, 2022

9 Days for Life is a novena for the protection of human life. Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life. https://www.respectlife.org/9-days-for-life

### **CALENDAR**

### THIS WEEKEND

Sunday English Masses 8am and 10am.

Sunday RCIA/RCIC 9:15am. Sunday Spanish Mass 1pm. Sunday English Mass 4pm.

### **UPCOMING**

Jan 18

Jan 17 Office Closed for Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday.

There will be Mass at 7:30am and Confessions

from 8-8:30am. Adoration will be from 8am-9pm.

Daily Mass. 7:30am. Confessions 8-8:30am.

Adoration from 8am-9pm.

Jan 18 SoulCore 9am.

Jan 19 Daily Mass 7:30am. Confessions 8-8:30am.

Adoration from 8am-9pm.

Jan 19 Rosary and Evening Prayer 5pm in Adoration

Chapel.

Jan 20 Daily Mass 7:30am. Confessions 8-8:30am.

Adoration from 8am-9pm.

Jan 21 Daily Mass 7:30am. Confessions 8-8:30am.

Adoration from 8am-9pm.

Jan 22 Women's Conference 9:30am. Jan 22 Confessions 2:30-3:30pm.

Jan 22 English Mass 4pm.

### Save the Date

Feb 5 Christian Marriage Dinner 5:30pm.



### **TITHING RECIPIENT**

Today's Tithe is for Mercy's Gate.

Mercy's Gate has been serving El Paso County since 1982 by providing life-affirming Direct Services Support, ongoing resources and education, and a growing network of community referrals and partnerships to individuals and families facing crisis.

## SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

Our parishes will be conducting the national collection for the Church in Latin America and the Caribbean, the weekend of January 22/23, 2022. This national collection supports many pastoral projects that benefit the faithful in Latin America and the Caribbean. Please be generous toward the collection. Take this opportunity to share your faith with our sisters and brothers in Latin America and the Caribbean. Your support truly makes a difference. Thank you.

### BULLETIN DEADLINE

Submissions for the **January 23rd** bulletin will be due **Monday January 17th** by 10am. Send all bulletin submissions to office@saintgabriel.net.

### Rosary

The Rosary and Evening Prayer are offered on Wednesday nights, beginning at 5:00 pm in the Adoration Chapel. Please join your parish family in praying this beloved devotion to Mary, offering the needs of the parish, our community, your family – bring your prayers to our loving Mother! A program will be provided for Evening Prayer. Come and explore a new style of prayer in community!

### **ONLINE GIVING**

Online Giving is available for you to make contributions to the church. This option makes use of current technology and security standards and allows you to easily setup recurring contributions. It also enables our church to take advantage of new tools to become more efficient.

Online Giving Parishioner Benefits

- Secure and confidential. No need to share payment information with the church office.
- Efficient. Set up direct withdrawals from your checking, savings account or a credit card.
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- Remote flexibility. You can give from virtually anywhere anytime. Start giving online today!
- 1. Visit our church website at www.saintgabriel.net and click on the online giving link.
- 2. Create an account.
- 3. Schedule your recurring gifts.

Please prayerfully consider giving online. If you have any questions, contact the Office.



## **FAITH FORMATION NEWS**

# 6<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE "The Life and Stages of Prayer" Saturday, January 22 - 9:30am to 3:30pm

All women are welcome!

Join us for adoration, confession, formation talks, fellowship Lunch & refreshments included Childcare is available Conference is supported by your generous donations

To register visit www.saintgabriel.net or call the office at 719-528-8407



## 4th Annual Saint Gabriel Christian Marriage and Prayer Dinner

### Save the Date

Saturday, February 5, 2022 5:30pm (After the 4:00 pm mass) Guest Speaker: Bishop Golka



More details to come in January. If you have a talent for decorating and can help with the tables, please contact Deacon Mike at mmcgrady@saintgabriel.net or call the office at 719-528-8407.

