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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 9:15 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 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 905-332-3333
St. Mark's School 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

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 parish office.

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD



EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

Collection on May 9	\$ 1920
Society of St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 215
Maintenance & Building	\$ 145
Pallottine Missions	\$ 125

Mass Intentions For The Week

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 16

Solemnity of The Ascension of the Lord

- 9:30 a.m. 1) ++ Jan i Katarzyna Kowanda
2) ++ Zofia i Weronika Użarowska (od T. Kot)
- 11:00 a.m. 1) Pro populo
2) + Peter Le Nguyen
3) + Maria Dohar (by Wanda Risso)

MONDAY, MAY 17

- 8:00 a.m. (L) For grace of health & blessing
for Waldemar
- 6:30 p.m. + Bogdan Wagner (w rocznicę śmierci)

TUESDAY, MAY 18

*Memorial Day of St. John I,
pope & martyr*

- 9:00 a.m. + Mirosław Knul
- 6:30 p.m. (L) Zosia Pajerska

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19

- 8:00 a.m. (L) Jan i Ewa Kowanda
- 6:30 p.m. + Mirosław Knul (od Klubu Seniora)

THURSDAY, MAY 20

*Memorial Day of St. Bernardine
of Siena, priest*

- 8:00 a.m. + Malina Benna (by Joseph Mogyrosy)
- 6:30 p.m. + Mieczysław Lisowski

FRIDAY, MAY 21

*Memorial Day of St. Christopher
Magallanes, priest & Companions, martyrs*

- 8:00 a.m. (L) For grace of health for Mila Gibson
(by Ilona Hosszu)
- 6:30 p.m. + Maria Kulig

SATURDAY, MAY 22

- 9:00 a.m. (L) Wynagradzająca za grzechy w rodzinie
Kowanda

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 23

Solemnity of Pentecost

- 9:30 a.m. 1) (L) O dary Ducha Świętego dla
Waldemara, Filipa, Kasi i Mateo
2) Pro populo
- 11:00 a.m. 1) + Feliks Sanches Marin
2) + Czesław Kowal (by Granasiuk Family)
3) ++ Jan & Maria Michalak (by Teresa Kot)

MAY

Month of The Blessed

Virgin Mary

*"And the angel being come in, said
unto her: Hail, full of grace, the Lord
is with Thee: blessed art Thou among
women.*

L 1:28

Sancta Virgo virginum, ora pro nobis!

CONFESSION

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.

NEW RESTRICTIONS

According to the declaration of the state of emergency in our province we can leave our homes only for necessities. Beginning on Monday April 19, all churches in the Diocese of Hamilton are closed until further notice, except for the following:
Weddings and individual Baptisms with a total of 10 people including priest.

ENROLLMENT IN THE PERPETUAL MASSES

is available in our parish until the end of June. Please, contact the office if you would like to make arrangements.

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.

2021 PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY.

Please submit the photo of your church group to
januszroginski@gmail.com.

If you have not taken the photo of your family at the scheduled meetings but still would like to submit your family or personal photo, please send it to the mentioned above email address. Thank you.

TAX RECEIPTS

The receipts of the church donation in 2020 for the income tax purpose are in the parish office.

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!

EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER

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.

MONDAY	May 17	Rev. Rafał Tomon
TUESDAY	May 18	Rev. David Mowat, C.R.
WEDNESDAY	May 19	Seminarians
THURSDAY	May 20	Rev. Florian Stasinski, C.R.
FRIDAY	May 21	Rev. Harry Reitzel, C.R.
SATURDAY	May 22	Rev. Patrick McKelvie C.R.

Ascension of the Lord - May 16, 2021

Before the Ascension, Jesus tells His Apostles not to leave Jerusalem to wait to pray for the Holy Spirit to show them God’s will for their future. Where is the Holy Spirit leading you? If you feel that you are being led 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.

STRUGGLING AFTER AN ABORTION?

Either your own, or someone else’s? Project Rachel is 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.

CATHOLIC MOMS GROUPS

Where Moms Connect and Find Support for their Journey. Now, more than ever, moms are feeling isolated and are craving connections. A Catholic moms’ group allows women to connect with other moms, topics of interest, topics that impact their personal selves and God; it provides both support and encouragement. Beyond that, moms groups help develop friendships with other moms providing proven mental health benefits and is a way of drawing women together to form a stronger sense of parish community.

As with all ministries, parish groups will have local autonomy, but having a plan and material for getting started can make for a more successful experience. Join us for a zoom session on **Tuesday, June 1st at 7 pm**. The direct link to the page to register: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/catholic-moms>

Join Halton Alive in touching the hearts of over 6500 residents of long term care and retirement homes through our 2021 Inspire Hope Campaign!



Sidewalk Chalking Initiative:

Volunteers needed to chalk at 45 locations during **June & August!** Sign up to draw colourful designs and messages on walkways to bring joy and encouragement to the staff and residents as they go in and out. Includes discussion starters for families, teachers and groups. Sign up at www.haltonalive.ca/inspirehope or contact Tawnya Stanus 905-632-3232



St. Bernardino of Siena

(1380 –1444) was an Italian priest and Franciscan missionary. He was a systematizer of Scholastic economics. His popular preaching made him famous during his own lifetime because it was frequently directed against sorcery, gambling, infanticide, Jews, witchcraft, homosexuality, and usury. Bernardino was later canonised by the Catholic Church as a saint - where he is also referred to as “the Apostle of Italy” - for his efforts to revive the country’s Catholic faith during the 15th century. Especially known for his devotion to the Holy Name of Jesus, Bernardino devised a symbol—IHS—the first three letters of the name of Jesus in

Greek, in Gothic letters on a blazing sun. Reports of miracles attributed to Bernardino multiplied rapidly after his death, and Bernardino was canonized as a saint in 1450, only six years after his death, by Pope Nicholas V. His feast day in the Roman Catholic Church is on 20 May, the day of his death.

Walk For Life
May 29
haltonalive.ca/W4L

- Register your team
- Do the walk
- Raise funds
- Zoom chat

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