

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

**NOVEMBER 30, 2025
FIRST 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

Rev. Jerold C. Mariastanislaus, Pastor-ext. 303
Rev. Carlos Lopez, Parochial Vicar/Hispanic Ministry-ext. 311
Sr. Carol Adams, CSJP, Hospital Ministry-856-935-2298
Claudia Willis, Business Manager-ext. 302
Lizeth C. Ayala, DRE & Youth Minister-ext. 316
Joan Nipe, Director of Liturgy & Music-856-275-9859
Angelica Lira-Gonzalez, Office Secretary-ext. 301
Janet Blose, Office Assistant-ext. 307

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-11/29-11/30

SATURDAY MASS-Corpus Christi-4pm

Intentions of Senior Saints/Senior Saints 2024

For the People of the Parish

Magdalena Jopal Wonga/Legion of

Mary/Curia

Ellio Robert Domenick/Sanchez Family

SUNDAY MASS-St Mary's-8am

Lee Curry/John & Julie Acton

Corpus Christi-10am

Angie Martell/Evelyn

Corpus Christi-12:30 [Español]

Por las Almas de los Difuntos Legionarios/La Legión de María

Por las Intenciones de Flor Carmona/Claudia



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

Corpus Christi-10am

Lonetta Bennett/Diana & Tommy Headman

Corpus Christi-12:30 [Español]

En Honor de la Santísima Virgen María/Anónimo

Yolanda Perea Sosas/Anónimo

November 30, 2025 1st Sunday of Advent

Stewards Readiness

“Therefore, stay awake! For you do not know on which day your Lord will come.” **MATTHEW 24:42**

Stewards who have had health issues or near-death experiences generally have a greater appreciation for each day being a gift from God. The rest of us usually take for granted that we will be around tomorrow. But when you start to look at each day as a gift, you realize all the little miracles that happen daily and you begin to see God's active presence in your life. You grow in gratitude, each day, for all that we have been given.

Weekly Prayers of the Faithful

That we as Christian **Stewards** don't take each day for granted and see the little miracles that occur in our lives every day. *Let us pray to the Lord.*

WEEKDAY MASSES-8:30AM-CHAPEL

12/1-Edward Cline/Wife, Linda

12/2-Rita DiMarco/Domenico & Maria Antoinetta Sforza

12/3-William & Katharine Uecker/John Uecker

12/3-7pm-[Español]-Por todos los difuntos miembros de la Parroquia

12/4-Intentions to End Abortion

12/5-Doris Hanna/Gerry Jones

12/5-1st Friday-7pm-For All Souls in Purgatory

12/6-Intentions of All Youth of our Parish

WEEKLY READINGS

IS2:1-5; PS122:1-2, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; ROM13:11-14; MT24:37-44

IS4:2-6; PS122:1-2, 3-4AB, 4CD-5, 6-7, 8-9; MT8:5-11

IS11:1-10; PS72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; LK10:21-24

IS25:6-10A; PS23:1-3A, 3B-4, 5, 6; MT15:29-37

IS26:1-6; PS118:1&8-9, 19-21, 25-27A; MT7:21, 24-27

IS29:17-2; PS27:1, 4, 13-14; MT9:27-31

IS30:19-21, 23-26; PS147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; MT9:35-10:1, 5A, 6-8

HEALING MASS -10AM

CORPUS CHRISTI

LAST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH



[CC] For All St. Gabriel Parishioners

ADVENT



Advent is a season observed in most Christian denominations as a time of waiting and preparation for both the celebration of Jesus's birth at Christmas and the return of Christ at the Second Coming. It begins on the fourth Sunday before Christmas, often referred to as **Advent Sunday**. Advent is the beginning of the liturgical year in Western Christianity. The name comes from Latin *adventus* [arrival], translating the Greek *parousia* from the New Testament, originally referring to the Second Coming.

The season of Advent in the Christian calendar anticipates the "coming of Christ" from three different perspectives: the physical nativity in Bethlehem, the reception of Christ in the heart of the believer and the eschatological Second Coming.

Practices associated with Advent include Advent calendars, lighting an Advent wreath, praying an Advent daily devotional, erecting a Christmas tree as well as other ways of preparing for Christmas with other Christmas decorations.

