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"Go, make disciples..." ~Mt 28:19

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28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Go out, therefore, into the main roads and invite to the feast whomever you find." - Mt 22:9

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11TH, 2026

MASS & WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass

Saturday | 8:15 am in Chapel,
4:30 pm Vigil in Church

Sunday | 7 am, 8:30 am, 10:30
am, 5 pm Traditional Liturgy &
Chant | Church

Weekday Mass

Monday-Friday | 8:15 am | in
Chapel

**Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
Prior to Daily Mass @ 7:30 am |
Chapel*

Reconciliation

Tuesday | 6:30 - 7:30 pm |
Church | **Saturday** | 9 - 10:00
am & 3-4 pm | Church

Adoration

Continual Adoration begins
Sunday following the
10:30 Mass & ends Friday
at midnight.

First Friday

First Friday Devotion is 1st
Friday of every month
following Daily Mass in the
Chapel

First Saturday

First Saturday every month
@ 7:25 am | Chapel

Sunday Readings

First Reading:

The Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from every face.
(Is 25:8)

Psalm:

I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my
life. (Ps 23)

Second Reading:

I have learned the secret of being well fed and of going
hungry, of living in abundance and of being in need.
I can do all things in him who strengthens me. (Phil
4:12-13)

Gospel:

"Go out, therefore, into the main roads
and invite to the feast whomever you find." (Mt 22:9)

OBSERVANCES

Sunday:

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday:

*Columbus Day; Indigenous Peoples'
Day*

Wednesday:

St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr
Our Lady of the Rosary

Thursday:

St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor
of the Church

Friday:

St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret
Mary Alacoque, Virgin

Saturday:

St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and
Martyr

Next Sunday:

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

INFANT BAPTISM

Come to the Water...

If you are pregnant or have a new addition to the family, please contact
Diane Starkweather at stgbaptism@gmail.com or call the parish office for
more information and to register in the parish. Baptism class is required for
parents and offered monthly. Must be under 7 years old for Infant Baptism.
Holy Baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life, the "gateway to life in the Spirit"



Prayer Intentions

To submit a prayer intention request for a loved one,
please email our St. Gabriel Prayer Partners at:

stgabsprayers@gmail.com

Are you interested in becoming a prayer partner?

Contact MaryAnn McAward at:

maryannmcaaward@me.com for details.



FR. CHAD KING, PASTOR | FR. TIMOTHY DOGO, ASSOC. PASTOR
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Facts 4 Life

-St. Gabriel's Respecting Life Ministry

A study done by Reardon revealed that 24% of women felt coerced to have an abortion and another 43%

said their abortions were "accepted but inconsistent with their values and preferences."

Additionally, 60% said they would have "preferred to give birth if they had received either more emotional support or had more financial security."

(Charlotte Lozier Institute)



October 11, 2026

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Matthew 22:1-14

Some friends invited me to one of the most famous and expensive restaurants in the country. I was grateful and eager to go. One invited friend even flew from another state for the experience. Every bite and sip was truly memorable and delicious. But my friends' teenage children spent much of the time on their phones, complained about the food, and generally ignored the once-in-a-lifetime experience. I wanted to yell, "C'mon, you guys! Look what you're missing!"

In today's parable, Jesus describes people invited to an amazing wedding feast who respond with inexplicable indifference. He says, "**Some ignored the invitation and went away, one to his farm, another to his business**" (Matthew 22:5). The problem is not that they choose evil but that they allow other desires to distract them from an amazing opportunity. The feast is prepared, but their hearts are elsewhere. In Christ Jesus, God offers each of us a wildly extravagant offer: a place at the wedding banquet between heaven and earth.

What are your current excuses for the delay in engaging with Jesus? How are you postponing a deepening of your relationship with him under the guise of responsibility? The good news is that the feast is ready. His invitation remains. Hear the Lord say to us, "C'mon, guys! Look what you're missing!" Then respond with concrete action.

— Father John Muir

San Antonio January 1-5, 2027

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NEW PARISHIONERS, WELCOME!

