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

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Tues & Thurs 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM Saturday 9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon 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, every first and third Sunday at 1:00 PM
- 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 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

### **PARISH SCHOOLS**

- Assumption High School 905.634.1835
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# Archangel St. Raphael "God is my Healer"

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See the Book of Tobit, especially chapter 12

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Catholics Come Home www.CatholicsComeHome.org Vocations www.HamiltonDiocese.org

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday, November 2

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed Kathleen Hinton, Spec. Int. 9:00 a.m.

> 7:00 p.m. Mass of Remembrance

### Tuesday, November 3

9:00 a.m. Christopher Hinton, Spec. Int.

### Wednesday, November 4

The Children of Mr. & Mrs. Hinton, 9:00 a.m.

Spec. Int.

### Thursday, November 5

9:00 a.m. Laura Christie +

> Barbara Pustai + Anthony Botelho + Rio Reynoso +

Sylvia Heald, Spec. Int.

### Friday, November 6

9:00 a.m. Dr. Robert Carbin +

### Saturday, November 7

5:00 p.m. Alyssa Burke Richardson +

> Maureen Naughton + Don & Debbie Pilon +

Elio Ricci +

Liam Hayes, Spec. Int.

7:00 p.m. Youth Mass

### Sunday, November 8

9:00 a.m. For Our Parishioners 11:00 a.m. Francis Onuska +

### Please pray for the following:

Maureen Fisher Isabelle Wild Helen Plouffe Martin Dawson John Scharer Darryll Malley Mary Berry Molly Laporte Nicola Izzi Sarah Scharer Vincent Stanford Jim Singer

Barbara Kennedy Maritza Garcia Gonzalez

Michael Dowson

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

### OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday, October 25th \$6,241.00 **Debt Reduction** \$1,295.00

Thank you for your continued support of our parish.

**COLLECTION FOR SYRIAN REFUGEES UPDATE: The** parishioners of St. Raphael Parish have donated a total of \$13,175 in support of the Syrian Refugee Crisis. Amazing! Thank you for your very generous donations!



MASS OF REMEMBRANCE: Our Mass of Remembrance takes place on Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7 p.m. We remember those in our parish who died this past year and all our beloved deceased. Everyone welcome.

CARING FOR CREATION: You are invited to join your fellow parishioners every Monday to discuss some of the themes found in Pope Francis' latest encyclical "Laudato Si". Remaining session dates: November 2, 9, 16, 23, and 30 starting at 7:30 p.m. Please note that the workshop will begin immediately following the Mass of Remembrance on November 2<sup>nd</sup>.



**CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE:** Starting this weekend, please take a tag and purchase a gift to put under the tree. DO NOT WRAP in any way. The tree will be there for three week-ends only. All items will be given to THE GOOD SHEPHERD.

Questions? Call Rose at 905-633-8455.

### YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

Young Adults: Meetings are held every first Friday of the month in the St. Francis Room and are open to all young adults age 19 to 30 with a desire to engage in a new faith journey. Our next meeting is Friday, November 6th at 7 p.m. Visit <u>www.hypecatholic.com</u>

YOUTH MASS: There will be a Youth Mass celebration every first Saturday of each month at 7 p.m. Our first Mass is Saturday, November 7th. This Mass is open to all youth and their families as well as young adults.

DECORATION GROUP MEETING: Thursday, November 5th at 7:30 p.m. in the Hearth room. Any parishioners wishing to join this group please contact Vivian Pulis at 905-637-5264. We appreciate your interest

ST. RAPHAEL'S ANNUAL TRIVIA & GAMES NIGHT: Saturday, November 14th. Doors open at 6 p.m. for cocktails. Games and Trivia start at 7 p.m. Bring your family and friends! \$10/person and \$80/table of 8. Cash bar. Pizza and refreshments served throughout the night as part of your ticket cost. Bring your own munchies! For further info or to reserve your seat please contact Renata at 905-637-2457 or galwayrenata@gmail.com. Tickets must be purchased in advance. Tickets on sale after all Masses this weekend.



LADIES COFFEE MORNING: All ladies are welcome to gather on Wednesday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, for coffee and fellowship following the 9 a.m. Mass in the St. Francis Room.

MOVIE NIGHT: We had a wonderful potluck dinner and movie night! Don't miss the next one on Saturday, **November 21st**. Save the date!



The St. Vincent de Paul special collection takes place next week-end, November 7/8. Please use the **blue envelope** found with your offertory envelopes. Additional envelopes are available in the Parish Gathering area.

**PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN:** Forms to enroll in our Pre-Authorized Giving Plan can be picked up in the parish entrance or the parish office. Please contact the office if you require any assistance.



**SAVE THE DATE!** The Annual Children's Advent Party will be on **the first Sunday of Advent**, **November 29**<sup>th</sup> from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Parish Centre. More details soon!

