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MASSES:

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

Autumn is the season for harvesting and sharing the fruits of our labors. This week's scriptures use images of the harvest, family life, pregnancy, and investment to describe the abundant harvest in the reign of God. We discover that sharing the gifts we have been given brings eternal rewards for everyone.

In the Gospel parable a master entrusts his possessions to three servants before going on a journey. Each is given some talents. What they do with those talents determines what the master will do with them when he returns. How about us? What are we doing with our talents? How will our Master treat us when he returns?

> Peace and stay safe, Fr. Frank

"Have a Happy Thanksgiving! Hoping your Thanksgiving is filled with blessings and joy!"

THE KNIGHTS CORNER

The word eucharist comes from the Greek word for thanksgiving and is a reminder that as followers of



Christ we have so very much to be thankful for. We are thankful for his love and his mercy. We are thankful for the Catholic faith that has been passed on to us by the Communion of Saints. All members of the Knights of Co-

lumbus Council 11889 are thankful for all of you and for the privilege to serve the parish. To the entire St. Gabriel's community and your families, a very happy and safe Thanksgiving!

<u>Did you know?</u> The first Thanksgiving celebration lasted three days. The menu likely consisted of venison, swan, duck, and goose - not turkey - along with lobster, oysters, and fish. Today, Americans consume, on average, 4,500 calories per person at Thanksgiving dinner.

If you are interested in joining the St. Gabriel's Knights of Columbus, contact a current member or send us an email at knights@stgabrielsr.org.

LITTLE CHIME RINGERS NEEDED!!!!

Do you have 4 - 8 years old children who enjoy making noise? Here is a great opportunity to make the best of their talents this Christmas Season! The music ministry would like to invite 4 - 8 years old children to join our Christmas Chime Choir. There will be two rehearsals before performing at our annual Christmas Concert on December 10, 3:00pm. The rehearsal dates are November 26 and December 3 from 12:30 – 1pm. To register, please contact Melody at Melodychen913@gmail.com

FINANCIAL REPORT

The amount of the collection for November 12 was not available when the bulletin went to press and will be reported to you at a later date. God bless you and your families.

OUR PARISH COMMUNITY PRAYS FOR:

Our sick and homebound:

Salvatore Averso, Daniel Castillo Dawn Conguisti, Ada Fields Meg Gallagher, Grace Gilbert Bill Hamilton, Bob Kleinknecht Joan Massotti. George Parowski Nicole Trotta



Psalm 118:29 - "Give thanks FAITH DIRECT to the Lord, for he is good; His love endures forever."

There's no better time than Thanksgiving to celebrate life's many blessings. As we gather around tables with friends, families, and bountiful meals, we are reminded that God enriches us to be generous and that our generosity leads to gratitude towards God.

Your generous online donations will help sustain our Thanksgiving ministries that reflect God's love. With Faith Direct, you can make regular automatic contributions to St. Gabriel Church using your credit/debit card or bank account. Register today by visiting faith.direct/NJ361 or call Faith Direct Customer Service at 866-507-8757.

Peace and blessings to your family!



WHY DO CATHOLICS PRAY FOR THE DEAD?

The practice of praying for the dead is an Act of Mercy and has Scriptural roots: Thus he made atonement for the dead that they might be absolved from their sin." (2 Maccabees 12:45-46) Someone who dies in God's friendship with sin on his soul must be purified before entering heaven. We can literally help souls get to heaven. Rest assured: If the person we've prayed for reaches heaven, the graces of those prayers are used to help other souls.

PARISH TRIP TO LONDON, PARIS AND LISIEUX!



The parish trip to London, Paris and Lisieux is officially happening!! Twenty of us are going to travel together from the doors of St. Gabriel's all the way to London, Paris and Lisieux and back.

The bus will literally pick us up and drop us off at the church.

