

# St. Gabriel's Roman Catholic Church

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#### **Parish Staff**

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#### **Vocation Director**

Reverend Michael King at 905-528-7988 x2246

#### Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 9 a.m.-2p.m. closed Tuesday 1 p.m.-6p.m. Friday

#### **Sunday Masses**

English 5:00 p.m. (Saturday), 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. 9:15 a.m. & 12:30 p.m. (Sunday) Polish

#### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Wednesday following the 8:00 a.m. Mass, closing with Benediction at 9:30 a.m. and every Friday from 5:30 p.m. to 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 St. Mark's School

905-332-3333 905-336-3911

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays from 4:00 - 4:45 p.m. Fridays from 6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays from 8:30 a.m. to 9:15 a.m.

#### 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**

Registration forms are available in the narthex for the 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.

#### **Perpetual Mass Intention**

parish office.

The Pallottine Fathers welcome Enrollments in the Perpetual Masses celebrated by the Pallottine Fathers in Poland.

All provided intentions, for the living and the deceased, will be included in the special Mass every day as long as the congregation exists. With an enrollment, you receive Perpetual Mass Card with the enrollee's name and the requester's name handwritten in the card. To enroll in the Perpetual Mass please visit the

#### **FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**



Mass Intentions For The Week

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21 First Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m. + Rosalia Paduch

9:30 a.m. + Maria Wołkowski (od rodziny)

11:00 a.m. Pro Populo

12:30 p.m. + Maria Poznańska (od córki)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22 Feast of The Chair

of St. Peter the Apostle

8:00 a.m. (L) Mario Villanueva

6:30 p.m. (L) O liczne łaski dla wnuków

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23 Memorial of St. Polycarp,

bishop & martyr 9:00 a.m. (L) For Campos-Rodrigez Family

6:30 p.m. + Jacek Kozłowski

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24** 

8:00 a.m. + Zdzisław Granasiuk (by M. & K. Knul) 6:30 p.m. + Adam & Wiktoria Kulig (od Marii Kulig)

7:15 p.m. Lenten Retreat – (English) Virtual

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

8:00 a.m. (L) For grace of health & blessing for Joanne

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6:30 p.m. (L) Józef Potocki (z okazji urodzin od żony)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26 Fast & Abstinence

8:00 a.m. (L) Fr. Janusz Rogiński (from Parishioners)

8:30 a.m. Stations of the Cross 6:00 p.m. Droga Krzyżowa 6:30 p.m. + Regina Laskowska

7:15 p.m. Rekolekcje Wielkopostne Wirtualne (Polish)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

9:00 a.m. + + Mieczysław i Halina Grochowscy 5:00 p.m. (L) Sandra Valencia (by Jessica)

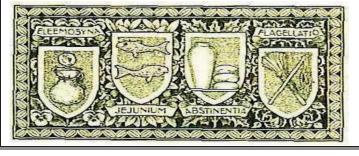
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28 Second Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m. (L) Fr. Jacek Kryń (from Parishioners)

9:30 a.m. + Bolesław Szeligowski 11:00 a.m. + Tony Beradocco

12:30 p.m. Pro Populo

5:00 p.m. Gorzkie Żale (z kazaniem pasyjnym)



### **EVENTS IN OUR PARISH**

Collection on February 14 \$ 1300

The churches of our Diocese are open again at 30% capacity with all the precautions as before the lockdown. We return to the normal schedule of the Sunday Masses: 5pm Saturday Mass, 8am and 11am Sunday Masses.

#### **CONFESSIONS**

The Sacrament of Penance is available on Wednesdays from 8:30 am to 9:30 am, Fridays from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm and on Saturdays from 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm. To arrange an appointment at a different time please call or e-mail the parish office.

#### PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING

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.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

The Financial Report for 2020 is available on our webpage.

#### **FEBRUARY**

Month of The Holy Family

"...an angel of the Lord appeared in sleep to Joseph, saying: Arise, and take the child and his mother and fly into Egypt: and be there until I shall tell thee. For it will come to pass that Herod will seek the



child to destroy him. Who arose, and took the child and his mother by night, and retired into Egypt (...)" Matthew 2, 13-14

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH, PRAY FOR US!

