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Office Hours:

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

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Mass Intentions For The Week

MONDAY, MAY 20 *Memorial of St. Bernardine of Siena*

8:00 a.m. + + + For all souls in Purgatory
6:00 p.m. *The Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary*
6:30 p.m. + Krzysztof Socha

TUESDAY, MAY 21 *Memorial of St. Christopher & Companions, martyrs*

9:00 a.m. + + John & Helen Slomka
6:00 p.m. *The Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary*
6:30 p.m. + Teresa Goździkowska (od Janiny Onak)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22 *Memorial of St. Rita of Cascia*

8:00 a.m. + Teresa Goździkowska (from the Employment & Social Services Management Team)
8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. *The Exposition of the Most Holy Sacrament*
6:00 p.m. *The Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary*
6:30 p.m. (L) O zdrowie i błogosławieństwo dla Doroty Pajor

THURSDAY, MAY 23

8:00 a.m. + Alessandra Pigni
6:00 p.m. *The Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary*
6:30 p.m. + + Jan i Katarzyna Kowanda

FRIDAY, MAY 24

8:00 a.m. (L) David Kępa
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. *The Exposition of the Most Holy Sacrament*
6:00 p.m. *The Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary*
6:30 p.m. (L) Janina Scaular (zamówiła Maja Milijasevic)

SATURDAY, MAY 25 *Memorial of St. Bede the Venerable, the Doctor of the Church*

9:00 a.m. + Peter Le
1:30 p.m. First Holy Communion – St. Gabriel School
5:00 p.m. + Elliot Lane requested by Hilda Hall)

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 26

8:00 a.m. Missa pro populo
9:15 a.m. (L) W intencji Członków Klubu Seniora
11:00 a.m. + Zdzisław Granasiuk (requested by Dragesic Family)
12:30 p.m. + Weronika Kilian
(L) W intencji dzieci pierwszokomunijnych

Lector schedule

May 25 5:00 p.m. R. Bustamante, L. Radice-Santos
May 26 8:00 a.m. M. Huschilt, C. Guertin
May 26 11:00 a.m. M. Slobodnik, L. Uy

EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

Mass Collection from May 11/12 \$ 6253

FRIDAY PRAYER GROUP

After morning Mass on Friday mornings, a 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.

LEGION OF MARY

We meet every Tuesday at 7:15 p.m. in St. Gabriel's Rectory meeting room. We are involved in 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. For more information call Cecilia 905-332-8146.

FIRST COMMUNION – ST. GABRIEL'S STUDENTS

On **May 25** the grade 2 students from St. Gabriel's School will receive the Sacrament of Eucharist. Please keep them in your prayers.

MAY - MONTH OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Please join us for the Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary with The Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament in a month of May, Mon.-Fri. at 6:00 p.m. (in Polish).

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

The Liturgy is offered to children on **Sunday at 11:00 a.m.** during the first part of the Mass and then they return to their families for the Liturgy of Eucharist. All are welcome!

YOUTH GROUP ANNOUNCEMENT

St. Gabriel's Parishioners in Grades 7-12. What: Faith formation and Opportunity to Socialize with other youth on Friday at 7pm: **May 24.**

SOUPER SUNDAY!

Next Souper Sunday, **May 26.** Come!! ENJOY! If you want to help, contact Mark (Offering Soup/Buns, Set-up, Clean-up :)

BOTTLE DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus are holding a Bottle Drive next weekend, **May 25 and 26.** Please bring in your bottles and give them to the Knights or ushers at the back of the Church. We appreciate your ongoing support! God Bless.

100 YEARS OF PALLOTTINE FATHERS SEMINARY

The Seminary of Pallottine Fathers is renovating the main building in occasion of 100th anniversary of the foundation of the seminary. For those, who would like to help, there is a Centennial Renovation Brick that can be purchased for \$100. To endow a brick or make any donation towards the seminary please contact the parish office. Information flyer in the back of the church.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

The RCIA is a series of instructions, faith development, and rituals designed to help adults and older children become full members of the Catholic Church. Are you or someone you know interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith? Are you a Catholic who has not received First Eucharist or Confirmation, or do you know someone who is a Catholic but has not received these Sacraments?

MAY 19, 2019

The R.C.I.A. program in our parish begins in fall 2019. If you are seeking information about this program, please, contact the parish office. If you know someone who would be interested in R.C.I.A. program, please, spread the word.

EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE

VOCATION SEEDS' IN OUR PARISH

Fourth Sunday of Easter - **May 12, 2019** - World Day of Prayer for Vocations. On this Good Shepherd Sunday, we celebrate the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious consecrated life, especially for our diocese, that God will raise up good shepherds in our midst. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, D. of H. 528-7988 x 2246 or e-mail: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR

MONDAY	May 20	Rev. Frank Freitas
TUESDAY	May 21	Rev. William Foote
WEDNESDAY	May 22	Institute of Kkottongnae Sisters of Jesus
THURSDAY	May 23	Rev. Lourdy Dorismond, O.M.I.
FRIDAY	May 24	Rev. Michael Isabelle
SATURDAY	May 25	Rev. Antonio Cunha

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.

MEMORIAL MASS AT GATE OF HEAVEN CEMETERY

On Saturday, **June 8th** at 11:00, Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton, will celebrate the annual Memorial Mass at Gate of Heaven Cemetery, 580 Old York Road (at Snake Road), Burlington. For more information, please call 905-690-7547, or visit www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca. All are welcome!

WALK FOR LIFE

Will you walk with Halton Alive? With each step, we commemorate the 100,000 unborn lives lost to abortion every year in Canada and reaffirm our commitment to supporting women in unplanned pregnancies. A pro-life fundraiser the whole family can enjoy! BBQ lunch, t-shirt, and kids games included. Date: **Sat, June 1, 2019**, Time: 9:30am - 12:30pm Cost: \$20 /ticket, 12 + under are free (includes registration, walk and BBQ). Location: Burlington Christian Fellowship (2054 Mountainside Dr. Burlington).



ANNUAL LAND BLESSING

Sunday, **June 2**. St. Brigid's Villa, Ignatius Jesuit Centre, 5420 Hwy 6 N,

Guelph, ON Join us as we gather at St. Brigid's Villa at 10 am for this year's Land Blessing - what an opportunity to get out on the land and bless it for the upcoming growing season! Bring your water bottle, coffee mug, plate & utensils, and something to share for the potluck lunch. For further information go to ignatiusguelph.ca under "Events".

SUMMER PILGRIMAGE

Summer Pilgrimage to different shrines in Quebec & Montreal, **July 22-26 2019** with The Legion of Mary. We will be accompanied by Fr. Saju. For more information, please call Tas Binaday 905 578 3846 Hamilton area, Cecilia 905 332 8146 Burlington area, Gerry Mok 905 691 1105 Milton area.

8TH ANNUAL HCCEF CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC

Every Halton Student needs basic necessities like food & clothing to succeed in school.....I in 10 Halton kids have a challenge doing so. Golf for Students.....it's a fun day & you will help HCDSB students and families in need! Wednesday June 12, 2019 at Piper's Heath Golf Club, Milton. For information visit the HCCEF website - http://www.hccef.org/?post_type=events&p=3022 All are welcome. Wanted - Golfers, Sponsors & Prizes

2019 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GOLF TOURNAMENT

Tuesday, June 4 2019 at Lowville Golf Club in Burlington. Help us to raise funds to help those less fortunate in our community. Registration & Lunch 11:00 a.m. \$ 160 per player. You can register and pay online, KoC5073-Events.ca For more info please contact Jim McCarthy 905 336 3811 or 905 335 5073 or e-mail mjmccarthy83@hotmail.com

HAVE A HEART FOR HAITI

St. Margaret Mary Parish is twinned with St. Gabriel Parish in Beau-Sejour, Haiti, high in the mountains above Port-au-Prince. The Twinning Committee invites all to our family event on Sunday, **June 2, at 12:00 noon** in St. Margaret Mary School gym, 25 Brentwood Drive, Hamilton. The afternoon will include lunch, music, entertainment and a raffle. All proceeds are directed to our mission of supporting the education of some 1,000 children and youth in the Beau-Sejour area. Tickets are \$15 per person, with children under 6 free. Please see poster at the back of the church or email Haveaheart4Haiti@gmail.com for further information.

*Oh glorious St. Rita,
who didst miraculously
participate in the
sorrowful Passion of our
Lord Jesus Christ, obtain
for me the grace to suffer
with resignation the
troubles of this life, and
protect me in all my
needs. Amen.*

St. Rita's Memorial Day
May 22



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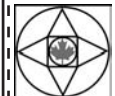


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