### ST RAPHAEL PARISH COMMUNITY

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**OFFICE HOURS** Mon-Fri 9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Saturday 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM
Sunday 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
closed on Statutory Holidays

#### **MASS TIMES**

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM year in advance.

Mon - Fri 9:00 AM

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM or by appointment

## PRAYER BEFORE WEEKDAY MASS

8:00 AM in the Adoration Chapel 8:30 AM Rosary in the church

#### PERPETUAL ADORATION

We encourage you to spend some time with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament in the Adoration Chapel, anytime, day or night.

# SACRAMENTS BAPTISMS & BECOMING ROMAN CATHOLIC

- For newborns, any weekend Mass.
- For school aged children, after being catechized.
- For adults interested in becoming Roman Cathoic call the office for more information.

#### WEDDINGS

Please contact us at least one vear in advance.

## MINISTRY TO AND ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please advise us if you have someone ill at home, in the hospital, or in a local nursing home so that we can minister to them.

#### **FUNERALS**

Please contact us and your choice of funeral home. For information on Catholic burial, please contact the cemetery office at 905.522.7727 or 1.800.661.5985, or visit www.TheCatholicCemeteries.ca

#### **PARISH SCHOOLS**

- Assumption High School 905.634.1835
- St. Raphael's Elementary 905.637.3810
- St. Paul's Elementary 905.632.1424

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL HOTLINE 905.681.6394

## Archangel St. Raphael "God is my Healer"

The angel of joy; patron of: travellers, bearers of good news and men and women seeking a good spouse.

See the Book of Tobit, especially chapter 12

The Diocese of Hamilton HamiltonDiocese.com Catholics Come Home www.CatholicsComeHome.org Vocations www.HamiltonVocations.com

## Mass Intentions

(† = Deceased Intention: No Marking = Intentions of...: Thx = Thanksgiving Hlg = Healing)

Mon. July 1, 9am	† Tony Perez
Tue. July 2, 9am	† Dec'd mem. Hettiarachchi family
Wed. July 3, 9am	† Tony Florio
Thu. July 4, 9am	Justine Giuliani
Hlg. Joan Marsh	John Zammit
Thx. Zoe Amaro	† Rodney Hackett
† Evan	
Fri July 5, 9am	Susan Finkle
Fri July 5, 6:30pm	Paul Irimpan
Sat July 6, 5pm	Thx. Sylvia & David Heald
† Marvin Munshaw	† Daniel McClean
† Anthony Fenton	† Ethlyn Gonsalves
Sun. July 7, 9am	For Our Parishioners
Sun. July 7, 11am	† Neil Murphy

#### OFFERTORY COLLECTION

June 23, 2024

Envelopes (145)	\$3,482
Loose	\$578
June Pre-Authorized Giving (87)	\$8,823
June Building Collection (42)	\$850

Thank you for your generous support

Please pray for:

Linda Roy Christine Hogg & her daughter

Luisa Madeline

Please phone the parish office before Tuesday morning to have a name added.

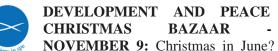
#### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR LIVE-STREAMING

**MASSES:** The parish is seeking volunteers to help run the live-streaming system at each weekend mass; we will provide training. This position is open to any individual with some computer skills. Any high school students help with the livestreaming would earn volunteer hours towards their diplomas. Please contact the parish office to volunteer.

#### PRAYERS FOR PRIESTS CONTINUES THROUGH

**THE SUMMER:** Please join this small group every Friday, after the 9am Mass, in the St. Anthony Room. We pray the Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet for the intentions of our priests and vocations to the priesthood. We will continue to meet throughout the summer. Everyone is welcome! For more information contact Sylvia at 905-632-4862.

#### RAPHAEL ST VINCENT DE PAUL AND



**BAZAAR** 

Too early? Not really! Because... St Raphael Parish St. Vincent De Paul and Development and Peace are planning to hold a Christmas Bazaar in the Newly Renovated Parish Centre on Saturday November 9 from 9am -2:30pm. We are putting the word out early for anyone who might wish to rent a table and sell their own handmade items at this sale. This is an opportunity for all of you home crafters to begin preparing your items for sale over the summer months. Tables will rent for \$40 for an 8ft table and \$35 for a 6ft table. Anyone interested in renting a table is asked to call the St. Vincent de Paul Hotline @ 905 681 6394 and to leave their name telephone number and a brief message. The Hotline is checked daily and someone will promptly return your call. The St Raphael SSVP and D and P Christmas Bazaar promises to be an opportunity for all of us to begin our Christmas shopping. So spread the word and start making your list and checking it twice! It's never too early.

VISION AND MISSION STATEMENT: On behalf of the Pastoral Council, we would like the members of the parish, help us to reflect on the Our Parish Vision and Mission Statement. How are we a Christ Centered Community promoting the values of the Gospel? What are the main priorities we as a Christian family called to serve? If you have any thoughts and suggestions in this matter, please send an email to parish office.