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stgacc.org/staff

ST. GABRIEL THE ARCHANGEL



This Week in Our Parish

Monday, October 12th

Widow Warriors | 9:30am | Padre Pio
WINGS Mahjong Class | 2pm | Raphael Room
Middle School Youth Night | 6pm | Youth Center

Tuesday, October 13th

ACS Vibrant Vinnies | 3pm | Mary Mother of God Room
Relational Prayer w/Fr. Chad | 6pm | Archangel Classrooms
Knights of Columbus Officer Planning Meeting | 7pm | Mary, Mother of God Room

Wednesday, October 14th

WINGS Dance Party | 1pm | Parish Hall
Chant Choir Rehearsal | 5:30pm | Church
OCIC | 6pm | Upstairs Classrooms

Thursday, October 15th

Ladies Mahjong | 1pm | Tobias Room
WINGS General Meeting | 4:30pm | Social Hall
Women's AA | 5:15pm | Padre Pio Room
OCIA | 6pm | Ss. Gabriel & Michael Rooms

Friday, October 16th

Legion of Mary | 9:30am | Ss. Mary & Raphael Rooms
American Heritage Girls | 3pm | Social Hall
Benediction | 11:45pm | Chapel

Saturday, October 17th

That Man Is YOU! | 6:30am | St Michael Room
Men's Bible Study: Bible Timeline | 9am | Padre Pio Room
Baby Bottle Drive: Return Bottles After Masses
Feed My Starving Children | 9am | Mesa Packing Facility
Date Night! Temperaments | 6pm | Social Hall
Confessions | 9am-10:00am | Church
Confessions | 3pm-4:00pm | Church

Next Sunday, October 18th

Baby Bottle Drive: Return Bottles After Masses
Widow Warriors Handmade Rosaries for Sale | After 10:30am mass
OCIT Teen Sacrament Prep | 3:30pm | Padre Pio Room
High School Youth Night | 6pm | Youth Center

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, October 11th

7 am Parishioners
8:30 am †Riley Sterling by Barbara Sterling
10:30 am †Phyllis Pignuolo by Elle and Mary Meinz
5:00 pm Kathy and Larry Hansen by Kathleen Schmidt

Monday, October 12th

8:15am †Don Zeleznak by Dean and Sue Pierce

Tuesday, October 13th

8:15am †Charles Roop by Marty and Stephanie Roop

Wednesday, October 14th

8:15am Healing for Jennifer Cerar by Elizabeth Staats

Thursday, October 15th

8:15am Nelson Cunningham by The Cunningham Family

Friday, October 16th

8:15am †Ronald Dow by Mark and Diana Murphy

Saturday, October 17th

8:15am Fr. Timothy Dogo by Jan Tidmarsh
4:30pm †Brent Wasmer by Bob and Marlene Wasmer

Next Sunday, October 18th

7 am Parishioners
8:30 am †Marilyn Scott by Mark and Diana Murphy
10:30 am †Don Zeleznak by Dean and Sue Pierce
5:00 pm Fr. Timothy Dogo by Santos Family

We exist to bring every person into intimacy with Christ

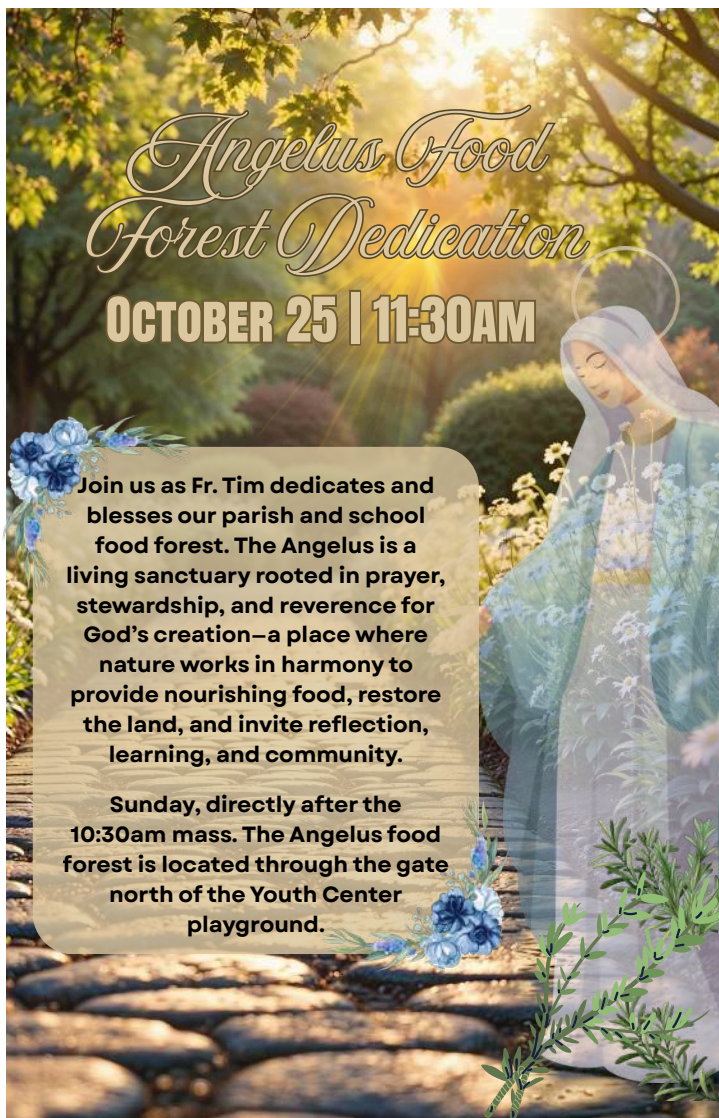
Come, Let Us Adore Him!

