

# SAINT GABRIEL

*Roman Catholic Church  
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Rectory Hours:

Monday~Friday 9AM~1:30 PM



**3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY** *in ordinary time*

*"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me  
to bring glad tidings to the poor." - Lk 4:18a*

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## MASS SCHEDULE

**WEEKENDS:** Saturday 4:00 P.M. Sunday 9:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

**WEEKDAYS:** Monday - Friday 8 A.M.

**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

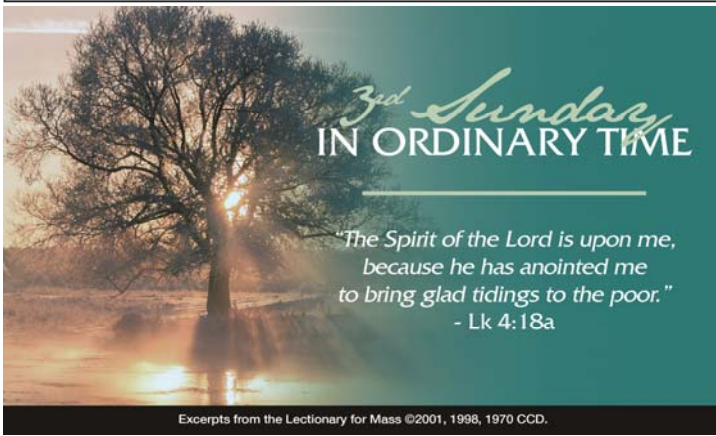
**HOLY ROSARY:** Sunday at 10:40 AM, before the 11A.M. Mass

## Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

## PASTORAL STAFF AND ORGANIZATIONS

Fr. Liam Quinlan	Pastor - <a href="mailto:FrQuinlan@diobpt.org">FrQuinlan@diobpt.org</a>	203-322-7426
Maryanne Didelot	Director of Religious Education <a href="mailto:saintgabrielccd@gmail.com">saintgabrielccd@gmail.com</a>	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
Patricia Brady	Head of School Catholic Academy of Stamford	203-329-7148



<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>January 26, 2019</b>
<b>4 PM</b>	<b>Nick DeVito</b> <b>(Carol &amp; Michael Lalli)</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>January 27, 2019</b>
<b>9 AM</b>	<b>Hortense Baffa</b> <b>(Rich &amp; Evelyn Boldrighini)</b>
<b>11 AM</b>	<b>Joan Cascio</b> <b>(Her Family)</b>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>January 28, 2019</b>
<b>8 AM</b>	<b>St. Thomas Aquinas</b> <b>Patricia Kennedy</b> <b>(Tom &amp; Betty Daley)</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>January 29, 2019</b>
<b>8 AM</b>	<b>Mary Swingle</b> <b>(John &amp; Audrey Murphy)</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>January 30, 2019</b>
<b>8 AM</b>	<b>Steven Manzino</b> <b>(Diane Handley)</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>January 31, 2019</b>
<b>8 AM</b>	<b>St. John Basco</b> <b>Our Parish</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>February 1, 2019</b>
<b>8 AM</b>	
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>February 2, 2019</b>
<b>8AM</b>	<b>First Saturday Mass</b>
<b>11AM</b>	<b>Diaconate Ordination</b>
<b>4 PM</b>	<b>Bridget McGuire</b> <b>(Michael &amp; Celia Beluk)</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>February 3, 2019</b>
<b>9 AM</b>	<b>Robert Hagerman</b> <b>(Tom &amp; Eileen Corrigan)</b>
<b>11 AM</b>	<b>Aisling Brady (LIVING)</b> <b>(Kathleen Whitehead)</b>

*We now have 8AM Mass  
on Friday  
with Fr. Olbrys !*

Dear Parishioners:

Last Sunday's Gospel, following on the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord and the Epiphany, is the conclusion of the Lord's revelation about His divinity and our Catholic Christian faith. "His disciples began to believe in Him." We as His disciples are called to that belief. We must ask ourselves if we have begun to believe.

Our beliefs are joined all together in the Creed we recite at Mass. We believe in God. Creator of everything, all-knowing, all-good, all-powerful, everywhere, and greater than everything. At the same time more intimate and more transcendent than we can understand. God. the Father Almighty.

We believe in Him. Scripture and tradition tells us that only a fool denies the existence of God, and also that only a fool would claim to understand God.

