IN LOVING MEMORY Betty & Leonard Jones, Larry, Michael, Karen and Ken Blessed Repose and Eternal Memory	Health and Blessings for the Lachowicz Family	HEALTH AND BLESSINGS for Marion D'andrea
In Gratitude for our Family Pete and Anna Tiutiunnyk	HEALTH AND BLESSINGS FOR ELEANOR VASKO	Health and Blessings For Richard Hawkins & Family
Pace e Bene (Peace and All Good) For information on living the Gospel life through the teachings of St. Francis call: Ann & Wayne Tao, OFS Secular Franciscans 702-362-7989	Health and Healing Prayers for Christina ♥	Health and Blessings For Lopez-Babakhan Family
HEALTH AND BLESSINGS FOR Mark Elefante and Kathy Rice- Elefante	Health and Blessings for Elijah Kreutzer	Health and Blessings for Juan Ramierz & Family
Health and Blessings for Robert Haskins & Family	WE THANK ALL OUR PARISHIONERS WHO SPONSOR OUR WEEKEND SOCIALS	Health and Blessings For Jan Shadowen
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23rd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
01 NOVEMBER 2026

Divine Liturgy Each Saturday 4 pm & Sunday 10 am

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WEEKLY SERVICES

SATURDAY

Divine Liturgy (Mass/Vigil) at 4:00 pm

SUNDAY

Third Hour at 9:45 am
Divine Liturgy (Mass) at 10:00 am

Holy Mystery of Penance

Forty-five minutes before Saturday Liturgy or by appointment.

Confessions NOT available before Sunday Liturgy.

Parish Advisory Council

The Parish Advisory Council is led by Father Marcus with council members; Monica Lopez, Saul Ramos, Cheri Ervin and Christina Diaz.
We welcome any suggestions, comments and ideas that would help our Parish grow and raise money.
Please contact us by email at sgabrielchurchboard@gmail.com

Finance Council

Please email the Financial Office for General questions regarding financial matters, Church services, deliveries, purchasing .
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In Loving Memory for David Georgia Ruth Georgia Vivian Blaine	Health & Blessings for Ann & Wayne Tao	Health & Blessings for Irene Maskasziw
THIS SPACE OPEN FOR RENT Only $100 a year Contact Jan 702-810-9613	Health and Blessings for the Porras (Bonilla) Family	Health & Blessings for Moses & Josie Pastor
GOOD HEALTH AND BLESSINGS FOR ALL CHILIPKA, CAFFARELLI, MESZAROS, OLTAY, SIMON, SOLT AND VASH FAMILIES IN THE USA AND HUNGARY	Health & Blessings for Michael & Joyce O'Brien	Health and Blessings for Kenneth and Cheri Ervin
Health and Blessings for Michael & Ruth Parven	HEALTH & BLESSINGS for FR. MARCUS THROUGH WHOM THE HOLY SPIRIT WORKS	Health & Blessings for Paul & Daria McDonald
Health & Blessings for Reverend Deacon Brett Krautstrunk	Pray for Peace in the Middle East	Health & Blessings for Cindy Bonko & Jan Manning
PRAY FOR AN END TO ABORTIONS		

The Gospel of Luke: a commentary & meditation

"Declare how much God has done for you"

Scripture: Luke 8:26-39

26 Then they arrived at the country of the Ger'asenes, which is opposite Galilee. 27 And as he stepped out on land, there met him a man from the city who had
demons; for a long time he had worn no clothes, and he lived not in a house but among the tombs. 28 When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell down before him,
and said with a loud voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beseech you, do not torment me." 29 For he had commanded the
unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many a time it had seized him; he was kept under guard, and bound with chains and fetters, but he broke the bonds and
was driven by the demon into the desert.) 30 Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. 31 And they
begged him not to command them to depart into the abyss. 32 Now a large herd of swine was feeding there on the hillside; and they begged him to let them enter
these. So he gave them leave. 33 Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and were
drowned. 34 When the herdsmen saw what had happened, they fled, and told it in the city and in the country. 35 Then people went out to see what had happened,
and they came to Jesus, and found the man from whom the demons had gone, sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind; and they were afraid. 36
And those who had seen it told them how he who had been possessed with demons was healed. 37 Then all the people of the surrounding country of the
Ger'asenes asked him to depart from them; for they were seized with great fear; so he got into the boat and returned. 38 The man from whom the demons had
gone begged that he might be with him; but he sent him away, saying, 39 "Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." And he went away,
proclaiming throughout the whole city how much Jesus had done for him.

Meditation: Do you ever feel driven by forces beyond your strength? A man who was possessed and driven mad by the force of many evil spirits found refuge in the one person who could set him free. Both Mark and Luke in their Gospel accounts of this incident describe this demonic force as a legion (Mark 5:9 and Luke 8:30). A legion is no small force – but an army 6,000 strong! For the people of Palestine who were often hemmed in by occupied forces, a legion – whether human or supernatural – struck terror! Legions at their wildest committed unmentionable atrocities. Our age has also witnessed untold crimes and mass destruction at the hands of possessed rulers and their armies. What is more remarkable – the destructive force of this driven and possessed man, or the bended knee at Jesus' feet imploring mercy and release (Luke 8:28)? God's word reminds us that no destructive force can keep anyone from the peace and safety which God offers to those who seek his help. A thousand may fall at your side, ten thousand at your right hand; but it will not come near you. ..Because you have made the Lord your refuge, the Most High your habitation (Psalm 91:7,9).

