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Pastor: Fr. Paul J. Patrick OMI

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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- <b>ENGLISH</b> | 5:00 pm  |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Sunday- <b>ENGLISH</b>   | 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- <b>POLISH</b> | 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, FEBRUARY 16**

9:30 am † Jadwiga Tomera

**POLISH** 

**11:00 am** †† Feliks & Gertruda Szweda, as well as

**ENGLISH** Jan & Boleslawa Cerajewski **12:30 pm** – Za parafian i dobrodziejów

POLISH

#### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18**

**6:30 pm** – For quick recovery to health of Florita Jagunos

#### **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19**

**6:30 pm** † Jadwiga Tomera

#### **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20**

9:00 am +++ All Souls in Purgatory

ENGLISH † Donna Ceolin

† Peter Le

- God's blessing for Melanie Le on

her birthday

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21

5:30 pm ADORATION OF THE BLESSED

**SACRAMENT / CONFESSIONS** 

**6:30 pm** † Alicja Kikoska

**POLISH** 

#### **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22**

**5:00 pm** – For parishioners and benefactors

#### **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23**

9:30 am — Intencja dziękczynno-błagalna dla Marii POLISH

**11:00 am** † Maria Page

**ENGLISH** 

**12:30 pm** †† Krzysztof Drozdik w 20 rocznicę

POLISH Śmierci

#### OFFERINGS FEBRUARY 8th & 9th

Sunday offerings \$3,625.00 SSVP \$2,053.25 Preauthorized payments \$945.00

Thank you for your support of our parish!



#### COFFEE & DONUTS

**Sunday, February 16**th- No donuts due to weather conditions.

#### **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.

#### **FAMILY DAY**

On this Family Day, let us give thanks for the blessing of family. May our homes be filled with God's love, teaching us kindness, compassion, and faith. Let us pray for strength to build strong, loving families that honor God and serve others with open hearts. May God bless all our families with peace, joy, and love.

#### **VALENTINE'S DINNER DANCE**

A huge thank you to everyone who supported our fundraising dinner for our pilgrimage to Rome for the Jubilee of Youth in July 2025! A special thank you to all the members of our parish, especially the Rosary Group and the Mission Group, for their hard work in making delicious pierogi and cabbage rolls, as well as to the wonderful staff of the Polish Hall.

-God Bless! The Friday (Teen) Youth Group of St. Gabriel Parish.

#### **CWL FEBRUARY MEETING**

The Catholic Women's League (CWL) invites you to our Soup and Bun meeting on Saturday, February 24, at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall. Our guest speaker will be Ms. Ludmila Paciora, an Investment Advisor, who will speak on the topic of Estate Planning. Everyone is welcome to attend. We look forward to seeing you there!

#### **FAMILY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Yes! Adoration is great for kids. Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me." Your children are just as welcome to come and worship their Savior as anybody else. Please join us for a child-friendly time of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Saturday March 1<sup>st</sup> 9:30 to 10:00am. All are welcome.

#### **ROSARY FOR LIFE**

The Life Team invites parishioners to pray the Rosary for Life every 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month at 8:00 pm via Zoom. To sign up please email Rosanna at <a href="mailto:stgabriellifeteam@gmail.com">stgabriellifeteam@gmail.com</a>

#### **GLUTEN ALLERGY**

If you have gluten intolerance but would like to receive Holy Communion, we have low gluten Hosts we consecrate at Mass for this purpose. If you would like to receive, please inform the priest before Mass.

#### K OF C MEMBERSHIP / PRESENTATION

The Knights of Columbus is a respected organization of Catholic men who come together to support one another, their families, and the parish through fraternity, prayer, charitable works, community events, and responding to the parish's needs. As our parish continues to grow, we are hosting a membership drive to reach out to men who may not have heard of us or those who are now ready to join this great council. Knights of Columbus members will be available in the church Narthex to provide brochures and extend invitations to a brief presentation after Masses on March 15th and 16th, as well as our Open Social Presentations on March 23<sup>rd</sup> from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm. For more information, please contact Luca Posocco, Membership Director, at 289-938-6959 or gposocco@outlook.com.

#### K of C FRATERNAL BENEFIT EVENT

All Knights, families, groups, and parishioners of St. Gabriel's Parish are invited to join us for an informative session on financial products on **February 26**<sup>th</sup>. Please register in advance at **7:15 pm**, with the event starting promptly at **7:30 pm** at **St. Gabriel's parish hall**. Learn how Knights of Columbus can help you protect you and your family and plan for your retirement. Refreshments, fraternity to follow. Register: gk10061@ontariokofc.ca, Kevin 403 470-8826 or gposocco@outlook.com, Luca 289-938-6959.

#### **SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES**

Thank you to all parishioners who contribute to the Sunday collection through offertory envelopes, pre-authorized payments, e-transfers or through our parish website.

#### A friendly reminder:

- Please make sure you are using your 2025 offertory envelopes with your correct box #.
- If you are using the pink visitors' \envelopes, please write your full name, address and phone number so that we \can issue a tax receipt for the year.
- If you are sending an E-Transfer or \donating through our parish website, please include a brief description of your donation along with your envelope number (If you are a registered parishioner).

#### **LIFE TALKS CONFERENCE**

Ticket sales have launched! Join us on Saturday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2025, for Life Talks - a day of learning and community building among the pro-life movement in Southern Ontario. Life Talks equips Christians to know how to respond to life issues and live out their pro-life convictions. We encourage you to invite friends who also would be encouraged by Life Talks!

Full details and tickets online at www.haltonalive.ca/lifetalks

#### **DID YOU KNOW...**

The Diocese of Hamilton has launched its monthly "Horoes of Hope' newsletter to showcase the good works that are being done within our communities? To view the newsletter, please scan the QR code.