#### MESSAGE FROM CWL

The World Day of Prayer will be celebrated on March 5, 2021. As it will be a virtual Presentation it can be accessed via You Tube from February 15, 2021 for a month or so.

Log into wicc.org and follow the instructions to the World Day of Prayer on You Tube or check directly on You Tube.

## **FORMED**

Have you logged in yet? Go to FORMED now to experience amazing content from over 75 apostolates that you know and trust. See for yourself how the new FORMED will make learning and growing in your faith easier than ever. The membership is fully paid by the parish. To register go to **saintgabrielchurch.formed.org**, click **Register** and enter your name, e-mail address and desired password. Enjoy!

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus would like you to know that the "Share the Warmth" and the "St. Gabriel's Food Drive" Bins will be located in the entrance to the Church Office during the lockdown.

Thank you and Stay Safe the Big Heart Food Drive by the Knights of Columbus was successful, and Father Janusz has agreed that we bring it back in the community to help those in need during these tough times. Donations can be placed in the container located in the Narthex.

### EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE

#### DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER

<u>Prayer for Vocations:</u> Loving Father bless Your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers, and sisters. Give those whom You are calling to the married state and those You are choosing to live as single persons in the world the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of Your Son so that through Him, with Him, and in Him, we may love You more deeply and serve You more faithfully. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

February 15	Rev. Thomas Vermiglio, M.C.C.J.
February 16	Rev. Stephen Murrin
February 17	Ash Wednesday
February 18	Rev. Toby Collins, C.R.
February 19	Rev. Joseph de Viveiros, C.R.
February 20	Rev. Jungheon Kwak
	February 16 February 17 February 18 February 19

#### First Sunday of Lent - February 21, 2021

Lent: the springtime of the soul...is a time to make a new covenant with God and develop new signs of our relationship with our Creator. Go into your own desert and discover what God is asking of you. If you think God could be calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton, vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or call 905-528-7988.

#### ANNIVERSARY MASS 2021

The Anniversary Mass scheduled for June of 2021 has been cancelled due to restrictions and concerns around COVID-19. We invite you to register your 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60 plus years Anniversary on the Diocesan website at hamiltondiocese.com. We will send you the certificate you would have received from Bishop Crosby at the Mass.

#### STRUGGLING AFTER AN ABORTION?

Either your own, or someone else's? Do you feel alone, emotional, or angry? Project Rachel is available to help. This confidential service allows people to work through their feelings on an individual basis, with a trained counsellor, and find hope and healing. Please contact us at 905-526-1999 or toll free at 1-888-385-3850.

#### **SHARE LENT**

The Share Love, Share Lent campaign is inspired Pope Francis's encyclical, Fratelli Tutti and its call "for a love that transcends... geography and distance". Each week, the campaign explores a different aspect of Development and Peace's work and offers you ways to become involved. This week meet one of our partners from the Global South and create your own fundraising web page!

Discover more activities and join Catholics across Canada on a journey of love and solidarity throughout the Lenten period.



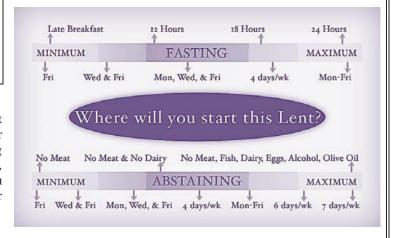
Join Halton Alive as we take you on a virtual journey to understanding the pro-life movement. Discover the work

that is being done by organizations from the local level to the

national level and how they are all connected as part of a larger movement. There will be an opportunity to chat and ask questions during



the film with a live panel discussion follow-up. Appropriate for youth and adults. Live Film Premiere: Friday, March 26, 2021 @ 8pm. Free registration: www.haltonalive.ca/lifetalks or call/text 365.366.3232



Complete abstinence and fasting is to be observed on Fridays during the Lent.



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