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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
	<i>closed on Statutory Holidays</i>	

MASS TIMES

Saturday 5:00 PM
 Sunday 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM
 Mon - Fri 9:00 AM

WEDDINGS

Please contact us at least one year in advance.

CONFESSIONS

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

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.

PRAYER BEFORE WEEKDAY MASS

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

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

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 Catholic call the office for more information.

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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 Holy Cross Vocations www.holycrossvocationscanada.com
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Monday, July 18 at 9:00 a.m.
† Mario Candelaria

Tuesday, July 19 at 9:00 a.m.
† Claire Locke

Wednesday, July 20 at 9:00 a.m.
Ints. Patty McConnell

Thursday, July 21 at 9:00 a.m.
Ints. Parish Volunteers;
† Mary Germann; † Ronald Freudiger

Friday, July 22 at 9:00 a.m.
† Joe Nedelko

Saturday, July 23 at 5:00 p.m.
† Martha Cau Tran; † Godofredo Manigque;
† Catherin Barry Murphy

Sunday, July 24
9:00 a.m. † Marconi Gabito
11:00 a.m. For Our Parishioners

Monday, July 25 at 9:00 a.m.
Ints. Daniel Robert

Tuesday, July 26 at 9:00 a.m.
† Karl Plach

Wednesday, July 27 at 9:00 a.m.
† Joseph Carubba

Thursday, July 28 at 9:00 a.m.
Ints. Margaret Neale; † John Farkas;
† Andrea Duffy; † Pauline Twohig

Friday, July 29 at 9:00 a.m.
† Frank VanAsten

Saturday, July 30 at 5:00pm
† Bill Jennings; † John Hoffort; † Gino Dal Bello

Sunday, July 31
9:00 a.m. For Our Parisioners
11:00 a.m. † Cenka Kosir

OFFERTORY COLLECTION



July 3, 2022
Sunday Envelopes (109) \$5854
Loose \$578

July 10, 2022
Sunday Envelopes (108) \$4,109
Loose \$298
Care for Retired Priests (7) \$137
Indigenous Reconciliation Fund (2) \$310

Thank you for your continued support!



ST. RAPHAEL GREEN CORNER:
Pope Francis writes: "There is a need to respect the rights of peoples and cultures, and to appreciate that the development of a social group presupposes an historical process which takes place within a cultural context and demands the constant and active involvement of local people from within their proper culture. Nor can the notion of the quality of life be imposed from without, for quality of life must be understood within the world of symbols and customs proper to each human group." **LS #144**

June 21st National Indigenous Peoples Day
National Indigenous Peoples Day (once known as National Aboriginal Day) is observed on June 21st each year and marks the summer solstice. This date was chosen to reflect the spiritual importance of the summer solstice to all of the indigenous peoples of Canada. On May 10, 2016, the Government of Canada officially accepted the Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous People and continues to work in cooperation with Indigenous peoples to discuss issues that concern Indigenous rights and including those with regard to land claims, social justice issues of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, The Commission on Murdered and Missing Aboriginal Women and more recently the discovery of the graves of missing children, victims of the Indigenous Residential Schools of our past. **In May, The Vatican formally announced that Pope Francis will travel to Canada from July 24-29, 2022. The historic visit, focused on Indigenous healing and reconciliation, will be the fourth papal journey to Canada and the first since Saint John Paul II's visit in 2002.** We as Canadians must hear the words of "Pope Francis who takes culture very seriously - taking it as a reality which is an integral dimension of justice for human beings and which must not be ignored or scorned when decisions are made by the power holders in any society." (On Care of our Common Home, p.31). Let us pray together for the safety of Our Holy Father Pope Francis as he travels to Canada, and our Indigenous People as they meet together to seek and find healing and reconciliation in the coming week.

<https://www.cccb.ca/media-release/catholic-bishops-welcome-announcement-of-dates-and-hub-cities-for-papal-visit-to-canada/>

IN OUR PARISH

PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS	
For JULY & AUGUST	
Monday – Wednesday	9am – 4pm
Thursday & Friday	OFFICE CLOSED
Saturday	3:30pm – 6:30pm
Sunday	9am – noon

SUMMER BULLETIN: Bulletins will be published **every two weeks** throughout July and August. Bulletins will not be sent via e-mail during these months, but please visit: <http://www.parishbulletins.com/bulletins/245/> to read it. Please **pick up** a bulletin on the following dates: *July 17, July 31, August 14, and August 28.* The regular weekly bulletin will continue on September 11.