Jesus took pity on the man who was overtaken by a legion of evil spirits. The destructive force of these demons is evident for all who can see as they flee and destroy a herd of swine. After Jesus freed the demoniac the whole city came out to meet him. No one had demonstrated such power and authority against the forces of Satan as Jesus did. They feared Jesus as a result and begged him to leave them. Why would they not want Jesus to stay? Perhaps the price for such liberation from the power of evil and sin was more than they wanted to pay. The Lord Jesus is ready and willing to free us from anything that binds us and that keeps us from the love of God. Are you willing to part with anything that might keep you from his love and saving grace?

"Lord Jesus, unbind me that I may love you wholly and walk in the freedom of your way of life and holiness. May there be nothing which keeps me from the joy of living in your presence."

Go to | Gospel of Matthew | Daily Readings & Meditations | Words of Life (c) 2002 Don Schwager

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THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Saturday, October 31st — **4:00 PM –Divine Liturgy (Mass)**

Health & Healing for Mark and Kathy Elefanté.

Sunday, November 1st — **10:00 AM - Divine Liturgy (Mass)**

Health and Healing for Fran Clagett.

7 DAY CANDLE OFFERING

OPEN

14 DAY CANDLE OFFERINGS

November 1st thru November 14th
November 15th thru November 30th
Peace in Israel
Peace in Ukraine

NEXT WEEK'S GOSPEL READING

GOSPEL READING: Luke 8:41-56 & 10: 16-22.

CANDLE OFFERINGS

Use the specially marked envelopes located at the back of the Church for Altar Candles or Eternal Light Candles.
Candles will be lit on Saturdays, and remain lit for the duration of their offering.

DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS

One Saturday or Sunday Intention per week
is reserved for "Parishioners of the Parish".
Please contact the Parish Office at 702.361.2431
for available Liturgy intention dates and times.
Please make checks payable to: Fr. Marcus Gomori.

LOVE THY NEIGHBOR

2nd weekend of the Month

There are green Love Thy Neighbor envelopes n the 2nd weekend of each month to help serve the less fortunate in our community. Thank you for your charitable support of this ministry.

HOLY WATER

Available in the rear of the Church.

Please remember St. Gabriel's in your Estate and Will Planning. Thank You!

LET US PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING

Lord, look upon your servants with eyes of mercy. May your healing hand rest upon them. May your life-giving powers flow into every cell of their bodies and into the depths of their souls, cleansing, purifying and restoring them to wholeness and strength for service in your Kingdom. Amen.

William Ralf
Deb & Joe Guarino
Cindy Bonko
Betty Chilipka
Pearl Peterson
Nancy & Larry Caswell

Bev, Joe & Angel Guarino
Alexander Gomori
John Krobock
Marion D'Andrea
Carrie Alumbaugh
Fran Clagett

Frank & Carolyn Gervasio
Gregory Gomori
Bill Kviz
Ann & Wayne Tao
Mark Elefanté
Kathy Rice-Elefanté

Peggy Randall
Sara Beth Hopkins
Amy Cannatelli
Jan Shadowen
Tommy & Rosie Morgan

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Week's Offerings: 10/24th - 10/25th of 2026

Donations: $ 1,180.00 Candles: $ 10.00 SAT 22 & 41 SUN

Our parish needs $3,000.00 per week to meet expenses.

Thank you for your generosity and support of Saint Gabriel's especially in these difficult economic times.
It is encouraging to see families making an effort to see that our parish meets its bills.
Thank you also for the good number of people that mail-in and include the parish in their financial planning.
Sincerely, Very Rev. Marcus Gomori, Pastor+

The following intercessions are provided for your use to support the development of vocations to the presbyterate, diaconate, minor orders, and consecrated monastic life in our Eparchy. They are keyed to the liturgical calendar. Please consider including them in the litany of fervent supplication.

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST.
The Holy Unmercenary Wonder-Workers Cosmas and Damian
November 1, 2026

Lord Jesus, Son of the Most High God, we fall before you and thank you for delivering us from the darkness of our sin. We ask that you would continue to bring your salvation to this world by calling men and women to bring deliverance through a life of increased prayer, fasting and almsgiving as those in the monastic life and holy orders are especially called to, we pray you hear and have mercy.

"Return to your house and proclaim what great things God has done for you." Our healing Lord brings redemption and breaks the chains of sin, demonic possession and anything that may be in our way to grow in holiness. You may have a story of salvation that can be shared with the world by responding to it in the monastic or ordained life. To learn more about this, contact the Vocations Office at 602-861-9778 or email: vocations@ephx.org

PARISH NEWS

INFORMATION REGARDING DUCHOVNY DOM

This past September, Bishop Artur made a canonical visit to Duchovny Dom in Weston, Oregon. It was established that Duchovny Dom has not completed the necessary requirements to achieve the status of a canonically erected monastery.

As such, Duchovny Dom is a private property unaffiliated with the Eparchy of Phoenix. It is not permitted to accept men for monastic formation and should not be referred to as a monastery.

COMMUNITY

The Fraternity of St. Margaret of Cortona of the Secular Franciscan Order is a community of people dedicated to living the gospel life through the teachings of St. Francis of Assisi and St. Clare with service to the poor and homeless.
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