



“And the sheep hear his voice, as the shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them out.”

John 10:3

Acts 2:14a, 36-41

1 Peter 2:20b-25

John 10:1-10

The first reading tells how Peter, under the influence of the Holy Spirit, boldly proclaims the Risen Christ and calls those present to repentance and Baptism. In the second reading, Peter exhorts the early Christians to imitate Christ by being patient in the face of suffering. The Gospel reminds us that we are to follow Christ, as he is the gate to eternal life.



Please Include in Your Prayers

Audrey Carty, Josephine Davis, Karen Slowe, Nancy Armstrong, Paul Herbick, Gary Murray, Jerl Galford, Bob Thomas, and all other members of our parish who are sick or shut-ins.



Please Remember
OUR DECEASED FAMILY
AND FRIENDS

May 15, 2011

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Readings for the Week

Mon	05/16	Acts 11:1-18 John 10:11-18
Tues	05/17	Acts 11:19-26 John 10:22-30
Wed	05/18	Acts 12:24—13:5a John 12:44-50 St John I
Thurs	05/19	Acts 13:13-25 John 13:16-20
Fri	05/20	Acts 13:26-33 John 14:1-6 St Bernadine of Siena
Sat	05/21	Acts 13:44-52 John 14:7-14 St Christopher Magallanes

NEXT SUNDAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

Acts 13:44-52
John 14:7-14
1 Peter 2:20b-25

Setbacks may show us new doors God is opening for us.

Setbacks can really be blessings, as we see in today's first reading. Paul and Barnabas met opposition, but were not discouraged. They joyfully moved on to another area to preach the Gospel. Let us try to follow their example of not becoming stuck when we meet a roadblock, but looking for new doors God may be opening for us.



This Week's Mass Intentions

9AM	May 16	Communion Service
9AM	May 17	Austin Antoine
9AM	May 18	Mother's Day Intentions
9AM	May 19	Mother's Day Intentions
9AM	May 20	Frank Viscardi
4PM	May 21	Ely & Oscar Custodio (45 th Anniversary)
8AM	May 22	Andrea Marino
10:30AM	May 22	Stella Edon
12Noon	May 22	People of St. Gabriel

Parish Social



Thanks to the **Eucharistic Ministers** for hosting the Parish Social this weekend. Next week the host of the social will be the **Girl Scouts**. Stop and chat with members of the different groups and communities to learn about their ministry.

Social Action News

St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Truck will be at St. Gabriel on May 21/22. Clothing for infants, children and adults will be accepted. They will also accept linens for beds, towels and kitchen lines in good, reusable condition. Furniture can no longer be accepted on the truck.

IMPORTANT: Please do not leave bags of clothes outside the St. Vincent de Paul bin or at the office door. The items will get wet or damaged by animals, therefore, no good for anyone to use.

The Red Cross will return to St. Gabriel on June 6, 2011. Please mark your calendar. Sign up sheets will be available at a later date. Appointments will be made for 3-7:15PM.

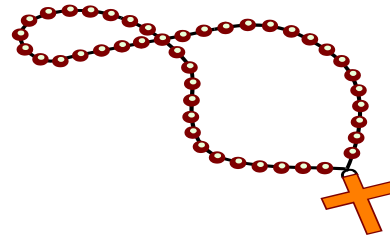


Liturgy

Many thanks to all those who serve at the Altar of the Lord at our Weekend Liturgies.

Assignments for next week – May 21/22, 2011

The Filipino Community will lead parishioners in the Rosary after each Mass on the weekends of May. Consider staying after Mass for a little while and join them.



Generosity Report for the Weekend of May 7/8, 2011

SACRIFICIAL GIVING (the way we use our time, talent and treasure for God) enables us to always put God first in our lives . . . Deuteronomy 14:23
“Give God what is right, not what is left. . .”

Income	\$6,446.82
Expense	\$6,272.44
Net	(\$ 174.38)

Mass Attendance May 7/8

Saturday	4PM	112
Sunday	8AM	123
	10:30 AM	210
	12Noon	239
	(Spanish)	
TOTAL		684

Capital Campaign

\$600,000 (Need to begin project)

\$83,879.15 (Balance needed to begin)

\$516,120.85 (with \$200,000 loan from Special Needs Account)

\$316,120.85 (Actual contribution balance)

As of 05/07/11



May 7 through 14

\$25 Daily Winners: Bonnie Stith, Dawn DiPeppe, Tom Stetina, Doris boucher, Poor Box (via Mr. & Mrs. Robert Angela Seely), Esper McManus

\$ 50 Friday Winner: St. Gabriel Community Center (via Maureen Kelly)

Unity in Diversity Day News

In view of the current economic situation, the Unity in Diversity Team is requesting assistance in procuring items needed for the celebration. The Donation Tree will be put up on June 4/5, 2011. Please assist by taking a tag or two from the Donation Tree and bring the items back on or before June 18/19, 2011 and place them in the wagon in the Narthex. Your generosity is appreciated

WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!!

Do you use the St. Gabriel Parish Annex for meetings or social events? A lot of groups do. We need your help with keeping the annex clean. There is a lot of trash and dirt being left behind after meetings. We have cleaning supplies, including a vacuum. Maybe you or your group would like to volunteer to clean the meeting rooms and kitchen. Contact the parish office if you can help with this.

College Tuition Equity for Immigrant Teens – Oppose the Petition Drive

The Catholic Church has long advocated for legislation which the Maryland General Assembly finally passed this year to provide in-state college tuition to Maryland's immigrant children. These students must apply at first to community colleges, which have open enrollments. After two years at community college, eligible students may apply to state universities at the in-state tuition rate. Their seats may not be counted among the seats the University of Maryland system is required to reserve for resident students.

Regrettably, there is an effort to petition the law to a statewide referendum, which will have a needlessly divisive impact on our state. The Maryland Catholic Conference urges Catholics to refrain from signing on to this petition effort. For more information on this new law and on the Church's position on immigration, visit the Maryland Catholic Conference website at www.mdccathcon.org/immigration.