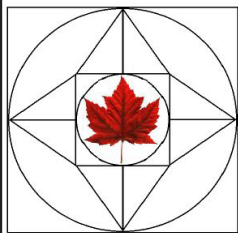


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Office Hours
 Monday- Closed
 Tuesday- 9:00 am-3:00 pm
 Wednesday- 1:30 pm-6:30 pm
 Thursday- 9:00 am-3:00 pm
 Friday- 9:00 am-3:00 pm
 Saturday & Sunday- Closed

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, JANUARY 26

9:30 am †† Adolf Kłakulak i Julia Ragona

POLISH

11:00 am † Kevin Frizzell

ENGLISH

12:30 pm – O Boże błogosławieństwo dla Mariusza

POLISH

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28

6:30 pm † Bay Nguyen

ENGLISH

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29

6:30 pm – O Boże błogosławieństwo dla

POLISH

Ali Pajerskiej z okazji urodzin

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30

9:00 am ††† All Souls in Purgatory

ENGLISH

† Bay Nguyen

† Morag Wilson

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31

5:30 pm **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT / CONFESSIONS**

6:30 pm † Jonathan Daniel Baker

POLISH

FIRST SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1

9:00 am – O Boże Miłosierdzie i opiekę dla Kubu

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5:00 pm † Jan Litwin

ENGLISH

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2

9:30 am – W intencji Parafian i Dobrodziejów

POLISH

11:00 am † Maria Kowal

ENGLISH

12:30 pm † Ryszard Nowak w rocznicę śmierci

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OFFERINGS JANUARY 18th & 19th

Sunday offerings \$5,678.30

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Thank you for your support of our parish!

COFFEE & DONUTS

Sunday, January 26th- served by the Society of Saint Vincent De Paul.



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, Stanisław Tomera, Gloria Dianne, Mary Elizabeth, Sophie Weaver, Lynne C.

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

FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Let us pray for:

+ Alicja Grzegorzczak

May she rest in peace.

SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD: "I HOPE IN YOUR WORD" (PSALM 119:74)

The Third Sunday of Ordinary Time marks the celebration of Bible Sunday in the Diocese of Hamilton. At the conclusion of the Year of Mercy, Pope Francis encouraged every Christian community to choose one Sunday a year to renew its efforts to make the Sacred Scriptures better known and widely diffused. Our celebration of Bible Sunday is a call to listen to how the bible speaks in our hearts and within our communities of faith. This year, within the context of the Jubilee, we celebrate the Sacred Scriptures as a great source of hope for all the faithful. The Pastoral Offices of the Diocese of Hamilton have prepared a wide variety of resources for youth and adults in celebration of Bible Sunday 2025.



60TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEDICATION OF ST. GABRIEL'S PARISH

On the weekend of February 1st and 2nd we will celebrate as a community our 60th anniversary of the dedication of St. Gabriel's Parish. This anniversary calls to mind the day in which St. Gabriel's Parish was dedicated to God in the service of our community on January 31st, 1965 by Bishop Ryan. We give thanks to God for the blessings we received from our Parish over these 60 years of grace, and we look forward to another 60 years with hope and confidence in our Heavenly Father.

Following the Sunday Masses, there will be a gathering in the Parish Hall with free coffee, donuts and pastries for all and we will have a photo montage PowerPoint recalling the many different memories of our Parish over the years from 1965 until now.

During this time, we will also have an open mic for anyone who would like to share their best memories or stories of our parish.

If any groups would like to share photos of their groups or of our St. Gabriel community, please email them to the parish office; office@saintgabrielchurch.com by Wednesday, January 29th, so they can be included in the PowerPoint presentation - We'd love to have your groups photos included in our photomontage.

VALENTINE'S DINNER DANCE

Join us at St. Gabriel's for a special Valentine's Dinner Dance on Saturday, February 8th in the Parish Hall! Enjoy an evening filled with music, delicious food, and great company—all while supporting our amazing youth group as they fundraise for their life-changing trip to Rome this summer!

Tickets: \$40

Doors open: 6:30 pm

For tickets: Contact Basia at 647-929-7043

Come share the love, have fun, and make a lasting impact on our youth. We can't wait to see you there!



ST. GABRIEL MEN'S GROUP

Did you know St. Gabriel has a Men's Group? We now meet on the first & third Saturday of the month from 7-8:30 am. Please join us. It is a time for fellowship, prayer & guided discussion (with Videos from a program called "That Man is You")- our next gathering is Saturday February 1st.

FIRST COMMUNION- INFORMATION NIGHT

Students in grade two from our parish are invited to register for the Sacrament of First Holy Communion from February 6th- 20th. Registration can be completed online through our parish website. To begin the process, **there will be a mandatory parent meeting on Thursday, February 6th, at 6:30pm in the parish hall.** At least one parent or guardian must attend this brief, half-hour meeting, during which important registration details and upcoming dates will be discussed.

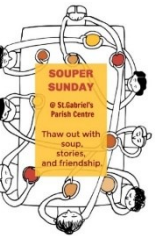
PASTORAL VISITS

In accordance with an old tradition in the Catholic Church, Priests visit parishioners' homes and bless them in the weeks following Christmas. This year, Fr. Paul Patrick, Fr. Paul Niesiobędzki and Sr. Alicja will be available to visit parishioners' homes. Each week, they will visit a different region based on the schedule provided below. Those interested in a visit are kindly asked to contact the parish office.

Week of January 27th, 2025- East and West Burlington i.e. Oakville and Hamilton etc.

SOUPER SUNDAY

Souper Sunday returns! Please join us after all Sunday Masses on February 2nd. Soup will be available to enjoy in the parish hall or take-out. Freewill offerings appreciated for the needs of the Parish. If you are interested in helping with set-up, providing soup, or clean-up, please call Mark at 905-681-5519.



VALENTINES DAY DANCE

The Burlington Polish Hall invites you to their annual Valentines Day dance on Saturday, February 15th, at 6:00 pm. Location: 2316 Fairview Street, Burlington. Tickets cost \$70.00. To purchase your tickets, please call Maria (647-766-7760) or Czesława (289-707-2913).

AURORA BOREALIS DANCE

The Polish Scouts invite you to their "Aurora Borealis" Dance for youth ages 19-25 on February 1st at 6:30 pm. Tickets cost \$85. Please email kaszuby@zhp.ca or call 647-780-2723

JUBILEE OF HOPE, 2025

The Diocese of Hamilton joins the celebration of the Global Church in this Ordinary Jubilee Year, 2025, as "Pilgrims of Hope!" All invited to journey through this year drawing closer to God through prayer, service and experiences of renewal. Six churches have been designated as pilgrimage sites across the Diocese, welcoming you as a visitor over the course of the Jubilee to come and pray. Resources, information and locations of the pilgrimage sites are all available on the Diocesan Website: www.hamiltondiocese.com.