

ST. GABRIEL PARISH BULLETIN, SUNDAY, JUNE 25, 2017

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ST. GABRIEL PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

As a worshipping, believing, and caring community, St. Gabriel Parish participates in the mission of Jesus Christ, remembered most intensely at Sunday Assembly through proclamation of The Word and the sharing of the Eucharistic Meal. This Community so nourished lives its faith in prayer, education and outreach.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Saturday Vigil Masses: 5:00 pm

Sunday Masses: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 PM and 5:30 PM

Weekday Masses: 8:30 AM – Monday through Saturday

Communal Reconciliation Service: every first Saturday at 3:30 pm in the church with individual confession and absolution.

Individual Reconciliation (Confession): By appointment with any priest.

Infant Baptism: Please contact the Parish Center to schedule baptism preparation if needed. Baptism is administered any Sunday at 1:30 pm.

Marriage: Please contact the Parish Center at least six [6] months prior to the proposed wedding date.

First Communion, Sunday School, Adult Education, Anointing of the Sick, R.C.I.A., Confirmation: Please call 415-731-6161. for the proper director.

Welcome New Parishioners! Would you like to register in our parish or join our mailing list?
Please fill out this form and drop it in the collection basket, or leave it at the Parish Center Office.

NAME: _____ HOME PHONE: _____ DATE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

JUNE 25, 2017
TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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FEAR NOT

How do people find hope in the face of suffering and death? That is the question addressed by today's scriptures. We hear of the suffering of Jeremiah and the psalmist. We hear of the death that "reigned from Adam to Moses" (Romans 5:14). We hear of the fears of the Twelve as Jesus sends them out into the world to preach and heal.

Through all this tribulation one message rings out loud and clear—"Do not be afraid!" The God who saved Jeremiah and the psalmist and Jesus is fully present to save us through the gracious gift of Jesus Christ. We have nothing and no one to fear.

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ALTAR SERVERS



If you are at Sunday Mass and you see a need for altar servers, you are welcome and encouraged to go to the sacristy and vest. Altar servers play an important role in the Mass and our priests would be most grateful for your help.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Tuesday: St. Cyril of Alexandria
- Wednesday: St. Irenaeus
- Thursday: Ss. Peter and Paul, Apostles
- Friday: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church
- Saturday: St. Junipero Serra; Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday; Canada Day

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD has rescued the poor from the clutches of the wicked (Jeremiah 20:10-13).

Psalm — Lord, in your great love, answer me (Psalm 69).

Second Reading — The grace of God overflows for all (Romans 5:12-15).

Gospel — All who acknowledge Jesus before others will likewise be acknowledged by Jesus before the Father (Matthew 10:26-33).

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READINGS, JULY 2, 2017

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Ps 89:2-3, 16-19;

Rom 6:3-4, 8-11;

Mt 10:37-42

SANDWICH SUNDAY
NEXT WEEK

Next week, **July 2nd**, is Sandwich Sunday. Please bring wrapped sandwiches for the needy by no later than **12 Noon**. Members of St. Vincent de Paul Society will be outside church before and after each of the Masses (including the Saturday, 5:00 PM Vigil Mass) to receive your donations. Thank you for donating to this worthy cause. Cash donations will gladly be accepted, as well.

GET IN ON THE NEWS

St. Gabriel will be starting a parish e-newsletter soon, to be published three times a year. Anyone who wishes to receive this publication (or other newsworthy items as they occur), please send your name and email to the parish office at secretary@sgparish.org. If you prefer, you may call the Parish Office at 415-731-6161 and leave your information at the desk. We believe there will be useful information for our parishioners, but also for our school families, as well as friends and benefactors of St. Gabriel's. Sign up today!

SAVE THE DATE!



Please join us for a coffee and donut reception in Bedford Hall on **Sunday, July 16th after the 10:00 AM Mass** to honor Father David Schunk as he leaves St. Gabriel Parish to embark on his new assignment in Rome.

TREASURES FROM
OUR TRADITION



The Eucharistic Prayers at the heart of our liturgy have a long history, beginning with the extemporaneous prayers of the early Christians. The presiders gave thanks from their hearts, not from any prearranged text, over the gifts of bread and wine. When the assembly had the sense that enough was said, someone would call out "Amen!" and that was that. For the most part, the plan flowed directly from Jewish meal prayers, which always recalled God's mighty deeds. Some other markers and signposts were added almost everywhere fairly early, like the presider's call to attention: "Lift up your hearts!"

