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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.

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING



EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

Mass Collection November 16/17 \$ 5388
 Building & Maintenance \$ 1285

This week in our Parish: Non 25 – Dec 1

Mass Intentions For The Week

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25 Memorial of St. Catherine of Alexandria, virgin & martyr

8:00 p.m. + + + All souls in Purgatory
 6:30 P.m. (L) O łaskę zdrowia dla Bronisławy Strejch

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26

9:00 a.m. + Brandon Lyons (from Ann Cole)
 6:30 p.m. + Zdzisław Granasiuk

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

8:00 a.m. + + John & Helen Slomka
 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. The Exposition of the Most Holy Sacrament
 6:30 p.m. + Zofia Brzuchacz (od rodziny Tarnowskich)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28

8:00 a.m. + Maria Wałkowska (from Grzegorz & Teresa Kuźmińscy)
 6:30 p.m. (L) W intencji Księży

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29

8:00 a.m. + Dominic Madden (from Ann Cole)
 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. The Exposition of the Most Holy Sacrament
 6:30 p.m. (L) Marek Kazimierski

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Feast of St. Andrew, apostle

9:00 a.m. + Zofia Brzuchacz (od Władysławy Biskup)
 5:00 p.m. + Robert Forbes (from Maureen Forbes)

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1

First Sunday of Advent

8:00 a.m. Missa Pro Populo
 9:15 a.m. (L) Za członków Żywego Różańca
 11:00 a.m. + Joe Murphy (from Bake-Murphy Family)
 12:30 p.m. + + + Za amarych z rodziny Duszyńskich (od Władysławy Biskup)

Monday	☼ Directory Photo Day (by appointment) 2:30 pm – 8:30 pm <i>Parish Centre</i>
Tuesday	☼ Directory Photo Day (by appointment) 10:00 am – 4:00 pm <i>Parish Centre</i> ☼ Legion of Mary 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm <i>Youth Room</i> ☼ RCIA Course 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm <i>Annunciation Room</i>
Wednesday	☼ Directory Photo Day (by appointment) 10:00 am – 4:00 pm <i>Parish Centre</i> ☼ Beaver (Scouts) 6:00 – 8:00 pm <i>Parish Centre</i> ☼ Venturers (Scouts) 6:30 – 9:30 pm <i>Youth Room</i> ☼ Choir Practice 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm <i>Church</i>
Thursday	☼ Directory Photo Day (by appointment) 10:00 am – 4:00 pm <i>Parish Centre</i> ☼ Cenacle of the Marian Movement of Priests (Spanish) 9:00 am – 10:30 am <i>Church</i> ☼ Scout Meeting 6:30 pm – 9:30 pm <i>Parish Centre</i> ☼ Baptism Preparation 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm <i>Annunciation Room</i> ☼ Discussion Group 7:15 PM – 8:15 PM <i>Youth Room</i>
Friday	☼ Directory Photo Day (by appointment) 2:30 pm – 8:30 pm <i>Parish Centre</i> ☼ Symbolon 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm <i>Annunciation Room</i> ☼ Youth Group 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm <i>Youth Room</i>
Saturday	☼ Directory Photo Day (by appointment) 9:30 am – 3:30 pm <i>Parish Centre</i> ☼ Peruvian Dinner 6:00 pm – 11:00 pm <i>Parish Centre</i> ☼ Sale of religious articles from Bialorus 9:00 am -2:00 pm <i>Narthex</i>

MASS CARDS

will no longer be provided in the narthex. Please book all Mass intentions through the parish office.

LEGION OF MARY

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.



Eucharistic Ministers Schedule

Nov 30 5:00 p.m. J. Grysak, L.Vieira
 Dec 1 8:00 a.m. J. Paduch, C. Advincula, A. Clarridge
 Dec 1 11:00 a.m. J. Schindler, N. Meehan

Lectors Schedule

Nov 30 5:00 p.m. A. Cholewka, L. Gurusinghe
 Dec 1 8:00 a.m. J. Dodson, E.J. Hunt
 Dec 1 11:00 a.m. M. Slobodnik, M. Huschilt

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!

PARISH DIRECTORY

Parish Photo Directory photos begin this week **November 25-30** by appointment only. Our last directory was 8 years ago so everyone

November 24, 2019

is excited for this new Parish Directory which will strengthen our faith community! Please remember your appointments and remember to smile!

