



# St. Gabriel

the Archangel  
Catholic Church

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### CONTACTS

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### CELEBRATION OF MASSES

#### St. Joseph Campus

Saturday ..... 4:30pm  
Sunday ..... 8:30am  
Tue & Thu ..... 7:00am  
Morning Prayer & Rosary  
Mon, Wed, & Fri ..... 7:00am

#### St. John the Evangelist Campus

Sunday.. 10:30am & 1:00pm (Hispanic)  
Wed, Fri & Sat ..... 8:00am

### SACRAMENTAL LIFE

#### Eucharistic Adoration Chapel:

Perpetual Adoration open 24 hours at  
St. Joseph Campus

**Baptism:** Second Sunday of the Month  
Contact the office 2 months prior to  
Baptism to schedule the required  
preparation conference.

**Matrimony:** Contact priest 12 months  
in advance of desired date.

#### Reconciliation (Private):

St. Joseph's Campus  
Saturday ..... 3:30pm  
St. John's Campus  
Saturday ..... 8:30-9:30am  
Sunday ..... 12:30pm

#### Anointing:

Contact Fr. Jim Liekhus  
..... (952) 935-5536

#### Communion or BeFriender visit:

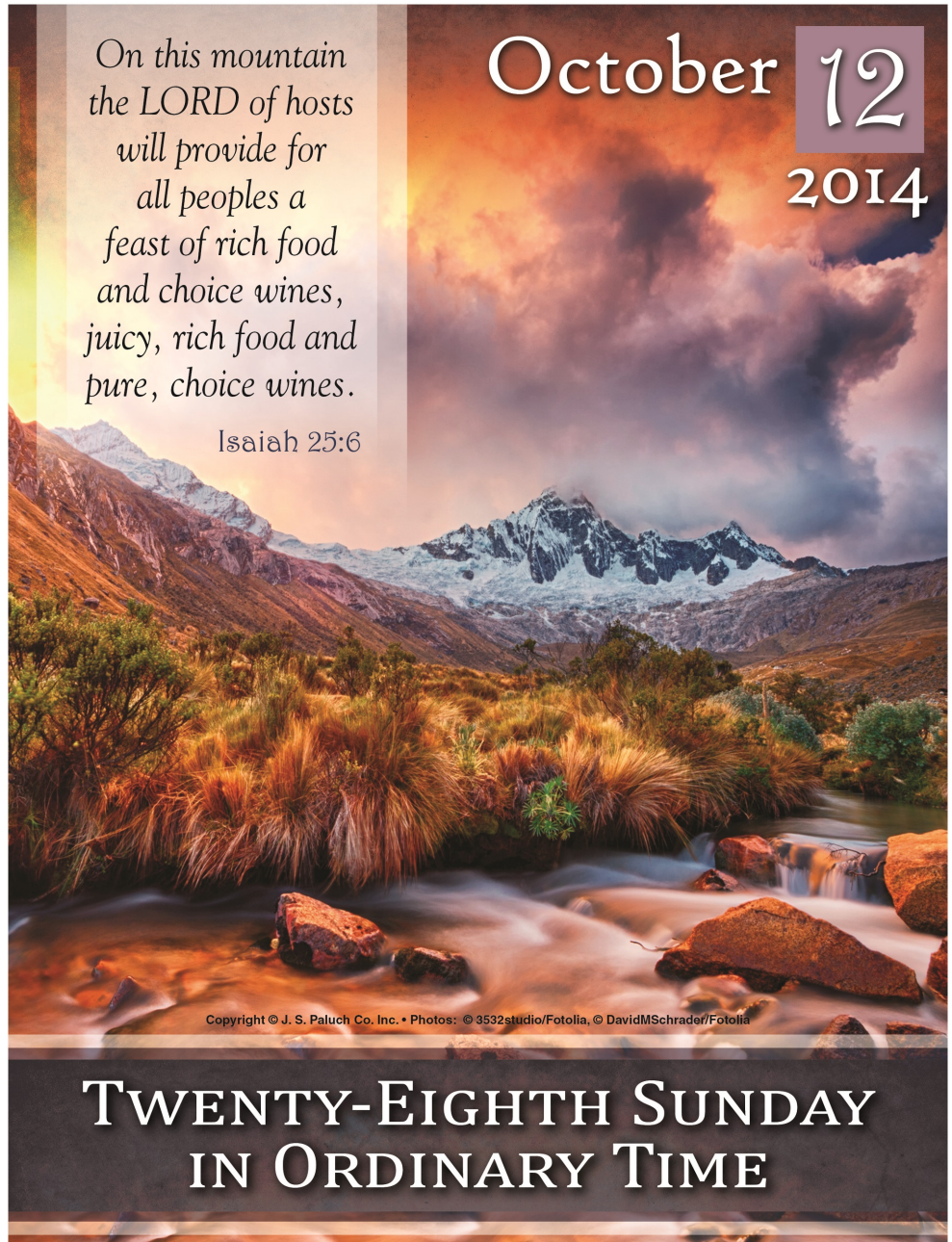
Contact Mary Fran Karanikolas  
..... (952) 935-5536

