# ST. GABRIEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH CARNEYS POINT, NJ 08069

# DECEMBER 7, 2025 2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Corpus Christi Church, 369 Georgetown Road, Carneys Point, NJ 08069 St. Mary's Church, 25 Oak Street, Salem, NJ 08079



# **PARISH STAFF**

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# PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

"We, the baptized members of St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish in Salem County, New Jersey, commit ourselves to participate in the mission and the traditions of the Catholic Church to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ, celebrated through the sacraments, as a vibrant community of faith who demonstrate and foster social justice, compassion and love in service to all."

"One Family in Christ"

## HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

## Corpus Christi Church

Saturday - 4pm [Vigil]

Sunday - 10am & 12:30pm [Español]

# St. Mary's Church

Sunday - 8am

## **WEEKDAY MASSES**

Monday-Saturday - 8:30am –CC Chapel Wednesday - 7pm [Español] -CC Chapel First Friday - 7pm - CC Chapel

# **CONFESSIONS**

## Corpus Christi Church

Wednesday - 6pm [Español] Thursday - 7pm First Friday - 7:30pm Saturday - 9am & 3:15pm Sunday - 12pm [Español]

### St. Mary's Church

Sunday - 7:45am [on request]

# **ADORATION**

# Corpus Christi Chapel

Monday - 9am to 6pm Wednesday - 9am to 3pm First Friday - 7:30pm to 11pm Saturday - 9am to 10am

# **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday through Thursday: Open 9am-12pm; Closed 12-1pm; Re-opens 1pm-4pm Parish Office Closed Fridays

Parish Office: 369 Georgetown Road, Carneys Point, NJ 08069 ~ Ph: 856-299-3833 ~ Fax: 856-299-3887 Email: saintgabrielarchangelcp@gmail.com ~Website: www.saintgabrielarchangel.org Facebook: www.facebook.com/StGabrieltheArchangelParish

\*For a Life or Death Emergency: 609-202-6026\*

# MASS INTENTIONS-12/6-12/7

# SATURDAY MASS-Corpus Christi-4pm

Anne Buyarski/Daughters & Family John Strawn/Jennings/Strawn Families Conrado Ayala/La Familia Barbara Gioia/Rob Gioia Alessandro Rodolfi/Karen & Michael Venello

# SUNDAY MASS-St Mary's-8am

John S. Fredricks/Family For the People of the Parish Ed Hassler, Sr./Joe & Beth Jeker



Lonetta Bennett/Diana & Tommy Headman

Corpus Christi-12:30 [Español]

En Honor de la Santísima Virgen María/Anónimo Yolanda Perea Sosa/Anónimo



# MASS INTENTIONS-12/13-12/14

# **SATURDAY MASS-**Corpus Christi-4pm

Deceased Senior Saints/Senior Saints 2024

Judith D. & John Clemente, Jr./Faith Vittori

Intentions of Steve Blose/Louise, Jim & Nathan Schmidt

Vickey Saulino/Camerons, Morris', Kales & Millers

## SUNDAY MASS-St Mary's-8am

Virgilio & Maria Lattanzi/Family Ed Hassler, Sr./Peggy Nicolosi

### Corpus Christi-10am

**Deceased Members of Nick Franceschini Family/** Evelyn

## Corpus Christi-12:30 [Español]

Por las Almas del Purgatorio/Familia Bedolla La Gente de la Parroquia

## **WEEKDAY MASSES-8:30AM-CHAPEL**

12/8-Jack Headman/Diana & Tommy Headman

**12/8-NOON-SM-Edward Hassler, Sr.**/Louise & Jim Schmidt & Family

12/8-7:30pm-[Español]-Intenciones de la Familia Willis

12/9-Peggy Kirsch/Diana & Tommy Headman

12/10-Magdalena Jopal Wonga/Jr. Legion of Mary

12/10-7pm-[Español]-Por todas los Jóvenes sin Hagar/ Anónimo

12/11-Paul Haynes/Jim Schmidt & Family

12/12-Timothy J. Garbini/Father, Emo

12/13-Intentions to End Abortion

## WEEKLY READINGS

IS11:1-10; PS72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17[SEE7]; ROM 15:4-9; MT3:1-12

GN3:9-15, 20; PS98:1, 2-3AB, 3CD-4; EPH1:3-6, 11-12; LK1:26-38

IS40:1-11; PS96:1-2, 3&10AC, 11-12, 13; MT18:12-14

IS40:25-31; PS103:1-2, 3-4, 8&10; MT11:28-30

IS41:13-20; PS145:1&9, 10-11, 12-13AB; MT11:11-15

ZEC2:14-17 OR RV11:19A: 12:1-6A, 10AB:

