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SPES UNICA

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

CONFESSIONS

Saturday	4:00 PM - 4:30 PM or by appointment
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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 Catholic call the office for more information.

WEDDINGS

Please contact us at least one year 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
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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 Catholics Come Home www.CatholicsComeHome.org
Vocations www.HamiltonVocations.com

Mass Intentions 

Monday, June 12 at 9:00am
† Travis Starchuk

Tuesday, June 13 at 9:00am
† St. Anthony of Padua

Wednesday, June 14 at 9:00am
† Martin Perusini

Thursday, June 15 at 9:00am
Ints. Lee & Joe Fiamelli; Ints. Jennifer Brailey;
† Daennylyn Bordeos; † Albert Rodrigues; † Rosario De
Los Angeles;
† John Maxwell Isaacs; † Anton George Isaacs

Friday, June 16 at 9:00am
Ints. Rev. George Rybansky

Saturday, June 17 at 5pm
Ints. Clare Penfold; Ints. Lillian Ponikvar;
† Albert Rodrigues; † Rosario De Los Angeles;
† Mike Zelowsky; † Dr. Phillip Morgan

Sunday June 18
9:00am † Roberto Moniz
11:00am For Our Parishioners

“SPEAKING LIFE AND TRUTH INTO OUR CULTURE” CONFERENCE DAY – The Family Ministry Office is partnering with Alliance for Life Ontario and Hamilton Right to Life to offer a one-day conference looking at some of the facts surrounding the life issues which are not often spoken or read about. Dr. Lile will speak on the known facts about the abortion pill, Alex Schadenberg will discuss the ever-growing concerns regarding euthanasia, Teresa Hartnett will present on the importance of pregnancy support & abortion recovery counselling and Jakki Jeffs will look at how we speak life and truth into our culture. A day of learning for all in attendance. Join us Saturday June 17, from 9 – 4 pm. Adult Tickets: \$75.00; Student Tickets: \$45.00 – both include lunch and beverages throughout the day. A Gala Dinner will take place on Friday, June 16th, where all are welcome. For more information go to:

<https://allianceforlifeontario.ca/event/2023-conference/>.

SEMINAR FOR HOME EUCHARIST MINISTRY:
“Service is the sign of true love. Those who love know how to serve others.” - Pope Francis. A Diocesan workshop will be offered at St. Raphael Parish on **Thursday, July 6, from 6:30pm to 8:30pm** in the parish hall for all of our current Home Eucharistic Ministers.

Are you interested in participating in our Home Eucharist Ministry? We have a need for volunteers to serve our homebound, LTC and hospital parishioners by bringing Sunday communion. For more information please contact: John Fauteux, tjfauteux@me.com, **905.635.2586 (h)**

DID YOU KNOW? Children in our parishes benefit from the Catechetical Correspondence Program each year for ongoing religious education and preparation for the Sacraments. We need volunteers to support the program! If you are willing to accompany these children in their learning journey, please reach out to the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis at catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com. To learn more about the Catechetical Correspondence Program, please visit: <https://bit.ly/DOHCCC>.

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH – When we say “I do” during our marriage vows we are really saying “I will”. I will love this person even in moments when they may feel unlovable. I will not look for a 50/50 split in what we do, but will be a partner who will give more, and sometimes have to take more, depending on the circumstances of our lives. I will look to find a solution instead of winning. I will spend time with you so we stay connected and in love. I will remember the commitment I made to be faithful and seek to make you a better person and accept your attempts to do the same for me. Marriage, taken as an action word, continues to grow and thrive despite the challenges life may throw at you and it produces a love which strengthens as the years pass.

Please pray for:	Irene Krawchuk
Nella Cannito	Wendy Bonenfant
Tom Olds	Lee Olds
Ida Filice	Stephen Pustai
George Thackray	
<i>Names on this list will remain for a period of four weeks to allow space for other names. Please phone the parish office before Tuesday morning to have a name added.</i>	

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

June 2

Envelopes (100)	\$3,794
Loose	\$453
Pope’s Pastoral Works (5)	\$38

Thank you for your generous support



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - ASAP FUND:
Aid and Support After Pregnancy is a new Knights Program to financially assist mothers who need help and support. Please take home a

Knights baby bottle, collect loose change into the bottle, and return the baby bottle on Father’s Day, June 18th. The funds will be used locally.