#### Parish Registration

Contact the Parish Office at  
..... (952) 935-5536

#### Bulletin Deadline

Tuesdays at 12:00pm except for  
holidays  
(week of the bulletin publication.)  
email to:  
[mkrawczak@stgabrielhopkins.org](mailto:mkrawczak@stgabrielhopkins.org)



*On this mountain  
the LORD of hosts  
will provide for  
all peoples a  
feast of rich food  
and choice wines,  
juicy, rich food and  
pure, choice wines.*

Isaiah 25:6

October 12  
2014

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## TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Parish Staff

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### LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR OCTOBER 18/19

**4:30 Mass at St. Joseph's Campus**

Sacristan: K. Jamison  
Lectors: C. Carlson, M. Banker  
Servers: Katrina J.  
Extraordinary Ministers: A.J. Ames, M. Banker,  
R. Bechir, C. Carlson, K. Jamison, B. Johnson,  
M. Krawczak  
Usher: M. Hottman

**8:30 Mass at St. Joseph's Campus**

Sacristan: P. Weinbender  
Lectors: M. Beckering, P. Bell  
Servers: Hattie H.

Extraordinary Ministers: D. Branch, P. Bell,  
B. Lauzon, H. Lodermeier, T. McDonald,  
R. Pantila, P. Weinbender  
Usher: R. Yunker

**10:30 Mass at St. John's Campus**

Sacristan: M.K. Rottach  
Lectors: N. Willette, J. Clifford  
Servers: Tone D., Henry D., Renee M.  
Extraordinary Ministers: K. Kurtz, B. McBride, D.  
Noll, M. Noll, P. Orton, A. Pravinata, J. Racchini,  
M.K. Rottach, B. Tautin, F. Tautin, M. Wertzler

### Stewardship-Sharing Our Treasure with the Community

“WORLD MISSIONS” IS THE OCTOBER RECIPIENT



The second collection the weekend of October 11 and 12, 2014 will support World Missions.

Pope Francis reminds us in his World Mission Sunday message, “World Mission Sunday is a privileged moment when the faithful of various continents engage in prayer and concrete

gestures of solidarity in support of the young Churches in mission lands.” On World Mission Sunday we annually renew our missionary call by offering prayers and gifts of support that heal the sick and lift up the poor in struggling mission dioceses worldwide. In this way, we give hope to those who need it.

World Mission Sunday, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, has enhanced spiritual and material health to over 1,500 young and mostly poor mission dioceses worldwide.

Please be generous with your support. Checks are to be written to St. Gabriel Church with “World Missions” written on the memo line.

### Loaves and Fishes on Monday, October 20

Sign-up in the foyer at St. John's Campus to help prepare the meal at St. Joseph campus at 3:00pm or to set-up, serve or clean-up after the meal.

**CLEAN-UP HELP IS NEEDED FROM 5:30 TO 6:30pm**



Monetary donations may be sent to St. Gabriel's parish office, attention Loaves and Fishes. For more information contact Deacon Darrel and Chris Branch at (952) 929-8695.



**Please pray** for those who mourn, those in nursing homes, the families of the sick, caregivers, the military and their families, and for the following:

Dale Baggio, Arlene Beers, Art Bell, Anne and Ron Bisson, Al Brazil, Kay Davies, Marie Edquist, Helen Eisel, Jean Feltl, Baard Flesche, Bonnie Galush, Joan Gruidl, Rosemary and John Harrington, Dee Holschuh, Millie Howe, Mike Hruska, Diane Hemker, Dianne Hummel, Rose Joant, Dorene Johnson, Kevin Kemper, Pat Kempf, Justin Keyes, Susan Kobe, Angus Mackintosh, Barb Mackintosh, Rose McGonagle, Dolores Millerbernd, Marty Noll, Dick Olson, Alice Paulsrud, Algartha Peterson, Elsie June Phillips, Bernie Reid, Joshua Reid, Sharon Reid, Maryanne Remington, Kathleen and Robert Sawyer, Diane Schmerler, Jean Schwappach, Kathleen Shannon, Gil and Bev Stifter, Darryl Stohl, Regis Yunker, and Maxine Woodstrom.