The analogue of Advent in Eastern Christianity is called the Nativity Fast, but it differs in meaning, length, and observances, and does not begin the liturgical church year as it does in the West. The Eastern Nativity Fast does not use the term *parousia* in its preparatory services.

The theme of readings and teachings during Advent is often the preparation for the Second Coming and the Last Judgement. While the Sunday readings relate to the first coming of Jesus Christ as savior as well as to his Second Coming as judge, traditions vary in the relative importance of penitence and expectation during the weeks in Advent.

The keeping of an Advent wreath is a common practice in homes or churches. The concept of the Advent wreath originated among German Lutherans in the 16th century. However, it was not until three centuries later that the modern Advent wreath took shape. The modern Advent wreath, with its candles representing the Sundays of Advent, originated from an 1839 initiative by Johann Hinrich Wichern, a Protestant pastor in Germany and a pioneer in urban mission work among the poor.

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 11/16/25	\$4,782	\$1,100	\$5,882	\$7,980	-\$2,098
Total to date from 7/1/25	\$147,187	\$18,019	\$165,206	\$159,600	\$5,606

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

PRAY FOR THE SICK

September-Barry Johnson, Pedro I. Aponte, Santo Maranzano, Martha Parkell, Angela Hunter, Sami Cox, Kristin Bomba Cox

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

PRAY FOR OUR RECENTLY DECEASED

September-Stephanie Eyerman, Robert Roche, Angela Spano Naffziger

October-Yolanda Barbosa Garza, Patricia Staffieri, Lee Curry, Andrea Merendino, Steven Hostetter

November-Jack Boos, Linda Behringer, Thomas Vincent Johnston



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.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: 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.

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

Funerals: 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 609-202-6026 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

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

Senior Luncheon

**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 consider 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-

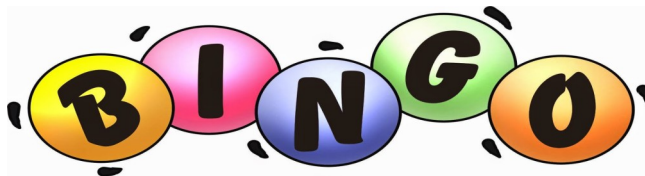
If you are interested in joining, call the facilitators, Rich or Peggy below.

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 856-299-0218.

2025 ST. GABRIEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH LITURGICAL MASSES & EVENTS

12/04	Thursday	5-7pm	<u>Advent Penance Service</u>	CC
12/08	Monday	8:30am 12 Noon 7:30pm	Immaculate Conception of BVM [Holy Day]	CC SM CC-Spanish
12/11	Thursday	5:00pm	<u>Vigil of Our Lady of Guadalupe</u>	CC Spanish
12/12	Friday	8:30am	<u>Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe</u>	CC-English
12/24	Wednesday	4:00pm 4:00pm 8:00pm-Spanish 12 Midnight	<u>Christmas Eve</u>	SM CC CC CC
12/25	Thursday	9:00am 11:00am	<u>Christmas Day</u>	CC CC

OFFICE CLOSURES

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



Christmas closures will be published in an upcoming December bulletin issue.

PARISH LIBRARY

Let us entertain you!

School is a challenge, especially when your child is one with special needs or has a classmate who is a "little different". Perhaps the child in your life just needs some encouragement in their new or first year of school. Meeting new friends with all the new challenges is part of your child's education. We may have just the ticket for you in the Msgr. Graham Library. Three new books in the children's section are perfect reading for the youngest student: "The Boy with Special Powers", "The Forgotten Strawberry" and "Marvin Monkey's Dream Comes True", as well as several others.

In the teen/tween section peruse "Strategies for Teens", "Chicken Soup for the Teenage Soul" and "The O'Reilly Factor for Kids" as well as others.

In the medical section, you will find "Parenting for Prevention", "Discipline Without Fear", "She Calls Me Daddy" and "Active Parenting" and many other helpful volumes.
Beverly DelVecchio, Librarian

ALTAR & ROSARY MEETING - DECEMBER 2, 2025

Christmas Party and Raffle Drawing

6:30 Chapel & Rosary; Meeting 7PM.

Don't forget to hand in your raffle tickets.

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, #3
Cornerstone 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.



