

September 28, 2025
Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish
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Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday 9am-3pm
At Orion Location

Mass Intentions

Saturday September 27th
4:00pm Our Parish Families **SMG**
5:30pm Jim Hamerlinck *by Brian & Becky Nightingale Family* **MOLOP**
Sunday Sept. 28th Twenty Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time
8:30am Our Parish Families **MOLOP**
10:00am Jeanie Gengler *by John & Barb Kratt* **SMG**
Tuesday September 30th MOLOP
8:00am Altar & Rosary Society Members
Living & Deceased *by Kay Scott*
Wednesday October 1st SMG
9:00am Florence DeDoncker *by Henry & Chris Hicks*
Thursday September October 2nd MOLOP
8:00am Jim Honeywell *by Kay Scott*
Friday October 3rd SMG
9:00am Mary Jane Kerns
Saturday October 4th
4:00pm June Hellberg *by The Family* **SMG**
5:30pm Joe Versluys *by Bob & Judy Ferry* **MOLOP**
Sunday October 5th Twenty Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time
8:30am Anthony Zimanek, Jr. *by the Family* **MOLOP**
10:00am JoAnne O'Connor *by Bob & Judy Ferry* **SMG**

Adoration: Thursday 8:30am-12:30pm MOLOP
Reconciliation: Sunday morning 7:45am-8:15am, Saturday

The Charger Closet is located at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 1009 9th Street, Orion. We are open to the public on the first and third Tuesdays of each month from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., as well as on occasional Saturdays. For those who may need assistance outside these times, appointments can be made by messaging us through our Facebook page or by emailing thechargercloset@yahoo.com.

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 Dzekunskas, Owen Hink, Janet Jacobson, Debbie Jones, Ryan Jones, Gabe Laleman, Ava Lawson, Cathy Morgan, Mary Morris, Tom Schulenberg, Art Smutzer
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, Barbara Herbert, Cullen John Jamieson, Lee Kimball, Jean Lawman, Linda Mizaur, Kathy Mosley, Gene Mourisse, Nancy Robison, Flip & Pat Shemek, Carolyn Slavish, 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, 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, Sarah Townsend, Dcn. Robert & Ann Viviano and Family, Matt Wadlow, 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.

If you or a family member are hospitalized, or homebound please contact Fr. Tony or the Parish office, so Fr. Tony can visit.

Pictures Anyone?

If you would like to view the pictures taken at Masses or church events, please send a request for access in an email to:

molopchurchphotos@gmail.com



May the Saints intercede for us

Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us
Mary, Our Lady of Peace, pray for us
St. Maria Goretti, pray for us



St. Gabriel the Archangel, pray for us

St. Michael, pray for us

St. Raphael, pray for us

St. Jerome, pray for us

St. Francis, pray for us

Venerable Archbishop Fulton Sheen, pray for us

Prepare for Mass with an Every Sacred Sunday Journal! I am looking to place a bulk order on 10/8. The cost was \$40.33each with tax & shipping. The colors are lavender & navy! Orders and Money are due by 10/8. Please contact Laura Bowers @ 309-781-8912 if you have any questions or would like to order a journal!"

October Schedule for Lectors and Ushers

Reader-October

Saturday 5:30pm Tim Moen
Sunday 8:30am Robin Heiar

Ushers-October

Saturday 5:30pm

Kris Bowers Jim Modglin
Will Bowers Jeff DePorter

Sunday 8:30am

Steve Jones Dan Heiar
Dan Mount Jon Maciolek

Altar Servers

Sat. Sept 27th 5:30pm Maverick Rhoades & Owen Clifford
Sun. Sept 28th 8:30am Drake Nightingale & Hadley Ford
Sat. Oct. 4th 5:30pm Colton Miller & John Nightingale
Sun. Oct. 5th 8:30am Sofia Alleruzzo & Hadlee Burnett
Sat. Oct. 11th 5:30pm Karolina Kincaid & Norah Nedved
Sun Oct. 12th 8:30am Sofia Alleruzzo & Piper Sharer

