

# St. Gabriel the Archangel Catholic Church

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#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Patricia Pula, M.A.R.E.
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#### **PARISH SCHOOL**

St. John's Academy, Hillsdale



Weekdays: 9:00 AM (including Saturday) — (Summer)

Monday and Friday: 9:00 AM

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday: 6:30AM and 9:00 AM — (Winter)

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM

Sundays: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 11:30 AM and 6:00PM (Sept. - May)

Holy Days: Please see bulletin for schedule

#### **PENANCE:**

Saturday: 4:00-5:00 PM. At the Parish anytime by appointment. Communal Celebration of Penance periodically throughout the year.

#### **BAPTISMS**:

Our parish family rejoices in the birth of your children. To prepare for baptism, parents are expected to attend one preparation meeting. Please call the parish office for the schedule of preparation meetings and Baptism celebration.

#### **MARRIAGES**:

Our parish is honored to host your marriage celebration. In order to accomplish all of the necessary preparations, arrangements should be made with one of the priests at least one year in advance. Pre-Cana and God's Plan for a Joy-Filled Marriage classes can be arranged through the Family Life Office of the Archdiocese of Newark at www.rcan.org.

#### **MINISTRY TO THE SICK:**

For those of advanced age or seriously ill, Holy Communion will be brought to the home of any person permanently or temporarily homebound. Please contact the parish office.

#### **PARISH MEMBERSHIP:**

Please register at the parish office. This is a wise way of acquiring a sense of belonging to our Parish Community.

## from the Pastor

What kind of King is Jesus? How do you envision him? Remembering that they were promised a king from the line of David, the Israelites hoped for a Messiah who would set their political problems aright and bring about a worldly kingdom of Judaic power. Even Psalm 122 seems to describe this type of ruler. Luke's Gospel today shreds that image after the whip of the Roman soldiers tore at Jesus' flesh. Still, the Romans flaunted the traditional notion with their ironic inscription above King Jesus' crown of thorns. Soldiers and ordinary people jeered the royal title at him. Yet the throne of Jesus was the cross of Christ, from which he dispensed kingly mercy and justice toward the humble criminal who shared his execution. Writing to the Colossians, Saint Paul describes the truth about Jesus and his kingship, using words like fullness, peace, and forgiveness. So let us go rejoicing!

> Peace and stay safe. Fr. Frank

#### THE KNIGHTS CORNER



Upcoming Knights of Columbus sponsored activities and events planned for December include the monthly Men's Mass, coffee socials, and our annual poinsettia sale fundraiser. Continue to check the bulletin for details and dates.

<u>Did you know?</u> The 50<sup>th</sup> annual March for Life is scheduled for January 20, 2023 in Washington, D.C. It is the largest human rights demonstration in the world.

We encourage all men of the parish to consider becoming a Knight. In the words of St. John Paul II, "For more than a hundred years the Knights of Columbus have distinguished themselves by their love for Christ and loyalty to the Church, by their service to the poor and needy, by their defense of the handicapped and unborn and by their strong support of family life. You stand forth as a shining example of the role of the laity in the life and mission of the Church."

If you are interested in joining the St. Gabriel's Knights of Columbus, contact a current member or send us an email at <a href="mailto:knights@stgabrielsr.org">knights@stgabrielsr.org</a>.

#### SPRING COURSES AT THE SEMINARY

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#### Our sick and homebound:

Salvatore Averso
Daniel Castillo
Dawn Conguisti
Salvatore DiTarsia
Ada Fields
Meg Gallagher
Grace Gilbert
Bill Hamilton
Bob Kleinknecht
Joan Massotti
Bob Re
Nicole Trotta



#### MINI RETREAT FOR MEN OF THE PARISH

A mini-retreat will be held for the **Men of the Parish** on the morning of Saturday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>. The morning will start off with Mass at 8:00am, followed by a light breakfast. The focus of the retreat will be *The Season of Advent* and will include speakers, videos, and discussion. The retreat will end at 11:30am, at which time a pizza lunch will be served to us by members of the Youth Group. In order to plan properly, please RSVP to <a href="mailto:jnchaiduk@mac.com">jnchaiduk@mac.com</a> by Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>.

#### ST JOSEPH'S SEMINARY ANNUAL ADVENT/CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Join us for a holiday tradition of song and fellowship!

Saturday, December 3, at 4pm
Sunday, December 4, at 4pm
Tickets - children 12 & under \$15, adults \$35 (general seating)/\$50 (preferred seating)
Ticket includes hot buffet reception following the concert
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#### FINANCIAL REPORT

The amount of the collection for November 13 was 11,774.88. Thank you for your continued generosity & God bless you and your families.