LUNCH WITH SANTA

Dec 6th 12-1:30 pm in Corpus Christi Hall

**Join us for Lunch, Pictures with Santa
and Crafts**

**Free event Sponsored by the Social
Committee**





Ministerio Hispano

Primer Domingo de Adviento

Noviembre 30, 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

Jueves

11 de diciembre, 2025

- PROCESION 5:30 pm
Decora tu Coche
Premio a los tres Mejores

- 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



MAÑANITAS

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.

Desayuno Navideño

Domingo

Diciembre 7, 2025

8:30 a 12:00pm

En el salón Parroquial

Monseñor Rocca

Boletos \$15.00 por Persona

Niños menores de 12 años Gratis

Incluye: Huevos Hotcakes,
Pan Frances, Salchichas, Papas,
Pan tostado, Café, Te, Y Jugo.

Boletos a la entrada



**INMACULADA CONCEPCION
DE LA BIENAVENTURADA
VIRGEN MARIA
MISA DE PRECEPTO
LUNES, DICIEMBRE 9, 2025
7:30PM BILINGUE**

Adviento 2025



**SERVICIO DE PENITENCIA
DE ADVIENTO
MIERCOLES, DICIEMBRE 3
A LAS 5:00PM**

Este año 2025. El adviento comenzará el domingo 30 de noviembre y terminará el domingo 24 de diciembre., 2025.

El Adviento es un tiempo litúrgico de la Iglesia Católica que se celebra en las cuatro semanas previas a la Navidad. Es un periodo de reflexión y preparación para la llegada de Jesucristo, en el que los cristianos se preparan con esperanza y arrepentimiento

En el calendario litúrgico de la Iglesia católica, el primer día del año no es el 1 de enero, sino el primer domingo de Adviento. El Adviento es el primer tiempo litúrgico del año que comienza cuatro domingos antes de Navidad y termina en Nochebuena.

ALMUERZO CON SANTA

Sábado, diciembre 6, 2024

12pm a 1:30pm

ALMUERZA Y TOMATE UNA
FOTO CON SANTA

VEN A DISFRUTAR

EVENTO GRATUITO



Horario de la Oficina Parroquial

Lunes a Jueves

9am-12pm y 1pm-4pm

Viernes—Cerrado

****Cerrado Noviembre 27, & 28, 2024.
(Día de Acción de Gracias)**

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), Questions contact Sister Anne Marie at ihmcenter@gmail.com

A festive red poster for a Christmas concert. It features pine branches, red and gold ornaments, and candy canes. The text is white and gold. At the bottom left is the Saint Teresa Calcutta Parish logo.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR

3RD ANNUAL

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

with the

Tri-County Symphonic Band

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14

7:00PM

ST. JOHN CHURCH
809 Park Avenue
Collingswood, NJ

TICKET PURCHASE

\$15/person, kids under 12 free
Purchase after Masses starting the weekend after Thanksgiving
or Call (856) 858-0298 Parish Office
Doors open at 6:15PM

SAINT TERESA CALCUTTA PARISH

GARS Visa Gift Card Raffle

IT'S ALMOST THAT TIME OF YEAR!

RAFFLE

It's almost time for our Gift Card Raffle!

You could win:

1st Prize: \$3,000.00 Visa Gift Card

2nd Prize: \$500.00 Visa Gift Card

3rd Prize: \$250.00 Visa Gift Card

To purchase tickets, ask a Guardian Angels family or contact the school office at (856) 423-9440.

Tickets are \$5.00 per chance.



**THE DRAWING WILL TAKE PLACE ON
DECEMBER 5TH @ 2:00 PM
WINNER NEED NOT BE PRESENT**

SOUTH JERSEY WORLD-WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER [WWME]

Married Couples: Rediscover the spark that was there on your wedding day! Rediscover the best friend you had when you were married. Join the millions of couples world-wide who have learned how to keep their marriage vibrant and alive.

The emphasis of *World-wide Marriage Encounter* is on communication between husband and wife who spend a weekend together away from the distractions and tensions of everyday life to concentrate on each other. Every marriage deserves that kind of attention!

The Marriage Encounter will take place on **December 5-7, 2025**, held at the Port-au-Call Hotel, 1510 Boardwalk, Ocean City, NJ.

For information call 609-741-8012 or email

applications@wwme-southjersey.org.

Visit our website: wwme-southjersey.org.