



SAINT GABRIEL

Roman Catholic Church

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Rectory Hours: Mon - Friday 9:00 AM-1:30 PM
Except Fridays in July & August 9-Noon

Rev. William M. Quinlan, JD, JCL, Pastor
Deacon Larry Buzzeo Deacon Joe Viola

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS

Saturday 4:00 P.M.

Sunday 9:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

WEEKDAYS

Monday - Thursday 8 A.M. (No Daily Mass on Friday except on Holy Days)

HOLY DAYS

Vigil 6:00 P.M., The Day 8:00 A.M. & 6:00 P.M.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3 P.M. to 3:45 P.M.

BAPTISM: Sundays following 11AM Mass— Please call the Rectory to make arrangements

WEDDINGS: Arrangements to be made at least six months prior to the wedding

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA: Every Monday following 8:00 A.M. Mass

HOLY ROSARY: Sunday at 10:40 AM, before the 11A.M. Mass

PASTORAL STAFF AND ORGANIZATIONS

Fr. Liam Quinlan	Pastor - FrQuinlan@diobpt.org	203-322-7426
Maryanne Didelot	Director of Religious Education	203-329-1978
	saintgabrielccd@gmail.com	or 203-329-2707
Katya Syrochkina	Organist and Choir Master	203-322-7426
Kaye Gill	Senior Circle - Tuesday— 1-4 PM	203-322-7910
Joe Somma	Men's Group	203-322-3622
Pray For...	Contact the Parish Office	203-322-7426
Paul Salvatore	Finance Board President	203-322-2790
Ms. Abbey Camillery	Principal -Trinity Catholic Middle School	203-322-7383

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time



SATURDAY	October 8, 2016	
4:00 PM	Helen & Albert Conforti	
	(Daughters, Elaine Belmonte & Rosanne Begel)	
SUNDAY	October 9, 2016	
9:00 AM	Jane Guinta	
	(Her Family)	
11:00 AM	Peter & MaryLouise Carlucci	
	(Their Children)	
MONDAY	October 10, 2016	
8:00 AM	Alfred Marini Sr.	
	(His Son)	
TUESDAY	October 11, 2016	St. John XXIII
8:00AM	Colleen Failia	
	(Liz and Paul Gray)	
WEDNESDAY	October 12, 2016	
8:00 AM	Our Parish	
THURSDAY	October 13, 2016	
8:00 AM	Susan Biagini	
	(Her Family)	
FRIDAY	October 14, 2016	Saint Callistus
8:00 AM	No Mass	
SATURDAY	October 15, 2016	
4:00 PM	Rosanna Silvestro	
	(Vera Gardell)	
SUNDAY	October 16, 2016	
9:00 AM	Christopher Lemone	
	(Richard & Laurie Petrizzi)	
11:00 AM	Florinda Mabanta	
	(Joe and Erlinda Viola)	

"We are unprofitable servants; we have done what we were obliged to do." **Luke 17:10**



Last weekend we celebrated the Feast of Therese of Lisieux on Saturday, and then heard the Gospel quoted above on Sunday. Mother Teresa of Calcutta, our newest Saint, chose the name of "Teresa" because she was inspired by how Saint Therese did ordinary things with extraordinary love. Both of these women show us the little way of humbly letting ourselves be used by God in little things so as to achieve great things by means of God's love.

Saint Teresa of Calcutta explains it far better than I can: "Always be faithful in little things because our strength is to be found in them. Nothing is too small for God. He does not mean anything to diminish. All things are infinite for Him. Practice fidelity in the tiniest things, not for their own sake but because of that great thing we call the will of God... for which I myself have infinite respect.

Don't look for spectacular deeds. We should deliberately give up any desire to see the results of our work, only carry out what we are able to do as best we can, and leave the rest in God's hands. What matters is your gift of self, the amount of love you put into each of your actions.

Don't give in to discouragement when confronted with failure so long as you have done your best. Turn away from praise, too, when you succeed. Offer everything back to God with deepest gratitude. If you feel demoralized it is a sign of pride, showing you how much faith you place in your own strength. Don't worry any more about what other people think. Be humble and nothing will ever upset you. The Lord has bound me where I am; he is the one who will unbind me.



I know God will not give me anything I can't handle. I just wish He wouldn't trust me so much."