Scholars have provided us with translations of many early texts. These have actually helped us craft new liturgical prayers, because until the liturgical reforms of forty years ago, no one could recall any prayer but the Roman Canon, now called Eucharistic Prayer I. For hundreds of years in the West, it was our only Eucharistic Prayer, and it was only in Latin. But the history of our Eucharistic Prayers is amazingly fruitful, and models have come down to us that have yielded new insights and expressions. The old custom of improvising texts according to a master plan has not endured, but we have now rediscovered a plan of standardizing the text while allowing for a great variety.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

COMMUNAL RECONCILIATION
SATURDAY, JULY 1, 2017

We will have Communal Reconciliation this **Saturday, July 1, at 3:30 PM** in the Church with individual confession and absolution.



ST. GABRIEL SCHOOL NEWS

ST. GABRIEL SCHOOL INFORMATION

Would you or someone you know like to find out about St. Gabriel School? Our school brochure, newsletter, and other information are available in the school rack in the church vestibule. You can also check out our website at www.stgabrielssf.com or email us at sgs@stgabrielssf.com for more information.

SUMMER SCRIP SALES

Scrip will be sold in Bedford Hall on Sundays from **July 16th through August 13st from 9:00 AM to Noon**. Scrip is available for various stores including Java Beach, Guerra Meats, Classic Design, Macy's, Safeway, Lucky, and Starbucks. Proceeds from the sales benefit St. Gabriel School. Thank you to all who participate in this program!

DO YOU RECEIVE GABRIEL'S TRUMPET?

Gabriel's Trumpet, St. Gabriel School's newsletter, is published twice each school year, in October and April and is sent to St. Gabriel parishioners, school families, alumni and friends. If you would like to receive the *Trumpet* or know someone who would, send the name and address to St. Gabriel School, Attn: Development Office, 2550 41st Ave., SF, 94116 or by email at sgs@stgabrielssf.com. Copies are also available in the school rack in the church vestibule.

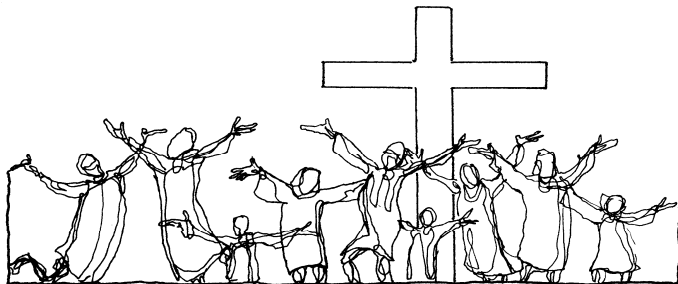
Be a Witness of Charity to those most in need.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION TODAY JUNE 25, 2017

Today, we take up a collection for Peter's Pence, a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. There are envelopes in the pews for your convenience. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

CATHOLIC SAN FRANCISCO NEWSPAPER

Do you receive the Catholic San Francisco Newspaper? It is free to all registered parishioners. If you do not receive the paper and would like to, please contact Luana Letele at 415-731-6161 or email her at secretary@sgparish.org.



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 Pray for ...

FOR SICK RELATIVES AND FRIENDS

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

In the coming week we ask your prayers for the following: Lauren Belluomini, Marie Britto, Billfield Cheng, Raphaela Cheng-Chu, Mary B. Chien, Jerry DeRyan, Donald Glickman, Rafael Labutan, Shirley Latham, Darren Lee and Bea Sullivan.



ST. GABRIEL SODALITY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL

Today, we shall share in the 10:00 AM Mass on **Sunday, June 25th** with a short General Meeting to follow in the Parish Center. We will have our installation of officers and new members and then a light lunch will be served for all of our members. Please plan on attending!

FREE CONCERTS AT ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL 1111 Gough Street at Geary, San Francisco

The following Sunday Recitals are free to the public. Unless otherwise indicated, all recitals begin at 4:00 PM and a free-will offering will be requested at the door. There is ample free parking.

- ♦ **July 2** - Christoph Tietze, organist. Symphony No. 1 by Vierne
- ♦ **July 9** - Angela Kraft Cross, organist. Works by Bach, Vierne, Widor and Mulet
- ♦ **July 16** - Etienne Walhain (Belgium), organist. "Pictures at an Exhibition" by Moussorgsky, arr. Gillou.
- ♦ **July 23** - Norman Paskowsky (Minot, ND), organist. Works by German, Mendelssohn, Bach, Yon, Franck and Gawthrop.
- ♦ **July 30** - Paul Stubbings (UK), organist. "In Praise of Plainsong," works by DeGrigny, Demessieux, Reger, Bach, Tallis, Bairstow, Tippett, and Eben.

