

ST. GABRIEL'S SAN GABRIEL
EPISCOPAL CHURCH



THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
OCTOBER 30, 2022

WELCOME TO ST. GABRIEL'S~SAN GABRIEL EPISCOPAL CHURCH!

We are glad that you have joined us as we encounter God in our worship together. If today is your first visit, we want you to know that St. Gabriel's is a welcoming and authentically inclusive faith community, which means that you are welcome just as you are—wholly made in the image of God. Whoever you are, and wherever you are in your spiritual journey, you are welcome here! We'd like to get to know you, so please share your contact info by filling out a blue information card, they are on the info table at the entrance. You can place it in the collection plate, send an email to the office, or text the clergy for coffee or tea!

Faith formation is important for the spiritual development of us all. Special attention is given to our children, it's the Jesus way! A Children's Story is provided at the beginning of the service and child care is provided for children up to kindergarten age and Sunday school will resume this Fall. The children return from child care and Sunday school before the Peace. Because Eucharist is essential to our faith journey please bring your children for Communion!

Coffee hour is like a second communion at St. Gabriel's, it builds community! We invite you to bring a treat if you can and regardless, visit with one another for awhile after service! While our in-person services and gatherings are mask-optional, you will not feel uncomfortable wearing one at St. Gabriel's because we recognize that there are people who have diverse reasons for taking every necessary health precaution possible. God bless you and thank you for being part of our faith community!

MINISTERS FOR TODAY'S SERVICE

At St. Gabriel's~San Gabriel the ministers for worship include the congregation, the clergy, and the staff. If you'd like to volunteer for one of the following roles, let one of the clergy or seminarian know. It is preferred that liturgical volunteers arrive at least ten minutes prior to the service

ACOLYTE

LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER

LECTOR: 1ST READING/PSALM

LECTOR: 2ND READING

USHERS/GREETERS

TELLERS (Vestry Member + Volunteer)

The Rev. Philene Ware Dunn
Celebrant

The Vnbl. Holly Hanback
Deacon

Mrs. Dana M. Jean
Seminarian

Mr. Peter Schweitzer
Director of Music

THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

— HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II —

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

BEFORE THY THRONE, O GOD, WE KNEEL

The musical score consists of four staves of music in common time, featuring a treble clef and a bass clef. The music is set to a simple harmonic progression with chords primarily on the tonic and dominant notes. The lyrics are integrated into the musical lines, with each line of text corresponding to a specific musical phrase or measure.

1 Be - fore thy throne, O God, we kneel: give us a con - science
2 Search out our hearts and make us true; help us to give to
3 For sins of heed - less word and deed, for pride am - bi - tious
4 Let the fierce fires which burn and try, our in - most spi - ritus

quick to feel, a rea - dy mind to un - der - stand the
all their due. From love of plea - sure, lust of gold, from
to suc - ceed, for craft - y trade and sub - tle snare to
pu - ri - fy: con - sume the ill; purge out the shame; O

mean - ing of thy chas - tening hand; what - e'er the pain and
sins which make the heart grow cold, wean us and train us
catch the sim - ple un - a - ware, for lives be - reft of
God, be with us in the flame; a new - born peo - ple

shame may be, bring us, O Fa - ther, near - er thee.
with thy rod; teach us to know our faults, O God.
pur - pose high, for - give, for - give, O Lord, we cry.
may we rise, more pure, more true, more no - bly wise.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Celebrant Blessed be God: ☩ Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God, to you all hearts are open,
all desires known and from you no secrets are hid:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration
of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy Name: through Christ our Lord.

People **Amen.**

HYMN OF PRAISE

MIGHTY IS OUR GOD

Chorus

Might-y is our God,____ might-y is our King;____
Glo-ry to our God,____ glo-ry to our King;____

Might-y is our Lord,____ Rul-er of ev - 'ry - thing.
Glo-ry to our Lord,____ Rul-er of ev - 'ry - thing.