Eucharistic Ministers-October

5:30pm Kris & Laura Bowers
8:30am Brent & Amanda Kincaid

Counters—October

Dan & Robin Heiar

Liturgical MINISTERS October 2025 SMG

LECTOR/READERS Saturday 4:00p.m. Camy Stone
Sunday 10:00a.m. Dan Gengler

USHER/GREETER

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Carol Cullor & Mike Tope
Sunday 10:00 a.m. Dale Witzel, Sue Fournier, Celia Riesbietor, Connie Fink

Altar & Rosary Society Invite

Altar & Rosary Society meets Wednesday, October 1st At 10:00am at Mary, Our Lady of Peace. All are invited to attend. Meetings are the 1st Wednesday of the month at 10:00am from September thru May. All it takes to be a member is to show up at meetings and/or \$5.00 in dues!
Altar & Rosary Society supports the church in paying for candles, hosts, wine, etc. Please join us!

FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

We will be collecting for the Food Pantry the first Sunday of the month. Collection baskets for food and monetary donations will be set out for October 4th and 5th. Thank you for giving to this ever present need that supports those in need of our community!



St. Gabriel Celebration

We are having a parish mixer to get to know one another at Coal Valley on Sunday, October 5th following the 10:00am Mass. Heavy appetizers will be served. Come enjoy good food and make a friend!!

Christmas for Kids

Christmas for Kids is available to any family in the Orion School District who is in need. There are no financial forms to fill out and all information is strictly confidential. Children from age birth to 18years old are eligible. Please register at Orion Village Hall, Tuesday, October 7 or October 21 from 4-6pm. For more information call Kenis Johnson 737-8439 or Sherri Hamilton 314-8285

Sunday Collection Report

	<u>ACTUAL</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>
September Sunday Collections	\$ 10,092	\$ 10,626
YTD Sunday Collections	\$ 33,817	\$ 38,958

You can now use the parish app to make donations!
From the app, select the Giving icon and follow instructions to donate. You may use a credit or debit card or use an ach from your bank account!
We are transitioning the bulletin to St. Gabriel Parish. Please continue to make donation checks out to Mary, Our Lady of Peace or St. Maria Goretti, until further notice

COME JOIN US AT CURSILLO!

Are you longing for:


Peace, Great Food and a Closer Walk with Christ?

Join other adults for a 3-day journey in faith!

See back to learn more.



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Scan for dates, application and more!

Men’s Weekend: October 16-19 (Thursday-Sunday)
 Women’s Weekend: November 13-16 (Thursday-Sunday)
 The Weekend is held at Christ the King Believers Together Ctr.
 For more information call: Denise Maynard (309)-236-7558



EMMAUS KNIGHTS
 FOR YOUNG MEN GRADES 7-12

AUG 31 / SEPT. 28 / OCT 12 / NOV 9

FROM 4:30PM - 6:30PM

Join Fr. Chase for a Sunday night of faith, fraternity, and formation at the Emmaus House
 2327 W. Heading Ave., West Peoria

EMMAUS KNIGHTS IS AN EXPERIENCE FOR YOUNG MEN WHO DESIRE TO GROW IN FRIENDSHIP AND FAITH WITH SOME FOOD AND SOME FUN. IF YOU LOVED EMMAUS DAYS, COME AND CHECK OUT EMMAUS KNIGHTS.

FATHERS, DROP YOUR SONS OFF AND STAY FOR A TIME OF FRATERNITY

Scan the code to let us know you are coming and to have your parent fill out a digital permission form!





September – Family/Marriage - PDCCW

“As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.” – Joshua 24:15

September signals a new school year and renewed routines. Make **Sunday Mass** your family's anchor. Attend together, and follow it with a shared meal or walk. The Eucharist should be the heartbeat of your family’s week.

Tip: Set a simple goal—no screens on Sunday morning. Make it a sacred time.