For more information go to stmaryscathedralsf.org

HEARING LOOP

St. Gabriel Church has a Hearing Loop for hearing aid users. Hearing loops allow people who wear hearing aids to directly receive the sound from the church's PA System in their own hearing aids without having to pick up a separate listening device. If you wear hearing instruments you will need to find out if your hearing aids have this wireless receiver called a T-coil or Telecoil built in, in order to benefit from the hearing loop in our church. The T-coil program is accessed by pushing a button on a hearing aid. This T-coil program has to be activated by your audiologist. Talk to your audiologist to find out if your instruments can have both a T (no background noise pick up) and an MT program (blended microphone & T-coil program) for improved hearing at church. To learn more about hearing loops, visit www.hearingloop.org.


**MASS INTENTIONS
JUNE 26 - JULY 2, 2017**

Mon.	8:30 am	Liwayway Ignacio
Tues.	8:30 am	Jose & Antonio Oropesa
Wed.	8:30 am	Ben Shanley
Thurs.	8:30 am	Jottora Mondol
Fri.	8:30 am	Ilse Uskert
Sat.	8:30 am	John Borman
	5:00 pm	Paddy O'Malley
Sun.	8:00 am	Ferdinand Belardo
	10:00 am	The Ladies Sodality
	12:00 pm	Maria Guadalupe Hernandez
	5:30 pm	For the Parishioners

**NEXT WEEKEND'S PRESIDERS
July 1 - 2, 2017**

5:00 PM	Fr. Tom Hamilton
8:00 AM	Fr. David Schunk
10:00 AM	Fr. Tom Hamilton
12:00 PM	Fr. David Schunk
5:30 PM	Fr. Tom Hamilton

Your Envelope Counts

	SUNDAY June 18, 2017	SAME SUNDAY Last Year
Total from Envelopes	\$5,242.00	\$5,522.00
Loose	\$1,348.28	\$970.30
Total Collection	\$6,590.28	\$6,492.30
\$1—\$4.99	5	6
\$5—\$9.99	28	31
\$10—\$19.99	45	42
\$20—\$24.99	39	34
\$25 and over	88	98
No. of envelope Users	205	211
Average Per Envelope	\$25.57	\$26.17

**OFFERINGS FOR THE WEEK
OF JUNE 10-11, 2017**

Total from envelopes:	\$6,663.00
Loose:	\$1,323.70
Total:	\$7,986.70

LECTOR SCHEDULE

**SATURDAY, July 1, 2017
5:00 pm Brenda Peralta**

**SUNDAY, July 2, 2017
8:00 am Shannon Manini
10:00 am Kathryn Kozuch
12:00 pm Nena Velasquez
5:30 pm Terry Keyes**



Rest in Peace
**ELAINE WALSH
MICKILINA DUDUM**

**ST. GABRIEL CHURCH
PARISH MINISTRIES & ACTIVITIES**

PRAYER GROUP: The prayer group meets every Friday morning from 10 AM to 12 PM in the Quinn Center Chapel.

SODALITY: 1st Sunday of each month, 10:00 AM Mass.

ULLOA SENIORS: Every Wednesday at 1:30 PM in the Quinn Center. Refreshments and Bingo.

LEGION OF MARY: Meets in the Quinn Parish Center each Wednesday after the 8:30 AM Mass.

RCIA: If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or in completing initiation (First Eucharist or Confirmation) contact Matt Shea at 731-9918 for more information. Sessions begin in late September.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION: First Saturday Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima starts after the 8:30 AM Mass. Novena, prayers and rosary followed by Holy Hour and Benediction.

CHOIR PRACTICE: Thursdays 7:30 - 9:00 PM in church.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES: On all Sundays except the 1st Sunday of the month. Starts in September. For more information, call Nancy Becerra @ 731-6161.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM first Monday of the month in the Quinn Center.

ROSARY: The Rosary is said every weekday after the 8:30 Mass

YOUNG LADIES INSTITUTE: (YLI): Meets the third Saturday of each month at 12 Noon for a bag lunch followed by a meeting in the Parish Center.

BIBLE STUDY: Facilitated by Fr. Donald Sharp, Bible Study meets each Friday morning, following Mass

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASSES: Every 2nd Saturday of the month at 10:45 AM in the Parish Center. Registration required. Call the Parish Center to reserve your space.

WALKING TOWARD GOD

If we walk one step toward God,
God will run ten steps toward us.
—Anonymous