Verse

His name is high - er,____ high-er than an - y oth -
- er name; His pow'r is great - er,____ for

He has cre - at - ed ev - 'ry - thing.

to Chorus

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

People Almighty and merciful God,
it is only by your gift that your faithful people offer you
true and laudable service: Grant that we may run without
stumbling to obtain your heavenly promises;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns
with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

KNOW THE STORY, HEAR THE STORY

*Children are invited for a Biblical message
related to the lessons of the day.*

*Children up to Pre-K age can join
Ms. Mildred and Ms. Nellie
in the nursery after the story;
they will return for the Peace
and Eucharist.*



THE READINGS

THE FIRST LESSON

ISAIAH 1:10-18

Lector A reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah.

Hear the word of the Lord, you rulers of Sodom! Listen to the teaching of our God, you people of Gomorrah!

What to me is the multitude of your sacrifices? says the Lord; I have had enough of burnt offerings of rams and the fat of fed beasts; I do not delight in the blood of bulls, or of lambs, or of goats. When you come to appear before me, who asked this from your hand? Trample my courts no more; bringing offerings is futile; incense is an abomination to me. New moon and sabbath and calling of convocation--I cannot endure solemn assemblies with iniquity. Your new moons and your appointed festivals my soul hates; they have become a burden to me, I am weary of bearing them. When you stretch out your hands, I will hide my eyes from you; even though you make many prayers, I will not listen; your hands are full of blood.

Wash yourselves; make yourselves clean; remove the evil of your doings from before my eyes; cease to do evil, learn to do good; seek justice, rescue the oppressed, defend the orphan, plead for the widow. Come now, let us argue it out, says the Lord: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be like snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

THE RESPONSE

PSALM 32:1-8

Read responsively by the whole verse

- 1 Happy are they whose transgressions are forgiven, *
and whose sin is put away!
- 2 Happy are they to whom the Lord imputes no guilt, *
and in whose spirit there is no guile!
- 3 While I held my tongue, my bones withered away, *
because of my groaning all day long.
- 4 For your hand was heavy upon me day and night;
my moisture was dried up as in the heat of summer.

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- 5 Then I acknowledged my sin to you,*
and did not conceal my guilt.
- 6 **I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord." ***
Then you forgave me the guilt of my sin.
- 7 Therefore all the faithful will make their prayers to you in time of trouble;*
when the great waters overflow, they shall not reach them.
- 8 **You are my hiding-place; you preserve me from trouble; ***
you surround me with shouts of deliverance.

THE SECOND LESSON

2 THESSALONIANS 1:1-4, 11-12

Lector A reading from the second letter of St. Paul to the Thessalonians.

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God
our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

We must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, and the love of everyone of you for one another is increasing. Therefore we ourselves boast of you among the churches of God for your steadfastness and faith during all your persecutions and the afflictions that you are enduring.

To this end we always pray for you, asking that our God will make you worthy of his call and will fulfill by his power every good resolve and work of faith, so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you, and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand if you are comfortable doing so for the hymn and the reading of the Gospel

SEQUENCE HYMN

O MASTER, LET ME WALK WITH THEE

1 O Mas - ter, let me walk with thee in low - ly
 2 Help me the slow of heart to move by some clear,
 3 Teach me thy pa - tience; still with thee in clos - er,
 4 in hope that sends a shin - ing ray far down the

paths of ser - vice free; tell me thy se - cret;
 win - ning word of love; teach me the way - ward
 dear - er com - pa - ny, in work that keeps faith
 fu - ture's broad - ening way, in peace that on - ly

help me bear the strain of toil, the fret of care.
 feet to stay, and guide them in the home - ward way.
 sweet and strong, in trust that tri - umphs o - ver wrong,
 thou canst give, with thee, O Mas - ter, let me live.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus entered Jericho and was passing through it. A man was there named Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was rich. He was trying to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was short in stature. So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to see him, because he was going to pass that way. When Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down; for I must stay at your house today."

So he hurried down and was happy to welcome him. All who saw it began to grumble and said, "He has gone to be the guest of one who is a sinner."

Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Look, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor; and if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I will pay back four times as much."

Then Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because he too is a son of Abraham. For the Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost."



Jesús entró en Jericó y comenzó a atravesar la ciudad. Vivía allí un hombre rico llamado Zaqueo, jefe de los que cobraban impuestos para Roma. Éste quería conocer a Jesús, pero no conseguía verlo porque había mucha gente y Zaqueo era pequeño de estatura. Por eso corrió adelante y, para alcanzar a verlo, se subió a un árbol cerca de donde Jesús tenía que pasar. Cuando Jesús pasaba por allí, miró hacia arriba y le dijo: —Zaqueo, baja en seguida, porque hoy tengo que quedarme en tu casa.

