

# ST. GABRIEL CHURCH

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Mon-Thurs 9am-5pm  
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**Pastoral Staff:** Rev. Ian Quito, Pastor; Rev. Mr. John Hurst, Deacon; Mrs. Gina Beal, School Principal

**In Residence:** Rev. Paul Zirimenya

**Religious Education Coordinator:** Diane Lawrence

**OCIA Coordinator:** Rev. Mr. John Hurst, Deacon

**Confirmation Coordinator:** Edgar Estonina

**Altar Serving Coordinator:** Cherrymae Jumoc

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**Liturgical Support:** Mr. Rob Grant, Music Minister; Rev. Mr. John Hurst, Music Minister; Mr. David Lorentz, Music Minister; Ms. Kristine Sinajon, Music Minister; Mr. Mark Davis, Music Minister; Mrs. Nancy Porter, Wedding Rehearsal Coordinator.

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekend

Saturday—5pm (Vigil Mass)  
Sunday—8am, 10am & 5:30pm

### Weekday

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri—8:30am

## RECONCILIATION

Every Friday from 7:30am-8:30am and every first Saturday at 3:30pm in the Church with individual confession and absolution

For information on Baptism, Marriage, Sunday School, Anointing of the Sick, Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) or Confirmation, please call the Parish Center.

## EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION

Every first Friday of the month after the 8:30am Mass until 9:30am.

Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is observed before our daily Masses. Everyone is welcome to pray with us.

## OUR MISSION

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.

November 2, 2025

## *The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed*

**Today's Readings: Wis 3:1-9, Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6, Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9, Mt 25:34, Jn 6:37-40**



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**Q** n All Souls Day, the Church prays for all who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith. The Scriptures remind us of the hope we share in Christ. The Book of Wisdom assures us that "the souls of the just are in the hand of God" (Wis 3:1), while St. Paul teaches that through Baptism, we were united with Christ in His death so that we might also live with Him forever (Rom 6:3-9).

In today's Gospel, Jesus gives us words of profound comfort and promise: "Everyone who sees the Son and believes in Him may have eternal life, and I shall raise him on the last day" (Jn 6:40). Eternal life is God's greatest gift to us, and it shapes the way we live here and now.

As Christian stewards, we are called to make use of the time, talents, and treasure entrusted to us in ways that prepare us for eternity. Each day is an opportunity to serve God, love our neighbor, and hand on the gift of faith to others.

As we pray for the faithful departed today, may we also renew our own commitment to live as disciples who use well the gifts we have been given, so that one day we may share in the fullness of life with Christ, who has promised to raise us up on the last day.

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## ALL SOULS

"For this is the will of the Father, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life, and I shall raise him up on the last day." (John 6:40)

### **Question of the Week:**

**Adults:** *How have those you have known who have died taught you how to live a holy life?*

**Kids:** *How can those who died help us learn to be more like Jesus? Ask an adult to tell you stories of someone they knew.*

## SVDP SANDWICH THIS WEEKEND!

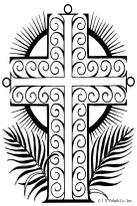
Your St. Vincent de Paul conference members will be at the Saturday 5:00 PM Mass and Sunday's 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM Masses to collect sandwiches that will be delivered to the downtown multi-service center. Sandwiches and monetary donations are always appreciated! **Join us at our monthly meetings every first Monday of the month at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center. All are welcome and we thank you for helping us help those in need.**

**MASS INTENTIONS**  
**NOVEMBER 3 - 9, 2025**

Mon.	8:30 am	Vilma Soares
Tues.	8:30 am	Joan & Lisha Felicilda
Wed.	8:30 am	No Service
Thurs.	8:30 am	Martin Reilley (L)
Fri.	8:30 am	Diane Earnshaw
Sat.	5:00 pm	Johanna Luddy
Sun.	8:00 am	Collective Mass
	10:00 am	Rolando & Mila Valle (L)
	5:30 pm	For the Parishioners

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

In the coming week we ask for your prayers for the following: Joan Aragone, Denise Foley, Virginia Fox, Debbie Gaffney, Lottie Gonzales, Emo Lieu, Fr. Ray Reyes, and Colleen Wood.



*Rest in Peace*

**RICHARD WALSH**  
**JOEY MARTIN**  
**ERIN CHIN**

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.*

**WEEKLY OFFERTORY**

October 11th—12th: \$6,984

October 18th-20th: \$5,302

World Mission Sunday: \$1,536

October 25th & 26th: \$6,664

Thank you for supporting St. Gabriel Church!



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**www.sgparish.org**

**ST. PATRICK'S SEMINARY**  
**COLLECTION TODAY**

St. Patrick's Seminary and University forms Catholic priests who are configured to Christ's sacrificial love, rooted in His Word and Sacraments, and dedicated to serving the people of God with the pastoral charity of Christ. Please prayerfully consider a donation to the formation of its priests. There are envelopes in the vestibule for your kind consideration.

**2025 ANNUAL APPEAL**



Thank you to everyone who has already contributed or pledged to the Appeal. **We are at 49% of our goal with 90 families out of our 1100+ registered families donating. Our campaign goal is \$82,537 and we still need \$42,113 to meet our assessment.** There are envelopes in church or at the Parish Center for your consideration or you may donate online at [www.sfarch.org/aaa](http://www.sfarch.org/aaa) and choose St. Gabriel Church as your church of designation.



During the month of November we remember all our loved ones who have gone before us. In a special way let us remember the members of our St. Gabriel Community who have died this past year.

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| <i>Theresa Bac</i>         | <i>Janet Harrigan</i>            |
| <i>Robert Bilafer</i>      | <i>Julian Hermosura</i>          |
| <i>Mercedes Borgen</i>     | <i>Rose Hicks</i>                |
| <i>Charlotte Brown</i>     | <i>Kathy Kozuch</i>              |
| <i>Erin Chin</i>           | <i>Elizabeth "Terri" Leonard</i> |
| <i>William Conaway</i>     | <i>Cecilia Madeira</i>           |
| <i>Marta Courtright</i>    | <i>Jacob Malek-Zadeh</i>         |
| <i>Greg Donahue</i>        | <i>Diane Martin</i>              |
| <i>Robert Doromal</i>      | <i>Joey Martin</i>               |
| <i>William Emery</i>       | <i>Gerald McNaughton</i>         |
| <i>Jane Fallon</i>         | <i>Connie Queliza</i>            |
| <i>Benjamin Fontanilla</i> | <i>Leonarda Rabago</i>           |
| <i>Mary Anne Ford</i>      | <i>William Simms</i>             |
| <i>Robert Geary</i>        | <i>Vilma Soares</i>              |
| <i>Barbara Graham</i>      | <i>Richard Walsh</i>             |

**MEN'S CLUB ANNUAL PRIME RIB DINNER**

November 15, 2025 6:00 PM

Bedford Hall

Tickets are \$85 per member. Please make sure your yearly dues are paid in order to enjoy the dinner. Purchase tickets by scanning the code.



**MASS INTENTION BOOK**

The Mass Intention book for 2026 will be opened on **Tuesday, November 4th. In fairness to all, requests for Masses will be limited to four per individual so that everyone will have an opportunity to schedule their special anniversary dates.** Requests will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Phone requests for the homebound will begin on November 5th. You may email [secretary@sgparish.org](mailto:secretary@sgparish.org) with any questions.

**BAPTISM**

*Let us welcome into our parish family*

**LUCAS HUIE**

**THOMAS HUIE**

*Who were recently baptized*

*For in one Spirit, we were*

*all baptized into one body.*