**We are in need
of late night
adorers! Can you
spend an hour
with the Lord?**



**MOST URGENT
NEED: 10PM,
11PM, MIDNIGHT,
1AM, & 2AM**





Angelus Food Forest Dedication

OCTOBER 25 | 11:30AM

Join us as Fr. Tim dedicates and blesses our parish and school food forest. The Angelus is a living sanctuary rooted in prayer, stewardship, and reverence for God's creation—a place where nature works in harmony to provide nourishing food, restore the land, and invite reflection, learning, and community.

Sunday, directly after the 10:30am mass. The Angelus food forest is located through the gate north of the Youth Center playground.

A SWEET DATE NIGHT

ENGAGED & MARRIED COUPLES

The Four Temperaments & Marriage

Saturday
OCTOBER 17th @ 6:PM
ST. GABRIEL PARISH HALL

in marriage, understanding our temperaments helps us support each other's journey toward holiness

WHAT IS A TEMPERAMENT? COME FIND OUT!

with Rose Sweet



Certified Catholic Life & Relationship Coach & Author of "My Type of Holiness: Striving for Sainthood with the Temperament God Gave You."

BITES. SIPS. CONNECTIONS. GIVEAWAYS.

CHOLERIC. MELANCHOLIC. PHLEGMATIC. SANGUINE.



RSVP



Aid to Women Center Baby Bottle Drive

Hosted by
 St. Gabriel the Archangel Church
 Respecting Life Ministry

October 10th and 11th

Aid to Women Center is an nonprofit women's health care center providing compassionate prenatal care, counseling, education, and material assistance to women and families. As the only pregnancy resource center in Arizona providing prenatal care, Aid to Women Center walks alongside women throughout pregnancy and beyond, giving them the support and resources they need to choose life for their babies.

Please take a baby bottle after Mass and fill it with check, cash or coins. Then return it at the weekend masses of October 17th and 18th.

For credit card donations, stop by the Aid to Women Center table after Mass or use this QR code to make a donation.




WINGS
 Women in Gabriel's Spirit



General Meeting

Thursday, October 15, 2026

5:30-8PM in the St. Gabriel Parish Hall
 All Women 18 + are Welcome!
 Bring a Dish to Share

JOIN US FOR OUR
**RELATIONAL
PRAYER**
Practicum

Join **Fr. Chad King** for Relational Prayer, a practicum-style course in prayer through the ancient practice of *Lectio Divina*: prayerful, attentive reading of Sacred Scripture.

DO YOU WANT TO
HEAR AND
RECOGNIZE THE
VOICE OF GOD?

RSVP



All are welcome, and the study is free!
October 13 - November 24 | Every Other
Tuesday | 6-7:45PM Upstairs Archangel
Classrooms

 **Knights of
Columbus®**
Heroes Among Us

Annual Appreciation Dinner to Honor Our
Military, Veterans, and First Responders
Presented by Our Lady of Joy Resurrection Assembly #3280

Date: Saturday, November 7th, 2026

Time: 6:00 PM

Location: Our Lady of Joy Parish Hall

Ticket Price: \$40 per person

Event Highlights:

Delicious Hors d'oeuvres and Dinner
Complimentary Wine, Beer, and Dessert
Exciting Live & Silent Auction
Honoree Awards

Inspiring keynote speaker:

Virginia Cervasio

As the founder of C.A.R.E.S. (Community Awareness in Recognizing and Educating on Suicide), Virginia has dedicated decades to veteran suicide awareness, education, and prevention. Her work earned national recognition from Reader's Digest and the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, along with honors from numerous veterans' organizations. Join us as Virginia shares her story, her experience, and her powerful message about recognizing the warning signs and helping veterans in crisis.

