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**MASS SCHEDULE**

Sunday/Domingo.....8:45 a.m. Rosary, 9:30 a.m. in English & 12:30 p.m. en Español  
 Tuesday/Martes.....6:00-7:00 p.m.  
     Adoration Benediction/Adoración y Bendición  
     7:00 p.m. Mass/Misa  
 Wednesday/Miércoles.....12:00p.m.  
 Thursday/Jueves.....12:00p.m.  
 Friday/Viernes.....12:00p.m.  
 First Friday/Primer Viernes..... Adoration for 24 hours/Adoración de 24 horas  
 Saturday/Sábado.....5:00 p.m. in English & 7:00 p.m. en Español

**Beginning November 1st, Sunday Morning Mass will start at 10 A.M.**

**PARISH STAFF**

Pastor .....Fr. Romen Acero  
 Director of Religious Education/ Directora de Educacion Religiosa  
     Sr./Hna. Maria Sanchez, HSMG  
 Parish Secretary/Secretaria de la Parroquia .....Mia RomeroWashington  
 Bookkeeper/Contador.....Fatima Zambrano  
 Music Director/Organista.....Karen Rainey  
 Parish Maintenance.....John Andrason  
 Respect for Life Coordinators.....Dick & Gaylene Rankin

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS/HORAS DE OFICINA**

Tuesday–Thursday/Martes a Jueves .....9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.  
 Friday/Viernes.....9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

**PARISH REGISTRATION**

If you are new to our parish, you are encouraged to register as soon as possible. Registration in a parish is the norm and is required for registration in religious education, for sacramental preparation, and for sponsorship certificates. Registration forms are available in the parish office, or the ministry table in the atrium.

**BAPTISM:** The celebration of Baptism is a moment of grace for those to be Baptized, for their families, as well as for the entire parish community. Please contact Sister Angie to register for preparation classes.

**FAITH FORMATION:** All children not attending Catholic school should be enrolled in our Faith Formation Program. For more information, please contact Sister Angie.

**R.C.I.A.:** Adults who would like to learn more about the Catholic Faith or wish to become Catholic should consider enrolling in R.C.I.A. classes. Interested persons should contact Sister Angie.

**CONFIRMATION:** Young adults may be confirmed after a preparation period starting in 10th grade and successful completion of requirements. For more information, please contact Sister Angie.

**MARRIAGE:** Couples planning to be married must see a priest at least six months prior to the planned marriage. Pre-marriage instruction is required. Please do not set a date in advance until you have spoken to the pastor.

**ANOINTING THE SICK:** Please call the parish office if you or a member of your family needs the Sacrament of Anointing.

**HOMEBOUND/SHUT-INS:** If there is anyone who cannot come to Mass because of illness or age, we ask you to please call the parish office.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Dear parishioners:** charity is a fundamental action of our spirituality, because it is a mode of participating in God's love: with charity we are able to love the way God loves. We are called to act with charity as an act of justice: through charity we support the needy, because we understand that their needs are ours. If my neighbors are my brothers and sisters in Christ, whatever we do for them, to restore, strengthen, support, guide, save and them is a way to act like God does towards us. We love because we have been loved. We give with generosity because God has generously given us a lot. We are compassionate because God has treated us with compassion. Our family of St. Gabriel is called to act with justice towards each other, but in a especial way towards the needy and the poor. Our charity is a way to implement justice, because it helps others to restore their dignity. So, charity is the best expression of God's love: the one who gives, imitates God, and the one who receives, experiences God's loving and abundant mercy. So, every time we generously give, we are actually participating in the divine nature of God. Our support to our family of St. Gabriel allows us to love as God loves and to continue the saving ministry of Jesus. May charity and love prevail among us.

**Queridos parroquianos:** la caridad es una acción fundamental de nuestra espiritualidad, porque es una manera de participar en el amor de Dios. Con la caridad podemos amar como Dios ama. Estamos llamados a actuar con caridad porque ella es un acto de justicia: a través de la caridad apoyamos al necesitado entendiendo que sus necesidades son nuestras. Si nuestros prójimos son hermanos y hermanas en Cristo, todo lo que hagamos por restaurar, fortalecer, apoyar, guiar, y salvarlos es una manera de actuar como Dios lo hace con nosotros. Amamos porque hemos sido amados. Damos con generosidad porque hemos recibido generosamente. Somos compasivos porque Dios nos ha tratado con compasión. Nuestra familia de St. Gabriel está llamada a actuar con justicia hacia los demás, pero de manera especial hacia el necesitado y el pobre. Nuestra caridad es una manera de implementar justicia, porque ayuda a otros a restaurar su dignidad. Por lo tanto la caridad es la mejor expresión del amor de Dios: quien da generosamente imita a Dios. Y quien recibe, experimenta el amor de Dios con abundancia y misericordia. Cada vez que damos con generosidad, estamos en realidad participando en la naturaleza divina de Dios. Nuestro apoyo a la familia de St. Gabriel nos permite amar como Dios ama y continuar el ministerio salvador de Jesús. Que la caridad y el amor permanezcan siempre entre nosotros.

**Sanctuary Lamp:** The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week, in memory of Deceased Family & Friends of the Gorham Family. If you would like to sponsor the lamp for a week in memory of a loved one, please call the office to schedule.

