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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
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, every first and third Sunday at 1:00 PM
- 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 905.632.1424

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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 Holy Cross Vocations www.holycrossvocationscanada.com
Catholics Come Home www.CatholicsComeHome.org Vocations www.HamiltonVocations.com

13TH & 14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Monday, July 1 at 9:00 a.m.
+ Tony Perez

Tuesday, July 2 at 9:00 a.m.
Communion Service

Wednesday, July 3 at 9:00 a.m.
Communion Service

Thursday, July 4 at 9:00 a.m.
Communion Service

Friday, July 5

9:00 a.m. + Mary-Anne Freudiger
7:00 p.m. Ints. Nancy Needham

Saturday, July 6 at 5:00 p.m.
Ints. Isobel Mather; Ints. Rita Waters & Family;
+ Lucey Family; + Harv Malcolm;
+ Emil Komac; + Brenda Unseth

Sunday, July 7

9:00 a.m. + Jack & Dorothy Harber
11:00 a.m. For Our Parishioners

Monday, July 8 at 9:00 a.m.
+ Francis Gomesz

Tuesday, July 9 at 9:00 a.m.
+ Dion Alampi

Wednesday, July 10 at 9:00 a.m.
+ Helen & Joseph Mathews & Family

Thursday, July 11 at 9:00 a.m.
Ints. Thanksgiving Mass; + Mullen Family
+ Harv Malcolm; + Bob Chepita; + Julian Kiley

Friday, July 12 at 9:00 a.m.
Ints. Chris Heald

Saturday, July 13 at 5:00 p.m.
+ Monica Flynn; + Francis Gomesz; + Virginia Gislou;
+ Clement D'Oliveira; + Clive D'Oliveira

Sunday, July 14

9:00 a.m. For Our Parishioners
11:00 a.m. + Basilio Augusto Maria



ST. RAPHAEL GREEN CORNER
Canada Day Weekend: "God Keep
our land, glorious and free!"

Pope Francis writes: "It may well disturb us to learn of the extinction of mammals or birds, since they are more visible. But the good functioning of ecosystems also requires fungi, algae, worms, insects, reptiles and an innumerable variety of microorganisms. Some less numerous species, although generally unseen, nonetheless play a critical role in maintaining the equilibrium of a particular place." Laudato Si #34

Did you know that using harmful chemical insecticides and pesticides can result in these harmful chemicals going into our water system; lakes, rivers and streams, through water runoff from rainfall and watering your garden? Did you know that using harmful insecticides and pesticides will poison pollinator insects such as butterflies and bees, birds, and small animals such as chipmunks, rabbits, squirrels, as well as your own household pets?

Now that your garden is flourishing, you might control the unwanted insects/animals choosing to enjoy its beauty. Instead of reaching for chemicals, harmful to the Earth here are a few natural helpful suggestions. Try attracting helpful insects to your garden. For example; ladybugs are natural predators of aphids that plague plants and roses, mites, whitefly and scale. Try planting flowering plants such as those from the daisy family, yarrow or tansy. These flowering plants attract ladybugs and are available at most garden centers.

Did you know that you can create a nontoxic insect remover with household products? Mix one tablespoon canola oil and a few drops of dish soap into a quart of water, shake well and pour into a spray bottle. Spray plants from above down, and from below up to get the underside of the leaves. The oil smothers the insects such as aphids, mites and meal bugs.

For further ideas, remedies and suggestions of natural/nontoxic ways to deter insects and animals see:
http://eartheasy.com/grow_nat_pest_cntrl.htm#e
Think Green and be a Friend of Mother Earth! Avoid the use of insecticides and pesticides!

Sunday is the **Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.** In **Luke's Gospel** we hear of Jesus "resolutely determined to journey to Jerusalem" but not being welcomed by all. When Jesus invites: "Follow me" he is put off with excuses. "No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God."

Sunday is the **Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.** We continue in **Luke's Gospel** with Jesus sending out the seventy-two "like lambs among wolves." Typical of Jesus' teachings, the sending reveals both the grace of being sent and a lesson of what to be thankful for. We are called not to be proud in our status as Christians, but joyous in our knowledge that we have a place in God's Kingdom.

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<http://www.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/online.html>

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday, June 23 rd	- Envelopes (232)	\$5935.00
	- Cura Pastorum (2)	\$40.00
	- Pope's Pastoral Work (1)	\$20.00
	- Loose	\$463.00

Thank you for your continued support!

Please pray for the following:

John Scharer	Molly Laporte	Barbara Kennedy
Mary Berry	Nicola Izzi	Maritza Garcia
Doug Pudsey	Sarah Scharer	Gonzalez
Peggy Evans	Jim Singer	Milan Heck
Jill Ascah	Elizabeth Talatala	Helen Weppler
Lee Olds	Asia Rae Landry	Jane Urquhart
Stephen Pustai	Noah Landry	Laith Youisif
Michael Smart	Sr. Rosalie Siegler	Mary Lilly
Kyle Elliott	Alison Zierl	Vincent Stanford
Karen Beeho	Sarah LaFontaine	Bill & Lucie
Pat Malcolm	Rosario Herve	Jennings
Elizabeth Elder	Jill Olds	Paul LaFontaine
Michael Colameco	Joanne Pringle	Frank Clarke
Tony Hymes	Aileen Smith	Marie Bond
Helen Sheehan	Robert Connelly	Sandra Beyer
Rejeanne Flake		

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 a.m.

