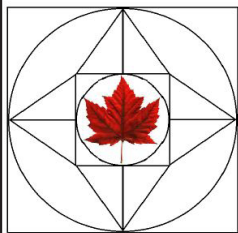


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Office Hours
 Monday- Closed
 Tuesday- 9:00 am-3:00 pm
 Wednesday- 1:30 pm-6:30 pm
 Thursday- 9:00 am-3:00 pm
 Friday- 9:00 am-3:00 pm
 Saturday & Sunday- Closed

Sunday Masses
 Saturday- ENGLISH 5:00 pm
 Sunday- ENGLISH 11:00 am
 POLISH 9:30 am
 POLISH 12:30 pm

Weekday Masses
 Tuesday- ENGLISH 6:30 pm
 Wednesday- POLISH 6:30 pm
 Thursday- ENGLISH 9:00 am
 Friday- POLISH 6:30 pm

First Fridays- BILINGUAL 6:30 pm
 (Adoration and Confessions from 5:30-6:30.)
 First Friday Devotions at 6:30, Holy Mass to follow)
 First Saturdays- BILINGUAL 9:00 am

Adoration
 Fridays- 5:30 pm-6:25 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation
 Tues. & Wed.- 6:00 pm - 6:20 pm
 Thursdays- 8:30 am-8:50 am
 Fridays- 5:30 pm-6:20 pm
 Saturdays- 4:00 pm-4:50 pm

New Parishioners
 Welcome to our parish community! Parish registration simplifies the process of receiving sacraments such as baptism or marriage, obtaining any documents you may need, and receiving a tax receipt for your contributions. Registration can be completed at the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Baptism
 Those wishing to have their child baptized should register at the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Marriage
 Anyone wishing to marry at our church must contact the Parish Office one year prior to the wedding. See our website for more details.

Funerals
 Please contact the funeral home of your choice to make the arrangements. The funeral home will then contact us.

Pastoral Care of the Sick
 If you have a seriously ill family member, friend or a loved one in hospital, a Catholic priest is available on call 24 hrs per day. Requests should be addressed to nursing staff.

Holy Communion and the Sacrament of the Sick are also available to all who are ill or housebound. Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

9:30 am † Eugeniusz Idzikowski

POLISH

11:00 am †† Zofia & Marian Endzel, as well as
Tadeusz Wielądek

ENGLISH

12:30 pm †† Za zmarłych z rodziny Barańskich,
Pawłowskich i Szymańskich

POLISH

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26

6:00 pm **WYPOMINKI / DEVOTION FOR ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

6:30 pm †† Irena, Henryk i Tadeusz Bielscy

ENGLISH

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

6:00 pm **WYPOMINKI / DEVOTION FOR ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

6:30 pm – O Boże Błogosławieństwo i opiekę Matki
Bożej dla członków Żywego Różańca

POLISH

– Intencja dziękczynna za otrzymane łaski
dla Kayla Czarkowska

†† Jan i Bronisława Partyka

† Paweł Boniakowski

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28

9:00 am – God's blessings for Bogumiła
– God's blessings and safe pregnancy
for Alicia

ENGLISH

††† All souls in purgatory

†† Herb & Kay Peters

† David Green

† Patty Lynn Huschilt

† Antonio De Vera Jr.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29

5:30 pm **WYPOMINKI / DEVOTION FOR ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

6:30 pm † Stella Marszał

POLISH

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30

5:00 pm † Michael Jason Lewis

ENGLISH

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1

9:30 am †† Za zmarłych z rodziny Góra i Zdybał

POLISH

11:00 am † Tadeusz Woziwodzki

ENGLISH

12:30 pm †† Zbigniew Buczkowski i Stanisław Cichon
oraz za zmarłych z rodziny Buczkowski
i Cichon

POLISH

OFFERINGS NOVEMBER 16th & 17th

Sunday offerings \$3,874.95
Building Fund \$2,715.00
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Thank you for your support of our parish!

COFFEE & DONUTS

Sunday, November 24th - served by the Mission Group



BULLETIN PRAYER CORNER

"Heavenly Father, we come before You today to ask for Your healing hand to be upon our friends who are suffering. Grant them comfort, strength, and wisdom. Restore their health with Your loving care. May Your peace, which surpasses all understanding, guard their heart and minds in Christ Jesus. Amen."