### RESPECT LIFE EVENTS

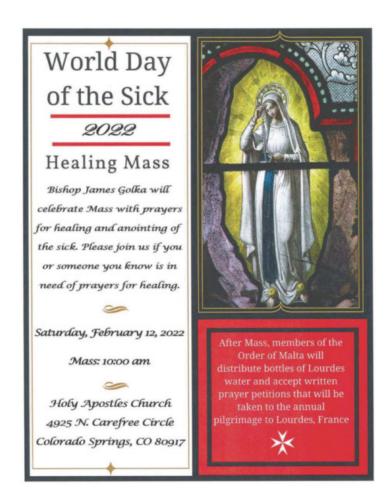
\*Celebrate Life Rally & March. Saturday, January 15, 2022. Colorado State Capitol.

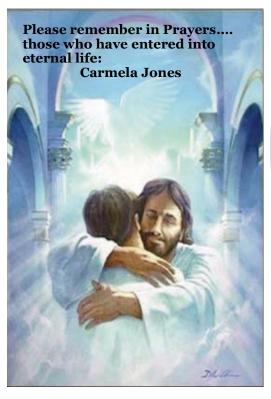
\*Rocky Mountain March and Mass for Life 2022. Monday, January 17th, 2022 in recognition of the 49th anniversary of Roe v. Wade and in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Corpus Christi Catholic Church 2318 N. Cascade Avenue, Colorado Springs CO. 8:00-8:40 am park at Corpus Christi/shuttle to PP sidewalk. 9:00-10:00 am Rosary, Prayer, and Speakers at the sidewalk. 10:00-10:1015 line up for March & Eucharistic Procession. 10:15-11:00 march to Corpus Christi Catholic Church. 11:00 – 12:00 Adoration and Divine Mercy Chaplet. 12:00-1:00 Mass with Bishop Golka. 1:00-2:00 pizza lunch & fellowship -Parish Hall.

\*Mass for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children, Saturday January 22nd at 10:00 am. Celebrated by Bishop Golka, St. Mary's Cathedral.

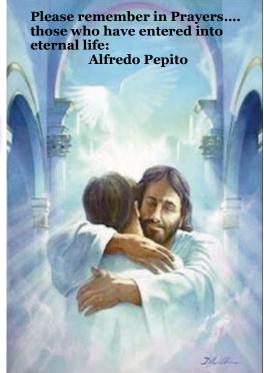
### St. Gabriel Childcare Room Open

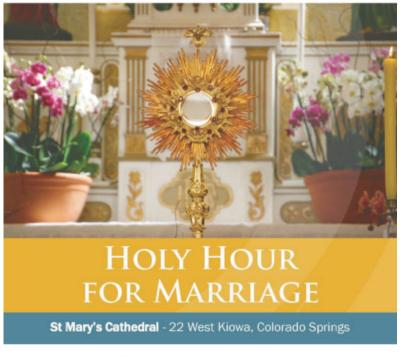
St. Gabriel Child Care room will be open for 10am Mass. The hours will be 9:45-11:15am. There is a limit of 14 kids. Children ages 2 to 6 years are welcome. Parents must attend the 10am Mass and remain in the building. To sign up go to: <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/child-care-sign-up-tickets-148812091973">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/child-care-sign-up-tickets-148812091973</a>.













### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Adorers are still needed for Eucharistic Adoration.

We invite you, even if you've never spent time before in Adoration, to sign up for a

regular weekly hour before the Blessed Sacrament in our new Adoration Chapel. The chapel is open for adorers from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Monday



through Friday. To make a regular weekly commitment of one hour (or more, if you'd like), visit our kiosk or our website at www.saintgabriel.net and click on the "Adoration Pro" box, then on "Weekly Commitment" to sign up for the hour of your choice. If you are concerned about impromptu trips and last-minute plans, please know we have a list of adoration subs, who can take up your slot if you are unable to make your weekly time commitment.

