

# St. Gabriel's Roman Catholic Church

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# Parish Staff

Rev. Piotr Machnacki, SAC, Pastor Rev. Jacek Kryn, SAC, Associate Pastor Rev. Mr. Randy Matters, Deacon Peter Posocco, Music Director

# **Vocation Director**

Reverend Michael King at 905-528-7988 x2246

# **Office Hours:**

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday	9 a.m2p.m.
Tuesday	closed
Friday	1 p.m6p.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.

# **New to the Parish**

If you are new to St. Gabriel's please introduce yourself to the priest after Mass. Be sure to complete a registration form. 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 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.

# **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 Reverend Michael King 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 Anne Jamieson at 905-528-7988.

## Halton Catholic District School Board Trustee Jane Michael, Trustee for Wards 3 & 6

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## TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

## **MONDAY, OCTOBER 16**

Memorial of St. Hedwig & St. Marguerite d'Youville

8:00 a.m. (L) Sandra Allemano
6:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary (Eng. & Pol.)
6:30 p.m. + Paweł Socha

### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17**

Memorial of St.Ignatius of Antioch, bishop & martyr

9:00 a.m (L) Maria Kulig
6:00 p.m. *Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary*6:30 p.m. + Jan Gronowski

## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18

Memorial of St. Luke, Evangelist

- 8:00 a.m. (L) Fr. Piotr Machnacki
- 8:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. Exposition of the Holy Sacrament
- 6:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary
- 6:30 p.m. (L) Bronisława i Roman Wargaccy

### **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19**

8:00 a.m.	(L) Krystyna & Andrzej Dzikowski
6:00 p.m.	Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary
6:30 p.m.	+ Steve Horvat

# FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20

8:00 a.m. (L) For protection from evil for Vincent
8:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
6:30 p.m (L) O zdrowie i błogosławieństwo dla Jana i Jadwigi w rocznicę ślubu

# SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21

9:00 a.m.	(L) Jack Waldron (10 urodziny)
(Eng.& Pol.)	
9:30 .am.	Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary 🐰
5:00 p.m.	(L) Members of the Youth Group of our parish
	+ + Irena & Tadeusz Kropiewnicki
	+ Renata Megga
	+ Robert Forbes

+ + Alessandro & Serina Federiconi

### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22**

World Mission Sunday

- 8:00 a.m.Missa pro populo9:15 a.m.+ Kasia i Franek Pieczara
- 11:00 a.m. (L) Kaitlin & Szczepan Lee-Bun
- 12:30 p.m. + + Tadeusz I Marek Woziwodzki

### **Eucharistic Ministries schedule**

October 21, 5:00 p.m.:	Allan Thomson, Christine
	Thomson, Leslie Viera
October 22, 8:00 a.m.:	Jenn Paduch, Victor John,
	Cecilia Advincula
October 22, 11:00 a.m.:	Arlene Salmon, Nancy Meehan,
	Linda Bankley
Lector's schedule	-

#### Lector's schedule October 21, 5:00 p.

October 21, 5:00 p.m.	A. Cholewka, P. Mitton
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October 22, 8:00 a.m. M. Huschilt, E.J. Hunt October 22, 11:00 a.m. L. Gurusinghe, A. Walden

Mass Collection from Oct.7/Oct.8 \$5473.05

#### The Sacrament of Penance

The Priest is available in confessional on Wednesday from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., Friday 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., Saturday from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. for all who seek reconciliation with God. For special request please call for an appointment.

# <u>EVENTS IN OUR PARISH</u>

#### THE ROSARY APOSTOLATE IN THE SCHOOLS ...

...is seeking volunteers who have a great devotion to the Mother of God and who are willing to visit our elementary schools to pray the Rosary with the children in total of 8 times in the year. For info & training please call Melba 289 208 9483 or Angela 905 315 8224

#### CHALICE

On the weekend of October 21-22 Deacon Basil Markides will preach at all the Masses about the ministry of *Chalice* to the poor in the developing world.

#### BEAUTIFUL POINSETTIAS, CAKES & COOKIES

St. Gabriel's Knights of Columbus are taking orders for beautiful poinsettias in various sizes and colours after each Mass on October 21/22 and October 28/29. This year why not try our delicious cakes and cookies! <u>Don't miss out – all orders must be received by November 5.</u> Payment and pickups will be at the Church after each Mass on December 9/10. All proceeds are used for charitable purposes within the St. Gabriel's Parish. Thank you for your support!

#### PIERWSZA KOMUNIA SWIĘTA PO POLSKU

Spotkanie z rodzicami dzieci, ktore będą przystępować do Pierwszej Komunii Świetej w języku polskim odędzie się 1 października po Mszy św. o godz 9:15. Lista dzieci jeszcze otwarta.

#### CWL MEETING

The next CWL Meeting is Monday October 16, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Centre. Please bring your Rosary. All are welcome. Please remember to have your Nominations for the 2018 - 2019 Executives in by October 15<sup>th</sup>.

#### CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

This year the Christmas Bazaar in our parish will be held on November 25. Details to follow.

# **EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE**

#### ALL SOULS DAY MASS AT HOLY SEPULCHRE CEMETERY

Most Reverend Anthony Tonnos, Bishop emeritus of Hamilton, will celebrate the annual All Souls Day Memorial Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, 600 Spring Gardens Road, Burlington, on Sunday, October 29, at 2:00. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please call (905) 522-7727, (800) 661-5985, or visit www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca.