**Pastoral Care Ministry:** If you are admitted to the hospital, please call the parish office so that the priest can offer you the sacrament of the sick and we can visit you if you would like. The hospitals do not call us, so we depend on you or your family and friends to call us at (952) 935-5536. —*Mary Fran Karanikolas, Pastoral Minister*

Dear Parishioners,

The parable in this weekend's gospel may seem a little strange. The first part of the parable is understandable: the king invited many guests to his son's wedding banquet, but on the day of the feast, they refused to come. So the king opened up the feast to others who would be more willing to come. This is commonly understood to represent the refusal of God's chosen people to accept the gospel, so He extended the covenant to the Gentiles, many of whom embraced it. This theme is common in the gospels. But then we have this strange account of the man who was not wearing a wedding garment, and who was kicked out because of it. What is Jesus trying to teach us with this part of the parable?

Many Scripture scholars believe that Jesus is trying to teach us the importance of good works. The wedding garment that the man is lacking represents the lack of charity in his life, and because of that lack of charity, he is expelled from the wedding feast, which represents the heavenly banquet. True, he showed up to the feast, which many of those who were invited didn't even bother to do, so he was one up on them. But it is not enough just to show up; there are expectations beyond just our mere presence.

One way this clearly applies to our lives is at Mass. It's better to go to Mass than to not go to Mass, of course. But simply showing up on Sunday is not enough to please God. If we lack charity, if we spend our time judging those around us or those who are not there, we might as well not go. I don't mean simply being distracted during Mass; that happens to everyone and we can only do our best to return our focus to the Mass when we realize our mind has wandered. I mean being uncharitable, unloving, looking for the faults of others, assuming the worst about them and being proud that we're not like that. There's no place for

that among the People of God, just as there is no place for it in heaven.

But really, there's no place for that anywhere. God has given us the gift of life and put us on this earth for a purpose. That purpose does not entail living our lives focused on ourselves, being driven by our own desires and being kind to others only because we hope to get something in return. When we stand before God at the final judgment, we will be clothed with the good works we have done on earth, and the person who lives his life in a selfish way will stand before God improperly dressed, and find that he has no place at the heavenly wedding feast.

We don't want to be that person. Our ambition in life must be to clothe ourselves with works of love and mercy in order to please our heavenly Father in preparation for that day. The most natural place to start is in the home, with those people whose faults we know so well, whose buttons we know just how to push and who sometimes just drive us crazy. If we can make it a habit of showing charity to our families, then being charitable to others will become easy. Those daily sacrifices that we choose to make out of love for them, those acts of kindness that we don't have to do but make all the difference in how their day goes are the clothes that will be resplendent to our heavenly Father. The same is true in the workplace, in school, in the supermarket, on our drive home. There are countless opportunities to show charity, to perform small acts of kindness to those around us; all we have to do is look for them.

We have all been invited to the heavenly wedding feast, and hopefully we are all planning on going. We would never show up to an earthly wedding dressed inappropriately, so let us take the same care with the heavenly wedding feast, and clothe ourselves every day with works of charity. —Fr. Liekhus

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Sunday, October 12

8:30am †Philip (Dick) Vassar  
 10:30am †Margaret LeSage  
 1:00pm People of the Parish

### Tuesday, October 14

7:00am †Jane O'Gorman

### Wednesday, October 15

8:00am †Joe & Marie Loeffler

### Thursday, October 16

7:00am †Philip (Dick) Vassar

### Friday, October 17

8:00am †Mary Jen Baltes

### Saturday, October 18

8:00am †Otto & Lydia Kabeisman  
 4:30pm †Michael Taber

### Sunday, October 19

8:30am †Kelly Hromatka  
 10:30am †Michael McDonald  
 1:00pm People of the Parish

## WOMEN'S CLUB (CCW)NEWS

Ladies:

