



# St. Gabriel's Roman Catholic Church

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## Parish Staff

Rev. Piotr Machnacki, SAC, Pastor  
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Rev. Mr. Randy Matters, Deacon  
Peter Posocco, Music Director

## Vocation Director

Reverend Michael King at 905-528-7988 x2246

## 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 9:15 a.m. & 12:30 p.m. (Sunday)

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Wednesday following the 8:00 a.m. Mass, closing with Benediction at 9:30 a.m. and every First Friday following the 6:30 p.m. Mass, ending at 8:00 p.m.

## New to the Parish

If you are new to St. Gabriel's please introduce yourself to the priest after Mass. Be sure to complete a registration form. You are welcome to become involved in any of the organizations or ministries that may interest you.

## Parish Hall Bookings

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

## Parish Schools

Notre Dame Catholic Secondary School 905-335-1544  
St. Gabriel's School 905-332-3333  
St. Mark's School 905-336-3911

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays from 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.  
Fridays from 6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.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](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca).

## Priesthood or Religious Life

For information on Priesthood or Religious Life please speak with one of the parish priests or contact the Diocesan Vocation Director Reverend Michael King at 905-528-7988. The Vocation Office website is: [www.vocationinfo.ca](http://www.vocationinfo.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.

## Halton Catholic District School Board Trustee

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## THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT



### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

#### Lector's schedule

March 3, 5:00 p.m. M. Vukovic, L.Uy  
March 4, 8:00 a.m. J. Dodson, E.J. Hunt  
March 4, 11:00 a.m. E. Kennedy, R. Beeho

Mass Collection from February 24/25 \$ 4925

### EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

#### THE OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The envelopes for weekly donation for year 2018 were moved to the parish office. **Please pick them up.**

#### TAX RECEIPT

Tax receipts for 2017 are ready for pickup in the Narthex.

#### NO POLISH MASSES

Due to the Lenten Retreat in our parish, the Holy Masses on Monday, March 5 and Tuesday, March 6, at 8:00 am and 7:00 pm will be celebrated in English.

#### REGISTRATION

We encourage all the members of St. Gabriel parish, who didn't register yet, to visit our website or the office and fill out the registration form. Being a registered parishioner is helpful in the future requirements related to the religious life.

#### FRIDAY PRAYER GROUP

After morning Mass on Friday mornings, a new prayer group meets every two weeks from 8:30 a.m. till 9:00 a.m. Before Jesus, in the Holy Monstrance, we pray for our needs and those of our parish. Come and pray with us.

#### LEGION OF MARY

We meet every Tuesday at 7:15 p.m. in St. Gabriel's Rectory meeting room. We are involved in many works such as ; nursing home visits, visiting and acting as Eucharistic Ministers to shut-ins and assisting the priest when he celebrates Mass at a nursing home every second Friday. Please consider joining this wonderful ministry. For more information, please call Cecilia 905-332-8146.

#### OUR PARISH STORE

The parish store is stocked with many religious items such as Bibles, prolife books and other various gift items. Store open Sundays after the 9:15 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Masses and Wend. at 9:30 a.m.

#### FINANCE COUNCIL

As the Parish Finance Council's term of office comes to an end we are looking for the new members. We ask all the parishioners who feel that this position would be suitable for them to offer their proposal to Fr. Piotr or contact the parish office.

#### CLEANING CREW

We are looking for volunteers to participate in cleaning the church each week. Please, consider offering your time and help keep our church in a nice and neat condition.

#### VISITING SHRINES PILGRIMAGE

You are invited to join our Pilgrimage on **July 16-20, 2018**, visiting different shrines in Quebec and Montreal. More info on our parish information board in the Narthex.

#### **MONDAY, MARCH 5**

8:00 a.m. + Lidia Czeranowski (from father, Jan Dołęgowski)  
7:00 p.m. *Lenten Retreat*  
(Eng.) + Ignacy Bajor (from Wojtkowicz Fam.)

#### **TUESDAY, MARCH 6**

9:00 a.m. Lenten Retreat for St Gabriel School  
+ Fr. Sylwester Nowocin  
7:00 p.m. *Lenten Retreat*  
(Eng.) (L) For people with addictions and those who undertake the act of abstinence

#### **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7** *Memorial of Sts. Perpetua & Felicity, martyrs*

8:00 a.m. + Fatima Maria Scagnol  
8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*  
6:30 p.m. + Ryszard Głowaczewski

#### **THURSDAY, MARCH 8** *Memorial of St. John of God, religious*

8:00 a.m. + Lidia Czeranowski (from G. & A. Latus)  
7:00 p.m. *Rekolekcje Wielkopostne*  
+ Zofia Zamojska

#### **FRIDAY, MARCH 9** *Memorial of St. Frances of Rome, religious*

8:00 a.m. + Arthur Pereira  
8:30 a.m. *Stations of the Cross*  
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. *Exposition of the Holy Sacrament*  
6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. *Droga Krzyżowa*  
7:00 p.m. *Rekolekcje Wielkopostne*  
(L) Ks. Piotr Machnacki  
7:15 p.m. **No Stations of the Cross**

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 10**

9:00 a.m. (L) Ks. Jacek Kryń- *Rekolekcje Wielkopostne*  
5:00 p.m. + Robert Marcus  
7:00 p.m. *Rekolekcje Wielkopostne*  
(L) O łaskę wiary dla Andrew

