

**Monday, May 16<sup>th</sup>**

8:00 a.m. (L) Zbigniew Wisniewski (L) Wanda Zlotnicka  
6:30 p.m. Sp. Zofia Uzarowska

**Tuesday, May 17<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 a.m. + Denise Dean  
6:30 p.m. + Zofia, Stanislaw Ulman

**Wednesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>**

8:00 a.m. + Dorothy Barnes ~ followed by Adoration  
9:30 a.m. Benediction  
6:30 p.m. + Stefan Adamowski

**Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup>**

8:00 a.m. (L) Marise Boenisch  
6:30 p.m. + Jozef Honorata Tomera

**Friday, May 20<sup>th</sup>**

8:00 a.m. + Marta Solomon + Frank Christie + Eileen Walsh  
(L) Pam, Mae, Veronika, May, Shavani, Lois, Mellissa  
10:00 a.m. St. Mark School Mass at the Church  
6:30 p.m. + Maria Plata

**Saturday, May 21<sup>st</sup>**

9:00 a.m. + Wojciech Ligas  
5:30 p.m. + Albert Goulet + Jean Claridge + Joan Wallace  
(L) Adrian, Dominik, Mateusz  
w intencji Parafian i Krucjaty

**Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> ~ Fifth Sunday in Easter**

8:00 a.m. Pastoral Intention  
9:15 a.m. T. B. Silgalis (Family)  
11:00 a.m. Missa Pro Populo  
12:30 p.m. w intencji Rodziny Kowanda

**Liturgical Ministry ~ May 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup>, 2011****Lectors' Schedule**

5:30 p.m.	J. Sherlock	A. Cholewska
8:00 a.m.	P. Shura	M. Sitkiewicz
9:15 a.m.	C. Pieczara	A. Baranska
11:00 a.m.	M. Teo	R. Johnston
12:30 p.m.	J. Terlecki	S. Rudziejewski

**Eucharistic Ministers' Schedule**

5:30 p.m.	M. Rattray	C. Rattray	
8:00 a.m.	T. O'Brien	A. Furgal	
9:15 a.m.	H. Krajewska	P. Lis	D. Szczesiul
11:00 a.m.	S. St. Pierre	A. Salmon	

**IN OUR PARISH**

**Saint Vincent Pallotti Says...** "The delight of Jesus has always been with the poor."

**Knights of Columbus** - Any gentlemen interested in information about the Knights and their parish and community initiatives may call Alex Furgal 905-335-0128 or Hugh MacDonald 905-332-4204.

**May 8, 2011****May 9, 2010**

Sunday Offering	\$5,582.72	\$5,372.19
Families in Need	\$1,567.25	\$1,651.45

**Thank you for your support of our parish and the needs of others.**

**Renovation Update**

Donations Received May 8, 2011	\$20.00
Donations Received to Date	\$77,564.82
Total Cost of Renovations	\$85,107.00

**Baptized in the Lord** - Our love and prayers are with the families of Sophie Madeleine Gaetan; Kaia Evalin Rose Gilo-Harris; Joshua Jacques Joubert; Emma Ruvarashe Madondoro; and Ethan Chikomborero Madondoro, who were Baptized on Sunday, May 8.

**Fr. Corapi Catechism Series** - Continues Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. in the St. Gabriel Parish Centre. View a one hour DVD that explains the teachings of the Catholic Church. Refreshments provided. For more information call Michele at 905-336-3811.

May 18 ~ Intro to the Ten Commandments

May 25 ~ "To Love God" - The First Commandment

June 1 ~ The 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, & 4<sup>th</sup> Commandments

**St. Gabriel Widows/Widowers Support Group** - This is a small group for all people who have suffered the loss of a loved one. Through shared experience and in a prayerful and supportive atmosphere, we come together. This new peer to peer ministry welcomes you. Meetings are Tuesdays at 7 p.m. in the Annunciation Room of the Rectory. Call the parish office if you are interested.

**39 Plus** - On May 5<sup>th</sup> our auction raised \$319.00 for Carpenter House. 39 Plus is a small group of ladies who meet every Thursday, 1:30-3:30, Sept-June, in the church hall. Along with the enjoyable social aspect of the group, we send every year for Christmas 13/14 shoe boxes filled as gifts to a mission headed by Father Martin. We make items for the church bazaar and knit covers for the needy. We hold a 50/50 every week and proceeds go The Good Shepherd. New members are welcome. Please call Lucille 905-336-7513.

**Change 4 Life Baby Bottle Campaign for Shifra Home** - Find a home for your change and change lives forever! Please support Shifra Homes' Change 4 Life. Baby bottles are available in the narthex of the church. For the following weeks, please fill up the bottle with your loose change. Your contributions will come together to create a home-like environment for young women and their babies at Shifra Homes, a Christ-centred maternity residence and help us provide support services to young women during their pregnancy, childbirth and for a period after the birth of their baby. Please return baby bottles to the church any weekend through to Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>. Questions? Contact Gay Paige, Project Manager at 905-681-9633 ext. 221 or email [gaypaige@shifrahomes.com](mailto:gaypaige@shifrahomes.com). For information about Shifra Homes visit [www.shifrahomes.com](http://www.shifrahomes.com).

**First Communion** - Congratulations to the children of St. Gabriel School; St. Mark School; the Parish Catechism class; and the Polish Catechism class, who are receiving the Sacrament the Eucharist for the first time this weekend. May they continue to be nourished at the Lord's table each week.

**St. Gabriel Catholic Women's League** - The May meeting will be held on Monday, May 16, at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. A May Crowning celebration will take place in the Church immediately following the general meeting. All are welcome to come and join with prayers and songs to honour Our Blessed Mother.