Proceeds Benefit:

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ST GABRIEL THE ARCHANGEL
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
BUS EVENT

ARIZONA
Rosary
CELEBRATION

**18 OCT
2026**

**NOON
PROMPT**

MEET AT
STATUE OF
MARY, IN
FRONT OF
CHURCH

Drop your **TOTALLY PRIVATE** prayer intentions in the boxes located around campus, and we will bring them downtown to be prayed over by thousands of faithful Catholics.

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Rosary Bus Ride

\$15



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**All
Souls'
Day**

Remembrance Mass
November 2 | 6:30pm

Beginning October 3,
it's time to add your
loved ones names to
the Book of
Remembrance in the
Narthex of the Church,
by the main doors.

Hands of Love Prayer Shawl Ministry

Knit. Crochet. Pray. Comfort others.

Join a prayerful ministry that creates handmade prayer shawls for those who are sick, grieving, or in need of comfort.

Experienced knitters and crocheters are welcome — and *beginners are welcome too!* We will teach you how to knit and crochet.

*Share your time,
talent, and prayer.*

Meetings

First Thursdays 6-8pm
Third Thursdays 1-3pm

We will teach how to knit and crochet.

Meetings are off campus at the Tatum Ranch Community Center, located on Tatum just off the NE corner of Cave Creek Road.

Questions?

Maryann Savino
sga.prayershawl@yahoo.com

"A prayer shawl
is a tangible way
to feel God's
presence."

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email sga.prayershawl@yahoo.com or call the parish office at 480-595-0883.



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DIFFERENCE**



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STARVING
CHILDREN**



OCT 17TH

9AM-11AM

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ADULTS & CHILDREN 5+ INVITED TO ATTEND

FOR INFO OR ASSISTANCE CONTACT KAREN @ 480-227-0046 OR AZLORDS@GMAIL.COM

WOMEN IN GABRIEL'S SPIRIT

Bake Sale

**COMING
SOON**



OCT 24 & 25



AFTER MASS

CASH OR CARD ACCEPTED



**Knights of
Columbus**

<https://stgacc.org/>
knights-of-columbus.org

This year is a Franciscan
Jubilee Year, and last
Sunday we celebrated the
feast of St Francis of Assisi.

His story is worthy of study. Born into wealth, Francis ultimately gave it up to embrace a life of poverty and service to God. When Christ called him to "rebuild my Church," Francis began in the most literal and humble way possible: repairing a church that had fallen into disrepair. He began the work himself, stone by stone. Others saw his faith, humility, and example and soon joined him. From those small beginnings grew the Franciscan family, which today spans the globe.

In some ways, the beginnings of the Knights of Columbus under Blessed Michael McGivney followed a similar pattern. Father McGivney saw the needs of the Catholic men and families around him and chose to do something about them. He gathered a small group of men united by faith, fraternity, charity, and concern for one another. From that modest beginning grew a brotherhood that would eventually reach around the world.

Neither Francis nor Father McGivney began with a worldwide movement. They began by answering a need directly in front of them. They took the first step, and others followed.

What is the small step that you are ready to take?

The Rosary and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy are prayed every weekday in the chapel at 7:30 AM. Mass follows at 8:15 AM. If time permits, it is a great way to start your day.

ANNUNCIATION

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ANNUNCIATION

ST. GABRIEL

TRUNK OR TREAT

GO ANGELS!

OCTOBER 23RD

SET-UP BEGINS AT **4:30** | TRUNK-OR-TREATING BEGINS AT **5:30**

RESERVATIONS NOW OPEN!

The poster features a vibrant autumn theme with orange and yellow leaves. At the top, two school logos are displayed: Annunciation (a shield with a cross, 'M', and 'A') and St. Gabriel (a shield with a cross, 'M', and 'G'). Below the logos, the event title 'TRUNK OR TREAT' is written in large, bold, white letters with a blue outline, with a pumpkin replacing the 'O' in 'OR'. The background shows two cars with their trunks open, decorated with pumpkins, baskets of candy, and bunting. In the foreground, five children in costumes (cowboy, princess, firefighter, bee, and pirate) are holding pumpkin-shaped candy buckets. At the bottom, a wooden sign displays the date 'OCTOBER 23RD' and the times for setup and the event. A QR code is located in the bottom right corner.

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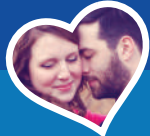
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