~ Saint Teresa of Calcutta

Love and Peace,
Fr. Liam Quinlan



Jerry Graf, Tom Burke, Phil Totilo, Al Romano, Dionne Creagh, Linda Santagata, Mary Brennan, Mary Somers, Dennis O'Reilly, Michael Pratt, Merima Dalupa, Gary Fanali, Anthony Ricci, Christa George, Bernadette Askin, Antoinette Lofreddo, John Leiva, Aaron Pettiford, Shawn Zaro, Nicholas Pensiero, Mary

Antonelli, Maddyn Ussery, David McMorris, Kieron Butler, Joan Mary Rasmussen, Sandy McMurray, Richard Bezerra, Rocky Sansone, Alexander Leite, the Brown Family, Richard Negyesi, Bea Cooke, Stephen Wilson, Pam Thomes, Nicole Sandford, Sharon Kluchnick, Tamike Anderson, Beatrice Deza, Tristan Evans, Doris & Walter Casey, Vicki Druehl, Kate Herman, Emily Gorin, Tatjana Vanjuck, Joe Meehan, Douglas Katz, Anthony Bartolo, and Kathryn Forcelli. Please call 203-322-7426 or email us at gabe914@optonline.net with the first and last name of the person to be prayed for along with your name & number.

Candle Memorials Week of October 8th

Vigil Lamp for Our Lady- Joan Izzi
Church Sanctuary Lamp—Intentions for Fr. Liam (Living) For His Birthday

By Marjorie Nodine

Mark Your Calendars...Saturday Oct.15

Come Pray to the Blessed Mother
"The Two Thousand Hail Marys"
St. Gabriel Chapel
8 AM to 4 PM
Any questions? Call Tessie Senerador 203-570-3109



Religious Education

There are NO Classes on 10/9.

Classes for Grades 1-8 resume on 10/16 as scheduled, 9:50-10:50 AM

and continue on 10/23, and 10/30.

(Confirmation Class—9th Grade—begins on November 6th)

If you have not already registered for Confirmation, forms are available on our website. Go to www.saintgabrielchurch.org click on Religious Education.

The religious education schedule is also available on our website.

Questions? Please contact our DRE, Maryanne Didelot at saintgabrielccd@gmail.com

or call 203-329-1978 or 203-329-2707.

Trinity Catholic Middle School will be holding an **Open House** on Monday, **October 17**, from 9:00 A.M. to 11:30 A.M. in our building at 948 Newfield Avenue. The school is located on the same campus as Trinity Catholic High School next to St. Gabriel Church. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet the Administration and Teachers, tour the facility, learn about the curriculum and have all of your questions answered. Parents and students interested in a challenging academic program in a faith based school are encouraged to attend.

Our Lady Star of the Sea School will be having an **Open House** on Monday **October 17th** 9AM—11AM

Questions? Contact Mary Margarone
admissions.olss@gmail.com



Saint Gabriel Offering

Weekly Goal: \$5,000
Weekly Envelope Offering: \$4,141
Weekly Online Giving \$ 740

Please consider On-line giving.
To register go to our parish website at
www.saintgabrielchurch.org or
<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1850>



STAMFORD ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Jesus: The Man, the Myth, the Messiah

will be a seven—week study of the Gospels as we examine the life & teachings of the Lord to encounter Him in His Word. The study, led by **Fr. Joseph Gill**, will take place at **Trinity Catholic H.S. every Thursday** in October & November from **6:30-8:30pm**.

Cost is free ~ bring a bible ~ and dinner is included.

For more information, please contact
Fr. Joseph at frjosephgill@gmail.com

Please place the “All Souls” (Nov. 2nd) envelope in any collection basket **during the month of October**. The envelopes will be placed on the altar for the month of November in loving memory of our beloved . Names of the deceased will also be displayed and remembered in prayer on our Bulletin Board in the Church Lobby.



The Priests and Seminarians of
St. John Fisher Seminary

cordially invite you to a
Candlelight Rosary Procession
Friday, October 14
7:00 PM
Parking Area of
St. John Fisher Seminary
894 Newfield Avenue,
Stamford
Rosary in English,
Spanish, and French

Dessert Reception Immediately Following
All are Welcome!

If you are planning to join us, please contact Judy:
(203) 322-5331 saintjohnfisherseminary@yahoo.com



Last spring St. Gabriel Church hosted a 6 week session of **Walking with Purpose**. Thanks to the efforts and leadership of Sharon Pratt we will be offering another session, this time 9 classes which will be held intermittently from October through February.

Walking with Purpose is a Catholic Bible study for women that aims to bring women to a deeper personal relationship with Christ. Classes will meet Wednesday nights, in the parish hall on **Oct. 26, Nov. 9, Nov. 16, Nov. 30, Jan. 4, Jan. 11, Jan. 18, Feb. 1, and Feb. 8 from 7-8:30PM in the Parish Hall.**

Registration forms can be found in the back of church or downloaded on the website www.saintgabrielchurch.org. Forms should be mailed or dropped off at the rectory. For questions or to RSVP, call or email Sharon Pratt, 917-841-2851, pratt2@optonline.net. To learn more about the program visit www.walkingwithpurpose.com.

The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.
(Ps 98)