Zaqueo bajó aprisa, y con gusto recibió a Jesús. Al ver esto, todos comenzaron a criticar a Jesús, diciendo que había ido a quedarse en la casa de un pecador.

Zaqueo se levantó entonces y le dijo al Señor: —Mira, Señor, voy a dar a los pobres la mitad de todo lo que tengo; y si le he robado algo a alguien, le devolveré cuatro veces más.

Jesús le dijo: —Hoy ha llegado la salvación a esta casa, porque este hombre también es descendiente de Abraham. Pues el Hijo del hombre ha venido a buscar y salvar lo que se había perdido.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON

The Rev. Philene Ware Dunn

THE NICENE CREED

People We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit

he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
Who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified.
Who has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

People of every age are invited to choose one of the prayers and read it aloud

- Lector* Father, we pray for your holy catholic church; we pray that every member of the Church serve you and our neighbors with love and humility;
- People* **That we may all glorify your Holy Name with one voice.**
- Lector* We pray for all bishops, priests, deacons, and persons in formation;
- People* **That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**
- Lector* We pray for our country and those who govern here and in the world. We also pray for those who for centuries have suffered from prejudice, racism, and discrimination. We pray for the unjust treatment of the planet and for all people affected by all natural disasters;
- People* **May God's creation be healed and reconciled.**
- Lector* We pray for greater love in the world and to remember Bishop Curry's words, "if it's not about love, it's not about God";
- People* **That we may always welcome the unconditional gifts of God.**
- Lector* We pray for the victims of war in Ukraine and Russia, for the victims of the ongoing gun violence in our country, and for all women who are denied agency over their bodies;
- People* **That they may be delivered from their grief and their distress.**
- Lector* We thank you for the mission of the Borderland Ministries and for St. Gabriel's partnership with the Diocese of the Rio Grande. We also ask your guidance as we seek a place of worship and mission gathered together under one roof as the body of Christ;
- People* **Fill us with hope and energy to continue loving and serving you and our neighbors as ourselves.**
- Lector* We remember your saints who have entered into glory, especially Socorro (Vélez) Rivera Morales;
- People* **May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**
- Celebrant* Let us pray for our own needs, and for the needs of others.

Please pray for those on our Prayer List on pages 22-23. You may offer your prayers of intercession and petition either aloud or in the silence of your heart.

People **Hear our prayers, Holy God. Breathe your Spirit over us and all the earth, that barriers would crumble, and divisions cease. Make us more fully your co-healers of this broken world. Unite us with all people in bonds of love, that the whole earth and all its peoples may be at peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

CONFESSON OF SIN

Take a moment and talk to God in the spirit of confession before we pray together

Deacon Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
People **Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

THE ABSOLUTION

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, * forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.
People **Amen.**

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

This Holy Eucharist is dedicated to the memory of Socorro Rivera Morales, Fr. Daniel's mother, who passed away last Sunday.

COMMUNION HYMN

QUIERO ESTAR, SEÑOR, EN TU PRESENCIA

Estrofas 1, 2

1. Quiere - es - tar, Se - ñor, en tu pre - sen -
y lle - var - te hoy mis ma - nos lle -
2. Con el pan, Se - ñor, lle - vo mi vi -
a tual - tar, Se - ñor, lle - vo mi es - pi -

1. cia.
nas Quie - ro es - tar, Se - ñor,
y en - tre - gar - te hoy
2. da,
ga, con el cá - liz van,
a tual - tar dea - mor

1. jun - to a tu me - sa || 2.
to - do mi a - mor.
2. van mis he - ri - das;
mi co - ra - zón.

Estríbilo

Tó - ma - lo yá - cép - ta - lo, Se - ñor,
Tó - ma - lo, trans - fór - ma - lo, Se - ñor,
es mi co - se cha.
en en - -

1 pu - rao - fren - da.