#### HCCEF EVENING WITH BISHOP CROSBY - WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2017

Proceeds support the HCCEF Student Guardian Program. Donors and supporters help Halton students in need to wake up with food in their bellies, clothes on their back, and to feel a great sense of excitement and

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inclusion by going on that school trip/experience of a lifetime. 5:30 pm – Reception / Photos with the Bishop, 6:30pm – Dinner. Le Dome Banquet Hall, 1173 North Service Rd E, Oakville \$900 Table Sponsor (10 Tickets + single ad + signage\*), Sponsorships on

#### sale until: October 25, 2017

\$750 / table of 10 or \$75 / ticket. Tickets on sale until: October 27, 2017. For more information, please contact: Marc Clare, Executive Director, c/o 3230 Woodward Ave. Burlington, ON L7N 3P1 or clarema@hccef.org or call: 905-632-6314, ext. 248

#### 40 DAYS FOR LIFE, SEPTEMBER 27 - NOVEMBER 5, 8AM TO 8PM

Pray as a family this fall. Join this peaceful, and effective International Prayer Movement. Our prayer community has helped to save 13,305 women's lives. Your presence makes a difference - Choose a prayer hour from 8am to 8pm. Visit: 40daysforlife.com/oakville Email: 40daysforlife.oakville@gmail.com

#### MARRIAGE TIP 80

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Marriages that are cared for reap rewards as the years pass: both people feel connected and in love; children feel secure in the love of their parents; they share times of joy and an ability to pull together when trials present themselves. Couple care includes spending time together, using good communication skills, and asking each other, "What are we doing well, what could we be doing better." The rewards for continuous care of your marriage are endless!

(Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

#### VISION MATE

A number of community members that are blind or partially sighted are in need of local assistance. To support this, your local CNIB is recruiting volunteers for our Vision Mate program. Vision Mate volunteers work with clients that are blind or partially sighted for one-on-one assistance in the community. Volunteers help clients with activities such as reading, organizing, walking and shopping; outings such as going to the movies, events and even simple things like coffee & conversation. If any parishioners are interested in becoming a volunteer, they can contact David Wallis, Program Lead, Peer & Home-based Support at 888-275-5332 ext. 5304 or david.wallis@cnib.ca

#### CAN YOU HELP BIRTHRIGHT HAMILTON?

Imagine being pregnant unexpectantly. Imagine not knowing where to turn for help. Imagine knowing there is somewhere to go for support and care. Well, there is such a place for those facing an unplanned pregnancy, Birthright, and we need volunteers to be sure we are there whenever someone reaches out for help. We provide a bridge over the gap between those first days of fear and the ultimate joy at the birth of a child. Our presence, along with free pregnancy tests, counselling and many other services, help those facing a pregnancy say "yes" to life. Can you help us reach out to them in their time of need by becoming a volunteer? If so, please call Birthright at 905 527-3677 and ask for Eva.

#### **GRIEF RELIEF**

Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you wondering if these feelings are normal? You are not alone! "Grief Relief" - a six week educational and support series dealing with grief. Tuesdays, Oct. 24 – Nov. 28 at 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. In Diocese of Hamilton Chancery Office – 700 King St. West, Hamilton. Facilitated by Karen Hulley (Trained Grief Facilitator); There is no cost to participate. You are free to attend all sessions, or any one or more you can. To register call the Family Ministry Office: 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or e-mail:familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com,or on-line at www.hamiltondiocese.com

#### SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL STORES

Please visit our Saint Vincent de Paul Next To New Stores at 200 Parkdale Ave. N. or 969 Upper Ottawa St. for good quality clothing, shoes, furniture, household items, books, dvd, cd and much more. New items daily! Please call 905 549 3902 for free pick up of your gently used donations. Volunteers always welcome.

#### CHRISTMAS DINNER AND DANCE FOR CATHOLIC SINGLES

We are inviting All Heterosexual Catholic Singles aged 19-99 yrs. to join us for our Formal Christmas Dinner and Dance for Catholic SINGLES on Sat Dec 9/17 from 7:30pm to 11:45pm. Seating by Age Group! Pre-Pay all Tickets by Nov 25/17 by Cash in person or email transfer at <u>canadacatholicsingles@gmail.com</u> or call Barb at 647 207 3162. Cost of Ticket: *\$45.00 including Tax plus Cash/Bar...* 

# THE CATECHISM CORNER

#### 152. Which is the one true Church established by Christ?

The one true Church established by Christ is the Catholic Church. "And other sheep I have that are not of this fold. Them also I must bring, and they shall hear my voice, and there shall be one fold and one shepherd." (John 10:16)

#### 153. How do we know that the Catholic Church is the one true Church established by Christ?

We know that the Catholic Church is the one true Church established by Christ because it alone has the marks of the true Church. "Holy Father, keep in thy name those whom thou hast given me, that they may be one, as we also are." (John 17:11)

#### 154. What do we mean by the marks of the Church?

By the marks of the Church we mean certain clear signs by which all men can recognize it as the true Church founded by Jesus Christ.

#### 155. What are the chief marks of the Church?

The chief marks of the Church are four: It is one, holy, catholic or universal, and apostolic.

#### 156. Why is the Catholic Church one?

The Catholic Church is one because all its members, according to the will of Christ, profess the same faith, have the same sacrifice and sacraments, and are united under one and the same visible head, the Pope. "Because the bread is one, we though many, are one body, all of us who partake of the one bread." (I Corinthians 10:17)

St.Luke - Feast Day October 18, was possibly born a slave in Syria, the patron of physicians and surgeons, shown with an ox, a symbol that emphasizes the sacrifice and the atonement of the Saviour.





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