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IN OUR PARISH



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

ADORATION, PRAISE, WORSHIP AND MASS: Please join our parishioners in a church wide adoration and praise and worship on **Friday, July 4th at 7 pm.** All are welcome to spend time with the Lord.

HOLY CROSS FATHER'S RETREAT: On **Monday afternoon, July 1st** Fr. Francis and Fr. Roshan will be at Mt. Camel Retreat Centre in Niagara Falls for an annual retreat of the Holy Cross Community. They will return on the evening of Thursday July 4th there will be **communion services led by our Extraordinary Ministers of Communion on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 9 am.**

VOLUNTEER NEEDED: Can you spare 15 minutes before and after the **11 am mass** to volunteer in the **Religious Article Store.** If you are interested in helping out in the store please contact Angie Lappin 905-333-5718. A police check will be required.

BIBLE CAMP SNACK DONATIONS NEEDED: Rice Krispies Squares, Fish Crackers, Granola Bars, Arrowroot Cookies, and Chips. Please bring all nut free donations to the parish office. Thank you!



BECOMING A ROMAN CATHOLIC: Are you or someone you know interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith? Are you a Catholic who has not received First Eucharist and/or Confirmation, or

do you know someone who is a Catholic but has not received these Sacraments? Then maybe the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the place for you or them. Every year thousands of adults are welcomed into the Roman Catholic Church through the RCIA process. The RCIA is a series of instructions, faith development and rituals designed to help adults and older children become full members of the Catholic Church. Classes begin in early September and end on the Feast of Pentecost. For more information please contact the parish office at 905-637-2346.



VOLUNTEER UPDATE: If you are a volunteer at St. Raphael Parish please be aware that police checks have to be done every five years. Our last drive for needed police checks was in 2014. Therefore, if your police check that you submitted to our parish is five years old or more please send in a **new updated police check** to the wooden box in the welcoming area marked **"Volunteer screening forms drop off"**. All submitted police checks will be returned to you. If you have any questions please call Rina Fowler at 905-634-0248.

SUNDAY FUNNY: Why do bees have sticky hair?
Because they use honeycombs.



SUMMER BULLETIN: Bulletins will be published **bi-weekly** throughout July and August. Bulletins will not be sent via e-mail during these months. Please **pick up** a bulletin on the following dates: *July 14, July 28, August 11, and August 25.* The regular weekly bulletin will continue on September 8th.

PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS **For JULY & AUGUST**

Monday	9 am – 4 pm
Tuesday	9 am – 4 pm
Wednesday	9 am – 4 pm
Thursday	OFFICE CLOSED
Friday	OFFICE CLOSED
Saturday	3:30 pm – 6:30 pm
Sunday	9 am – 12 noon

BOOKING MEETING ROOMS/CHURCH: a REMINDER TO ALL Parish Ministries to please schedule use of church rooms for your meetings and practices that are resuming in September 2019 by sending an e-mail request to office@straphaels.ca Thank you.

2019 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: Please pick up your envelopes in the parish entrance, next to the Religious Articles store. Please note some envelope numbers have changed for this year so please only use envelopes dated 2019. For assistance please contact the office.

IN OUR COMMUNITY

CROSS OF VICTORY WALKING PILGRIMAGE: Aug. 3rd -10th. Everyone is welcome to join for a day, or two, or the whole week for the walk to the Martyr's Shrine in Midland. Along the way the group will pray for forgiveness for the sin of abortion, for the intentions of Pope Francis and for any intentions placed in the prayer petition box. For information contact David at 416-892-8819, Keith at 705-968-0822 or Christl at 905-639-5949; email CofVPilgrimage@gmail.com or google 2019crossofvictorypilgrimage

HALTON CATHOLIC EDUCATION UPDATE: At the Regular Board Meeting on June 21, **Policy II-51 Optional French Programming (Early French Immersion and Extended French)** was approved at First Reading. The policy has been released and is available for review and input at <https://www.hcdsb.org/Board/Policies/PoliciesProcedures>
PLEASE NOTE: submission of input due date is Friday, August 9, 2019.

ONE BURLINGTON: Mon. **Aug. 5th from 12 m to 4 pm.** The theme is "Embracing Diversity". The celebration will include a range of cultural programming with acapella singers, an Indigenous drum circle, spoken word artists, and a massed choir. Each faith community is invited to speak about "Embracing Diversity", and information booths will offer a broader understanding of Burlington's faith and cultural communities. It will be an afternoon of free fun with games and food for the whole family.

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