#### SAINT OF THE WEEK

St. Frances Xavier Cabrini



St. Frances Xavier Cabrini (1850–1917) was the thirteenth child of a modest farming family born near Milan, Italy. Her father would often gather his children in the kitchen to hear him read from a book on the lives of the saints. St. Frances was endeared to the stories of missionaries working in the Orient and desired to become one herself,

which in her day was a man's role. Turned away from being a nun twice due to poor health, she prayed before the relics of her patron, Francis Xavier, the great Jesuit missionarysaint, about founding a new religious order to evangelize the East just as he did. Pope Leo XIII approved of her order, the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart, but instead of sending her to China as she had desired since childhood, he sent her to the West, specifically to America to serve the growing European immigrant population which faced poverty and disenfranchisement. St. Frances Xavier Cabrini moved to New York in 1889 and went on to found 67 institutions—schools, orphanages, and hospitals—throughout the Western Hemisphere. She received American citizenship, and in 1946 became the first United States citizen to be canonized by the Catholic Church. Her ministry left a significant mark on the Americas, creating lasting institutions to educate and care for those in need. She is the patron saint of immigrants, orphans, and hospital administrators.

# In Loving Memory

The following parishioners have made All Souls Mass Remembrance donations in memory of their loved ones.

#### Ken & Aurora Kelly

In memory of So & Kelly Families, Tony & Marguerite Riario, John Murray Family, Pat Scorese, John V. Bello, Maria Raia, Gripenberg Family, Reinitina, Rose Cabello

#### Dr. John R. Winn

In memory of Rose Grambalvo, Angelo Grambalvo, Anne Winn, Jack Winn

In memory of Michael J. Rossi, Eileen E. Rossi, Eileen (Cookie) Peraino

#### Marilyn & John Weindler

In memory of Anna Weindler, John Weindler, Eleanor Starace, Vincent Starace, Dr. John M. Driscoll

#### Jim & Carole FitzPatrick

In memory of Tommy FitzPatrick, Mildred & Tom Cafone, Catherine & Walter FitzPatrick, Paul Dietche, Richard Boerner



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#### Patricia Dooley

In memory of Chrissy Flatt, Marie Dooley, William Dooley, Sr., Chris Dooley, Thomas Moran

#### Frederick Barney, Jr.

In memory of Frederick Barney Sr., Joan Barney, Patrick Barney, Janice Evans, Noreen Fraser, Bill Friend, Bernard Friend, Jack O'Donnell, Ed Deitz, Mike Kelly

#### Joan Sirard

In memory of Louis Sirard, John & Sophie Rusin, Noel & Anita Sirard, Dennis & Florence James

#### Lucille T. LaSala

In memory of Anthony V. LoRusso, Lucy LoRusso, Camille Munsch, Antone LaSala

#### Linda Woodwell

In memory of Richard Woodwell, Lorraine Hagan, Helen Preston, Joseph Preston

#### Patricia O'Brien

In memory of Albert T. Connors, Marian O'Brien, Paul O'Brien, Rose Rizzi, Dario Rizzi, Wilhelmina Scroope, Henry Scroope, John Connors, Mary Connors

#### Michael LaSala

In memory of Michael LaSala, Angelina LaSala, Marty Munsch, Jr. Debra Buruchian

#### Melody Zima

In memory of Gretchen Giblin, Leslie T. Giblin, Ernest Zima, Bette & Roger Huff, Pauleen & John Bregar, Kathy Kopecky, Lily Lane, Robert Wertmann, Robert Muscarelle, Kate Canover, Bill & Marion O'Donnel

#### Mr & Mrs. Timothy J. Egan

#### M. Minuto

In memory of Vincent & Mary Moscatello,
Tony & Angie Minuto, Moscatello Family, Minuto Family,
June & Michael Leliso, Joann Minuto & Lisa Fran,
Fran & Joe Rinaldi, Josephine Darnion, Artie Vanhagen,
Grace Carbon & Family, Fran & John Marsilli

#### Patricia Deegan

In memory of William P. Deegan, Kathleen A. Deegan, Joseph & Vera Collins, Celia Vasile, Esther & Fred Mariani, The Deegan Family, Andy & Ellie Maresca

# Mass Intentions

#### SATURDAY, November 19, 2022

9:00 AM Richard Stefanacci

5:00 PM Fred Zellar

#### SUNDAY, November 20, 2022

8:00 AM Lorrie A. Keirnan

10:00 AM Josephine & William Jacoby

11:30 AM Richard Stefanacci

6:00 PM For the People of the Parish

#### MONDAY, November 21, 2022

9:00 AM Richard Cancilla

#### TUESDAY, November 22, 2022

6:30 AM For the People of the Parish

9:00 AM Tiffani Loughnane

#### WEDNESDAY, November 23, 2022

6:30 AM Grace D. Brown

9:00 AM Chrissy Flatt

#### THURSDAY, November 24, 2022

9:00 AM Mass of Thanksgiving

#### FRIDAY, November 25, 2022

9:00 AM Ottavio Bussanich

#### SATURDAY, November 26, 2022

9:00 AM James Paul

5:00 PM Leonard Marcel

#### SUNDAY, November 27, 2022

8:00 AM Terry Marcel

10:00 AM William P. Deegan

11:30 AM Rose Weber

6:00 PM Helen Hegel

# +++IN LOVING REMEMBRANCE

The Sanctuary Lamp at the Blessed Sacrament and the Altar Bread and Wine consecrated during the week are available as memorials for loved ones. To arrange, please contact the parish office at (201) 327-5663.



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