2 a las Estrofas
(Fin)

Estrofa 3

3. Quie-ro es - tar, Se - ñor, jun-to a tu
Quie-ro es - tar, Se - ñor, en tu pre -

3. me - sen - sa - cia y_en - tre - gar mi

1 3. vi - da en - te - ra. || 2 co - ra - zón. al Estandarte

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PRESENTATION HYMN

THESE ALONE ARE ENOUGH

1. Take my heart, O Lord, take my hopes and
 2. Take my thoughts, O Lord, and my mem - o -
 3. I sur - ren - der, Lord, all I have and
 4. When the dark - ness falls on my fi - nal

1. dreams. Take my mind with all its plans and
 2. ry. Take my tears, my joys, my lib - er -
 3. hold. I re - turn to you your gifts un -
 4. days, take the ver - y breath that sang your

1. schemes.
 2. ty.
 3. told.
 4. praise.

Give me noth - ing more than your love and

1-4. grace. These a-lone, O God, are e-nough for me.

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EUCARISTIC PRAYER B

Celebrant All things come of thee, Oh Lord,
People **and of thine own have we given thee.**

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Because you gave Jesus Christ, your only Son, to be born for us; who, by the mighty power of the Holy Spirit, was made perfect Man of the flesh of the Virgin Mary his mother; so that we might be delivered from the bondage of sin, and receive power to become your children. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

The musical score consists of four staves of music in G major, common time, with a key signature of one sharp. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a 4/4 time signature. The lyrics for this staff are: "Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and". The second staff begins with a treble clef and a 2/4 time signature. The lyrics for this staff are: "earth are full, are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na! Ho -". The third staff begins with a treble clef and a 2/4 time signature. The lyrics for this staff are: "san - na! Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is". The fourth staff begins with a treble clef and a 2/4 time signature. The lyrics for this staff are: "he who comes, who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -". A bracket above the third and fourth staves is labeled "(Fine)".

Then the Celebrant continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Celebrant Therefore, according to his command, O Father,
People **We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection,**
 We await his coming in glory;

The Celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Gabriel, St. James, and all of your angels and saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

Celebrant By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit
all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.
People **AMEN.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, let us pray,

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

Padre nuestro que estás en el cielo,
santificado sea tu Nombre,
venga a nosotros tu reino,
hágase tu voluntad,
en la tierra como en el cielo.
Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día;
perdona nuestras ofensas,
como también nosotros perdonamos
a los que nos ofenden.
No nos dejes caer en tentación
y líbranos del mal.
Porque tuyo es el reino,
tuyo es el poder, y tuya es la gloria,
ahora y por siempre. Amén.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

THE FRACTION ANTHEM

BREAD OF LIFE, HOPE OF THE WORLD

Refrain

Bread of life, hope of the world, Je-sus Christ, our broth - er:

feed us now, give us life, lead us to one an - oth - er.

to Refrain

1. As we pro-claim your death, as we re - call your life, we re -
2. The bread we break and share was scat - tered once as grain: just as
3. We eat this liv - ing bread, we drink this sav-ing cup: sign of
4. Hold us in u - ni - ty, in love for all to see; that the
5. You are the bread of peace, you are the wine of joy, bro-ken

to Refrain

1. mem - ber your prom - ise to re - turn a - gain.
2. now it is gath - ered, make your peo - ple one.
3. hope in our bro-ken world, source of last - ing love.
4. world may be - lieve in you, God of all who live.
5. now for your peo - ple, poured in end - less love.

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INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you,
and feed on him in your hearts, by faith with thanksgiving.

WELCOME TO THE TABLE OF THE LORD *Where all are welcome!*

The Church affirms the real presence of Christ in the bread and wine. Believers of all denominations are invited to receive the Sacrament. To receive the bread extend your hands forward. We are not sharing a common cup at this time, so the celebrant will instinct (dip) the bread into the wine before giving it to you. If you do not wish to receive Communion today but would like a blessing, come forward during Communion, cross your arms over your chest, and you will be given a blessing in the name of God. Gluten-free wafers are available.

COMMUNION HYMN

DRAW THE CIRCLE WIDE

Refrain

Draw the cir - cle wide, draw it wid - er still,

let this be our song: no one stands a - lone stand-ing side by side.

Verses

Draw the cir - cle wide.