JDT13:18BCDE, 19; LK1:26-38 OR LK1:39-47,

SIR48:1-4, 9-11; PS80:2AC&3B, 15-16, 18-19;

MT17:9A, 10-13

SIR48:1-4, 9-11; PS80:2AC&3B, 15-16, 18-19;

MT17:9A, 10-13

## December 7, 2025 2nd Sunday of Advent Fruitful Stewardship

"Therefore, every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire." **MATTHEW** 3:10

Do you bear good fruit for Jesus? Do you spend time in prayer or do you waste it with mindless activity? Do you use your talent to help others or are you too busy? Do you use your treasure to support the Church or do you buy more things that go unused? Our Stewardship time, talent, and treasure are gifts from God. What we do with these gifts is our gift back to Him. What gifts are you planning to give to the Lord during this upcoming Christmas season?

### Weekly Prayers of the Faithful

That we as Christian <u>Stewards</u> realize what we do with the gifts God has given us is our gift back to God. *Let us pray to the Lord*.

# HEALING MASS -10AM CORPUS CHRISTI LAST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH



[CC] Deceased Senior Saints/Senior Saints 2024

[SM] Edward Hassler, Sr./Breslin Family

# **IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**



The **Immaculate Conception** is the doctrine that the Virgin Mary was free of original sin from the moment of her conception. It is one of the four Marian dogmas of the Catholic Church. Debated by medieval theologians, it was not defined as a dogma until 1854, by Pope Pius IX in the papal bull *Ineffabilis Deus*. While the Immaculate Conception asserts Mary's freedom from original sin, the Council of Trent, held between 1545 and 1563, had previously non-dogmatically affirmed her freedom from personal sin.

The Immaculate Conception became a popular subject in literature, but its abstract nature meant it was late in appearing as a subject in works of art. The iconography of **Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception** shows Mary standing, with arms outstretched or hands clasped in prayer. The feast day of the Immaculate Conception is **December 8**.

Many Protestant churches rejected the doctrine of the Immaculate Conception as unscriptural, though some Anglicans accept it as a pious devotion. The teaching on the Immaculate Conception among Oriental Orthodoxy varies: Shenouda III, Pope of the Coptic Orthodox Church, and the Patriarch Ignatius Zakka I of the Syriac Orthodox Church opposed the teaching, while the Eritrean Orthodox Tewahedo Church and Ethiopian Orthodox Tewahedo Church accept it.

# **CHRISTMAS OFFICE CLOSURES**

The Parish Office will be closing on Wednesday, December 24 at Noon. The office will be closed until Monday, January 5, 2026. Please visit our office prior to the 24th for anything you may need during the holidays. Also, there will be NO ADORATION during the holidays.

Adoration will begin again on Monday, January 5.

# Thank you for your support!

Note: St. Gabriel Fiscal Year is 7/1/25 to 6/30/26. These weekly collections and corresponding budget reflect our "Ordinary Offertory" (first collection at weekend masses, associated electronic and mail-in donations). They do not include other collections such as Christmas, Easter, Holy days and Improvement Fund. Those amounts and their budgets will be reported separately.

UPDATED DOLLARS NOT YET AVAILABLE DUE TO EARLY HOLIDAY SUBMISSION

Collection	Plate Collection	Online Giving	Total Received	Budget	Surplus-Deficit
Week of 11/23/25	\$6,659	\$25	\$6,684	\$7,980	-\$1,296
Total to date from 7/1/25	\$153,846	\$18,044	\$171,890	\$167,580	\$4,310

Online Contributions can be made at <a href="https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Giving/PS-1683">https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Giving/PS-1683</a>

# JOIN US AT THE "HEART OF THE PARISH

# ST. GABRIEL PRAYER GROUP



# THURSDAY EVENING

7:00 ~ 8:00 Holy Hour

**Confession Available** 

(Holy Rosary, St. Gabriel Novena, Meditation, & Music)

ALL ARE WELCOME ESPECIALLY THOSE WHO ARE NEW OR RETURNING TO OUR FAITH

# nior Luncheo

**Every Second Wednesday Of Each Month Parish Hall** 11:30 am RSVP (856) 299-3833

> FREE TO PARTICIPANTS 60+ WHO RESIDE IN SALEM COUNTY



We look forward to seeing you!

Msgr. Rocco Continillo Hall 369 Georgetown Rd, Carneys Point, NJ 08069

One Family in Christ\*

# ALTAR FLOWER DONATIONS-Please con-

sider making a donation in memory of loved ones, to honor or give thanks for a special person/occasion.