**CENACLE GROUP PRAYER** CONTINUES THROUGH THE SUMMER: The Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle occurs weekly in the St. Anthony room, please join us on Mondays after the 9am Mass. We pray the Rosary, read one of the messages given by our Lady to Fr. Gobbi from the book "To the Priests Our Lady's Beloved Sons", and make a consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. We will continue to meet throughout the summer. Everyone is welcome! For more information contact Sylvia Heald at 905-632-4862.

**PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH:** The first day of July starts with a celebration of Canada and all that our country has to offer. It is a wonderful month to celebrate summer with family and friends and a great time to remember to pray for our country, be thankful for our freedom to celebrate our Catholic faith and to look at the many riches our country has to offer us. Speak to your children about their wonderful country, about the beauty God has created here for them and about the many blessings they experience as Canadians. Let us teach our children to have an attitude of gratitude for their blessings. (Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

MARRIAGE PREPARATION: Are you getting married this fall or in the early part of 2025? Marriage preparation is an important way that the Church reaches out to support your relationship. Once you have spoken to the parish and booked your wedding, be sure to register for one of our upcoming courses, which run from January to December of each year. Fall 2024 dates our posted on the website now. Find our more at <a href="Preparation for Marriage">Preparation for Marriage</a> - Diocese of Hamilton (hamiltondiocese.com)

**SMART STEPS**: Are you a parent or stepparent adjusting to blended family life? This program, facilitated by those who have lived experience, is designed to offer practical insights and suggestions on how to make blended family relationships work well for all. This one-day session is held on Saturdays from 9:15AM - 3:30PM. The cost is \$75 per couple or \$50 per person (includes lunch). Fall dates will be on line in July and you can register at hamiltondiocese.com by looking under Upcoming Events on the Diocesan home page. For more information, contact the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

**PARISH CENTRE RENOVATION:** The Building Committee of St. Raphaels Parish, is making plans for the Renovation of our Parish Centre, both Hall and Kitchen. We request your prayers and support to the Building Committee who are planning the renovation, if you have any questions, suggestions, or observations please feel to connect with the Building Committee members or send an email to the parish office. Thank you for your support.



Sunday

#### HALTON CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S FOUNDATION ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC FEATURING TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS' ALUMNI

9 am – 12 noon

**DARCY TUCKER:** Help students and families in need by participating in a round of golf with friends and meet new people at **Granite Ridge Golf Club** on Tuesday, July 9. Lunch at the turn, great contests on the course and outstanding raffle prizes are also part of the day. Join us for a fun day of fellowship and fundraising! All the funds raised go to help HCDSB students in need to succeed in school. For more information about the Charity Golf Classic, please contact Marc Clare, Executive Director – <a href="mailto:clarema@hccf.ca">clarema@hccf.ca</a>, 905-802-0918 or register online at:

https://www.hccf.ca/charity-golf-classic/

#### PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

For JULY & AUGUST

Monday
9 am - 4 pm

Tuesday
9 am - 4 pm

Wednesday
9 am - 4 pm

OFFICE CLOSED

Saturday
3:30 pm - 6:30 pm

**ReSTART: MOVING FORWARD:** Our 10-week program offers education and support to anyone seeking to heal and move forward after divorce or separation. The sessions will begin again this fall and are held at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West in person, or you are welcome to join our zoom classroom. Cost is \$35 for materials, but no one is turned away. Registration will be online soon, so look to register at hamiltondiocese.com under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, e-mail familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com

**COME RETREAT WITH LOYOLA HOUSE!** Are you looking to break away and spend some time in silence? Interested in learning something new? Visit: **loyolahouse.com** (under "Events") for more information on these upcoming retreats:

- 8-Day Directed Silent Retreat August 12-20
- 5-Day Directed Silent Retreat August 23-28

Register: <u>loyolahouse.com</u> or call 519 824 1250 ext 266.or contact <u>registration@ignatiusguelph.ca</u>

**FAITH AFTER GRADUATION:** The Office of Youth Ministry has produced a resource for those graduating grade 12. Please visit our webpage to access the brochure and the suggested resources to help you stay connected to the faith and your parish after graduating from your Catholic High School. https://tinyurl.com/dohymresources

TOGETHER: MEDITATIONS LISTENING ON SYNODALITY: The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis is pleased to offer a summer book club to anyone who would like to explore the meditations of Father Timothy Radcliffe from the Synod gatherings in October 2023. This series of presentations helps us better understand the true meaning of synodality and the importance of discernment in this process. Offered over four sessions, the book club will gather virtually on Wednesday afternoons in July (3,10,17,24) from 1:00-2:00pm for prayer and discussion. This series is free of charge and all are welcome to participate! Registration can be found https://forms.gle/aLzYvo1C28BJ6aw36



**OFFICE CLOSED:** Please note the parish office will be closed on Canada Day, **Monday**, **July 1.** Happy Canada Day!

**SUMMER BULLETIN:** Bulletins will be published **every two weeks** throughout July and August. Please **pick up** a bulletin on the following dates: *July 7, July 21, August 4, and August 18. The regular weekly bulletin will continue on September 1.* 



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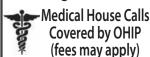
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