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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

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

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

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22

*Feast of The Chair
of St. Peter The Apostle*

- 6:30 p.m. + Joseph Bay
(Eng.)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

*Memorial Day of
St. Polycarp, bishop & martyr*

- 6:30 p.m. + Stanisław Głogowski (od Klubu Seniora)
(Pol.) (L) Józef Potocki (w dniu urodzin od żony)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24

- 9:00 a.m. (L)Brooksbank Family (by Bake-Murphy Family)
(Eng.) (L) Sandra Silva
(L) Jennie Dodson & Family
+ + + All souls in Purgatory
+ Thomas Garrett
+ Stewart Allan
+ Aeneas Mac Isaac
+ Walter Dunn

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25

- 6:30 p.m. (L) O potrzebne łaski dla Victorii Laskowski
(Pol.)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26

- 9:00 a.m. + Mirosław Konarski
(Pol.)
5:00 p.m. + Madeline Ricci
(Eng.)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27

*Eighth Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

- 8:00 a.m. Pro populo
(Eng.)
9:30 a.m. (L) Dzięczyna za otrzymane łaski i powrót do
(Pol.) zdrowia Klary Milijasevic (od Barbary Jedryk)
11:00 a.m. + Peter Cai
(Eng.)
12:30 p.m. + + Henryk i Kazimiera Simbor
(Pol.)

Collection on February 12/13	\$ 4261
Building and Maintenance	\$ 40
Seminary Education	\$ 55

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.

SAINT JOSEPH ICON PILGRIMAGE



We thank the Knights of Columbus for organizing the visit of the Icon of St. Joseph to our parish. During this weekend Masses and throughout the next week we are invited to pray through the intercession of St. Joseph for future generations and for

our country. The icon will be present in our parish from **February 19 to 25.**

THANK YOU from Mission Group

Thank you to all who supported our Bake Sale. Due to your kindness and generosity, we will be able to send \$1000 to the Oblate Missions for the restoration of the fire damaged church of St. Nicholas in Kiev, Ukraine.

NEW MISSION GROUP IN OUR PARISH

Father Adam Filas OMI will come to our parish on Sunday February 27, 2022 to celebrate 12:30 pm Mass. Following the Mass at 2pm there will be a meeting for everyone interested in joining our Mission Group. The meeting will be held in the Parish Hall. All are welcome!

2021 YEAR END REPORT TO PARISHONERS

Next weekend during all Masses we will communicate 2021 year end financial report to parishioners and present our new budget for 2022.

LITURGY FOR CHILDREN ON SUNDAY

Did you know we have Children's liturgy in our parish? This is a wonderful way to teach your children about the faith through interactive and age appropriate sessions. We invite all children ages 4+ during the 9:30 Polish Mass and our 11 am English Mass to participate. No sign up needed.

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.

PARISH STORE

Did you know we have a parish store? It is located along the corridor leading from the Church to the Parish Hall. We offer a wide variety of religious products including rosaries, prayer cards, books and more. For a limited time, we also have a great selection of tea and coffee from Oblate missions around the world. Please follow Public Health guidelines.

FEBRUARY 20, 2022

LITURGICAL PUBLICATIONS ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up advertisement opportunities for our church bulletin. The advertisement will begin in April 2022 and supports the bulletin service. In order to participate 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?

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED

Want to become an altar server and have fun and join a great group of kids while serving at Mass? Talk with Fr. Paul after the Mass in order to see how you can join.

TEEN GROUP

Did you know we have a teen youth group which meets weekly in our parish? We meet every Friday at 7PM in the Annunciation room – unless we're going on a trip or outing which normally happens once a month! Join an amazing community and live your faith out in a practical way. Lots of fun, growth in faith and virtue, and smiles. If you would like to check it out, please chat with Fr. Paul after the Mass or email the parish office.

YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Did you know we have a young adults group which meets twice a month in our parish? Join an amazing community and grow in your faith. We meet every 2nd Thursday at 7pm in the Annunciation Room.

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!

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



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.



PALLIATIVE CARE IN CARPENTER HOSPICE

In case one of the members of your family is transferred to Carpenter Hospice, please inform the nurse on call if you would like a priest to come to perform Last Rites. The Carpenter Hospice staff will contact the parish to arrange a visit.



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