LOST AND FOUND - Call 856-299-3833 or check the basket in the church vestibule.

PARISH GIFT SHOP -Open after 4pm Mass & 10am Mass. If you go to St. Mary's, item[s] will be sent to Bernice Hitchner [856-759-9525]. Call Peggy Kirby [856-678-4130] for more info, if needed.

### MOTHER TERESA OUTREACH-MTO serves

the needy. If you can help us as a volunteer, or someone needing assistance, go to: mtostgabriel@gmail.com or call 856-294-7822. Monetary, food & new toiletry donations only. Please check expiration dates.

## TRAVELING VIRGIN OF FATIMA

**STATUE** -Welcome in your home for a week the Virgin of Fatima Statue. Call **Dolores Durr**@609-410-3760. Invite many graces and blessings into your home. Our Lady promises to bring the Holy Spirit to families who pray together for her intercession.

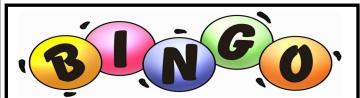
**SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES**-If you are interested in joining, call the facilitators, Rich or Peggy below.

Marianne Koshland, 856-299-2378, Peggy Kirby, 856-678-4130; 3rd Thursday of ea. mth@10:30am

Rich Watson, 856-540-5476; Thursdays@10am, in the Parish Library/Lecto Divina for Coming Sunday's Readings

**LEGION OF MARY-**is the largest lay organization in the Church. Our Lady needs men and women to help bring her souls to Christ by engaging in the spiritual works of mercy. Call [President] Dolores Durr at 609-410-3760 or Terri Taylor [Vice President] at 856-628-0218.

JUNIOR LEGION OF MARY-Mary, Mother Most Pure Praesidium meets in Conf. Room 2 on Mondays **9-10am.** Anyone 18 & under/parents are welcome to pray the Rosary & read from the Legion of Mary Handbook and draw closer to Jesus & Mary. Call Emily Sparks at [856-520-4669] or Debbie Luchay [609-617-7699.



Every Friday@7pm; doors open 5:30pm We are in need of volunteers to make this an on-going success.

Volunteers work *ONE FRIDAY a* month. Contact Belford Hogate at <del>856-29</del>9-0218.

## PRAY FOR THE SICK

October-Steve Blose, Joseph Branosky, Ralph Petrarca, Richard Arnold, Louise Schmidt, Johanna Sheridan, Bill Doughty, Karen Berry, Josh Quigley, Jaziel Torres, Paul Cane, Sarah Rachael DeWilde, Stacey Tate, John Kazanski, James Burt, James Tucker, Dawn Tucker, Maddie McAllister, Jeanne Chiacchio

November-Carol Zitkevitz, Florence Godin, Ann Hallock, Christne Clingerman, Rose Mecouch, Joanne Romansky, Faith Masten, Gerald Miller, Dante Serra, Dale Cross, Joe Jeker, Michele DiNunzio, Ann Regler, Tierney Muñoz, Paul Cane, Susan Humphreys, Mary Faith Cameron, Ronnie Tomasino

December-

# PRAY FOR OUR RECENTLY DECEASED

<u>October</u>-Yolanda Barbosa Garza, Patricia Staffieri, Lee Curry, Andrea Merendino, Steven Hostetter

<u>November</u>-Jack Boos, Linda Behringer, Thomas Vincent Johnston, Edward Hassler, Sr.

December-



# FOR A LIFE OR DEATH EMERGENCY CALL 1-609-202-6026

Sacrament of Baptism: Call the office to schedule both a Baptism and Pre-Jordan class.

<u>Pastoral Care of the Sick:</u> If in the hospital or home-bound, call the office to schedule Sacramental visits.

**RCIA:** Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults: If interested, call to meet with a priest.

<u>Sacrament of Matrimony:</u> Call to meet with a priest before scheduling one year in advance.

<u>Funerals:</u> The standard procedure for Catholics is a vigil service at a funeral home, or in church, a funeral Mass in church and a formal burial.

# PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY & COUNTRY



Please pray for all active and retired military personnel who joined to protect our people and country of America. They all deserve many thanks and prayers for fighting for our Freedom. Always remember that all gave some and **SOME GAVE ALL**. Also pray for **PEACE**.

# **ATTENTION VETERANS!**

If you took the oath to support and defend our great nation, join our brothers and sisters in arms for a free breakfast event 2nd Wednesday of each month from 0800-1100, VFW Post 253 McCarthy Hall, 20 Phillip Drive. Salem; named in memory of life-long fellow parishioner and WWII Hero Jack McCarthy. Under the Sponsorship of the members and auxiliary of Post 253, this service is provided by the Salem County Together With Veterans Suicide Prevention Program. For more info., Call Pat Hassler at 856-562-8178.

