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Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 9 a.m.-2p.m.

Tuesday closed

Friday 1 p.m.-6p.m.

Sunday Masses

English 5:00 p.m. (Saturday), 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Polish 9:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m. (Sunday)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Friday from 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Diocesan Newsletter

The Pastoral Offices of the Diocese of Hamilton offer a wide range of workshops and educational opportunities during the course of the year. These activities and events are open to all interested parishioners throughout the Diocese. If you would like to keep informed regarding these opportunities for growing in your faith, you are invited to subscribe to a weekly online newsletter by going to the Diocesan Website (www.hamiltondiocese.com) and click the "Subscribe to our Newsletter" button on the right side of the homepage. Your email address will be used solely to provide you with Diocesan Newsletter and will never be shared with any third party.

Parish Hall Bookings

If you wish to inquire about using our Parish Hall for any upcoming functions, please contact parish office.

Parish Schools

St. Gabriel's School

905-332-3333

St. Mark's School

905-336-3911

Notre Dame

905 335 1544

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays from 3:45 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Fridays from 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Weekdays 20 min before Mass

Sacrament of Baptism

Those wishing to have their child baptized should call the Parish Office. Parents should be registered members of St. Gabriel's Parish. Please remember that Baptism dates fill up fast, so call early.

Sacrament of Marriage

Anyone wishing to marry at St. Gabriel's must contact the Parish Office one year prior to the proposed date of your wedding. At least one of the couple must be a registered member of St. Gabriel's Parish. We do not celebrate weddings during Lent. It is required that all couples attend a Marriage Preparation Course. Please contact the Parish Office for registration information.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

If you have a family member, loved one or friend in the hospital, or shut-in at home, please call the rectory office so that arrangements can be made for their pastoral care. Holy Communion and the Sacrament of the Sick are available to all who are seriously ill.

Catholic Funeral Rites

When death occurs in the family, please contact the parish office and we will assist you in making the liturgical arrangements. For information on Catholic burial, please contact the cemetery office at 905-522-7727 or 1-800-661-5985, or visit their website at www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca.

Notre Dame Catechetical Correspondence Program

Notre Dame Catechetical Correspondence Program available to children who do not attend a Catholic school, grade 1-8. For information contact Anne Jamieson at 905-528-7988

SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13

*Sixth Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

8:00 a.m. Pro populo
9:30 a.m. (L) Marian Komorowski (z okazji urodzin)
11:00 a.m. + Connie Brazil
12:30 p.m. + Helena Jóźwik

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

6:30 p.m. + Luisa Machado
(Eng.)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16

6:30 p.m. + Mieczysława Skóra
(Pol.) + Bronisław Mieszczak (w rocznicę śmierci)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17

9:00 a.m. (L) Christopher Tomlinson
(Eng.) (by Bake-Murphy Family)
+ + + All souls in Purgatory

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18

6:30 p.m. + Maria Kulig
(Eng. & Pol.)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19

9:00 a.m. (L) W intencji osób uzależnionych i
(Pol.) podejmujących abstynencję
5:00 p.m. (L) For God's blessing for John & Cybil Miller
(Eng.) (by Maria Leszczynska)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20

*Seventh Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

8:00 a.m. (L) For Mary, Matthew, Malissa, Mercedes,
Mark and Melanie for their return to Church
9:30 a.m. + Mary Wołkowski (od rodziny)
11:00 a.m. + Mary McSweeney
12:30 p.m. Pro populo

Collection on February 5/6	\$ 4212
Building and Maintenance	\$ 50
Seminary Education	\$ 820

Pre-Authorized Giving is the best and easiest way to continue to support our Parish. It is simple to sign up! Please contact the parish office today to set up your account.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

ALMIGHTY and Eternal God, the everlasting salvation of them that believe, hear us on behalf of Thy sick servant (Name), for whom we implore the aid of Thy pitying mercy, that, with his/her bodily health restored, she/he may render thanks to Thee in Thy Church. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

FEBRUARY

The month of February is traditionally dedicated to the **Holy Family**. The Holy Family models for us what family life should exemplify. It is a school of virtue for both parents and children. There we find God and learn how to connect with God and with others. The family is where love is freely given without self-interest. It is where we learn to love, to pray and to practice the gift of charity.



