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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-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, OCTOBER 2

*Memorial of Holy Guardian
Angels*

8:00 a.m. (L) Zosia Pajerska (w dniu urodzin)
6:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary
6:30 p.m. + + W. & A. Krajewski

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3

9:00 a.m. Msza św. dziękczynna od rodziny Freyberg
6:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary
6:30 p.m. (L) Za parafian i członków Krucjaty

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4

*Memorial of St. Francis of
Asisi*

8:00 a.m. (L) Teresa i Ludwik Goździkowski
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. + Stanisława Skruch (od rodziny)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5

8:00 a.m. (L) Lidia Guzik
6:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary
6:30 p.m. (L) Andrew Smith
Wspomnienie św. Faustyny Kowalskiej, dziewicy

FIRST FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6 *Memorial of St. Bruno, priest*

8:00 a.m. (L) Fr. Czesław Kolasa
10:00 a.m. St. Gabriel School Mass
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Holy hour with Holy Rosary
6:30 p.m. Msza św. wynagradzająca od rodziny
(Eng. & Pol.) Kowanda

FIRST SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7 *Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary*

9:00 a.m. (L) O miłosierdzie boże i opiekę dla Kuby
9:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Holy Rosary
5:00 p.m. + Albert Goulet
+ Honarina Leite (from Maria Melo)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8

8:00 a.m. Missa pro populo
9:15 a.m. + John Biskup
11:00 a.m. (L) CWL Members
12:30 p.m. (L) O zdrowie i boże błogosławieństwo dla
rodziny Rudziejewskich

Eucharistic Ministries schedule

October 7, 5:00 p.m.: Allan Thomson, Christine
Thomson, Leslie Viera
October 8, 8:00 a.m.: Jenn Paduch, Victor John,
Cecilia Advincula
October 8, 11:00 a.m.: Arlene Salmon, Nancy Meehan,
Linda Bankley

Lector's schedule

October 7, 5:00 p.m. N. Meehan, L. Radice
October 8, 8:00 a.m. J. Dodson, J. Elphick
October 8, 11:00 a.m. A. DeCova, R. Beeho

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.

Wednesday Morning Holy Hour

Every Wednesday after morning Mass, there is the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Please come and spend some time with God. He is truly present in the monstrance on the altar. Spending time with God will fortify us with graces and fight the evils of the world. Just come. You will be blessed.

EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

EARTHQUAKE RELIEF

The world was shocked to hear about the recent earthquake and death toll in Mexico. We want to help the victims of this terrible disaster. On **Sunday, October 8 after each Mass**, we invite every parishioner to come and enjoy a coffee and a sweet and make a donation for earthquake relief. We are our brothers' keepers.



SUNDAY LITURGY FOR CHILDREN

In October we will start Children Liturgy on 11:00 a.m. Mass. All children are welcome!

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



ALTAR SERVING MINISTRY

We are currently recruiting new members to join us in the Altar Serving ministry at St. Gabriel's Church. This ministry is open to any parishioner who has made his/her First Holy Communion and has a

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calling to serve. High school students can attain their volunteer hours. If you or your child would like to join this team, please speak to Father Piotr, Father Jacek or Deacon Randy after any Mass. You may also contact the office and they will put you in touch with the altar server coordinator, Paula Mitton.

PIERWSZA KOMUNIA SWIĘTA PO POLSKU

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

COURSE R.C.I.A.

The first meeting with candidates for R.C.I.A. program in our Parish is scheduled for October 8th right after the Holy Mass at 11:00 am. For details please contact the office.

CWL MEETING

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

Mass Collection from Sept.30/Oct.1 \$ 4342.-
Needs of Canadian Church \$ 912.-

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NOVEMBER 1, 2017

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\$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@hccf.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

LIFE CHAIN IN BURLINGTON 2017

A peaceful, prayerful, silent witness for the unborn in our community. Join pro-lifers across North America as we make a visual statement of solidarity to end abortion and honour the lives of over 54 million children lost to abortion. Stand for those without a voice!

Sunday, October 1, 2017
from 2:30 to 3:30pm
Fairview St. & Maple Ave.



TODAY!

“KEYS TO LOVING RELATIONSHIPS”

“Keys” is a ten week video-based program meant for anyone (married or single) who is looking to develop the skills needed to have the most meaningful relationship you can with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better “me” in all your relationships! The program runs Thursday evenings from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. starting September 28, at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W, Hamilton. The cost is \$45.00. For more information, please call the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249.

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

THE STANISLAW SMOLINSKI FOUNDATION

It is that time of the year again to put in the announcement for the Smolinski Scholarship applications. The Applicant must be at least the second year of full time studies of a recognized program. The application this year will be available on line at stankostka.ca

THE CATECHISM CORNER

147. Did Christ give special power in His Church to any one of the apostles?

Christ gave special power in His Church to Saint Peter by making him the head of the apostles and the chief teacher and ruler of the entire Church.

But Peter, standing up with the Eleven, lifted up his voice and spoke out to them. (Acts 2:14)

148. Did Christ intend that the special power of chief teacher and ruler of the entire Church should be exercised by Saint Peter alone?

Christ did not intend that the special power of chief teacher and ruler of the entire Church should be exercised by Saint Peter alone, but intended that this power should be passed down to his successor, the Pope, the Bishop of Rome, who is the Vicar of Christ on earth and the visible head of the Church.

149. Who assist the bishops in the care of souls?

The priests, especially parish priests, assist the bishops in the care of souls.

And when they had appointed presbyters for them in each church, with prayer and fasting, they commended them to the Lord in whom they had believed. (Acts 14:22)

150. Who are the laity of the Church?

The laity of the Church are all its members who do not belong to the clerical or to the religious state.



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