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Reverend Michael King at 905-528-7988 x2246

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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Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, October 10

8:00 a.m. + Josie Caradonna
6:30 p.m. + Jozefina, Stefan Freyberg

Tuesday, October 11

9:00 a.m. Pastoral intention
6:30 p.m. + Waclaw Wojtkowski

Wednesday, October 12

8:00 a.m. + Rozalia Paduch (1 rocz.)
8:30 a.m. Holy Hour and Benediction
6:30 p.m. + Waclaw Wojtkowski

Thursday, October 13

Feast of Our Lady of Fatima apparition

8:00 a.m. + David Fuller
6:30 p.m. Polish/English Mass
O zdrowie dla Waclawa Chrzaszcz
Followed by rosary and procession in English and Polish.

Friday, October 14

8:00 a.m. O zdroje lask dla Anny Rog
5:30 p.m. Divine Mercy Hour of Adoration
5:35 p.m.- 6:15 p.m. Confessions
6:30 p.m. + Tadeusz Usnarski

Saturday, October 15

9:00 a.m. +Jadwiga Kozacki
9:30 a.m. Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
5:00 p.m. Henry Allan Smith
+ Joe & Mona Mattiacci (from children)
4:00 p.m.- 4:45p.m. Confessions

Sunday, October 16

8:00a.m For all parishioners
9:15 a.m. + Krystyna Fel
11:00 a.m.+ Fran Walsh (Rose Anne Sam Galante)
12:30 p.m. + Janina Jozef Szydowski

Divine Mercy Hour of Adoration - Every Friday from 5:30 p.m.to 6:30 p.m. there is an hour of Adoration devoted to the Divine Mercy. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed in Polish and English. Please join us in an hour of devout prayer.

OFFERING

October 2, 2016

Our gift to God:

Envelopes	\$4,823.50
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OUR PARISH NEWS

On October 13, our parish will honor the apparition at Fatima in a special way. The evening Mass will be celebrated in English and Polish. The Mass will be followed by the recitation of the rosary and a procession. During his visit to Portugal, Father Piotr purchased a beautiful statue of Our Lady of Fatima. The statue will be blessed and presented to our parish.

POINSETTIAS and NEW for 2016 CHRISTMAS CAKES & COOKIES!

St. Gabriel's Knights of Columbus are taking orders for beautiful poinsettias in various sizes and colours after each Mass on October 15/16 and October 22/23. NEW for this year, are delicious cakes and cookies. Don't miss out – all orders must be received by October 23. Payment and pickups will be at the Church after each Mass on December 10/11. All proceeds are used for charitable purposes within the St. Gabriel's Parish. Order after every Mass next week in the Narthex (back of the Church) or call 905 869-4972 to order.

Thank you for your continued support.

C.W.L Ladies

Next meeting will be Monday, October 17 @ 7 p.m. in the Parish Centre. Linda Romic will speak about Shifra Homes. All are welcome.

The Fall 40 Days for Life

40 Days for Life begins Sept. 28 and ends Sunday Nov.6. Please come to A Mass for Life. Celebrant is Bishop Crosby at St. Gabriel's Parish on Tuesday, Oct.18 @ 7 p.m.

Confirmandi

The enrolment of prospective confirmandi will take place on Saturday, October 15 at the 5 p.m. Mass.

HAPPENINGS IN THE DIOCESE

Diaconate

Men interested in learning about the Permanent Diaconate Formation program in the Diocese of Hamilton are invited to attend the information session Sunday October 16th, 2016 that will take place at St. John the Baptist Church in Guelph. The meeting will be held after 11:00 a.m. Mass. To register or for more information, please contact Deacon Peter Gittens at diaconateformation@hamiltondiocese.com or by telephone at 905-528-7988, ext. 2258.

Year of Mercy Pilgrim Sunday

All are welcome to come to the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton for a Year of Mercy Pilgrimage and pass through the Doors of Mercy on Sunday, October 16th. The Doors of Mercy will open at 2:00 p.m. There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 2:30 p.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction will begin at 3:00 p.m.

Pilgrims are welcome to stay for the 4:00 p.m. Mass that day.

OCTOBER MONTH OF THE ROSARY

The Rosary is the prayer of the Gospels: it is the story of the life of Christ. It is a very good practice for individuals and families to pray the Rosary daily. The family that prays together stays together.

How to Pray the Rosary:

The Rosary begins with the Apostles Creed, followed by one Our Father, three Hail Marys (traditionally offered for an increase in faith, hope, and charity for those praying the Rosary), a Glory Be, and, if desired, the Fatima Prayer.

Next come five mysteries. Each are followed by a decade of the Rosary. A decade consists of an Our Father, 10 Hail Marys, the Glory be and the Fatima Prayer. Conclude the rosary with the Hail Holy Queen.

Many people also add the prayer to **St. Michael the Archangel** for his protection against evil forces. This prayer was often prayed at the end of every Mass. We can also pray it daily when we need the Armor of God. As a special patron and protector of the Church, St. Michael has been assigned to fight against Satan; to protect faithful souls from him, especially at their death; to champion God's people; and, further along this line, to escort them to their judgment.

The usual schedule for praying the Mysteries:

Monday - Joyful

Tuesday - Sorrowful

Wednesday - Glorious

Thursday - Luminous

Friday - Sorrowful

Saturday - Joyful

Sunday - Glorious

When you pray a mystery, try to place yourself "into" the scene of the particular mystery as you pray, imagining the sights, smells, sounds, and emotions that Jesus, Mary, Joseph, and other participants experienced during the actual events.

Or you might wish to meditate on the meaning of the words of the prayers as you pray them, or even to meditate on the person for whom you are offering the Rosary.

Offering Intentions

Practically everyone who prays the Rosary "offers" the Rosary to God and Our Lady for an intention. Some people offer particular intentions before each decade. You can ask God to grant you a favor, heal a sick person, or convert a sinner. Some people offer the same intention every day--

sometimes for years on end--especially when asking the Father for the conversion of a particular person.

Intentions are as varied as the people who pray. Ask for big and small gifts. Be bold! In this sense, the Rosary is an exchange of gifts between friends.

It is widely known that Our Lady answers seemingly impossible intentions to those who are first beginning to pray the Rosary. This is her way of drawing you closer to Her and to Jesus. If you are praying your first big Rosary, or returning to the Rosary after years of not talking to Our Lady, ask for something big, spectacular, "impossible." She'll often surprise you.

Fatima Prayer (Optional)

O my Jesus, forgive us of our sins. Save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls into heaven, especially those in need of thy mercy.

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.

Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host,

by the Divine Power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who roam throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

CATECHISM CORNER

19. What is God's loving care for us called?

God's loving care for us is called Divine Providence.

Cast all your anxiety on Him, because He cares for you. (1 Peter 5:7)

20. What do we mean when we say that God is almighty?

When we say that God is almighty we mean that He can do all things.

For nothing shall be impossible with God. (Luke 1:37)

21. Is God all-wise, all-holy, all-merciful, and all-just?

Yes, God is all-wise, all-holy, all-merciful, and all-just.

The Lord is just in all his ways, and holy in all his works. (Psalm 144:17)

THOUGHT FOR LIFE

Be a saint. What else is there?

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