Please pray for:	Leanne Schramek	Kyle Elliott
Jasmine Leigh	Jane Urquhart	Alban Olds
Helen Sheehan	Sarah Scharer	James Cook
Vanessa Rodrigues	Elizabeth Talatala	Milan Heck
Albert Rodrigues	Asia Rae Landry	Frank Sicoli
John Scharer	Heather Allen	Lee Olds
Helen Weppler	Jacqueline Olds	Doug Pudsey
Peggy Evans	Rosario Herve	Laith Yousif
Stephen Pustai	Vincent Stanford	Mary Lilly
Michael Smart	Joanne Pringle	Marie Bond
Rolando Mabalay	Robert Connolly	Tom Olds
Christopher Ryan	Jones Rodney	Gary Olds
Joe Drennon	Barbara Fisher	Nicola Izzi
Maritza Garcia Gonzalez	Ron Robertson	Noah Landry
Joseph & Madeleine	Jean Damiani	Jill Olds
Zucco	Laurie Suddaby	John Bate
Anita Robles	Alison Zierl	

If you would like a loved one prayed for by the parish or included in the weekend Prayers of the Faithful, please call the Parish Office by Tuesday morning

The readings for the **Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** tell us about service. In the **Genesis** story, Abraham generously cares for three strangers who then tell him that his wife, Sarah, will finally have a son. **Luke's gospel** recounts the classic story of Martha and Mary: Martha ran around serving Jesus while Mary sat at his feet listening. "Mary has chosen the better part," Jesus says.

Looking ahead to next week: The **Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** begins with a reading from **Genesis**. Abraham pleads for compassion for those few innocent people of Sodom and Gomorrah. God promises him, "For the sake of those ten, I will not destroy it." Jesus teaches us to pray in the reading from **Luke's gospel**, using the familiar words, "Father, hallowed be your name." He urges us to be persistent in our prayer: "And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you."

Taken from the "Weekly Guide for Daily Prayer" on the Creighton University's Online Ministries web site: onlineministries.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/Prayer/ Used with permission.

FAREWELL BBQ FOR FATHER FRANCIS ON SUNDAY, JULY 17: after the 11am mass there will be a farewell BBQ for Father Francis in the Parish Centre. Please come to wish Father Francis goodbye, good luck and many blessings in his new assignment.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR FUNERAL LUNCHEON COMMITTEE: The Funeral Luncheon Ministry would like to resume their service to the parishioners but is in need of volunteers. Positions for phoning, set-up, serving and cleanup need to be filled. If you can spare an hour to three hours, on occasion, please consider this ministry. For more details, please call Marlene Cox: 905-634-0733.

CENACLE PRAYER GROUP: The Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle continues weekly through the summer 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. For more information contact Sylvia Heald at 905-632-4862



SSVP - SUPPORTING WHALE COVE: The shipping container has arrived! As in the past, SSVP has filled it with donations of food and other necessities for the Nunavut community of Whale Cove. About 25 families are supported through an after-school program run by Lena, a Catholic lay worker. The cereal and granola bars she provides are a main source of food for some of the children. Groceries are extremely expensive in the north: Frosted Flakes are \$17.99 a box; 30 rolls of toilet paper, \$59.99! Can you help? We need donations of TOILET PAPER and CEREAL (dated 2023). Monetary donations will receive a tax receipt. Donations in kind can be dropped off in the white bins in the church foyer. The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul and the residents of Whale Cove thank you. God Bless!

BIBLE CAMP THANK YOU: The youth had a fun week at Bible Camp. Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for providing a BBQ on Friday for all the campers and volunteers. Thank you volunteer leaders for all your hard work and enthusiasm, we could not have run this camp without you. A special thank you to Tricia Roselli, Rocco Devito and Myrla Dewyk for all your talents and hard work to make the camp a great success.

POPE FRANCIS IN CANADA:

Let us join in prayer for the Papal Visit to Canada:
 O God, Creator and Father of all,
 with humility we your children acknowledge
 the relationship of all living things.
 As our Creator you show us the way to healing.
 For this we thank you, we praise you and we worship you.
 Give us the vision and honesty to recognize that we are
 all brothers and sisters of one human family,
 created and sustained by the One Creator.
 May the Holy Spirit bless and guide this visit
 by Pope Francis to Canada.
 O Creator, show us the way to healing, forgiveness and
 reconciliation, and a renewed fellowship. † Amen.

A Prayer For Healing And Reconciliation:
 O Blessed Virgin, Our Lady of Guadalupe
 Intercede for us with your Son
 That we who live in this land,
 Indigenous and non-Indigenous together
 May experience healing and reconciliation,
 On a renewed journey for justice
 And peace for our children.
 Mother of the Church, pray for us. † Amen.
From Our Lady of Guadalupe Circle, a Catholic coalition of Indigenous people, bishops, clergy, lay movements and institutes of consecrated life, engaged in renewing and fostering relationships between the Catholic Church and Indigenous Peoples in Canada.
www.ourladyofguadalupecircle.ca



SUNDAY FUNNY: Teacher: If you had one dollar and asked your father for one more dollar, how much would you have in total?
 Student: One dollar.
 Teacher: You don't know your math.
 Student: You don't know my dad!

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