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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.

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

St. Gabriel's School St. Mark's School 905-332-3333 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.

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 decreased, 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.

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

8:00 a.m. + Gary Dentinger 6:30 p.m. (L) Jan Jadczuk

TUESDAY. SEPTEMBER 25

+ Kay Peters 9:00 a.m. + Czesława 6:30 p.m. Kaliszewska

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

Memorial of St. Cosma & St. Damian, martyrs

8:00 a.m. + Eleanor Therrien

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. The Exposition of the Most Holy Sacrament

6:30 p.m. + + + Bronisław, Ludwik, Maria Detyna

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

Memorial of St. Vincent

the Paul. priest

+ + + The Deceased Members of the 8:00 a.m.

Therrien Family

6:30 p.m. + Feliks Szczepański

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

Memorial of St. Wenceslaus.

(L) The Living Members of the Therrien Family 8:00 a.m.

5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. The Exposition of the Most Holy

Sacrament

6:30 p.m. + Michał Gajdamowicz

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

9:00 a.m. (L) O łaskę wiary dla Josha i Daniela

5:00 p.m. + Mieczysław Habas

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

8:00 a.m. For Parishioners

9:15 a.m. (L) Za członków Klubu Seniora + Zbigniew Buczkowski – 30th Death 11:00 a.m.

Anniversary (from wife & children)

(L) Tomasz Kuszak 12:30 p.m.

Eucharistic Ministries schedule

Sept. 29, 5:00 p.m. L. Vieira, A. Thomson, Ch. Thomson Sept. 30, 8:00 a.m. C. Advincula, J. Paduch, A. Clarridge

Sept. 30, 11:00 a.m. V. John, L. Bankley, N. Meehan

Lector's schedule

Sept.29. 5:00 p.m. A. Cholewka, L. Uy 8:00 a.m. E.J. Hunt, J. Dodson Sept.30, Sept.30. 11:00 a.m. A. Walden, A. DeCova

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EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

Mass Collection from September 8/9 \$ 5838 September 15/16 \$ 5053

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 the religious life.

FRIDAY PRAYER **GROUP**

After morning Mass on Friday mornings, a prayer group meets every two weeks from 8:30 a.m. till 9:00 a.m. Before Jesus, in the Holy Monstrance, we pray for our needs and those of our parish.

LEGION OF MARY

We meet every Tuesday at 7:15 p.m. in St. Gabriel's Rectory meeting room. We are involved in may work such as 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. Please consider joining this wonderful ministry. For more information, please call Cecilia 905-332-8146.

THE WEDDINGS IN OUR CHURCH

Our prayers and best wishes to Tomasz Wiszniewski & Suzanne Kim who celebrated their marriage on September 22.

GARAGE SALE

Thank you to all the volunteers and parishioners who supported our Garage Sale. We made \$ 3,000.00. It was a successful event. We donated the money to Father Henryk Sawarski Missionary from Madagascar, to help finance the construction of the Sanctuary of Divine Mercy in Port -Berge. GOD BLESS YOU!

CWL ANNOUNCEMENT

Mark your Calendars. Our Christmas Bazaar will be on Saturday November 10th from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. More to follow.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in November 2018. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

THE PILGRIMAGE TO GREECE

We are planning a two week pilgrimage to Greece for September 2019. The theme of the pilgrimage "In the footsteps of St. Paul." Details to follow. The sign up list is available through the parish office.

SHIFRA HOMES - MESSAGE FROM NANCY ROMIC

This year Shifra Homes have been running low on supplies for the Home and they would be so appreciative if the St. Gabriel parishioners could consider supporting them throughout the year at any time with the following supplies: Toilet paper, Paper towels,

SEPTEMBER 23, 2018

Diapers (Size 1,2,3,4), Baby Wipes, Laundry detergent, Shampoo & Detergent (will be picked up from the parish office). There is no greater honour and reward in life than having the opportunity of assisting someone at their time of need. Thank you.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Help save lives... Join the vigil. 40 Days for Life is an effective method of prayer, fasting and outreach which has saved more than 14000 lives that we know of. You can help change hearts and minds in Oakville Ontario from **September 26 to November 4th** 2018. Go to 40daysforlife.com/Oakville for maps and details, or contact Steve Germann at 905 333 6472. There will be group prayer at the

EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE

vigil site, weekly at 10 AM. Saturday mornings, starting Sept 29.

