

# 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  
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](http://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](http://HamiltonDiocese.com) Holy Cross Vocations [www.holycrossvocationscanada.com](http://www.holycrossvocationscanada.com)  
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**Monday, November 11** at 9:00 a.m.  
+ Cleyton Leroy Brown

**Tuesday, November 12** at 9:00 a.m.  
+ Santo Domenca Spagnolo

**Wednesday, November 13** at 9:00 a.m.  
+ Frank Pepers

**Thursday, November 14** at 9:00 a.m.  
Ints. Alison & Mark Zierl; Ints. Donald Gravelle;  
Ints. Jerry & Denise Ford; + Fermina Deveras;  
+ Paul M. LaFontaine; + George Iantorno

**Friday, November 15** at 9:00 am  
+ Paul M. LaFontaine

**Saturday, November 16** at 5:00 p.m.  
Mass of Thanksgiving; + Brenda Undseth;  
+ Chomyshyn & Boulais Family; + Paul M. LaFontaine;  
+ Kelly McBane-Bertin;

**Sunday, November 17**  
9:00 a.m. + Francis Onuska  
11:00 a.m. For Our Parishioners



**ST. RAPHAEL GREEN CORNER**  
*Pope Francis writes: The urgent challenge to protect our common home includes a concern to bring*

*the whole human family together to seek a sustainable and integral development, for we know that things can change. The Creator does not abandon us; he never forsakes his loving plan or repents of having created us. Humanity still has the ability to work together in building our common home. Here I want to recognize, encourage and thank all those striving in countless ways to guarantee the protection of the home which we share. Particular appreciation is owed to those who tirelessly seek to resolve the tragic effects of environmental degradation on the lives of the world's poor- est. " Laudato Si #13*

The Mura People of Manaus, who subsist as hunters, fishers and gatherers, have a proud history of resisting colonialism. They live in 38 villages around Manaus, the capital of Brazil's Amazonas State. The Muras' lands, livelihoods and lifestyle are threatened by a large potash mine that is being built by Potássio do Brasil, a resource company that has financing from a Toronto-based investment fund. The project will result in: Large-scale land appropriation and expulsion of Mura people; Widespread pollution and deforestation; Impoverishment of the Mura people. Contrary to its claims, the mining company has not meaningfully consulted the Mura, resorting instead to obfuscation, misrepresentations and bribery. Those among the Mura people who refuse to be coopted and dare to resist are criminalized and persecuted. (For Our Common Home: Development and Peace)

**What can we do?** By signing our Solidarity Letter you will provide moral support to the Mura people in their legal fight, aided by REPAM, (The Pan Amazonian Ecclesial Network). It will also help to advocate for better corporate accountability in Canada and better protection for the rainforest and its people in Brazil. Please visit the web page [Sign@devp.org](mailto:Sign@devp.org)/ForOurCommonHome or see the folder on the Social Justice Bulletin Board in the parish foyer for a copy of the letter that can be signed!

**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 Yousif
Michael Smart	Alison Zierl	Mary Lilly
Kyle Elliott	Sarah LaFontaine	Vincent Stanford
Karen Beeho	Rosario Herve	Bill & Lucie
Pat Malcolm	Jill Olds	Jennings
Elizabeth Elder	Joanne Pringle	Frank Clarke
Michael Colameco	Aileen Smith	Marie Bond
Tony Hymes	Robert Connelly	Sandra Beyer
Helen Sheehan	Jones Rodney	

*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.*



**OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

Sunday, Nov. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	- Envelopes (250)	\$5220.00
	- Loose	\$967.00
	- Evangelization of Nations (4)	\$101.00

**Thank you for your continued support!**

On the **Thirty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time**, in **Luke's Gospel**, the Sadducees ask sly questions of Jesus, hoping to confuse him on the idea of a Resurrection. Jesus refutes them by quoting Moses: "the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob; and he is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive."

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



**REMEMBRANCE DAY – NOVEMBER 11**

Canadians pause today in silence to remember those who died in war and to pray for the victims of aggression and inhumanity throughout the world. This is a day to pray for peace, to consider what we are doing as individuals, as a community and as a nation to bring God's peace into the world. This is a day when a believing community should rededicate itself to prayer and action to the ideals Jesus gives us in the Beatitudes.

**IN OUR PARISH**

**JOURNEY OF FAITH:** Please join us every **Wednesday** from **7pm to 8pm** in our **Parish Centre** for our Journey of Faith sessions. Kindly join us on **November 13**, to grow in the knowledge of **The History of the Church**. All are welcome to attend.



**CHRISTIANS ON A JOURNEY:** Everyone is welcome to attend.

\*Monday, **November 11** - Fellowship and Prayer – **St. Raphael Church – 7:30pm**

\*Sunday, **November 17** - Taize prayer – **Port Nelson** (3132 South Drive) – **7pm**

\*Wednesday, **November 27** - Speaker on "Diversity and Strength"- **Port Nelson** (3132 South Drive) – **7pm**

**MASS AT RETIREMENT RESIDENCES: Revera Appleby Place Retirement Residence** (500 Appleby Line) **every second Thursday** of the month at **10am**. **Billings Court Manor Long Term Care Home** (3700 Billings Crt.) **every second Wednesday** of the month at **10:45am**. Everyone is welcome to attend these masses.



