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Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.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.

Apostleship of the Holy Eucharist and Holy Hour every Thursday evening 7:00 p.m.

New to the Parish

If you are new to St. Gabriel's please introduce yourself to the priest after Mass. Make sure you get a registration form, and 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 planning on marrying 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. Please note that no dates will be booked until you have met with one of the parish priests. 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.

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 Wojciech Kuzma at 905-528-7988. The Vocation Office website is: 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 Joanne Kanerva at the parish office.

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Liturgical Ministry ~ November 7th/8th, 2015

Schedule for Lectors

5:00 p.m.	C. Guertin	M. Huschilt
8:00 a.m.	E. Kennedy	P. Cianciolo
9:15 a.m.	Z. Papuga	A. Biskup
11:00 a.m.	S. Bunting	R. Beeho

Schedule for Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 p.m.	M. Liskauskas	V. Liskauskas	
8:00 a.m.	J. Costigan	C. Advincula	
9:15 a.m.	H. Krajewska	P. Lis	D. Szczesiul
11:00 a.m.	M. Young	A. Salmon	

2015 Donation Envelopes are in the Narthex - If you do not have a set of donation envelopes and wish to use them, please contact the Parish Office. *Please do NOT use envelopes from previous years.*

Attention Rosary Leaders - We are looking for Rosary Leaders to pray the Rosary for 30 minutes prior to our Confirmation Masses, 2:30-3:00 p.m., on November 29 and December 6. If you have a special devotion and would like to be a part of this devotional prayer to Our Lady offered for the Confirmandi and prayed with their families, please contact Joanne at the parish office.

Remembrance Day - Any veteran, military personnel, brownie, cub, guide, scout or cadet who wishes to be involved as we recognize Remembrance Day and its importance to all Canadians, please speak with Father, Deacon Randy or Joanne. The 11 a.m. Mass on Sunday, November 8 will honour the importance of this day.

Attention Interested/Existing Lectors - The Diocese of Hamilton is offering Formation Days for Ministers of the Word on Saturday, November 21 at St. Michael, Waterloo; and Saturday, December 5 at St. Thomas the Apostle, Waterdown. 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. You must pre-register. For information contact the parish office. All new ministers are required to participate in one of the workshops and those previously trained are welcome to attend again.

Ecumenical Service for Climate Change - St. Paul the Apostle Parish, Burlington will host an Ecumenical Service for Climate Change on Wednesday, November 25, at 7 p.m. There will be a planning meeting on Wednesday, November 11, 7 p.m. at St. Paul's. For information call Margaret Small at 905-635-9346 or 905-599-0336. All are welcome to attend the planning meeting and service.

Church Bulletin Advertising - Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin, beginning in November 2015. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

Poinsettias - Final chance to place your orders! Same great price for the past 5 years! St. Gabriel's Knights of Columbus are taking final orders for beautiful Poinsettias in various sizes and colours after today's Mass. Don't miss out – all orders must be received by November 1. Payment and plant pickups will be at the Church after each Mass on December 12/13. All proceeds are used for charitable purposes within the St. Gabriel's Parish. Order after the Mass in the Narthex (back of the Church) or call 905 869-4972 to order. Thank you for your continued support.

Saturday, October 31st

5:00 p.m. + Teddy Uddenberg + Mary Farrell
+ Raul Montesino + Frederick Murray Hamilton

Sunday, November 1st ~ All Saints

8:00 a.m. Pastoral Intention
9:15 a.m. + Jozef i Bronislawa Gora
11:00 a.m. Missa Pro Populo
12:30 p.m. + Jacek Kozlowski

Monday, November 2nd ~ All the Faithful Departed (All Souls)

8:00 a.m. + Leon Buta
6:30 p.m. + Stefan Surma (Usnarska)

First Tuesday, November 3rd

9:00 a.m. + Angela King
6:00 p.m. Adoracja o wyzwolenie z nalogow (Adoration)
6:30 p.m. Za Parafian i Krucjate

Wednesday, November 4th ~ Saint Charles Borromeo

8:00 a.m. + Anthony & Steven Melo ~ followed by Adoration
9:30 a.m. Benediction
6:30 p.m. + Za zmarlych czlonkow Zywego Rozanca

Thursday, November 5th

8:00 a.m. + Lucille Nusum
6:30 p.m. + Fr. Sylwester Nowocien

First Friday, November 6th

8:00 a.m. + Jim Glen + Sr. Ignatius McLoughlin, CSJ
+ All Souls in Purgatory
6:30 p.m. (L) w intencji rodz. Kowanda

First Saturday, November 7th

9:00 a.m. + Fr. Wladyslaw Krukar
5:00 p.m. +Luigi DiFronzo +Domenico Catania +Maria Leonardo
+ Giuseppa Liborio + Arturo Bustamante

Sunday, November 8th ~ 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Pastoral Intention
9:15 a.m. za ojczyzne za odzyskanie niedodleglosci
11:00 a.m. Missa Pro Populo
12:30 p.m. za zmarlych z rodziny Wojcik i Stanek

OFFERING

<u>October 25, 2015</u>	<u>Donations:</u>	<u>Loose Cash:</u>
5:00 p.m. Mass	\$1,506.10	\$46.20
8:00 a.m. Mass	\$832.00	\$95.00
11:00 a.m. Mass	\$1,006.00	\$229.05
9:15 a.m. Mass	\$880.00	\$120.55
12:30 p.m. Mass	\$630.00	\$326.25

Thank you for your support of our parish and the needs of others.

