

Called...



to be holy

March 8, 2020  
Second Sunday of Lent



**The Sacrament of Confirmation at  
Saint Gabriel Parish**

We welcome Bishop John McIntyre, D.D, V.G. to St. Gabriel Parish to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation at the 10:00 AM Mass on March 8. Our parish is blessed to have six members of the Prep and Catholic School Program, who will be receiving Confirmation.

**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**

**First Reading: Genesis 12:1-4a**

God calls Abraham to leave his family and people and go to a new land. God promises to make the people of this new nation great and to bless Abraham.

**Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8b-10**

Paul, from his place of imprisonment in Rome, writes words of encouragement to Timothy, telling him that Christ is for them everlasting life.

**Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9**

Wishing to reveal His glory to Peter, James and John, Jesus takes them to a mountain where he is transfigured before them. When Peter exclaims that he will build three tabernacles here in honor of Jesus, Moses and Elijah, a voice from above proclaims: "This is My beloved Son on whom My favor rests. Listen to him."

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**The Collection  
February 22 - 23, 2020**

Vigil Mass	473	envelopes	30
Sunday Mass	957	envelopes	29
Mail in	240	envelopes	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1670</b>		

Thank you to those who give to the collection on line  
*We thank parishioners who attend Mass and contribute to the parish. We also thank those who have moved away and continue to support the parish*

when they can. [www.stgabes.org](http://www.stgabes.org)

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

**PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY IF YOU ARE NOT RECEIVING YOUR ENVELOPES.**



**SATURDAY, March 7**

4:30 PM Tom & Laura Christopher RB the Family

**SUNDAY, March 8**

10:00 AM Gabber Dean RB Mary Dean

**MONDAY, March 9**

8:00 AM, Patrick & Ann Gallagher RB their family

**TUESDAY, March 10**

8:00 AM, Virginia Borzillo RB the Sisters of St. Monica

**WEDNESDAY, March 11**

8:00 AM, Benefactors of the Food Pantry RB Sr. Arlene McCann

**THURSDAY, March 12**

8:00 AM Dorothy Fox RB the Family

**FRIDAY, March 13**

8:00 AM Communion Service – No Mass

**SATURDAY, March 14**

4:30 PM Lt. Col White RB Evelyn Marcucci

**SUNDAY, March 15**

10:00 AM Marsha Dougherty RB Bill Dougherty

**MARCH**

- 7 St. Patrick Celebration, 7- 11 PM
- 8 Confirmation for six students from St. Gabriel parish, Officiated by Bishop John McIntyre at the 10:00 AM Mass
- 9 Baptism Class, 7:00 PM –School Chapel
- 10 1:00 Holy Hour, 4:00 PM – 5:00 PM PREP, Pastoral Council 7PM, rectory
- 13 6:30 PM Soup Supper in the rectory dining room Stations of the Cross
- 15 Alumni Sunday St. Patrick Day Parade
- 17 1:00 – 2:00 PM Holy Hour, 4:00 PM – 5:00 PM PREP 6:00 PM Mass, Adoration/Confession, Benediction (no 8:00 AM Mass)
- 20 6:30 PM Soup Supper in the rectory dining room Stations of the Cross
- 22 Baptism Sunday
- 25 10:00 AM School Mass, everyone is welcome-no 8:00 Mass
- 27 Soup Supper, 6:30 PM, Holy Hour, 7:15 PM Stations of the Cross,

**April**

- 3 Stations of the Cross led by the Youth Group
- 4 Clean Church Designer Bag Bingo 7 PM Food collection for the poor, at 4:30 PM Mass
- 5 Hospitality Sunday – Food collection for the poor



### 15 WEEK-CLUB WINNERS

DATE	NO.	WINNER	SELLER
02/18	885	No Winner	
02/19	258	Joe Rullo	P. Clinton
02/20	106	Peg McAvey	M. Combs
02/21	289	Jerri Rullo	J. Bradley
02/22	676	Colleen Kennedy	M. Combs
02/23	745	No Winner	
02/24	297	No Winner	



Godparent



Sponsor

### Registration in the parish

**Those who are 18 years or older are no longer under their parents' registration, but need to register on their own.** For those who would like to register at St. Gabriel's parish, registration information can be found at these locations:

- contact [rectory@stgabes.org](mailto:rectory@stgabes.org) and we will send you the registration form
- retrieve a form on [www.stgabes.org](http://www.stgabes.org) under registrations
- call the rectory for an appointment 215-463-4060

We will be glad to help you in any way we can.

### MEMORIALS

The people  
in darkness  
have seen  
a great light



*Katherine Davey RB Helen Penrose*

We sincerely thank the families and friends who request and make donations to the parish in memory of their loved ones.

**Masses will be said during the year for the intentions of all those enrolled in the Memorial Fund and those who contribute to the Memorial Fund**

### WHAT IS YOUR LEGACY?



Leaving a Legacy: *Please remember St. Gabriel's Church, 2917 Dickinson St. (our legal title) in your will. Your legacy will help support our mission and allow us to serve future generations.*

***At the time of a funeral please consider requesting donations to be sent to the parish. That gift will have a long range effect for good and your loved one will be remembered in prayer.***



### Pray for those on the Sick List

Grace Curran, April DeMatto. Tony Schriver, Joel Rivera, Cathy O'Brien, Catherine Krecko, Nicole Palandro, Claire Williamson, Donna Tafuri, Christopher Browne, Scott McDowell, Mary Kennedy, Lisa Ruggino, Steven Porter, Ed McCarron, Mary & Ann Bell, Tracy Cotter, Carol Mills, Grace Griffiths, Susan Cullen, Colleen Riddell, Greg Barrett, Brian Berry, Margaret Doherty, Nan Mulligan and for those suffering from addiction, especially young adults

**Please send us names that you would like to add to the Prayer List**



### 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Events

**SAVE THE DATE**

**125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

**St. Patrick Celebration**

**March 7, 2020**

**7-11 PM**

**St. Gabriel Hall**

**\$30 Tickets, purchased at the door**

**Refreshments included**

**125th anniversary Gala**

**Sunday 10/25/2020**

**12:00 Noon Mass**

**Luncheon, 2:30 PM**

**Crystal Tea Room**

**More details to follow**



**Welcome to Billie Ortiz who was baptized in February. Blessings on Billie Ortiz and her family, who made this faith filled commitment for their child.**



**Please remember the repose of the soul of Sister Marie St. Anne McClung, IHM  
Sister was from St. Gabriel Parish and also taught in the school.**