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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.....9:00a.m.
 First Friday/Primer Viernes..... Adoration for 24 hours/Adoración de 24 horas
 Saturday/Sábado.....5:00 p.m.

PARISH STAFF

PastorFr. Romen Acero
 Director of Religious Education/ Directora de Educacion Religiosa
 Sr./Hna. Maria Sanchez, HSMG
 Hispanic Ministry/Ministerio Hispano..... Sr./Hna. Angelica Arce,HSMG
 Parish Secretary/Secretaria de la Parroquia Mia RomeroWashington
 Bookkeeper/Contador.....Maria Melendrez de Kelley
 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 Jueves9:00 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:

Next Sunday, January 12, Bishop Luis Rafael Zarama is coming for a pastoral visit to our parish. We will have a bilingual Mass at 12 noon with a reception after in the Parish Center. All are invited. We will have our vigil Mass and our 9:30 a.m. Mass as it is in the regular schedule. The only change will be having Mass at 12 noon instead of the Mass in Spanish at 12:30. All are invited to join us in this important event. I would like some of our groups to make the following donations:

- **Eucharistic Adoration:** please bring “Aguas Frescas.”
- **Knights of Columbus:** please bring bottled water.
- **Circle of Friends and Columbiettes:** please bring desserts.

Monetary contributions to help cover the expense for the lunch are appreciated.

Thank you, Fr. Romen

Bilingual Choir: Rehearsal on Wed., Jan. 8 at 7:30 to prepare for Bishop’s Mass on Jan. 12.

Decorations for the Bishop’s Jan. 12th Reception will be prepared on Thurs. (01/09); on Fri. (01/10), & on Sat. (01/11) – **each day starting at 10 a.m.** Everyone’s help is needed to complete all necessary arrangements. Please mark your calendars and plan to come to the church, to help. We can only make this event successful, if everyone does come to help!

One-Day Marriage Preparation Workshop: Inviting all engaged couples who are preparing for the Sacrament of Matrimony to attend a One-Day Diocesan Marriage Preparation Workshop. At this workshop you will deepen your relationship with your fiancé as you prepare to begin living out the sacrament of marriage. Topics for the day include: Theology of Marriage, Communication and Conflict Resolution, Finance & Stewardship, Intimacy and Natural Family Planning, and Living a Sacramental Marriage. Remember to talk with your pastor before signing up. Registration and a list of dates and locations can be found at: <https://raldioc.configio.com/go/mpw2020>. Additional Details: Rebekah.tolson@raldioc.org, 919-821-9753.

Sanctuary Lamp: The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week, in memory of Donna Robinson. If you would like to sponsor the lamp for a week in memory of a loved one, please call the office to schedule.

K of C News: Our Annual K of C N.C. State Raffle Ticket sales will be available in January & Feb. in the atrium & from members. The 1st prize is \$5,000, 2nd prize \$4,000 along with 5 other cash prizes.

The Pastoral Council is currently accepting names of parishioners who would be willing to serve as a member of this important ministry. If you are interested in submitting your name as a candidate, please call Stephanie Tetterton this week at 252-531-7994.

Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It is designed to help get your marriage back on track. Don’t you owe it to your spouse? Don’t you owe it to yourself to take a look at your lives together in a new and positive way This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing marital disillusionment and misery. For confidential information or to apply to attend the program beginning with the weekend of February 14, 2020, call 800-470-2230 or email retrouvaillenc@msn.com, or visit the web site at www.helpourmarriage.org.

COURAGE is a prayer and fellowship group that assists individuals with same-sex attractions (or SSA) to live chaste lives in accordance with the teachings of the Catholic Church. Meetings are for men and women, and strict confidentiality is maintained. For more information email: courage.sacred.heart@gmail.com. Or call: (919) 289-9489

EnCourage is the affiliate support group for parents, friends and family members of loved ones with SSA. EnCourage helps members to focus on their own spiritual development and offers a supportive environment to share information and guidance for maintaining healthy relationships with our loved ones. For more information, email encourage.sacred.heart@gmail.com. Or call: (984) 221-0730. Strict confidentiality is maintained.



January 5, 2020

The Epiphany of the Lord

MASS INTENTIONS

1/7-7:00pm.....Thom Nguyen†
Lucy Nguyen
1/8-12:00pm.....Thom Nguyen†
Lucy Nguyen
1/9-12:00pm.....Thom Nguyen†
Lucy Nguyen
1/10-9:00am.....Marie Carter †
Bob & Lynn Carter
1/11-5:00pm.....Janet Taylor †
By Mort Taylor
1/12-9:30am.....Tom McLain †
By Betsy McLain
12:00pm.....The People Of The Parish