St. Gabriel the Archangel CCW  
 General Meeting

Tuesday, October 14 at 7:00pm  
 St. Joseph campus - Social Hall

**Sharing our gifts with God  
 and His Church  
 St Gabriel the Archangel's  
 Sunday Giving**

For the 14 weeks	
ended 10/5	\$214,167
10/5 Gifts	\$12,575
Electronic Gifts	\$5,421
Prior Ytd	\$218,543
FY15 Budget	\$951,000

*ACH and Credit Card giving is available. For information, please call the parish office at (952) 935-5536.*

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, October 12

10:30am Sunday School E-School  
 10:30am Hispanic Faith Formation E-School E-LD

6:00pm Faith Formation Sessions E-School  
 6:00pm 2nd Year Confirmation E-CR  
 6:00pm Quest Leadership Training E-CR

### Monday, October 13

5:30pm Loaves & Fishes J-SH  
 6:30pm In His Time Infertility Support Group E-CONF  
 7:00pm Boy Scouts E-LD  
 7:00pm Bible Study E-CR  
 7:30pm AA E-CAFE

### Tuesday, October 14

9:00am Bible Study E-School  
 10:00am Tuesday Liturgy Mass J-CH  
 11:00am Tuesday Mass Reception J-SH  
 5:30pm Loaves & Fishes J-SH  
 6:30pm Bell Choir Rehearsal J-CH  
 7:00pm Women's Club Meeting J-SH  
 7:00pm Holy Spirit Prayer Group J-LB  
 7:00pm Knights of Columbus E-LD

### Wednesday, October 15

8:30am LifeLine Screening J-SH

6:30pm Finance Council Mtg. E-CONF

### Thursday, October 16

6:30pm Choir Rehearsal E-CH

### Friday, October 17

7:00pm St. John's Bridge Group E-CR  
 7:00pm West Metro Young Adults E-GYM

### Saturday, October 18

7:00pm Hispanic Community Prayer Group E-CR

### Sunday, October 19

10:30am No Sunday School this Week  
 10:30am Hispanic Faith Formation E-School E-LD  
 6:00pm No Faith Formation Sessions this week

### J = St. Joseph Campus

J-CH- Church • J-SH-Social Hall  
 • J-AC-Adoration Chapel  
 • J-SC-School Cafeteria  
 J-SB-School Building • J-LB-Library  
 J-AU-Auxiliary Room • J-FF-Faith Formation Office

### E = St. John the Evangelist Campus

E-CR Community Room • E-LD Leo's Den  
 E-CAFE Cafeteria • E-G Gym  
 • E-Chapel-Chapel • E-School-School  
 E-SMR-School Meeting Room  
 E-CONF-Conference Room

## Put your Faith into Action - Knights of Columbus

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Meeting Tuesday, October 14 at 7:00pm in Leo's Den at St. John's campus. All Knights are welcome! If you would like more information about the Knights of Columbus, please call Grand Knight Wade Dunkley at (952) 451-3841 or Chancellor Ricardo Cases at (952) 922-2905.

## ICA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

You can make a difference in our community by volunteering for ICA Food Shelf. By volunteering you will become a part of an important team that spreads hope and makes it possible for our neighbors to feed their families. For more info contact Sarah Cheesman, ICA Volunteer Coordinator at (952) 279-0283 or volunteer@icafoodshelf.org.

## WELLSPRINGS of PRAYER: Encountering God Within



Session 2 is coming on Tuesday, October 21, when the topic will be “*Ephphatha – Be Opened: Learning to Pray with Scripture.*” Join us in the community room at St. Gabriel Church at St. John campus, from 7:30 - 9:00pm.

Presented by Ben Martinka, St. Gabriel Parishioner and graduate of the Archbishop Harry J. Flynn **Catechetical Institute**. Please register by contacting Ben at (952) 994-8629 or [ben.martinka@yahoo.com](mailto:ben.martinka@yahoo.com) or Kathleen Esh at [kmeyesh@yahoo.com](mailto:kmeyesh@yahoo.com)

## TUESDAY LITURGY:

All are welcome.  
October 14  
10:00am Mass  
St. Joseph Campus  
Reception following in the social hall.

## Memorial Mass St. John’s Campus Sunday, November 2 at 10:30am

This year we will especially remember our deceased parishioners from the past year during the All Souls Day



*I will never forget you.*  
Isaiah 49:15

Sunday liturgy at the 10:30am Mass with a Memorial service. Come and pray for the all the deceased and those who mourn them. After Mass there will be a brunch for the families and friends of the deceased this past year. Call the parish office at (952) 935-5536 or email [mfkaranikolas@stgabrielhopkins.org](mailto:mfkaranikolas@stgabrielhopkins.org) to RSVP for the luncheon.