What did the disciples "begin to believe?" That the man who had turned water into wine is God. He, Jesus, controls the things of the world as only God can, because he is the Creator of heaven and earth, and thus their Creator too. He is He in whom we live and move and have our being [Acts 17:28].

The disciples understood that He is the Incarnation of the invisible God. They believed in what we celebrate at Christmas, the Incarnation. They believed that God had humbled himself to come among them as one like themselves to reveal the secret of God: the Trinity. They were given an insight into God's plan for the world and His beloved creatures made in His image. The Trinity: the one and only God is triune, one in three. The disciples began to believe this. We have begun to believe this, and we will live this sublime truth in full belief when we see this mystery with unveiled faces unveiled before our incarnated eyes.

What we must do is believe. We cannot understand the mystery of the Trinity, but we have been given the Church, the means to share in it. When we participate in the Sacrifice of the Mass, we hear our Lord Jesus Christ invite us to live in communion with Him, loving and serving the Father through Him, with Him, and in Him. That is the high point of the Eucharistic sacrifice. We affirm the Faith in words, which we have just professed together as we recited the Creed.

Let these thoughts animate our prayer as we pray in preparation for Mass, let them fill our hearts as we give thanks after having received the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Our Lord in Eucharist.

Love and Peace,  
Fr. Liam Quinlan



**Religious Education 2019**

All Classes (grades 1-8 and Confirmation)  
Classes continue  
January 27th through Feb10th.  
Questions? Maryanne Didelot  
at 203-329-2707 saintgabrielccd@gmail.com



**SAVE THE DATE  
UPCOMING  
ORDINATION**

Transitional Diaconate  
Mr. Michael James Vian Clark  
Saturday, February 2, 2019  
11:00 AM  
St. Gabriel Parish  
914 Newfield Avenue, Stamford  
Light reception to follow  
St. John Fisher Seminary  
894 Newfield Avenue, Stamford

**Saint Gabriel Church Religious Education  
Service Project**

Our 8th grade students are working on a simple service project - collecting the Soda Can Tabs, "POP-Tabs" (ring portion) from beverage and food cans.

Sister Rosemary in Uganda assists young mothers who are victims of abuse. The young women use the tabs to make beautiful stitch purses. The proceeds from the sale of 1 purse enable a mother to obtain a mattress for her child and 6 months of food and water.

These are easy to collect and save and its almost hard to believe the difference they can make in someone's life! Final collection will be January 27. Bring in a baggie full and leave in the container in the church lobby. Thank you!



Mary Somers, Michael Pratt, Phil Totilo, Nick Pensiero, Estelle Pierce, Tamika Anderson, Paul Katz, Ken Byxbee, Peter Forgione, Barbara Forgione, Sal Bonina, Conor Ehring, Mary Brundage, Matt Marshall, William Perkins and Richard Negyesi.

Please call 203-322-7426 or email gabe914@optonline.net if you would like to add a loved one to the prayer vine.

When you call or email please leave their first and last name and your first and last name and phone number. Thank you!

**Readers, EEM, and Servers' Schedule  
February 2019**

Reader	EEM	Altar Server
4PM	Kathleen Whitehead	Jason, Jenna, Jaden & Juliana Velez
Tom Daley	2/2	
2/2, 2/9	Maryanne Didelot	
Dan Chichester	2/9	
2/16, 2/23	Vera Gardell	
	2/16, 2/23	
9AM	Rosemary & Frank Barba	
Tom Coughlan	2/3, 2/10	Kevin Fleischer
2/3, 2/17		2/3, 2/10, 2/24
Carol Wasil		
2/10, 2/24		
11AM	Roland Capuno	Keira Rogers
Debbie Gibb	2/3, 2/24	Addison Wynot
2/3, 2/24	Mark Bishop	
Laura Croft	2/10, 2/17	
2/10		
Paul Moverley		
2/17		



Coffee and" ...hour after the 9AM Sunday Mass This weekend. Please join us!

**"Two Thousand Hail Marys"**

Saturday, February 2nd  
in the Chapel 6 AM to 3 PM  
Mass at 8AM in the Church  
Come Pray to the Blessed Mother.  
Stay for a few minutes, a couple of hours, or for the whole time  
Questions?  
Call Tessie Senerador 203-570-3109

**St. Gabriel Offering**

January 20, 2019

In Pew \$3,050  
On Line Giving \$854

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[www.osvonlinegiving.com/1850](http://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1850)