- 1 God the still point
- 2 Let our hearts touch
- 3 Let the dream we

of the cir - cle round whom all cre - a - tion turns
far ho - ri - zons, so en - com - pass great and small;
dreamed be lar - ger than we ev - er dreamed be - fore;

no-thing lost, but held for-ev - er in God's gra - cious arms. [ref]
Let our lov - ing know no bor - ders, faith - ful to God's call. [ref]
Let the dream of Christ be in us, o - pen ev - ery door. [ref]

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COMMUNION HYMN

JOY OF MY DESIRE

Joy of my de - sire, all consum - ing fire,

Lord of glo - ry, Rose of Sha - ron, rare and sweet

You are now my peace, comfort-er and friend.

Won - der-ful, so beau - ti-ful You are to me.

I wor - ship You in spir - it and in truth.

I wor - ship You in spir - it and in truth. Therewill

nev - er be a friend as dear to me as You.

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PRAYER OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION HONORING VIRTUAL PARTICIPANTS

Celebrant Let us Pray.

People In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of the Church where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, we offer to you praise and thanksgiving for those who cannot partake in the physical Communion of your Body and Blood. Together with them, we remember your death, proclaim your resurrection; and await your coming in glory.

And since they cannot physically receive you today in the Holy Sacrament, we beseech you to come spiritually into their hearts. Cleanse and strengthen them with your grace, Lord Jesus, and may they never be separated from you. May we all live in you, and you in us, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Please stand if you are able

Celebrant Let us Pray.

People God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior.

Amen.

THE BLESSING

Celebrant May God give you the grace never to sell yourself short, grace to do something big for something good, grace to remember that the world is too dangerous now for anything but truth, and too small for anything but love. And the blessing of God Almighty: Father, ✠ Son, and Holy Spirit, be with you now and forever more.

People Amen.

RECESSATIONAL HYMN

A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD

The musical notation consists of two staves of music. The top staff uses a treble clef and the bottom staff uses a bass clef. The lyrics are integrated into the music, appearing below the notes. The lyrics are:

1 A might - y for - tress is our God, a bul - wark nev - er
2 Did we in our own strength con - fide, our striv - ing would be
3 And though this world, with dev - ils filled, should threat - en to un -
4 That word a - bove all earth - ly powers, no thanks to them, a -

fail - ing; our help - er he a - mid the flood
los - ing; were not the right man on our side,
do us; we will not fear, for God hath
bid eth; the Spi - rit and the gifts are willed ours

of mor-tal ills pre-vail-ing: for still our an-cient
 the man of God's own choos-ing: dost ask who that may
 his truth to tri-umph through us; the prince of dark-ness
 through him who with us sid-eth: let goods and kin-dred
 foe be?
 grim,
 go,

doth seek to work us woe; his craft and power are great,
 Christ Je-sus, it is he; Lord Sa-ba-oth his Name,
 we trem-ble not for him; his rage we can en-dure,
 this mor-tal life al-so; the bo-dy they may kill:

and, armed with cru-el hate, on earth is not his e-qual.
 from age to age the same, and he must win the bat-tle.
 for lo! his doom is sure, one lit-tle word shall fell him.
 God's truth a-bid-eth still, his king-dom is for ev-er.

THE DISMISSAL

Deacon Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
People Thanks be to God.

PRAYER LIST

Please remember in your prayers...

THE CHURCH

We pray for the Most Rev. Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury; Presiding Bishop Michael Curry; The Bishops of the Diocese of Virginia; +Susan Goff and +Jennifer Brooke-Davidson, for Bishop-elect Mark Stevenson; for our clergy: Fr. Daniel+ and Deacon Holly; for our seminarian, Dana; and for our presider today, Rev. Philene.

In our parish, we pray for Mike, Sarah, Riley, Taylor, Ethan, and Preston Newland.

In our Diocese, we pray for St. Aidan's, Alexandria; St. Mary's, Fleeton

In the Anglican Communion, we pray for the Iglesia Anglicana de Chile.

ST. GABRIEL'S COMMUNITY

All members of Saint Gabriel's ~ San Gabriel, St. Gabriel's @ Ashby Ponds, Saint James', and the students and staff of the Belmont Ridge Middle School.

St. Gabriel's Lay Leaders & Staff David (Dj) Gunning, Susan McGlohn, Abi Hernández Cruz, and Eva María Torres.