Hours currently in need of committed adorers:

Tuesdays: 5pm and 6pm;

Wednesdays: 5pm;

Thursdays: 9am, 12pm, 5pm, and 6pm; Fridays: 11am, 5pm, and 6pm.

### Boy Scout Troop 246 Annual Christmas Tree Recycling Fundraiser

•We pick-up on Saturdays: Jan 1st, Jan 8th, 15th, and 22nd

·Leave trees at curb by 8:00 am

·Schedule a tree pickup by:

1-Calling 719-357-7407

2-Sending an email to RecycleTrees@bsatroop246.org

3-Visiting our website: either by scanning the QR Code below or going directly to :

http://www.bsatroop246.org/

• Suggested donation is: \$20 for postal zip codes 80918, 80920, 80923 and 80924; and \$25 for postal zip codes 80917, 80919, 80921 and 80922. Please attach check made out to 'BSA Troop 246' or visit our website for credit card / PayPal donations.

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## STEWARDSHIP BULLETIN REFLECTION

IS 62:1-5; PS 96: 1-3,7-10; 1 COR 12:4-11; JN 2:1-11

Today's Gospel reading from John recounts the familiar story of the wedding feast at Cana when Jesus launched His public ministry by performing His first miracle at his mother's request.



In the midst of the feast, the Blessed Mother noticed that the wine had run out and pointed out the problem to Jesus. Then, she gave the servants instructions that are equally applicable to us modern-day stewards, saying, "Do whatever He tells you." Jesus gives the servants a simple and seemingly mundane task, telling them to fill some stone jars with water. They did what He told them to do. And Jesus used their obedience in the accomplishment of that simple task to perform His first miracle, turning the water into the choicest wine.

Our Lord didn't have to include those servants in order to perform this miracle — He chose to. And today, 2,000 plus years later, He still chooses to include us in the performance of His miracles through our cooperation with Him in using the gifts and talents He has given us. What a privilege! Let us take care to listen to our Blessed Mother: let's examine our lives this week to see if we really are "doing whatever He tells us," cooperating with God to make the best use of the gifts He has given us for the benefit of those around us. If we all take this call seriously, He will perform miracles in our families and our parish.

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### Readings for the Week of Jan 17

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and

23/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/

Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2,

9-10/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a,

10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/

Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3,

5-7/Mk 3:20-21

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/

1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/

Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

### **PRAY FOR VOCATIONS**

Jan 17	Deacon Bob Seydel
Jan 18	Deacon Mark Thuli

Jan 19 Deacon Ed Wilmes, Ordinandi

Jan 20 Bishop James Golka

Jan 21 Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

Jan 22 Bishop Michael J. Sheridan our Apostolic

Administrator

Jan 23 Fr. Don Billiard,OFM



### 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.





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	Jan 15	4:00pm	for: Norma Jean Wise (+)
Sun	Jan 16	8:00am	Pro Populo
Sun	Jan 16	10:00am	for: Belia & Pablo Perez (+)
Sun	Jan 16	1:00pm	for: Esthel Vencomo (+)
Sun	Jan 16	4:00pm	for: Trey Torris (+)
Mon	Jan 17	7:30am	Rev. Karl Gersbach OSA (+)
Tues	Jan 18	7:30am	Levi Vacha (SI)
Wed	Jan 19	7:30am	Vickie Slindee (SI)
Thur	Jan 20	7:30am	Julia Smith (+)
Fri	Jan 21	7:30am	Dianne Dahmen, OCDS (SI)
Sat	Jan 22	4:00pm	Joseph Lira (+)
Sun	Jan 23	8:00am	Arlene Winter (+)
Sun	Jan 23	10:00am	Pro Populo
Sun	Jan 23	1:00pm	Diva & Denia Rodriguez (+)
Sun	Jan 23	4:00pm	Kathleen & Mel Busekist (+)
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