IN OUR PARISH

Saint Vincent Pallotti says... "With the help of divine grace, you can do even greater things than all the saints together."

CWL Christmas Bazaar at St. Gabriel's

*Saturday, November 14th and Sunday, November 15th
9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.*

THIS IS YOUR BAZAAR! If you are able to offer your services to phone parishioners for donations of baked goods or for donations, call Helen Crooker at 905-332-3761 or Anne Walden at 905-332-3452. For specific booths see below. Cake Walk at 9:30 a.m.

FOR BOOTH INQUIRIES, PLEASE CALL:

Christmas	Emma Buczolits	905-315-9964
	or Bruna Caverson	905-332-6791
Adult Gifts	Alma Robinson	905-332-1601
	or Elaine Herod	905-335-8528
Jewellery	Patty Huschilt	905-335-9235
	or Lucille Blaney	905-336-7513
Bake Table	Convenor Needed	
Candy	Paul Muller	905-632-4715
Dolls	Morag Wilson	905-335-0758
Cake Walk	Joanne Kanerva & student	Use 905-332-3452
Clean Used Toys	Fidela Uy	905-599-1409
	or Venice Sarigumva	905-335-1409
Portraits	John Elphick	905-335-4457
Snack Bar	Josephine Osiol	905-332-3058

DONATIONS WELCOME! - New or very gently used items are appreciated for the Christmas Booth. Homemade baking, preserves, jam etc. accepted for the Bake Table. Special Cakes or Cupcakes are needed for the Cake Walk. Both men's jewellery and women's jewellery are accepted. Wine contributions are appreciated. Donations to all booths are gratefully accepted at the Parish Centre on Friday, November 13th, from 9:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Human Liberation Crusade - Every first Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. there is Eucharistic Adoration followed by Mass (in Polish). We pray for those who are suffering from addictions to alcohol, drugs or other substances. Crusade invites all people of goodwill to pray for our family members, friends or for someone who doesn't have anyone to pray for them. Jesus needs generous souls to love Him and console Him for the many sins and crimes committed in the world. The time you will spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is very precious to Him, and makes reparation for innumerable sins. He needs this gift of you to save souls. Contact: Danuta and Krzysztof Wojcik 905-272-3717.

First Friday Eucharistic Devotions (6:30 p.m.-10:00 p.m.) - The evening begins this Friday, November 6th with Mass at 6:30 p.m., followed by Adoration with devotions, confession and closing with Benediction. Our Lord said, "to all those who will receive Communion on the First Fridays, for nine consecutive months, they will receive the grace of final repentance: they will not die in my displeasure, nor without receiving the sacraments; and my Heart will be their secure refuge in that last hour."

First Saturday Mass - Come and honour our Blessed Mother, Mary. On Saturday, November 7th, and the first Saturday of each month, St. Gabriel's will be offering Mass at 9 a.m. in both English and Polish. The Mass will be followed by a half hour of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction. All are welcome.

IN OUR DIOCESE

Come and See Retreat - Men interested in the vocation to the priesthood are invited to the Come and See Retreat at St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto on the weekend of November 6th-8th. This is a unique opportunity to spend time with those studying for the priesthood, hear their stories, and pray for your vocation. More details and online registration at www.HamiltonVocations.com.

Discernment Gathering - If you are interested in learning more about vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life please join our monthly Discernment Gatherings: Mass, Holy Hour, Discussion, and Lunch. Next gathering is on Saturday November 14th at Canadian Martyr's Church in Hamilton (9am-12noon). More details at www.HamiltonVocations.com.

40 Days for Life End Rally - You are invited to first join us outside Oakville Trafalgar Memorial Hospital at 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, November 1st, then following 5 p.m. Mass at St. James Parish, we will hold a Thank You Reception & Baby Shower.

Development and Peace Annual Retreat Day - Saturday, November 7th from 9:15 to 3:15 in Ignatius Jesuit Centre in Guelph (St. Brigid's Villa) off highway 6 just north of Guelph. Topic: "The Trinity and Ecology" (Pope Francis' theme of his recent encyclical letter). Presenter: Sister Linda Gregg. \$20 appreciated.

Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar	
<i>In your charity please pray for all who minister in the church.</i>	
<i>"Here I am, Lord, send me."</i> (Isaiah 6:8)	
Monday, November 2 nd	Father Michael Sullivan
Tuesday, November 3 rd	Father Charles Schefter
Wednesday, November 4 th	Deceased Religious Sisters and Brothers
Thursday, November 5 th	Father George Stortz
Friday, November 6 th	Father Donald Wilhelm
Saturday, November 7 th	Father Michael McHugh

Youth Ministry NEWS

Please contact Joanne Kanerva, Youth Minister at 905-336-7144 ext. 28; stgabescyo@hotmail.com or check for updates on Twitter @ THEGABESZONE regarding the following:

Faith/Friends/Fun ~ The Gabe's Zone Youth Group - Fridays, 7-9 p.m. in the Parish Centre. Students grade 4 and up are welcome to attend this fun, faith filled group experience. Space is limited. \$45 per child; October-June. Older students needed as leaders!!!

Preparation for Confirmation 2015 - If your child does not attend a Catholic school or has delayed reception of the Sacrament for any reason and wishes to be Confirmed, contact Joanne regarding preparation. Confirmation is on Sunday, November 29th.

Prayer Buddies Program - Children from our Catholic schools will be asked to pray for a Parish "Buddy" in need of ongoing prayer support. If you would like to have your name, or the name of a loved one included, call Joanne. Personal details are confidential. Only the information that you allow will be given to the class praying for you.

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