THANK YOU

We raised \$800 through the bake sale to support victims of the earthquake in Haiti. Thank you to all who made it happened!



WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE ANONYMOUS PARISHIONER WHO DONATED HIS TIME TO INSTALL THE NEW LED LIGHTS IN OUR CHURCH.

BAKE SALE

The Mission Group will sell baked goods on Sunday, February 13 after each Mass. The funds will be sent to Kiev, to help restore the burnt Catholic Church of St. Mikolaj. Thank you for your generosity!



YOUTH GROUP

The members of our parish Youth Group appreciate the great support from parishioners at the pastry sale last week. We raised \$1592 which will help us fund trips and attend spiritual retreats. Thank you!

FEBRUARY 13, 2022

LITURGY FOR CHILDREN ON SUNDAY

All children ages 4 and up are welcome to learn about Jesus and our faith during interactive lessons/activities. No sign up required. Children's Liturgy is held at 9:30 AM Mass in Polish/English and at 11am Mass in English. Led by qualified schoolteachers who follow covid protocols. Children will be called up by Fr. Paul at the beginning of Mass.

CWL

Our next Meeting will be **February 21 2022 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Parish Centre. We should know by then who will be on the Executive for 2022 and 2023. Face Masks, Sanitizing Hands and distancing will still be necessary. Hope to see you there.

SAINT JOSEPH ICON PILGRIMAGE



Knights of Columbus will introduce the icon of St. Joseph in our parish on **February 19 to 25**. The reason is to spread devotion and pray for the future generations. Details will follow.

PARISH STORE

Please visit our store. We offer a wide variety of religious products including rosaries, prayer cards, books and more. For a limited time, a great selection of tea and coffee from the missions around the world is available. Please follow Public Health guidelines.

LITURGICAL PUBLICATIONS

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisement for our church bulletin. The advertisement will begin in April 2022 and supports the bulletin service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1 800 268 2637.

ST. GABRIEL'S FOOD DRIVE

Non-perishable food items will make a difference for those less fortunate. Do you want to help? You can drop items off anytime the church is open in the bin located in the Narthex. Did you know that Council #10061 have partnered with the St Gabriel's CWL to make a difference in our community?

SHARE THE WARMTH

This winter the Knights of Columbus are asking for your help from **January 1st to March 21st** to "Share the Warmth". Please consider dropping off new winter, hats, gloves, and socks to St. Gabriel's. The bin will once again be in the Narthex beside the Food Drive Bin. Thank you and God Bless!

PALLIATIVE CARE IN CARPENTER HOSPICE

In case one of the members of your family is transferred to the palliative care facility, Carpenter Hospice, please inform the nurses if you would like a priest to come to perform Last

Rites. The Carpenter Hospice staff will contact us to arrange the visit.

SYNOD OF BISHOPS 2023

The **2021 – 2023** Synod of Bishops brings an invitation from Pope Francis to embark on a journey together. How can you get involved? Offer your thoughts on how we can deepen our communion in the Lord and how all members of the Church can participate more fully in its mission. Visit: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/synod/#about>

SPRING FLOWERS INITIATIVE

Volunteers needed to make and deliver 6,200 homemade Spring flowers! Includes discussion starters for parents, teachers and youth ministers to spark conversation about the value of the vulnerable in our society.

Sign up at www.haltonalive.ca/inspirehopeflowers or contact Tawnya Stanus 905-632-3232

HALTON ALIVE

Spring Auction

MARCH 21-24

SUPPORT LOCAL
LIFE-AFFIRMING
EDUCATION



Support life-affirming education! Participate in or donate to Halton Alive's online Spring Auction. Ideal for finding Easter or Spring decor or that special something for Mothers' and Fathers' Day! Dates: March 21-24 Details: call Tawnya at 905-632-3232 or <https://www.haltonalive.ca/springauction>

This year's National March for Life in Ottawa takes place on Thursday, May 12th. It will be the 25th annual March.



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