PRAYER LIST

Please keep those who are ill in your prayers, especially;
Al & Thelma Rhoe, Abraham Bank, Bob Sears, Rosa Sicilia, Helen Carroll, Linda Davis, Marypat Dreblow, Alexine Bryant, Jennifer Alexander, Tom Russel, Brooke Blake, Ginny West, Charles & Dorthy Tetterton, Veronica Black, Louise Noga, Lloyd May, Jack Whiteley, Melinda Posey, Moszel Ruvalcaba & Family, Lucy & Jim Palmer, Helen Catigan, Paul Kelley, Phyllis Pope, Kay Andrason, Debbie Reitano, Marie Neal, Kathy May, Chester Truty, Gary & Mort Taylor, Donna Harris, Charles Gorham, Ella Marcotte, Pearl & Billy Connors, Jeffrey Parker, Lucas Keller, Sr. Edna English, Charlene Woodring, Tim Neal, Brenda Luther, Betty Brooks, 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 & Joan Wardle, Pat Adams, Eva Owens, Glenda Wagner, Kathy Venturini, Linda K. Thompson, Hudson Rogers & Joseph Pasquarella

English-speaking members of the Nocturnal Adoration Society & Parishioners are invited to participate in an hour of prayer and reflection, led by Sr. Angie Sanchez, on the First Saturday in January (1/4/2020). Join us, in the presence of the Most Blessed Sacrament, in the chapel from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Please mark your calendar and remember to bring your paperback book, with the white cover, which contains the official prayers of the Society.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

Weekly First Collection Goal \$6,300

Week of 12/1/19.....\$5,498.00

Building & Maintenance Fund..\$1,610.25

Week of 12/8/19....\$5,502.02

Retirement Fund for Religious.....\$1,811.39

Week 12/15/19.....\$6,719.58

Catholic Campaign for Human Development...\$1,392.25

Week 12/22/19...\$5,241.36

Christmas Offering 12/25/19....\$6,614.00

Week 12/29/19...\$3,835.00

Priest Retirement Fund....\$1,507.00

Bishop's Annual Appeal 2019

Parish Goal: \$43,754.00

Donations/Pledges: \$41,660.00

Amount Received: \$39,049.00

89% of Goal

Parish Participation: 176 Families

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Tuesday- 6:00-6:30pm

Saturday- 4:00-4:30pm

And by appointment.

STAFF EMAIL

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Bulletin: If you would like to receive the bulletin by email, email secretarystgabriel@gmail.com with bulletin in the subject line.

The Catholic Community of St. Gabriel of the Sorrowful Mother

Saturday Mass: 5:00 PM

Sunday Mass: 9:30 AM / 12:30 PM in Spanish

January 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Office Hours Tuesday – Thursday 9am -2pm Friday 9:30am-12pm			1 All Parish Offices Closed 10 am Mass 12:30 pm Spanish Mass	2 All Parish Offices Closed No Mass K of C Planning & Social Mtg.7:30PM	3 All Parish Offices Closed No Mass	4 First Saturday Confession 4-4:45pm Adoration begins at 6pm
5 Adoration Ends at 8:00am No Faith Formation	6 Office Closed Circle of Friends room 1 at 12pm Boy Scouts Committee mtg. room 7&8 at 7pm	7 Adoration 6 pm Confession 6-6:45pm Anointing of the Sick during 7pm Bilingual Mass	8 Anointing of the Sick during 12pm Mass Cantor rehearsal 6:45pm Bilingual Choir 7:30 pm	9 12pm Mass Columbiettes Mtg. Rm. 1&2, at 7pm BSA Troop Meeting rm 5 at 7pm	10 9am Mass Confirmation Class 7pm-8:15pm	11 Confession 4-4:45pm Children's F.F. 6pm- 7:30 Adult F.F. 7-8pm
12 9:30 am Mass Faith Formation 10:45-11:30 am Bishop's Mass 12 pm, reception to follow in Parish Center	13 Office Closed Boy Scouts room 7&8 at 7pm	14 Parish Offices closed for Audit 8 am - 5pm Adoration 6 pm Confession 6-6:45pm 7pm Bilingual Mass	15 Parish Offices closed for Audit 8 am - 5pm 12pm Mass	16 12pm Mass Boy Scouts Committee mtg. room 7&8 at 7pm K of C Business Mtg. 7:30 pm, room 3&4	17 9am Mass All Parish Offices Closed Confirmation Class 7pm-8:15pm	18 Confession 4-4:45pm No Faith Formation March for Life in Raleigh
19 No Faith Formation K of C Pancake Breakfast 11am-12pm	20 Office Closed Martin Luther King Jr. Day	21 Adoration 6 pm Confession 6-6:45pm 7pm Bilingual Mass	22 No Mass Cantor rehearsal 7pm	23 12 pm Mass Boy Scouts Committee mtg. room 7&8 at 7pm	24 9am Mass Confirmation Class 7pm-8:15pm	25 Confirmation Reflection Day 10-3pm Parish Center & Church Confession 4-4:45pm Children's F.F. 6pm- 7:30 Adult F.F. 7-8pm
26 Faith Formation 10:45am -12:15pm	27 Office Closed	28 Adoration 6 pm Confession 6-6:45pm 7pm Bilingual Mass	29 12pm Mass	30 12pm Mass	31 9am Mass	1 First Saturday Confession 4-4:45pm Adoration begins at 6pm