SYMBOLON

Our parish has been running a monthly faith formation program called 'Symbolon' since the spring. They have been very informative and inspiring. Our next video is entitled 'Who is Jesus? Just a Good man or Lord of our Lives?' We will be meeting on Friday, **November 29** at 7:15 in the Annunciation room of the Rectory basement. All are invited.

SOUND & TASTE OF PERU – TE VEO ALLÍ!

Mark your calendar for the Peruvian Dinner. Funds raised will go towards our church's Emergency Fund! The dinner will take place on Saturday, **November 30th** starting at 6:00 pm. in our Parish Centre. Menu: Appetizer – *chicken stuffed avocado*, Main course – choice of beef *lomo soltado* or chicken, Dessert – cream *Avoliada* or *Mozzarrá Morada*. Tickets are available after Sunday Masses at the back of the church. The prices are as follows: \$25 per adult or \$ 10 children 10 and under.

THANK YOU 13TH BURLINGTON SCOUTS

Another BIG thank you to our Scout group for lighting up our parking lot. Last week the broken lamps were replaced with new, low wattage fixtures which not only save us money on hydro but also keeps everyone safe on the property. A special thank you to Halton Electric for donating the boom truck needed to do the job. This was a huge cost savings from having to rent one.

CHRISTMAS ANGEL TREE

This Year our Angel Tree will be in the narthex on **November 30th**. Each angel will either represent a person in need within our parish boundaries or a shut in. Please return the wrapped gift or gift card with the angel attached no later than **December 15th**. If someone wishes to make a donation which will assist our SSVP Conference, kindly make a cheque payable to St. Gabriel's, in the memo area note 100% to SSVP and your envelope number. In this way, 100% of your donation will go to SSVP and you will get a tax receipt for your donation. All deliveries will be made Wed. **December 18**. We urge you to return the gift /cheque on time otherwise someone will be deprived. Thank you in advance for your generosity. Saint Vincent De Paul, St. Gabriel Conference.

SACRISTAN NEEDED

We are looking for someone who would be able to fulfil the Sacristan Duty once a month on Friday night or Saturday morning. Training provided.

ONE HEART ONE SOUL CAMPAIGN

The *One Heart One Soul* Campaign is in progress. Up to date the campaign has raised **133 670.00 CAD** through 52 pledges. Thank you to all who supported this event.

EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE

VOCATION SEEDS

Feast of Christ the King - November 24, 2019

Jesus, remember me when you come into your Kingdom. Can you lead others to make this request of our Lord and King? Give your life to Jesus and others are sure to hear, *A Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.* If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, and Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 or email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

MONDAY	November 25	Rev. Marko Puljic, O.F.M.
TUESDAY	November 26	Rev. Stipe Renic, O.F.M.
WEDNESDAY	November 27	D. of Hamilton Cemetery Staff
THURSDAY	November 28	Rev. Peter Watters
FRIDAY	November 29	Rev. Ilija Petkovic
SATURDAY	November 30	Rev. Msgr. Ivan Vuksic

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR

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.

FOSTERING AND ADOPTION OPPORTUNITIES

CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY OF HAMILTON

Learn more about Fostering and Adoption by registering to attend a Fostering and Adoption Online Information Session (Webinar)

Monday, **December 2nd** 2019 from 6:30pm-8:00p. Contact the Foster and Adoption Recruitment Coordinator, Niamh O'Flaherty by ph.# (905) 525-2273 or email niamh.oflaherty@hamiltonccas.on.ca. The Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton is committed to inclusion and equity, and welcome fostering applications from ALL families who want to provide a safe and happy home to a child in care. www.hamiltonccas.on.ca

SENSORY FRIENDLY MASS

Mary Mother of God in Oakville will offer a monthly Mass for Catholics (young and old) with sensory sensitivities including Autism, Down Syndrome, Sensory Processing Disorder, ADHD and other sensory differences. You can expect lower lighting, softer music, shorter and more literal homilies, low gluten hosts and the freedom to move around if necessary. Feel free to bring whatever supports you may need. All Masses are on the second Sunday of the month at 3:00 pm. Dates for the sensory friendly Masses are: **Dec. 15, Jan. 12, Feb. 9, March** (cancelled for March Break), **April 12, May 10, and June 14**. For more info, contact Debbie Frey at youth.mmogp@bellnet.ca



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Feast Day November 30

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