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PILGRIMAGE TO PORTUGAL, SPAIN GIBRALTAR & MOROCCO: From September 21 to October 4, 2023, join Father Wilson on this incredible pilgrimage which includes visits to Fatima, Seville, Cordoba, Gibraltar and Casablanca. Pilgrimage cost is \$4,650 including airfare, hotels, tours and breakfast and dinner daily. Pick up a registration form in the welcome area or contact Marietta Bier at 416-297-0694 or mariettabier@yahoo.ca for more information.

WORLD YOUTH DAY IN THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON – Did you know that 39 delegates from the Diocese will be traveling to the international celebration of World Youth Day in Portugal this summer? Led by the Holy Father, Pope Francis, these pilgrims will have the opportunity to pray alongside thousands of young people from around the world in celebration and thanksgiving for the gift of the Holy Church. We need your help! Please pray for our young people on their journey and keep up to date on our pilgrimage by following us on social media: @officeofyouthministry (Instagram) or “Diocese of Hamilton Office of Youth Ministry” (Facebook).

FRASSATI LEADERSHIP PROGRAM – Young people entering grade 10 in September are invited to register for the Frassati leadership program. This year long program is designed for young Catholic leaders who want to expand their Catholic leadership skills and grow in their relationship with Christ and their communities. For registration and more information please visit:

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/youth-ministry/frassati>.

LOOKING FOR SOME LEARNING, SUPPORT AND FUN ON A FRIDAY EVENINGS? Join our RESTART: Refresh, Renew, Revive group held the 2nd & 3rd Fridays in June (no summer sessions). These get-togethers offer continual support and insights for people as they journey through the divorce/separation process and beyond. Join in-person (700 King St. West, Hamilton), or by ZOOM. No registration required, but for ZOOM link please contact Sarah at familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com, or 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. We look forward to seeing you!

HAMILTON DIOCESAN MARIAN DAYS: Marian Days at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph will be celebrated monthly until October. The day will begin with Confessions at 9am, followed by Mass at 10am, Rosary Procession at 11am, lunch at 12, Holy Hour and Marian Catechesis at 1pm, and close with Benediction at 2pm. Please bring your own lunch. Coffee and Tea will be available. Presiders will be, **Bishop Douglas Crosby** on Saturday, July 1; **Bishop Gerard Bergie** on Saturday, August 5; **Bishop Wayne Lobsinger** on Saturday, September 2; and **Thomas Cardinal Collins** on Saturday, October 7.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION THROUGH VLCFF – The Diocese of Hamilton is proud to partner with Dayton University’s Virtual Learning Community for Adult Faith Formation (VLCFF) to offer certificate programs for ministry and enrichment for adult faith formation. We are currently taking enrollment for the Youth Ministry Certification Program and the Catechist Formation Program for the Diocese of Hamilton, which begins in September 2023. Three- and five-week e-seminars are also available at a discounted rate for all adults in the Diocese looking to further their learning. For more information about our programs, visit us at www.hamiltondioceselearns.com.

YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT – July 1st - Our diocesan Vocations Office invites all young adults (ages 20s & 30s) of our diocese to attend our Canada Day Young Adults Night. Arrival and Holy Hour in the church (6:30pm-7:30 pm), social with food, testimony/talk and Compline (9:00pm) in the Hall followed by Canada Day Fireworks from the Hill. Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk Street, Guelph). For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

PODCAST: Essential but Disposable Labour, Migrant Workers Exploited in Canada – In collaboration with the Sisters of St. Joseph Toronto and the Collaborative Network to End Exploitation, we have created a podcast which centres the voices and experiences of Migrant Workers in Canada. In a limited number of bi-weekly episodes, we join in conversation with workers, immigration specialists and frontline advocates to understand the systems and policies that compose this labour market and how our Ministries can better serve this community. You can find the podcast on Spotify or visit the CNEE website here: <https://www.cnee.ca/podcast/>.

DO NO HARM WEBINAR SERIES: Decolonizing Anti-Human Trafficking Work – Held in partnership with the Collaborative Network to End Exploitation, we invite anti-human trafficking advocates to learn from experts and critically reflect on our work. Each week we will explore ways our colonial history has impacted human trafficking as it pertains to Indigenous Communities in Canada. Held Tuesdays, 1pm EST, beginning June 6, 2023. Visit <https://cnee.eventbrite.ca> to register

JOB OPPORTUNITY - MUSIC DIRECTOR: St. Paul the Apostle Parish in Burlington is looking for an experienced musician to fill the part time role of Music Director. Primary responsibilities will be to direct and lead the choir, and coordinate the other music ministries. Visit the website <https://hamiltondiocese.bamboohr.com/careers/172> for more information or to apply.

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