**ALZHEIMER'S SOCIETY PRESENTATION: Mon. Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:15pm** in our **Parish Centre**.

Danielle Arbour from the Alzheimer's Society will provide an overview of the services offered followed by a Q & A. All parishioners are invited to attend and learn more about this disease which is becoming more prevalent today. Following the presentation, will be the CWL general meeting. We hope to see many of you there! For more info, contact Helen Sheehan at 905-634-7481.

**FIRST COMMUNION MEETING:** There will be a meeting for the **grade 2 parents** on **Nov. 24<sup>th</sup> at 12:30pm** in the **church**. (Children are welcome to attend.)



**CHILDREN'S ADVENT PARTY:** Please join us on Sunday, **Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>**, in the **Parish Centre**, from **1pm to 2:30pm** (after the Communion meeting in the church at 12:30pm). All children, up to grade 3 are invited for crafts, cookie decorating, treats, and a visit from someone special. **FREE**

**admission with a non-perishable food item.** All children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. To ensure we are prepared for all, please RSVP to Charlie at: email [bcarpenter2@cogeco.ca](mailto:bcarpenter2@cogeco.ca) or call 905-681-6221.

**2020 LECTOR'S WORKBOOK:** Any Proclaimer of the Word who would like to purchase a Lector's Workbook for **\$13** can order one by calling or emailing Patty McConnell at 905 333-9727, churchmouse48@gmail.com. Due to travelling, she will be in touch with you in the latter part of November.



**THE GOOD SHEPHERD TREE OF HOPE:** The Tree of Hope for the Good Shepherd is in our church foyer **until Nov. 29<sup>th</sup>**. Please take a tag from the tree and purchase the item on the tag and return it UNWRAPPED and place it in the box under the tree. **We will deliver the gifts on Nov. 29<sup>th</sup> to the Good Shepherd** for their Christmas distribution. Your past generosity has been well noted by the staff and families in need.



**SUNDAY FUNNY:** Now is a good time to visit our parish, our pastor is on vacation.

## **PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING AT ST. RAPHAEL PARISH:**

We currently have 50 families enrolled in our pre-authorized giving plan! If you are interested in this method of giving, please pick up a form in the parish entrance or the parish office. *Our current monthly collection is \$5356.00.* Changes to this monthly amount will be posted in our bulletin.



**ATTENTION SNOWBIRDS:** Renew your Catholic Women's League membership before you leave for the sunny south! It is especially important to renew your membership for 2020 - our 100 Anniversary Year! What a wonderful privilege to belong to a women's organization that stands up for Catholic values. Place \$30 (cash or cheque made out to: St. Raphael's Catholic Women's League) in the offertory CWL blue envelopes or in a plain envelope with your full name; address; telephone # and email address. All memberships received before February 29<sup>th</sup>, will have an opportunity to win a \$30 Restaurant gift card. For more info, please email Charlotte Carpenter at [bcarpenter2@cogeco.ca](mailto:bcarpenter2@cogeco.ca) or call 905-681-6221.

**NEW SUNDAY MISSALS:** If you would like your own copy of the 2019-2020 Sunday Missal please purchase them in the Religious Article Store after Mass for \$5.

## **IN OUR COMMUNITY**



**DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE: Water for Life Not Profit.** Learn about the impact of

Nestle water bottling in communities around the world on **Wed. Nov. 13<sup>th</sup> from 7pm – 9am** at **St. Joseph Church Hall** (280 Herkimer St, Hamilton). Franklin Frederick, Bernhard and Renee-Lise Schmitt will speak about how to take action to protect water and say no to water bottling in Ontario. Email: [wellingtonwaerwatchers@gmail.com](mailto:wellingtonwaerwatchers@gmail.com) for more information.

**VISIT OF THE RELIC OF ST. FRANCOIS DE LAVAL:**

On the Feast of Christ the King, **Sun. Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>**, the relic of St. Francois de Laval (first Bishop of Quebec) will visit the **Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King** (714 King Street West) for veneration. His Eminence, Gerald Cyprien Lacroix, Archbishop of Quebec will preach at the Masses and preside and preach at the 11 am Mass that morning. The Cathedral Basilica will be open for visits from 12 Noon until 4pm Mass that Sunday afternoon. For more info. visit [www.ckbasilica.ca](http://www.ckbasilica.ca) All are welcome.



**CHRISTMAS CHURCH BAZAARS:**

**St. John the Baptist Church: Sat. Nov. 16 (9am – 3pm)**, 2016 Blairholm Ave. Burlington. Silent Auction, bake sale, café snacks, plus more.

**St. Elizabeth Anglican Church: Sat. Nov. 16 (9am – 2pm)**, 5324 Bromley Rd, Burlington. Bake table, lunch table, children's table and crafts.

**Burlington East Presbyterian Church: Sat. Nov. 16 (9am – 12pm)**, 505 Walkers Line, Burlington. Tea Room. Book, Bake, Christmas & Craft Tables.

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