St. Gabriel's Music Ministers Peter Schweitzer, Carmelo Saavedra, and members of our church choirs.

St. Gabriel's Sunday School Teachers, Child Care Providers & Helpers
A special thanks to our teachers for inspiring our children with creative and heartfelt Christian formation lessons.

All volunteers of St. Gabriel's Social Justice Ministries

For the multigenerational community education ministry volunteers, for the Prayer Shawl and Prayer Square ministry participants, for the ESL volunteers, for the spiritual companions of the Alliance of Women with Love participants; and for the Educando con Amor volunteers.

St. Gabriel's Vestry Rob Buchanan (*Senior Warden/2024*), Carla Rhoads (*Junior Warden/2024*), Steve Rice (*Treasurer/2023*), Dj Gunning (*Clerk*), Karen Ballesteros (2023), Paula Callaghan Morató (2024), César Frías (2024), José Mejía (2024), Isamar Ortega (2025), Sue Schweitzer (2023), Eileen Shaffer (2025), and Eva María Torres Herrera (2024).

We pray for the New Vision Task Force charged by the congregation to explore options for St. Gabriel's to move under one roof: Janet Taliaferro & Parker Gallagher (co-chairs), Peter Schweitzer, Jennifer Smith, John Jacobs, Octavio Somuano, Bruce LeLacheur, Chuck Mitchell, Carla Rhoads, and Rob Buchanan.

We pray for the healing, wholeness, comfort, guidance, and safe travel of the following people in our faith community: Fr. Daniel, Máximo, and Andrew Vélez; Theresa Shields; Marian Gordin and Molly Mitchell; Colwin Bocasan; Hermelinda Araki; Margaret Schweitzer; Martha Meléndez; Deacon Ema Rosero-Nordalm; Victoria Delgado; Nina Frymoyer; The Abernethy family; Dainise Patterson; Aura Mojica; Lorena Thompson; María Flores; Laura Argueta vda. de López; George Dyson; Anthony Holley; Rob Buchanan; Sheri Muilenburg; Katherine Clayton; Tony and Lesina Visgaitis and family; Mario Roberto Mejía Arias; Juanita Gardner; Michael and Laura Smith & family; Worrall family; Cindy LoSasso; Rob Schwartzman; John Shook; Kelly Wilkinson and family; Rigoberto Somuano and Concepción Rojas; Griselda Frías; Phyllis Simpson; Shelly Rodriguez; Janice Queen; Peter Schweitzer and family; Gonzalo Mendoza; Myrta Mercado; Jack Cusack; Ethan Newland and family; Ruth Brown; Jack and Betty Barden; Gideon Darden.

We pray for our college students: Grace Shaffer; Aidan Baron, Lindsey Thompson; Isabella Ballesteros, Samara Umanzor Ortega, Brad Mejía, Zane Knowlton, McKayla Shaffer, Preston Newland, Jacob Denzin, Avera Worrall, Abi Hernandez-Cruz, Annie Cusack, Michelle Balderrama Burgoa, Danny Costanza, Conor Rice, Eddie Queen, Nina Costanza, Leslie Lewis, Marie Victoria Frías Pomárez, Elinore McLain, Samantha Smith, and Kyra Baron.

We pray for our parishioners serving in the Armed Forces: Jamaal A. Boyd (U.S. Army), Joseph Castillejos (U.S. Army), and Karyna Beatriz Saavedra (U.S. Marines).

THE WORLD

Our prayers for President Biden, Vice President Harris, members of the United States Congress, Governor Youngkin, Mayor Burke, and the Loudoun County Board of Supervisors, and for elected officials throughout the world. For the victims of hunger, human trafficking, substance abuse, and natural disasters in the United States and around the world.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU TO REV. PHILENE for celebrating the Eucharist with us this morning while Fr. Daniel is with his family, celebrating the life of his mother. Please keep the Vélez family in your prayers.

DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS

Join us to celebrate el Día de los Muertos (All Souls' Day) this **Wednesday, November 2nd at 7pm** in the parking lot at St. James'. (*In case of inclement weather, we will move the service inside the Parish Hall*) Email the names and photos of those you'd like remembered to info@saintgabriels.net or better yet, join us for this prayerful & solemn occasion to celebrate your loved ones, bring your offerings and photos!