# HOMEBOUND VISITS WITH HOLY COMMUNION



For home-bound parishioners who wish to receive communion, please call the office at **856-299-3833.** A Eucharistic Minister will visit and bring communion to your home or your living facility on a regular

basis. Of course, if you are sick and would like to be anointed, call <u>609-202-6026</u> for a priest.

### **TRUSTEES**

Belford Hogate, Geraldine Jones

# PASTORAL COUNCIL

Kathleen Schell [President], Michael Romansky [Vice President], Terri Hogate [Secretary], Amada Fernández, Sharon VanAtta, Kathy Sheffield, Dolores Durr, Rosemarie Fleming-Averyt, Morgan Weigle, Lizeth C. Ayala

### **FINANCE COUNCIL**

Richard Kazunas [President], Charlie Hassler, Patrick Hassler, Scott Greenwald, Angela Greenwald, Julia Doughty, John Pietrantonio, Peggy Nicolosi

12/08	Monday	8:30am	Immaculate Conception of BVM [Holy Day]	CC
		12 Noon		SM
		7:30pm		CC-Spanis
12/11	Thursday	5:00pm	Vigil of Our Lady of Guadalupe	CC
	·			Spanish
12/12	Friday	8:30am	Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe	CC-Englis
12/24	Wednesday	4:00pm 4:00pm 8:00pm-Spanish	<u>Christmas Eve</u>	SM CC CC
12/25	Thursday	12 Midnight 9:00am	Christmas Day	CC

# **OFFICE CLOSURES**

The Office will be closed on **Monday, December 8, 2025** due to the Immaculate Consumption. <u>Holy Day Masses are shown above</u>. It will re-open on Tuesday morning at 9:00.



# St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish



We cordially invite you to the Celebration in Honor of

# Our Lady of Guadalupe

# <u>Thursday</u> <u>December 11, 2025</u>

- PROCESSION 5:30 pm

  <u>Decorate your car</u>

  <u>Award for the three best!</u>
- · ROSARY 6:30 pm
- FELLOWSHIP 7:00 pm

The community will meet in the parish hall to enjoy some snacks and refreshments.

•HOLY HOUR 9:30 pm •HOLY MASS 10:30 pm

# **MAÑANITAS**

(Musical Group to play the traditional Mexican birthday song) Midnight (12:00 am)



"Listen and understand,
my littlest son, let
nothing frighten and
afflict you or trouble
I your heart ... Am I
not here, I, who am
your mother?

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# Altar & Rosary Society 2026 Membership – New or Renewal

Name	 -
Address	_
Phone/Cell	
Email	
Dues \$5.00 per year: Plea envelope addressed to: Al	

# Altar & Rosary 2025 Winners

mailed or put in the collection basket.

First Prize \$500.00 Amazon Gift Card
Second Prize \$250.00 Acme Gift Card
Third Prize \$150.00 Shoprite Gift Card
Fourth Prize \$150.00 Walmart Gift Card
Fifth Prize \$125.00 Home Goods, Marshalls, TJ Maxx Gift Card
Sixth Prize \$100.00 DiPaolo's Italian Ristorante Gift Card
Seventh Prize \$75.00 Roman Pantry/Italian Kitchen Gift Card
Eighth Prize \$50.00 Lapp's Gift Card
Ninth Prize \$50.00 Cracker Barrell Gift Card
Tenth Prize \$50.00 Wawa Gift Card

\$1,500.00

# **GIVING TREE**

Ornaments will be placed on the tree
Thanksgiving weekend
Please return all gifts with
Tags attached by December 14th

# This year ornaments will be for:

#1 Local families, #2 Veterans, #3Cornerstone Pregnancy, #4 Senior Ministry



# ST. GABRIEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 8:30AM-NOON** 

Msgr. Rocco Hall, Corpus Christi Church, 369 Georgetown Road, Carneys Point, NJ

Tickets \$15 each; 12 & Under Free

Pancakes, Scrambled Eggs, Cheese Omelets, French Toast, Sausage, Hash Browns, Toast, Coffee, Tea & Juice

Baked goods and raffle will be available.



# FOOTBALL MANIA

It's football season and the popular Football Mania sweepstakes for the Superbowl is back. Tickets will be on-sale after weekend masses and in the parish office. They make great Christmas Stocking stuffers.