## HEALTH DOES NOT DETERMINE A PERSONS WORTH!

Remember this when you fill out your **MN Catholic Health Care Directive!** Copies will be available. Deacon Dan Gannon will help us understand it on Wednesday, **October 29** in the social hall at St. Joseph campus from **3:00 - 4:30pm. Please register!** Contact Kathleen Esh at (952) 933-7610 or [kmeyesh@yahoo.com](mailto:kmeyesh@yahoo.com).

## Our Church Office Needs Volunteers!



The St. Gabriel’s office needs volunteers to answer the phone and greet visitors. It’s very easy work, only four hours a month - and vital to the smooth operation of our church. A great chance to get to know parishioners and the church staff! Retirees in particular enjoy this opportunity. For more details, call Mary at (952) 938-2215.



## October 12, 2014 Steward’s Needs are provided

“My God will fully supply whatever you need ...” - PHILIPPIANS 4:19A

2014 Stewardship Campaign Results		
	Envelope	Electronic
Participation	295	78
Pledges	394,602	155,344
<b>Received</b>	<b>271,015</b>	<b>96,304</b>
(information current as of 9.30.14)		

God provides for those that are **grateful** and **generous**. This is very difficult for people that don’t live a **Stewardship** lifestyle to believe. You may be skeptical and say it’s just coincidence. If you are skeptical, try living a stewardship lifestyle for just one month – be generous with your gifts of time, talent and treasure and see how God provides for your needs.

Please contact the parish office if we can assist you with fulfilling your pledge to St Gabriel the Archangel or with a year-end gift before the end of this tax year.

## Faith Formation & School News

*Faith Formation*

### FAITH FORMATION SESSIONS ARE UNDER WAY!

**SUNDAY MORNING PRESCHOOL** – During the 10:30am Mass at St. John campus, for 3 & 4 year-olds and kindergartners.

**SUNDAY EVENING FAITH FORMATION** - Sessions are from 6:00 to 7:30pm in

St. John campus school. Please enter the South School door on Boyce Street.

### YOU CAN STILL REGISTER!

Registration forms for Faith Formation are at the church entrances, in the Faith Formation office before class (please come early to allow time to fill it out) or here:

<http://storage.cloversites.com/stgabrielthearchangelcatholicchurch/documents/Registration%20Form%202014-15.pdf>

## NEW MOTHERS GROUP

**NEW GROUP for MOTHERS of young children** will meet the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month from 9:30am - 11:00am, in the Pre-School room at the lower level of St. John campus school, at St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish. Mothers will be able to socialize, pray and more, as their babies and toddlers play in the same large room. Toys are provided! Since this group is new, there are many options to discuss and try together! The first meeting will be Wednesday, October 22, 2014. **Please let us know you are attending the meeting to check it out!** Kathleen Esh at (952) 933-7610 or kmeyesh@yahoo.com.



Mother's Group

*Grand Beginnings*

**Saturday, November 22  
Marriott Southwest -  
Minnetonka at 5:30pm**

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largest school fundraiser!**

Look for invitations and raffle tickets next week.  
For general questions about Grand Beginnings, available

volunteer positions, or sponsorships opportunities please contact Overall Chair: Leeann Deavan at (952) 934-1707 or deavan5@ymail.com

**We need your donations! Make a Donation, Make a Difference.** For donation suggestions please contact:

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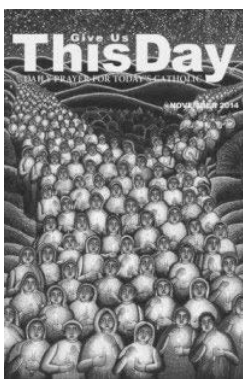
Sarah Crimmins (952) 457-3156 or raby0004@umn.edu.  
Cash donations welcomed. Grand Beginnings donor forms can be in the school and parish offices or at the above website.

## Develop a Prayer Life

*Two important facets of lives of discipleship are prayer and trust. We may become overly self reliant, carrying our crosses without the help of the Lord. Develop a prayer life and awareness that Jesus is there to help.*

*Give Us This Day* is a new monthly publication from Liturgical Press created to help sustain your personal prayer practices with daily prayer for Morning and Evening, prayers and readings for Mass each day, along with a reflection on the Scriptures, and a daily profile of a saintly witness. We have a limited quantity of sample copies of the November issue of *Give Us This Day* to share in the foyer of the church this weekend, courtesy of Liturgical Press. For every subscription established by a parishioner, our parish earns \$5.00 in credit toward purchases from Liturgical Press!

