

December 21, 2025
Fourth Sunday of Advent

Pastor St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish
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Option 2

Office Hours: Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday 9am-3pm
At Orion Location

Mass Intentions

Saturday December 20th

4:00pm Fr. Duane Jack *by Brian, Camy & Lilly Stone SMG*
5:30pm Marilyn DeClerck & Brenda Brandt *by Pat & Annette Martens MOLOP*

Sunday December 21st Fourth Sunday of Advent

8:30am Anthony Zimanek, Jr. *by the Family MOLOP*

10:00am Our Parish Families **SMG**

Tuesday December 23rd MOLOP

8:00am John Roegiers *by The Family*

Wednesday December 24th Christmas Eve

9:00am No Mass

4:00pm Our Parish Families **SMG**

4:00pm Our Parish Families **MOLOP**

Thursday December 25th Christmas Day

8:30am Our Parish Families **MOLOP**

10:00am Our Parish Families **SMG**

Friday December 26th SMG

9:00am No Mass

Saturday December 27th

4:00pm Jim Behn *by Brian, Camy & Lilly Stone SMG*

5:30pm Deb Gainey *by Ryan & Mara Clarke Family MOLOP*

Sunday December 28th Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph

8:30am Jean Teerlinck *by Diane Gelaude MOLOP*

10:00am Mary Wilhelm *by the Family SMG*

Adoration: No Adoration this Week **MOLOP**

Reconciliation: Sunday morning 7:45am-8:15am, Saturday

after 5:30pm Mass or by appointment **MOLOP**

Reconciliation Saturdays 3-3:30pm or by appointment **SMG**

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year
From Father Tony and the staff of St. Gabriel the Archangel

Our Parish Prayer List

For those who need healing from,

Mary, Our Lady of Peace...

Brian Carlson, Irene Conklin, Darrell, Gary and Pat DeMont, Pat Dzekunkas, Owen Hink, Janet Jacobson, Debbie Jones, Ryan Jones, Gabe Laleman, Ava Lawson, Cathy Morgan, Mary Morris, Tom Schulenberg, Art Smutzer, Darrell Taets

For Those in need of healing

at St. Maria Goretti...

Sr. JT McNulty, Marge Behn, Dave & Sandy Bledsoe, Patrick Bredeck, Jan Butler, Donna Davis, Gwen Escajeda, Lorraine Gengler, Dave Gorge, Cullen John Jamieson, Lee Kimball, Jean Lawman, Linda Mizaur, Kathy Mosley, Gene Mourisse, Nancy Robison, Flip & Pat Shemek, Carolyn Slavish, Steve Sottos, Maureen St. Clair, Charles Stone, Marolyn Tope, Dcn. Bob Vogelbaugh, Richard Wilks.

Pray for those in Nursing Homes or Homebound

Jan Siebert

For others who have asked...

Mary Jane Andich, Kriss Andrews, Dean Ash, Jordan Auliff, Jason Bauer, John Baumunk III, Kyle, Scott Bowerman, Brie Bredeck, Sherry Clayton, John Darge, Kevin Francescon, Wes Frenell, Mike Gelaude, Carolyn Ghezzi, Hailey Hall & Caleb, Kathy, Isla Maciolek, Sharon Matson, Ricky McSwain, John & Dianna, Lucas, Glenn Meeker, Roger Newman, Jan Oliver, Chris Olivier, Vickie & Brian Palmer, Peter, Vonna Quick, Ben Richardson, Rob Robison, Sarah, Mary Schnerre, Patty Schnerre, Tom Seabloom, Megan Severson, Steve, Claire Strayer, Ashton Sutton, Rosie Tholl, Sarah Townsend, Dcn. Robert & Ann Viviano and Family, Matt Wardlow, Bernie Weidner, Jerry Wilcox

Please call Judy Olson @ 309.521.8456 with your requests for the prayer line.

If someone is doing better and can be taken off the prayer list, please call Judy or the parish office.

Homebound?

Are you or someone you know Homebound? If you would like communion, contact Father Tony to make arrangements for a home visit.



Bible Trivia:
The Angel said to Mary that Jesus would "reign over the house" of which Old Testament character?

Office Hours

The Parish Office will be open limited hours during Christmas & New Years weeks. Please check to see if someone is here or make arrangements if you are coming in.

ADA Report 2025

Total Pledges Received	\$42,625.90
Goal	\$68,237.00
Families Pledged	117

A gift to ADA, no matter how great or small can go a long way. June 30th is the year end for ADA. Please consider a donation!

Congratulations!
To Abby DeBaillie and Andrew Eastlund on their marriage! 12/6/25.
To Ryan Clarke on his confirmation and first communion! 12/13/25.
To Henry Williams, Wyatt Williams and Vera Sothmann on their baptism! 12/14/25.



LITURGICAL MINISTERS

DECEMBER 2025

LECTOR/READERS

Saturday 4:00p.m. Chris Hicks
Sunday 10:00a.m. Debbie Washburn

Eucharistic Ministers

4:00pm Crystal Arnold & Marcia Jacobs
10:00am Mary Ann Lapaczonek & Dan Gengler

USHER/GREETER

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Crystal Arnold & Marcia Jacobs
Sunday 10:00a.m. Randy Jaminet, Christy Jaminet, Donna Davis, & Marge Bowerman

Bible Trivia Answer: Jacob (Luke 1:33)

From the Pastor's Desk

"What a wonderful time of year..." as the song goes. Indeed, it is. As we once again gather to celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior we are filled with joy as we embrace the great event of our salvation, the Lord God taking on human flesh-the Incarnation. We are familiar with the Christmas story which oftentimes can get lost in the trappings of the season. The pieces of our Nativity sets remind us of what our celebration is all about. We have the Holy Family, the shepherds, the animals, and all the rest. As we gaze on the truth of this day, a day which changed the world forever, we are struck with wonder and awe, just an awesome moment in history changed forever. Because of Christmas our lives are changed. As I reflect, please be assured of my prayers and warm wishes for all of you This Christmas and I must say what a great pleasure it is to celebrate with you. It is truly a blessing and a great joy. May the joy of Christmas be yours today and all the days of 2026

Wishing all A Very Blessed and Merry Christmas and all the best in the New Year.

Fr. Tony

December Schedule for Lectors and Ushers

Reader-December

Saturday 5:30pm Donna Johnson

Sunday 8:30am Sean Clifford

Ushers-December

Saturday 5:30pm

Kris Bowers, Will Bowers, Jim Modglin, Jeff DePorter

Sunday 8:30am

Dan Heiar, Mike Mielke, Jon Maciolek, Chad Tourt

Altar Servers

Sat. Dec. 13th 5:30pm Karolina Kincaid & Leo Blessman

Sun Dec. 14th 8:30am Hadley Burnett & Sofia Alleruzzo

Sat. Dec. 20th 5:30pm Finn & Owen Clifford

Sun. Dec. 21st 8:30am Drake Nightingale & Hadley Ford

Eucharistic Ministers-December

5:30pm Mike Patterson & Donna Johnson

8:30am Brent & Amanda Kincaid

Counters-December

Kay Scott & Darlene Linden

Men's Club

There has been some interest in forming a men's club. If interested contact Jim Modglin 309-236-9933