Ticket purchase provides ability to download selected music and enters you into the sweep-stakes. Ticket price is \$5. Buy 5, get one free. etickets can also be purchased on line at: <a href="https://www.charitymania.com/give/PG00B">https://www.charitymania.com/give/PG00B</a>. The "buy 5, get one free" incentive also applies to the on-line purchases.

Proceeds benefit the parish.





# Ministerio Hispano

Segundo Domingo de Adviento Diciembre 7, 2025

MISA: Miércoles 7pm y Domingo 12:30pm CONFESIONES: Miércoles 6pm y Domingo 12pm (856) 299-3833 Ext. 311



# Parroquia San Gabriel Arcángel

Los invita Cordialmente a la Celebración en Honor de la



# Virgen de Guadalupe

# <u>Jueves</u> 11 de diciembre, 2025

- PROCESION 5:30 pm

  <u>Decora tu Coche</u>

  <u>Premio a los tres Mejores</u>
- ROSARIO 6:30 pm
- RECEPCION 7:30 pm

Invitamos a toda la comunidad a disfrutar de un pequeño refrigerio.

•HORA SANTA 9:30 pm •SANTA MISA 10:30 pm



Medianoche (12:00 am)



"Hijo mío, el más
pequeño, no se turbe
tu corazón
ni te inquiete cosa
alguna"
¿No estoy yo
aquí que
soy tu madre?

369 Georgetown Road. Carneys Point NJ 08069.



~~NO SE ENTRISTEZCA TU CORAZON...~~
ACASO NO ESTOY YO AQUI QUE SOY TU MADRE?

# Gran Rifa

Cuadro 36" X 24"
de la imagen de
La Virgen de Guadalupe
"Patrona de America"

Costo \$10.00 Por Boleto

JUEGA El Jueves
11 DE DICIEMBRE DE 2025. 8:00PM
SALON PARROQUIAL

Venta de boletos después de la Santa Misa o con la Sra. Amada Fernández (856) 981-1302



# El Ministerio de Adultos



Invita a todos los adultos de la tercera edad al almuerzo gratuito, que se lleva a cabo cada mes.

Diciembre 10, 2025 A las 11:30 Salón Parroquial.



INMACULADA CONCEPCION
DE LA BIENAVENTURADA
VIRGEN MARIA
MISA DE PRECEPTO
LUNES, DICIEMBRE 8, 2025
7:30PM BILINGUE

# Horario de la Oficina Parroquial

Lunes a Jueves
9am-12pm y 1pm-4pm
Viernes—Cerrado

\*\*Cerrado Diciembre 8, 2025.
(Inmaculada Concepción de la Virgen María)

# **AVISO IMPORTANTE**

Les recordamos a nuestros feligreses que todas las donaciones monetarias, se deben hacer directamente en la oficina parroquial o se le pueden entregar al Padre Carlos López.

Asegúrese de pedir un recibo firmado, todas sus donaciones se verán reflejadas en sus formas de impuestos al final del año.

# AROUND THE DIOCESE INFORMATION

Wednesday, December 10, 2025

It's Advent Time: Discovering the Beauty of the "O Antiphons", 9:00am – 3:00pm

Facilitator: Sister Kathryn Benham, IHM

As we prepare for the celebration of the birth of our Savior, we will spend time together uncovering the depth and meaning that the ancient "O Antiphons" have to offer for our prayer and reflection.

Using music, visual and contemplative quiet, participants will come to appreciate more deeply this rich treasure found in our Advent liturgy.

### Cost for the Retreat: \$40.00 includes meals

Registration Form (Fillable Form) at IHM Spirituality Center – Sisters, Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary (IHM)

For any questions contact Sister Anne Marie at ihmspcenter@gmail.com



# REPORT SEXUAL ABUSE

An independent, toll-free number has been established by the Diocese of Camden to help callers report cases of sexual abuse by priests, deacons, religious, employees and/or volunteers. Calls are handled by a licensed clinical social worker. In accord with state law, cases of child sexual abuse are reported to the N.J. Division of Child Protection and Permanency and law enforcement. For information or to inquire about counseling and support services, call: 1-800-964-6588

Denuncie el Abuso Sexual Un número telefónico gratuito e independiente ha sido establecido por la Diócesis de Camden para ayudar a las personas a denunciar casos de abusos sexuales por sacerdotes, diáconos, religiosos, empleados y/o voluntarios. Las llamadas son manejadas por un trabajador social clínico licenciado. De acuerdo a la ley del estado, los abusos de menores son reportados a la División de Protección de la Infancia y la Permanencia y a la policía. Para más información o para obtener servicios de consejería y apoyo, <u>llame al: 1-800-964-6588</u>