To earn that credit for Church of St. Gabriel the Archangel, please use the promotion code TDBR5246 when you subscribe online at [www.giveusthisday.org](http://www.giveusthisday.org) or call toll-free 888-259-8470.



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## VENGAN A LA FIESTA

"El Señor de los Ejércitos preparará para todos los pueblos en este cerro, una comida con jugosos asados y buenos vinos" (Isaías 25:6). Esto es lo que Isaías nos dice hoy. Dios está organizando una inmensa fiesta para "todos los pueblos", para "enjuagar las lágrimas de todos los rostros".

¿Y qué es lo que Jesús nos dice? "El reino de Dios", él dice, es como "lo que le sucedió a un rey que celebró las bodas de su hijo" (Mateo 22:2). Cuando los invitados no acudieron, el rey mandó a sus sirvientes a que fueran "a las esquinas de las calles y conviden a la boda a todos los que encuentren" (Mateo 22:9). Nosotros somos llamados a distribuir esta invitación.

Uno de los temas entrelazado con la liturgia de hoy es el referente a la generosidad divina. Ausente de la realidad, la gente a menudo asume que ha "ganado" lo que tiene. En nuestros mejores momentos, sin embargo, somos conscientes de que todos nuestros dones, incluyendo los espirituales, provienen de la generosidad de Dios. Nuestra misión es invitar a la gente, recordarles que las entradas no están a la venta. Lo único que podemos hacer es acudir y dar las gracias. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co

## TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

La Virgen María tiene siglos de estar apareciéndose a los cristianos. Aún antes de que fuese asunta al cielo, ella ya se le había aparecido al apóstol Santiago en Zaragoza, España. Según una antigua leyenda, Santiago llegó a tierra española en el año 40 para predicar el Evangelio. Tuvo poco éxito y desanimado pensaba sacudirse de los pies el polvo de aquella tierra y buscar convertir otras gentes. Mientras estaba en oración, María, la madre de Jesús, se le apareció con palabras de consuelo, ánimo y un pequeño obsequio. Le dio una imagen de ella misma sobre un pilar y con el Niño Jesús en brazos.

En esa tierra ella pidió la construcción de un templo donde ella misma sería altar para la gloria de Dios. Santiago mismo construyó la primera iglesia donde hoy se encuentra una gran basílica en honor de Nuestra Señora del Pilar. En el siglo XVIII, el Papa Clemente XII declaró el 12 de octubre como su fiesta en memoria de la llegada de los europeos al continente americano. De María vienen los principios del Día de la Raza.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Gluz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

## LAS LECTURAS DE HOY

**Primera lectura** — El Señor preparará un banquete y secará las lágrimas de todos los rostros (Isaías 25:6-10a).

**Salmo** — Viviré en la casa del Señor todos los días de mi vida (Salmo 23 [22]).

**Segunda lectura** — No importa las circunstancias en las que nos encontremos, nuestras necesidades se resolverán en Cristo Jesús (Filipenses 4:12-14, 19-20).

**Evangelio** — La invitación se ha enviado; todo está listo; vengan a la fiesta (Mateo 22:1-14 [1-10]).

## LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Gál 4:22-24, 26-27, 31 — 5:1;  
Sal 113 (112):1b-5a, 6-7; Lc 11:29-32

Martes: Gál 5:1-6; Sal 119 (118):41, 43-45, 47-48;  
Lc 11:37-41

Miércoles: Gál 5:18-25; Sal 1:1-4, 6; Lc 11:42-46

Jueves: Ef 1:1-10; Sal 98 (97):1-6; Lc 11:47-54

Viernes: Ef 1:11-14; Sal 33 (32):1-2, 4-5, 12-13;  
Lc 12:1-7

Sábado: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Sal 145 (144):10-13, 17-18;  
Lc 10:1-9

Domingo: Is 45:1, 4-6; Sal 96 (95):1, 3-5, 7-10;  
1 Tes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

## GRUPO DE ORACION

Sábados 7:00pm

## Catequesis de Padres de familia Bienvenid@s a la Santa Misa SÓLO JESÚS

Debemos orar sin cansarnos, porque la salvación de la humanidad no depende del éxito material... sino sólo de Jesús.