Trip Details: May 4-12 2024 3 nights in London 4 nights in Paris

Prices include air, transfers, hotels, tours in all 3 destinations. This includes a private tour at the cathedral and the convent of Lisieux where St Therese was from. There are also opportunities to customize the trip within the group. Also if you would like to travel before the group or stay after, those options are available to you as well. Deposits have to be made by 11/5 in order to take advantage of the discounted air. Please do not wait until the last minute and not be able to go. There are only 20 spaces. There is a video that explains all the details that will be sent via Flocknote.

Please contact Jennifer Edelson (a parishioner) if you want to go. She will give you all the details. If you want to sign up directly, you can do so via this link. https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1183931

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

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In memory of Terry & Jennie Dougherty,
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James & Lillian Doyle, Ana & Edward Donovan,
Ron Michels, Rev. William Hitcher, Vincent McGann,
Lou Denham, Claire Marie Michels, Bob Wriselman-martel

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Dr. & Mrs. Gerard Schiraldi

In Loving Memory

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

Patricia Ross

In memory of Philip A. Ross, Jr., Katherine Cosmo,
Joan Ferro, Phillip & Josephine Ross, Sr.,
Michael, Anthony, Yvette and Joann Ross,
Maria & Dominic Ammirato, Donata,
Maressa, & Dominic Ferro,
All Members of the Ammirato, J. Ferro, & Ross Families,
Georgette & Bob Pfund, Margaret & Al Cariat,
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Cathleen Sutliff

In memory of James Sutliff, Kevin Sutliff, Loretta & Charles Sutliff, Josephine & William Jacoby, William Jacoby Jr., Frank & Catherine Lynch, Joseph & Emma Jacoby, Terance Lynch, George Lynch, John & May Lynch

Jay & Betty Ann Bouton

In memory of Marjorie & Orsen Bouton Betty & Tony Moravek, Tom Palk

Mr & Mrs. Edward F. Norton

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In memory of Mark Cochcroft, Jr.

Deceased members of the Taite Family, Cusmano Family,
Crupe Family, Massa Family, Amorno Family,
Davis Family, Nobile Family, Grosiwski Family,
Miller Family

Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Milone

In memory of Annette & Frank Tedeschi, Peggy Milone, Anna King, Marie & Nick Crisci, Felippa Amore

Keith & Connie Dietel

In memory of Herbert & Audrey Dietel, Dominick & Olga Sposato, John Sposato, Elfrieda Dietel, Aniello & Carmella Tortorelli, John & Myrtle Tranchetti

Ken & Aurora Kelly

In memory of departed So & Kelly Family members Pat Scorese, John Murray & Family, Bob Re

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, November 18, 2023

9:00 AM Frederica Fiebel 5:00 PM Sally Sinton

SUNDAY, November 19, 2023

8:00 AM Paul S. Doherty, Jr. 10:00 AM Christopher Maita 11:30 AM Patricia Devine 6:00 PM T. J. Sullivan

MONDAY, November 20, 2023

9:00 AM Christopher Maita

TUESDAY, November 21, 2023

6:30 AM People of the Parish 9:00 AM Jeanne Rodgers

WEDNESDAY, November 22, 2023

6:30 AM Kitty Kwasnicki Living Intention

9:00 AM Richard Cancilla

THURSDAY, November 23, 2023

9:00 AM People of the Parish

FRIDAY, November 24, 2023

9:00 AM Joseph Giancristofaro

SATURDAY, November 25, 2023

9:00 AM Tiffani Loughnane 5:00 PM John Patrick Flynn

SUNDAY, November 26, 2023

8:00 AM Robert Re
10:00 AM Jo & Bill Jacoby
11:30 AM Richard Stefanacci
6:00 PM Alex Schonhoff

TEMEMBRANCE

The Sanctuary Lamp at the Blessed Sacrament will be lighted during the week of November 19 for Christopher Maita requested by Lillian Solomon.

The Altar Bread and Wine consecrated during the week of November 19 for Christopher Maita requested by Lillian Solomon.

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