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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 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.

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TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mass Collection from Oct.14/Oct.15 \$ 5833.-

Eucharistic Ministries schedule

October 28, 5:00 p.m.: Allan Thomson, Christine Thomson, Leslie Viera
October 29, 8:00 a.m.: Jenn Paduch, Victor John, Cecilia Advincula
October 29, 11:00 a.m.: Arlene Salmon, Nancy Meehan,

Lector's schedule

October 28, 5:00 p.m. C. Guertin, M. Muller
October 29, 8:00 a.m. M. Vukovic, J. Segismundo
October 29, 11:00 a.m. S. Bunting, M. Slobodnik

EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

REGISTRATION

We encourage all the members of St. Gabriel parish, who didn't register yet, to visit our website or the office and fill out the registration form. Being a registered parishioner is helpful in the future requirements related to religious life.

ALL SOULS MONTH

During the month of November we pray for our dear deceased. In the bulletin there is an envelop that could be filled out with the names of those among your family and friends who passed away and for whom you would like to pray during the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Please print the names clearly to avoid the misspelling.

EARTHQUAKE RELIEF

Dear Parishioners, thank you for your generous participation in the fundraiser for Mexican earthquake relief. We will send \$1,250.00 to assist in rebuilding structures damaged by the recent earthquake. To all those who helped or donated in any way, we express our many thanks.



HELP NEEDED

We would like to ask all the volunteers from Cleaning Crew to help with cleaning our Sanctuary for another month. Thank you.

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! Don't miss out – all orders must be received by November 5. 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!

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23

Memorial of St. John of Capistrano, priest

8:00 a.m. (L) Alicja & Marek Pajerski
6:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary
6:30 p.m. + Bolesław Berek

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24

Memorial of St. Anthony Mary Claret, bishop

9:00 a.m. (L) For grace of life acc. to the teaching of the Holy Church for Marcelina & Keith
6:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary
6:30 p.m. + Maria & Tadeusz Partyka

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25

8:00 a.m. + Maria Butera
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Exposition of the Holy Sacrament

Due to the Clergy Seminar there are no Masses on Oct 25 at 6:30 pm, Oct 26 at 8:00 am & 6:30 pm, Oct 27 at 8:00 am. Masses scheduled for those days were moved to the following dates:

6:30 p.m. (L) Teresa & Ludwik Goździkowscy
moved to Dec. 25 at 9:15 am

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

8:00 a.m. + Victor Jose Pinto Pegado (from Pegado Family) **moved to Nov. 29 at 8:00 am**
6:30 p.m. + + + Anna, Andrzej, Ludwik Mikołajczyk
moved to Dec. 15 at 6:30 pm

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27

8:00 a.m. (L) Fr. Piotr Machnacki, **moved: Dec. 4 at 8:00**
6:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary
6:30 p.m. (L) O zdrowie i błogosławieństwo dla Mateusza z okazji urodzin

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28

Feast of St. Simon & St. Jude, the Apostles

9:00 a.m. (L) O łaskę głębokiej wiary i powrotu do Kościoła dla Marceliny
9:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary
5:00 p.m. + Mary Strejch (from B. Strejch)
+ Marjorie Forbes
+ Alice Durham
+ Chris Fuller
+ Jan Jaroszewicz

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29

8:00 a.m. Missa pro populo
9:15 a.m. + + Edward Gruz & Stanisław Sęk
11:00 a.m. (L) Bruna & Richie Caverson
12:30 p.m. + Mirek Górski

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.

ST. ANN'S HAMILTON PARISH BAZAAR

Sat. Nov. 4th from 2pm to 7pm Sun. Nov. 5th from 10am to 1pm
Held at St. Ann's School gym, corner of Barton St. E. & Sherman Ave. N. Mammoth Penny Sale with over 150 new items being raffled. Capital Prize tickets for \$1 per ticket with cash prizes starting at \$1,000 Café with food & refreshments for sale and a Bake Table. All are welcome – wheelchair accessible.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Please join us for Christmas Bazaar at St. Patrick's church hall, 196 Kenwood Avenue, on Saturday, November 4th. from 9 am to 3 pm. Silent Auction, fabulous bake table, a 'nearly new' area, Christmas corner, penny raffle, 50/50 draws and much more! Soup & sandwich lunch. We are wheelchair accessible

THE BELL BAZAAR – SATURDAY, NOV. 4TH

from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Holy Rosary Church, 287 Plains Rd. East in Aldershot. Join us for Lunch in our tearoom, Penny Sale, Baking, Crafts. Lucky Dips and Santa for kids! All are welcome—free admission—fully accessible parking / facilities.

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

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 unexpectedly. 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.

PARENTS AND GUARDIANS OF GRADE 7&8 STUDENTS

In Catholic, Public and Private Elementary Schools. Notre Dame Catholic Secondary School cordially invites the parents of grade 7&8 Students to attend a Grade 9 Information Evening Tuesday, November 14, 2017, 6:00pm – Open House/School Tours

7:00 pm. – Opening remarks in the Notre Dame Cafeteria
Notre Dame Catholic Secondary School, 2333 Headon Forest Drive

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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 canadacatholicssingles@gmail.com or call Barb at 647 207 3162.
Cost of Ticket: \$45.00 including Tax plus Cash/Bar...

THE CATECHISM CORNER

157. Why is the Catholic Church holy?

The Catholic Church is holy because it was founded by Jesus Christ, who is all-holy, and because it teaches, according to the will of Christ, holy doctrines, and provides the means of leading a holy life, thereby giving holy members to every age.

A good tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor can a bad tree bear good fruit. Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. Therefore, by their fruits you will know them. (Matthew 7:17-20)

158. Why is the Catholic Church catholic or universal?

The Catholic Church is catholic or universal because, destined to last for all time, it never fails to fulfill the divine commandment to teach all nations all the truths revealed by God.

And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in the whole world, for a witness to all nations. (Matthew 24:14)

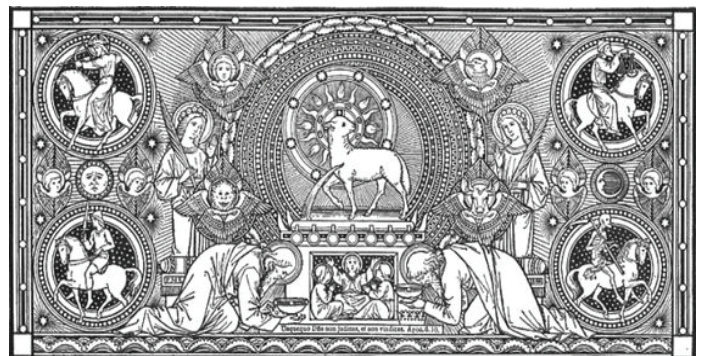
159. Why is the Catholic Church apostolic?

The Catholic Church is apostolic because it was founded by Christ on the apostles and, according to His divine will, has always been governed by their lawful successors.

And I say to thee, thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. (Matthew 16:18)

160. How do we know that no other church but the Catholic Church is the true Church of Christ?

We know that no other church but the Catholic Church is the true Church of Christ because no other church has these four marks.



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