



# St. Gabriel's Roman Catholic Church

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## Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Janusz Roginski, SAC  
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## 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 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](http://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](http://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.

## SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



### Mass Intentions For The Week

#### MONDAY, MAY 27

*Memorial of St. Augustine of Canterbury, bishop*

8:00 a.m. ++ John & Helen Slomka  
6:00 p.m. *The Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary*  
6:30 p.m. + Teresa Goździkowska (od rodziny Gryckiewiczów)

#### TUESDAY, MAY 28

9:00 a.m. + Stela Tytus (od rodziny Kowanda)  
6:00 p.m. *The Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary*  
6:30 p.m. + Teresa Goździkowska (od Sally Hodonsky)

#### WEDNESDAY, MAY 29

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. ++ Waclaw i Rozalia Kowanda

#### THURSDAY, MAY 30

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

#### FRIDAY, MAY 31

*Feast of The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

8:00 a.m. (L) In thanksgiving from Mark  
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. + O Boże miłosierdzie dla Amelii Rak

#### FIRST SATURDAY, JUNE 1 *Memorial of St. Justin, martyr*

9:00 a.m. (L) Wynagradzająca za grzechy w rodzinie Kowanda  
9:30 a.m. *First Saturdays Devotion*  
5:00 p.m. + Stephen Dunn (from Walter & Lucille Dunn)

#### SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, JUNE 2 *Solemnity of The Ascension of the Lord*

8:00 a.m. Missa pro populo  
9:15 a.m. (L) Adam Laskowski  
11:00 a.m. (L) Pat O'Connell & Family  
12:30 p.m. ++ Waclaw i Czeslaw Zalewscy

#### Lector schedule

June 1 5:00 p.m. L. Gurusinghe, N. Meehan  
June 2 8:00 a.m. E. J. Hunt, J. Dodson  
June 2 11:00 a.m. R. Beeho, N. Meehan

## EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

Mass Collection from May 18/19 \$ 4773

#### 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

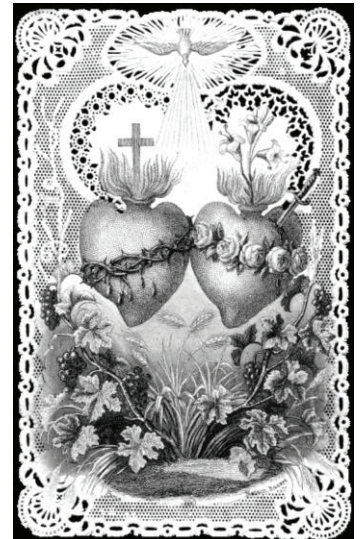
On May 25 the grade 2 students from St. Gabriel's School received the Sacrament of Eucharist. Please keep them in your prayers.

#### 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).

#### JUNE - MONTH OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

The Devotion to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus with The Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament starts on June 3 and will continue 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!

#### 100 YEARS OF PALOTTINE FATHERS SEMINARY

The Seminary of Pallottine Fathers is renovating the main building in occasion of 100<sup>th</sup> 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 26, 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.

### **SYMBOLON**

Symbolon, our parish faith enrichment program, will be continuing on Friday, **June 7** at 7:15pm in the Annunciation room of the parish rectory basement. All are welcome to watch the next 30 min. video called "Divine Revelation" and share in the discussion and refreshments following. For more information call Mary Muller 905-632-4715.

### **SPRING SALE**

**Looking for great deals?** Come and shop The Mission Group's Spring Sale. Where? Our Parish Center When? Saturday, **June 8:** 8 am - 3 pm and Sunday, **June 9:** 9 am to 2 pm. On Sunday, coffee and bakery sweets will also be available. Don't miss out. It is always a sold out success. Bring your family and friends. Cash only. See you there.

### **CWL**

Our next Meeting is Monday, **June 17, 2019**, at 6:30 pm in the Parish Centre. This is a Potluck. Pins will be presented. A donation for the Food Bank would be appreciated. All are welcome.

### **SOUPER SUNDAY**

In June Souper Sunday is Sunday, **June 23**. If you want to help, contact Mark. (Offering Soup/Buns, Set-up, Clean-up :)

## **EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE**

### **VOCATION SEEDS' IN OUR PARISH**

Sixth Sunday of Easter - **May 26, 2019**

Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him and we will come to him. How will I respond to that love? Am I being called to the priesthood or religious consecrated life? 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 27	Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos
TUESDAY	May 28	Rev. Luc Payette
WEDNESDAY	May 29	Catholic Teachers
THURSDAY	May 30	Most Rev. Matthew Ustrzycki
FRIDAY	May 31	Rev. Anthony Azzopardi
SATURDAY	June 1	Rev. Gordian Okpuruka

#### 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 8<sup>th</sup>** 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](http://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](http://ignatiusguelph.ca) under "Events".

### **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](http://KoC5073-Events.ca) For more info please contact Jim McCarthy 905 336 3811 or 905 335 5073 or e-mail [mjmccarthy83@hotmail.com](mailto:mjmccarthy83@hotmail.com)

### **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.



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