**REMINDER - SHIFRA HOMES BABY BOTTLES -** please return your filled baby bottle to the designated box in the Welcoming Area. For more info: <a href="https://www.shifrahomes.com">www.shifrahomes.com</a>

**KNITTERS NEEDED!** The Knitting group is meeting in the St. Anthony's Room on Tuesday, Nov. 10th, 9:30 a.m. We need knitters/crocheters to make hats, scarves, etc. Learn how to make a granny square, or let me know what you would like to do. Call Rose at 905-633-8455.

**BOOMERANG CARDS:** Bridge and euchre sessions are held in the Parish Centre on Monday afternoons at 1:00 p.m. Join us for an afternoon of fun for only a toonie.



HEROES OF HOLY CROSS: Fr. Patrick Peyton, CSC (Part 2 of 4): Peyton settled in Scranton, Pennsylvania, where he eventually found work as a janitor at the Cathedral, in part because his sisters had

mentioned to the rector that their brother had earlier expressed interest in the priesthood. It was at the Cathedral in the spring of 1929 that he first met priests of the Congregation who had come to preach a parish mission. Immediately, he felt called to join the Congregation to be a missionary, and that fall, on August 20, he and his brother Tom entered the minor seminary at the University of Notre Dame in Notre Dame, Indiana. When the two were in their second year of theology at Catholic University in Washington D.C., Peyton was stricken with tuberculosis. He languished for a year, having been transferred back to Notre Dame's infirmary. During that time, Rev. Cornelius Hagerty, C.S.C., told Peyton that he needed to pray to Mary the way the Irish always prayed – with great faith. Peyton prayed his Rosary and at the end of a novena, declared himself cured by Mary's intercession. The doctors eventually confirmed it. On June 15, 1941, Peyton and his brother Tom were ordained together. Grateful to Mary for saving his life, Peyton dedicated himself to spreading the practice of the family Rosary, which he had first learned in his own home back in Ireland.



CASH CALENDARS: Knights of Columbus Cash Calendars are available in the parish entrance on November 7/8 and November 14/15. All

proceeds generated from the sale of these calendars go towards the many charities supported by the Knights of Columbus in our Parish and our Community. For more info please contact Henry Valcheff (905-639-4085) or you can visit our website at <a href="https://www.kofc5073.ca">www.kofc5073.ca</a>. Thank you for your support!

### AROUND THE DIOCESE

"THE TRINITY AND ECOLOGY": Development and Peace invites you to our annual RETREAT DAY on Saturday, Nov. 7th from 9:15 to 3:15 in Ignatius Jesuit Centre in Guelph (St. Brigid's Villa) off highway 6 just north of Guelph. Topic, (in harmony with Pope Francis' theme of his recent encyclical letter) "The Trinity and Ecology". Presenter: Sister Linda Gregg. \$20 appreciated + Pot luck lunch. Margaret McDyre at 519-833-4479 marg.mcdyre@outlook.com or Gaiyle Connolly at 905-304-7860 saypossible@hotmail.com.

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE:** The 40 Days for Life End Rally is this **Sunday, November 1**<sup>st</sup>. You are invited to first join outside OTM Hospital at 3:30pm. Following the 5pm Mass at St. James there will be a Thank You Reception & Baby Shower.

MASS OF THANKSGIVING: All are invited to gather with Bishop Crosby and the men and women religious of the Diocese of Hamilton for a Mass of Thanksgiving for the Year of Consecrated Life at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 1, 2015 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk St., Guelph).

THE BIBLICAL ROOTS OF MERCY...Preparing for the Jubilee Year: All our encouraged and welcome to attend this evening session intended to help you prepare for the upcoming Jubilee Year of Mercy. Join us for evening prayer with Bishop Douglas Crosby, OMI, and a presentation on the Biblical Roots of Mercy by world renowned biblical scholar, Sister Eileen Schuller, OSU. The event takes place at The Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, 28 Norfolk Street, Guelph, on Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

An evening of **COFFEE AND CONVERSATION**, with Cam Johnson, author *of Lost & Found: A story of Hope, Forgiveness, and Redemption*. Enjoy coffee, tea, desserts, and fellowship in support of Birthright of Milton (providing services to all of Halton) on **Thursday, November 19**<sup>th</sup> from 7 to 9 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church. Tickets are \$15 and may be purchased through the parish or by contacting Birthright at 905.875.1245.

ALL SOULS DAY MASS: Most Reverend Anthony Tonnos, Bishop Emeritus of Hamilton, will offer the annual All Souls Day Memorial Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery on Sunday, November 1, 2015, at 2:00 pm. All are welcome. For more information, please call (905) 522-7727, or visit <a href="https://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca">www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca</a>

**TURKEY ROLL ALERT:** This is a Turkey Roll Alert that will happen on **Friday, November 27, 2015**!!! Knights of Columbus #5073. 2400 Industrial Street (off Mountainside and Guelph Line). Doors open at 6:30 p.m. and the Roll begin at 7:30 p.m. Admission: FREE Proceeds of this event go back to the Burlington Community through the charity work of the Knights of Columbus #5073.

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