### **All Souls Day Envelopes**

In keeping with ancient tradition of remembering those who have gone before us in death, on Saturday, November 2nd we celebrate All Souls Day. Part of remembering is to have the names of our departed loved ones listed on special envelopes and placed upon the altar throughout the month of November. If you would like to have your departed loved ones remembered in this way, All Souls Envelopes are available on a table in the atrium. Once you have inscribed the names on the envelope, you may drop it in with the offertory or mail it to the parish office

**Project Rachel Post Abortion Healing Retreat:** If you desire healing from a past abortion, you are invited to experience the love of Jesus Christ a Project Rachel weekend retreat September 25-27, 2020. The weekend retreat is strictly confidential for both women and men and includes discussions, spiritual exercises, the sacrament of reconciliation, a Memorial Service and a Mass of the Resurrection. Participation offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness and compassion. For more information or to register for the retreat, contact Project Rachel at [project.rachel@raldioc.org](mailto:project.rachel@raldioc.org) or call (919) 852-1021. The cost for the weekend is \$ 200 (\$ 150 for early registration) for lodging, meals and all retreat materials. If you have a financial burden, some assistance is available.

**Women's Retreat: Fulfillment of Faith:** Come to a retreat experience like no other. Professional actress and story-teller Olivia Woodford of Bible Women Speak will perform vignettes highlighting the influential women of the bible leading up to the first Christmas. Following each act, Olivia will tap into her wealth of experience leading retreats and lead the participants into a deeper discussion on the biblical figures of each scene. The retreat is one night, November 6-7. The special price is \$150, which includes three full-course meals, lodging and access to the beautiful grounds at the Catholic Conference Center in Hickory, NC. Space is limited to make sure everyone is properly distanced, so register now at [www.catholicconference.org/women](http://www.catholicconference.org/women). For more information, email [info@catholicconference.org](mailto:info@catholicconference.org) or call 828-327-7441.

**October 18, 2020**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

10/20-7:00pm.....Josefina Guerrero  
 .....By The Romero Family

10/21-12:00pm.....Richard Knapp†  
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10/22-12:00pm.....Lucas Pinto†  
 .....By Ana Edwards

10/23-12:00pm.....  
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10/24-5:00pm.....Ella La Luzerne †  
 .....By Mary Lake & Ann Borisoff

7:00pm.General Chapter of the Sisters of St. Mary Guadalupe

10/25-9:30am.....John Andrason  
 .....By Kay Andrason

12:30pmGeneral Chapter of the Sisters of St. Mary Guadalupe  
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**PRAYER LIST**

Please keep those who are ill in your prayers, especially;  
 Peggy Hollingsworth, Betty Brooks, Jeffrey Parker, Luca  
 Touhill, Bo, Cecilio Joseph, Jessica Cannon, P.J. Lewis,  
 Carolyn Fowler, Al & Thelma Rhoe, Bob Sears, Rosa Sici-  
 lia, Jennifer Alexander, Brooke Blake, Ginny West, Dorthy  
 Tetterton, Veronica Black, Lloyd May, Jack Whiteley,  
 Melinda Posey, Lucy & Jim Palmer, Helen Catigan, Phyllis  
 Pope, Kay Andrason, Debbie Reitano, Marie Neal, Kathy  
 May, Chester Truty, Gary & Mort Taylor, Donna Harris,  
 Charles Gorham, Ella Marcotte, Pearl & Billy Connors, Jef-  
 frey Parker, Lucas Keller, Sr. Edna English, Charlene  
 Woodring, Tim Neal, Brenda Luther, Fr. John Long,  
 Michelle Mack, Gail Allen, Joan Harris, Montie & Paula  
 Pakowski, Richard Ipri, Msgr. Jerry Sherba, Dorie Tulis,  
 David Williams, Ellie Sullivan, Thelma Jones, Wells, Dale  
 Wardle, Pat Adams, Eva Owens, Glenda Wagner, Linda K.  
 Thompson, Hudson Rogers & Joseph Pasquarella

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**Knights of Columbus News:** One of our annual fundraising events, Attractions Dining & Value Guide is up and running. We have these guides in stock & the 20/21 book is still only \$25.00. There are over \$3,600 of Value Coupons available from Local & National businesses. Please contact any St. Gabriel Knight for a book or call John Andrason @355-5104 or 341-5005. This guide is one of the few things in this life that can pay for itself. They also make very good Christmas Gifts as well. Happy Couponing, Grand Knight

**29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**WEEKLY OFFERTORY**

Monthly First Collection Offertory Goal \$25,200

March.....\$16,402.01

April.....\$8,925.00

May.....\$15,854.00

June.....\$14,017.00

July.....\$15,997.45

August.....\$23,003.00

September.....\$24,601.00

October.....\$10,797.00

**Donations made to St. Gabriel Parish  
 March - September: \$26,728.05**

**Bishop's Annual Appeal 2020**

Parish Goal: \$43,753.59

Pledges: \$33,560.00

Received: \$32,305.00

Percent of Goal Met: 74%

Families Donating: 134

**CONFESSION SCHEDULE**

Confessions are in the chapel, Saturday at 3:00  
 p.m. or by appointment. For appointment  
 email: [fr.romenst.gabriel@gmail.com](mailto:fr.romenst.gabriel@gmail.com)

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