DOLL-MAKING EVENT FOR REFUGEE & IMMIGRANT CHILDREN

Help make dolls out of socks or knitted dolls for children living in shelters at the border with Melanie and Sheri. This event is part of St. Gabriel's partnership with the Borderland Ministries of the Diocese of the Rio Grande. The next event is **Thursday November 10th at 6:30pm**, in the Janney Parlor at St. James'.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS | ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

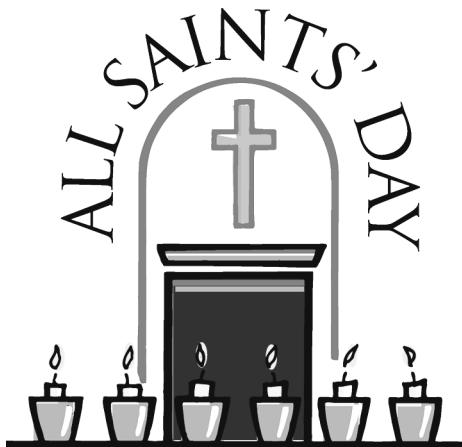
Daniel 7:1-3,15-18; Psalm 149; Ephesians 1:11-23; Luke 6:20-31

PRAYER FOR THE NEW VISION TASK FORCE

charged by our parishioners to explore options for us to move together under one roof

Blessed Lord we ask that you guide the New Vision Task Force members and our faith community as we discern and seek a center for mission and ministry; a place where we can worship you and from where we can do the ministries that Christ commanded on behalf of the community around us and the world. May we hear the Spirit of God on our journey. Amen

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In observation of All Saints' Day,

St. Gabriel's will remember those who have passed away at our Día de los Muertos prayer service on **Wednesday, November 2nd**, and at the All Saints' Sunday services on **Sunday, November 6th**.

If you would like a loved one's name remembered in prayer, please email the office at info@saintgabriels.net with the information below.

The list will also appear in the bulletin on All Saints' Sunday.

NAMES MUST BE SUBMITTED BY TOMORROW!

Remembered by: _____

(your name)

In memory of:

BLESSINGS FROM ST. GABRIEL'S~SAN GABRIEL EPISCOPAL CHURCH

St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church started public worship in the Fall of 2002 to share the good news of Jesus Christ with the growing communities of Leesburg, Lansdowne, and Ashburn in Loudoun County, Virginia. Our mission is to "Encounter God, Build Meaningful Relationships, and Make a Difference in the World" through inspiring worship, faith-building discipleship, warm fellowship, heartfelt pastoral care, active evangelism, outreach, and service. We live into our mission statement through word and deed, with God's help!

St. Gabriel's is a welcoming, hospitable, and inclusive faith community, open to people at any stage in their faith journey with Christ. We value human diversity and seek to be a church that reflects the breadth of those who live in our community. We have life-long Christians as well as spiritual seekers and we welcome you just as God made you, , without conditions or barriers. In our worship services you can dress up or dress down, God doesn't care what you wear, nor do we! We extend an invitation to get to know you so that you can develop your faith and we hope that you will invite others to share the spiritual gifts that you find here!

St. Gabriel's is the first bilingual (English-Spanish), multicultural and multiethnic Episcopal congregation in Loudoun County. Worship takes place in four locations and in two languages: the English-language services are at the Belmont Ridge Middle School each Sunday and at Ashby Ponds on the third Tuesday of every month. The Spanish-language service is at Saint James' in Leesburg, and in warm months we worship one Saturday a month at the Chapel in the Woods. We invite you to help us continue building the kingdom of God in this corner of Leesburg through prayer, love, commitment to God and community, joyful worship, and Christian service. Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, know that this is a loving community. Blessings and peace!

WORSHIP

10:00 am Sunday Mass in English

*Belmont Ridge Middle School
19045 Upper Belmont Place, Leesburg*

3:00 pm Misa Dominical en español

*San Gabriel en St. James'
14 Cornwall Street NW, Leesburg*

St. Gabriel's @ Ashby Ponds Chapel

*Third Tuesday of the month at 10:00 am
21170 Ashby Ponds Blvd. Ashburn, VA 20147*

The Chapel in the Woods

*Open any time you wish to pray
Corner of Battlefield Pkwy/Ft. Evans Rd.*

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