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR

MONDAY September 24 Rev. Vincent Kim Van Toan TUESDAY September 25 Rev. Archange Kebe WEDNESDAY September 26 Congreg. of the Sisters of St. Joseph THURSDAY September 27 Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I., D.D. September 28 Rev. Ambroise Tshiaba Ntumba **FRIDAY** September 29 Rev. Tony O'Dell, O.M.I. **SATURDAY**

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.

VOCATION SEEDS' IN OUR PARISH

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - **September 23**, 2018 "Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all." This life is the ministry of a priest, sister, brother or deacon. If you feel God is calling you to one such vocation, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 × 2246 or e-mail: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com



LIFE CHAIN 2018

Sunday, September 30th, 2:30-3:30 pm 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! Burlington location: Fairview St. and Maple Ave.

8TH ANNUAL HCCEF EVENING WITH BISHOP CROSBY

In Halton, 10.5% of children are living in low-income households that would be an estimated 3600 HCDSB students. Poverty affects a child's ability to be healthy and to succeed in school. Be part of the solution — support the 8th Annual HCCEF Evening with Bishop Crosby on Wed. November 7th. Tickets and sponsorships available. Pick up your form here at the parish or register online at www.hccef.org. Halton Catholic Children's Education Foundation (HCCEF) www.hccef.org Contact Marc Clare, Executive Director; clarema@hccef.org, 905-632-6314 x248

THE POSITION OF CATHOLIC SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

The HCDSB Employees will be holding an All Candidates Meeting in Burlington on Wednesday, **October 3**, 2018 for the position of Catholic School Trustee. At 6:30 Refreshments, Meeting from 7:00pm to 9:00pm, Burlington Corpus Christi Secondary 5150 Upper Middle Road Burlington, ON L7L 0E5

THE AID FOR STUDENTS OF POLISH DESCENT

The Stanisław Smoliński Foundation is a charitable foundation founded by Mr. Smoliński to financially aid students of Polish descent in their academic pursuits. Successful applicants must be in at least their second year of post-secondary studies at an accredited university or college and be active within their local Polish community. Applications are available on the St. Stanisław Kostka Parish website - www.stankostka.ca – and must be returned to the parish office by 1 pm on October 12, 2018

PILGRIM STATUE OF OUR LADY

Our Lady of The Cape / Pilgrim Statue will be visiting St. Catherine of Siena Parish (Our Lady of Lourdes Site) 416 Mohawk Rd, E. Hamilton, ON, on **October 14**, 2018 Sunday at 3:00 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (Divine Mercy Chaplet & Holy Rosary) 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist - Celebrant: Fr. Wedner Berard, O.M.I, followed by candlelight procession & Crowning of Our Lady.

WORKSHOP FOR SUPPORTING THOSE EXPERIENCING GRIEF

Once again we are offering Grief Training with Bill Webster's on November 1-2. This is a two day training — day one will provide detailed information about grief and the grieving person and day two will focus on how to facilitate a group grief program. You are welcome to one or both of these days. Timelines are tight, it is easiest if you register on line at www.hamiltondiocese.com and look at the date under Upcoming Events, or you can fill in the attached registration form and fax to the Family Ministry Office at 905-529-1088. We do have material we would like to share in advance for those who do register, so please register as soon as possible.

REGENERATED 2018.

Are you aware that the gifts you receive at Confirmation from the Holy Spirit are to prepare you for battle? You may ask what kind of battle are we talking about? It's called 'spiritual warfare'...it's real and it's growing! On Saturday, **November 17th** join Branches Catholic Ministries at the Scotiabank Convention Centre in Niagara Falls, Ontario as it hosts Regenerated 2018. Keynote speakers such as Johnnette Benkovic, Thomas Sullivan, Dr. Edward Sri will address the



Assorted Quotes of

St. Vincent de Paul

1581-1660

Memorial - 27 September

misconceptions about this Sacrament and its importance to the stability of the family and ultimately society at large. Regenerated Youth will run concurrently for ages 12 to 18. If you are interested in purchasing "early-bird" tickets visit: branchesoftheword.org or call Branches at 905-685-7000.

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