**Religious Articles/Bookstore** - We are pleased to announce that we have opened a Religious Articles/Bookstore, open after all weekend Masses. Many beautiful Catholic articles including rosaries, crucifixes, books, DVDs, and gift items are available for purchase. The store is located in the area adjoining the Church and the Parish Centre. Come and see our selection.

### **IN OUR DIOCESE**

**Rosary** - Is the Rosary a special devotion for you? Would you like to pray with others? Every Wednesday, in the Chapel of Notre Dame High School, Catholics come to pray the Rosary at 11:35 a.m., 12:15 p.m. and 12:55 p.m. Come during your lunch break, or if you just happen to be in the area. Bring your intentions. All welcome.

**Walk for Life** - Join this fun walkathon to raise funds for the educational pro-life work of Halton Pro-Life. Theme: *Pro-Life is Pro-Love*. Saturday, May 28, St. Dominic Church, 2415 Rebecca St., Oakville, at 8:30 a.m. for a 10 km walk or 9:30 for a 5 km walk. prizes, T-shirts, prizes and free lunch. Contact Halton Pro-Life for info or pledge sheets at 905-632-3232 or [haltonprolife@cogeco.net](mailto:haltonprolife@cogeco.net), or download from our website: [www.haltonprolife.com](http://www.haltonprolife.com).

**Mass For Life** - Wednesday, May 18<sup>th</sup> marks the 94<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima. In honour of this there will be a Mass for Life at 7:00 p.m., at Sacred Heart Church, 19 Viewpoint Avenue, Hamilton, followed by a Silent Walk for Life.

**Foundations in Parish Nursing Program** - Are you a registered nurse who would like to integrate your spirituality with your nursing practice and also learn more about the exciting field of parish nursing? Join us from July 7-14, for a new ecumenical formation program being offered at Holy Family Retreat House on beautiful Lake Erie, near Kingsville, Ontario. For information call Catherine at 1-519-432-1824 ext. 281 or visit [www.spicf.ca](http://www.spicf.ca) or [www.capnm.ca](http://www.capnm.ca).

**51<sup>st</sup> Annual St. Vincent de Paul Society Mass of Anointing** - The St. Vincent de Paul Society will be having their annual Mass of Anointing for "Shut-ins" on Saturday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Church, 128 Edgemont Street, Hamilton. Call Carol or Pat Daly at 905-648-3290 for additional information.

**Monthly Family Breakfast** - Next week the Knights of Columbus will hold their monthly breakfast, served from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at our Knights Hall, 2400 Industrial Drive. Adults \$7.00; Children 5-12 \$5.00; Children under 5 are free. Bring your family and friends and enjoy a great breakfast.

**Adoption Builds Families** - Please join our adoption staff for our information night on Wednesday, May 18, 7 p.m. at the Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton, 735 King Street East, Hamilton. For further information call 905-525-2012 ext. 3125.

**Day of Prayer** - Friday, May 27, 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Sisters of Social Service, 11 Perthshire Court, Hamilton. Opening prayer, meditation, song, spiritual talks. Bring a bag lunch; tea & coffee provided. Cost: \$20. Call Sr. Elaine 905-388-3966 to register.

**Knights of Columbus 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Charity Golf Tournament** - Join our 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Charity Golf Tournament for the benefit of the Knights of Columbus Charities: Carpenter Hospice, MS, Halton Children's Aid, Halton Pro-Life, Partnership West Food Bank, Halton Women's Place and Compassion Society. Join us on Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup> at the beautiful Century Pines Golf Club. \$150/person (\$50 tax receipt) includes golf, cart, foursome best ball, shot gun start, grab bag, reception, prime rib dinner, hole-in-one prizes including a new car and much more. Package prices available, plus a silent auction to bid on. In addition, you can sponsor a hole or donate something to the prize table. Call the Knights at 905-335-5073. Come and join your friends in these very worthy causes.

### **Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar**

*In your charity please pray for all who minister in the church.  
"Here I am, Lord, send me."* (Isaiah 6:8)

Monday, May 16 <sup>th</sup>	Father James Curtin
Tuesday, May 17 <sup>th</sup>	Father Leszek Szczygiel
Wednesday, May 18 <sup>th</sup>	Our Parish Community
Thursday, May 19 <sup>th</sup>	Father David Lewis
Friday, May 20 <sup>th</sup>	Father Robert Walz
Saturday, May 21 <sup>st</sup>	Father Joseph Kelly, CSSp

### **Youth Ministry NEWS**

*Please contact Joanne Kanerva, Youth Minister at 905-336-7144 ext. 28; [stgabescyo@hotmail.com](mailto:stgabescyo@hotmail.com) regarding the following:*

**Gabe's Zone Dates for May:** *Friday, May 20<sup>th</sup> ~ Both Groups  
Friday, May 27<sup>th</sup> ~ Both Groups*

**Children's Liturgy of the Word:** *May 22<sup>nd</sup> ~ Team 5  
May 29<sup>th</sup> ~ Team 1*

**Children's Liturgy of the Word ~ 11 a.m. Mass** - In order to provide the Children of St. Gabriel Parish with a rich experience of hearing the Word of God at their own level, we are in need of new Liturgists as we have a great many children attending each week. Please call Joanne at the parish if you are interested in assisting with this special ministry for children. You do not need to be a theologian (training and program provided), just a practicing Catholic who loves God and His children. Diocesan volunteer screening procedures apply to this ministry.

**Congratulations!** - congratulations to the children of our Parish and the Parish Schools who are receiving Jesus in communion for the first time. May their faith inspire us.