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 11** *Fourth Sunday of Lent*

8:00 a.m. (L) CWL Members  
9:15 a.m. *Rekolekcje Wielkopostne*- + Leon Marszał  
11:00 a.m. (L) For Parishioners  
12:30 p.m. **No Mass**  
1:30 p.m. Confessions  
3:30 p.m. *Gorzkie Żale (Polish liturgy with music)*  
4:00 p.m. *Rekolekcje Wielkopostne- Zakończenie*  
(L) Teresa Goździkowska

#### **Eucharistic Ministries schedule**

March 3, 5:00 p.m.: Leslie Viera, Allan Thomson,  
Christine Thomson  
March 4, 8:00 a.m.: Cecilia Advincula, Jenn Paduch,  
Victor John  
March 4, 11:00 a.m.: Arlene Salmon, Lynda Bankley,  
Nancy Meehan

**CATHOLICISM SERIES**

Did you make a new year's resolution to spend more time in prayer? Perhaps one to learn more about God and our church? Well we have a way to help you meet all of these resolutions! Join us on Thursday nights from 7:15 - 8:30 pm in the Parish Centre as Deacon Randy Matters facilitates the 10-week video series "Catholicism". We will journey with Bishop Robert Barron to more than 50 locations throughout 16 countries to learn what Catholics believe and why. The series runs from **January 18 thru March 22**. Please contact Nancy Meehan at 905-336-9915 or email at nancy.meehan25@gmail.com to register.

**EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE**

**DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR**

MONDAY	Mar. 5	Rev. James McSharry
TUESDAY	Mar. 6	Rev. Emmanuel Ogboli
WEDNESDAY	Mar. 7	Sister Adorers of the Precious Blood
THURSDAY	Mar. 8	Rev. Jeff Bergsma
FRIDAY	Mar. 9	Rev. Franjo Sprajc
SATURDAY	Mar. 10	Rev. Mark Morley

Prayer for Vocations

*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.*

**VOCATION SEEDS' IN OUR PARISH**

Third Sunday of Lent - **March 4, 2018**

Jesus cleaned out the temple of money changers. He was angry; He was zealous; He spoke with authority. He was doing what He had to do even though it involved risk, danger, insult and wonder. Such is a religious vocation in the Church. If you think God might be calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x2246, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x2246 Email: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

**THE CATHOLIC GUIDE TO BEEKEEPING!**

"Keeping the Faith while You're Keeping the Bees!" Fred Hills, professional beekeeper, gives us a fun and informative introduction to bee-keeping... Catholic-style! If you have ever wanted to know anything about the fine art of beekeeping - with a bit of Faith and Scripture thrown in - here is your chance! A fun, spirit-filled, social, night for Young Adults (19-39). Fred is also returning to his native New Zealand soon, so let's give him a proper send-off! Sunday, March 4th. At St. Margaret Mary Church (20 Idlewood Ave., Hamilton ON). 6:00 pm Holy Hour | 6:30 Rosary | 7:00 Dinner Social | 8:00 Presentation. Contact [jpeter@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:jpeter@hamiltondiocese.com) or check out 'Hamilton Catholic Young Adults' on Facebook.

**CWL PARISH EVENT - ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE PARISH** All Parishioners are invited to attend a presentation on Human Trafficking on Tuesday, **March 13th** at 7:30 pm in the Parish Hall. Norina Murray, a lay associate of the Sisters of St. Joseph will present a video and speak on this topic. A free will offering can be made at the door to aid in her work. Please join us for this important evening.

**JOIN THE "CALL FOR CONSCIENCE"**

The Government of Canada passed legislation in June 2016, legalizing assisted suicide. Despite wording in the legislation intended to protect doctors and facilities, the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario is forcing health care workers to participate in ending the lives of their patients. Ontario, however, refuses to protect doctors who object to assisted suicide. The Hamilton Diocese is wants to protect the rights of all healthcare workers. Please, write a letter (sample inserted) to your provincial Member of Parliament and consider adding your e-mail address to the Conscience Coalitions network. We all need to join the "Call for Conscience" taking place between **Feb. 6 and March 31<sup>st</sup>**.

**LENTEN MISSION**

We will have a visiting priest doing a Lenten mission at St. Raphael Parish (4072 New St, Burlington) on **March 13th**. The evening will start at 6:30 pm with reciting of the Rosary and we will have praise and worship for healing and Preaching by Fr. Vettiyanal. Please mark your calendars and be available to experience the healing of God through this day.

**DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS**

On Sunday, June 10, 2017, Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30 pm. The Mass is for couples married 25, 40, 50, 60 or 60 plus years in the year 2017. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if assistance is required). To register for the celebration, please refer to the poster in the Narthex of the Church, or go to [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com).

THE CATECHISM CORNER

**190. What must we do to love God, our neighbor, and ourselves?**

To love God, our neighbor, and ourselves we must keep the commandments of God and of the Church, and perform the spiritual and corporal works of mercy.

*My dear children, let us not love in word, neither with the tongue, but in deed and in truth. (1 John 3:18)*

**191. Which are the chief corporal works of mercy?**

The chief corporal works of mercy are seven:

1. To feed the hungry.
2. To give drink to the thirsty.
3. To clothe the naked.
4. To visit the imprisoned.
5. To shelter the homeless.
6. To visit the sick.
7. To bury the dead.



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