St John’s Woodhull

83rd Annual Chicken Dinner

Sunday, Sep 28, 2025

Serving in Dining Room
 11:30 AM-2:00 PM

Drive-Thru/Carry-outs starting @
 11:00 AM

Adults-\$15
 Children-\$8 (10 and under)

Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Cole Slaw, Corn, Rolls & Dessert

Visit the **COUNTRY BAKER** in the narthex for **breads, rolls, cupcakes, cookies and all kinds of sweet treats!!**




Gala News

Dear Fellow Parishioners of St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish: Parish member volunteers will be available after weekend masses commencing September 20 through October 5 to aid you in purchasing \$100 Raffle Tickets, Raffle Basket Tickets and registering for a bid number. Raffle Basket Items are now and will be continued to be displayed in Mary Our Lady of Peace Church Hall leading up to the Gala. Raffle Basket Tickets can now be deposited in the corresponding bags should you choose to do so prior to the Gala. Raffle Basket Tickets can also be deposited in the corresponding bags at St. Maria Goretti Church (Note picture attached to each bag) for those who choose to do so prior to the Gala. If you are unable to attend the Gala on October 11, 2025, but wish to place a bid(s) on Live Auction Items, you may do so by calling Robin Heiar at 309-507-3228, Dan Heiar at 309-945-8995 or Elizabeth Snyder at 309-738-5908 the evening of the Gala. Live Auction Items will be on display in the church hall at Mary Our Lady of Peace Church starting October 8, 2025. This major fundraising event continues with the support of its’ parishioners in raising money for future building updates. See what your time, donations and raffle ticket purchases can do for St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish.

Thank you,
 The Gala Committee



From the Pastor’s Desk

As we are aware, come this Monday September 29, 2025 we become a merged parish with the name St. Gabriel the Archangel. We are one parish with two church locations; Mary Our Lady of Peace Orion, St. Maria Goretti Coal Valley site. MOLOP+ SMG=St. Gabriel the Archangel. The MASS SCHEDULE WILL REMAIN AS IS. THERE WILL BE NO CHANGE.

4:00 MASS SATURDAY at COAL VALLEY
 5:30 MASS SATURDAY at ORION
 8:30 MASS SUNDAY at ORION
 10:00 MASS SUNDAY at COAL VALLEY
 8:00am Mass Tuesday and Thursday at Orion
 9:00am Mass Wednesday and Friday at Coal Valley

As we transition however, and being one parish, we will have 1) parish Council, 1)parish Finance Council, 1) administrative office located in Orion. Eventually we will have all our funds combined. We are waiting to receive a new EIN number from the diocese. Therefore, **PLEASE CONTINUE TO MAKE ALL DONATIONS AND SUNDAY CONTRIBUTIONS, to one’s respective location—Mary Our Lady of Peace make out checks to MOLOP, St. Maria Goretti-make checks out to SMG** until further notice. The merger will be a work in progress and pray that all goes well. Please be patient. Several weeks ago, the Annual Diocesan Appeal was introduced and one received the pledge card and information in the mail. As Bishop Tylka outlined, “the mission given to us by Jesus remains as urgent today as ever. Through the ADA we are united in our shared responsibility to proclaim Christ in our parishes, schools, and communities.

Your generosity sustains and grows this mission. I ask you to please join me in supporting this year’s ADA.” Our respective ADA for this year breaks down this way: MOLOP portion of the ADA goal is \$33, 510. SMG \$34, 727. Total goal for St. Gabriel the Archangel \$68, 237.00. a 3% increase over last year. (Last year’s total, though not combined, was \$66, 288). The goal looms large but it is doable. We are aware that anything short of the goal must be paid from the parish general fund. Please consider and help us meet our goal.

One more thing—the St. Gabriel the Archangel parish Gala is scheduled for Saturday October 11, 2025. Please make plans for a fun evening. A reminder—The 5:30 Mass at Orion is moved to 4:00PM. We will as always have the 4:00pm Mass at Coal Valley. In addition, we are having a parish mixer to get to know one another at Coal Valley on Sunday October 5 following the 10:00am Mass. Come and make a friend.

Praying for all of us,
 Fr. Tony