Zofia & Józef Potocki, Jadwiga & Stanisław Tomera, Gloria Dianne, Czesława Kowal, Joshua Bonilla, Cory Patinson, Eleen Boenisch, John MacKenzie, Andrzej Iwanikow, Janusz Cieplowski

**Would you like to participate in our bulletin prayer corner? Visit www.saintgabrielchurch.com to fill out a quick form.

MARRIAGE

Please join us in praying for the following couple who is preparing for Marriage:

Natalia Marcinkiewicz & Ross Poirier

CONFESSIONS DURING NOVEMBER

During the month of November, confessions will take place only on Fridays and Saturdays due to devotions for all the faithful departed.

CREATE YOUR OWN ADVENT CALENDAR

Advent is Quickly Approaching! We invite families to come together after this Sunday's morning Masses in a warm, family-friendly setting and create your own Advent calendar to prepare for the coming of Christ!

Date: Sunday, November 24th

Time: Following the 9:30 am & 11:00 am Masses

Location: Parish Hall

PICK UP- CHRISTMAS CAKES AND COOKIES!

For those who placed orders, please pick up your order in the Parish Hall on Saturday December 7th between 6:00 pm and 6:30 pm or on Sunday, December 8th between 10:00 am and 1:30 pm. If you are unable to pick up your order at either of these times, please email us

at stgabrielskofc@gmail.com to make other arrangements. Thank you for your support and Merry Christmas to you and your family!



RORATE MASSES FOR CHILDREN

In preparation for Christmas, we invite all children for bilingual Rorate Masses during Advent. These Masses begin in the dimly lit church and children with lanterns process in with the priest symbolizing the light of Christ entering the world at Christmas. The Masses have kid friendly themes and messages.



If you have a lantern from last year, time to find it ☺ We will have the Masses on Friday December 13th and Wednesday December 18th. All are welcome.

VISIT FROM ST. NICHOLAS

Calling all families with young kids! St. Nicholas will be stopping by our parish after each Mass on the weekend of December 7th & 8th — don't miss this special opportunity to meet him!

ADVENT RETREAT

Mark your calendars for our Advent Retreat led by Fr. Marcin Serwin OMI. The Retreat will take place from Thursday, December 19th until Sunday, December 22nd.

RETREAT SCHEDULE:

Thursday, December 19th –

6:00 pm – Conference on Reconciliation/Penitential Liturgy

6:30 – 9:00 pm – Parish Advent Confessions (in the church and parish hall)

Friday, December 20th –

6:30 pm – Mass (ENGLISH)

7:30 pm – Mass (POLISH)

Saturday, December 21st –

10:30 am – Healing Mass (BILINGUAL)

5:00 pm – Mass (ENGLISH)

Sunday, December 22nd –

9:30 am – Mass (POLISH)

11:00 am – Mass (ENGLISH)

12:30 pm – Mass (POLISH)

*** Our parish Advent confessions will have many priests available to hear confessions. Please note this will be the last chance for confessions before Christmas.**

PARISH STORE

Christmas cards (English and Polish) and Christmas wafers (oplatki) are available for purchase in the parish store after each Sunday Mass.

2025 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Offertory envelopes for 2025 will be available for pickup after every weekend Mass on Saturday, November 30th and Sunday, December 1st in the narthex of the Church. If you are not yet registered and would like to receive offertory envelopes for 2025, please contact the office.

Please note: new registrations in December will receive their offertory boxes for 2025.

If you would like to receive offertory

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Our annual Angel Tree is now set up in the Narthex. Please take an angel and place your donation in the enclosed blue envelope. You can return your donation during the regular Sunday collection until December 1st. Last year, the Angel Tree program was a huge success thanks to your generous contributions, and we are deeply grateful for your continued support. We hope you will consider helping again this year. Your generosity makes a meaningful difference to families in need, and they are truly thankful for anything you can give to help them celebrate Christmas.



CHRISTMAS-THEMED DECORATIONS

We invite all parishioners to join us in creating Christmas wreaths! We will meet on Thursday, December 5th starting at 5:30 pm in the parish hall. The handmade wreaths will be sold at the Christmas Fair, and the proceeds will go toward Christmas packages for children in Madagascar.

The organizers will provide some materials, but it would be helpful if participants could bring their own as well. Together, we will create something beautiful while supporting our community. We look forward to seeing you there!

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL SERVICES

Join us for one of our **Christmas Memorial Services** as we honor and remember your loved ones at St. Paul the Apostle Parish on Sunday, December 8th at 4:00 pm.

For more information please visit:

<https://www.smithsfh.com/christmas-memorial-services>

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