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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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30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**Monday, October 29 at 9:00 a.m.**  
+ Harry Murphy

**Tuesday, October 30 at 9:00 a.m.**  
Ints. Cenka Kosir

**Wednesday, October 31 at 9:00 a.m.**  
+ Santos & Astillero Family

**Thursday, November 1 at 9:00 a.m.**  
Ints. Norma Clarke; + Jack Noranha;  
+ Esmerald Noranha;  
+ Deceased Members of the Curtin Family;  
+ Mr. & Mrs. Fernandes; + Souls in Purgatory

**St. Raphael School Mass**  
**St. Paul School Mass 10:30 a.m. at the school**

**Friday, November 2**  
9:00 a.m. + Souls in Purgatory  
7:00 p.m. + Steve Cosic

**Saturday, November 3 at 5:00 p.m.**  
Ints. Tom & Lee Olds; Ints. Anna Colantonio;  
+ All Hamilton Diocese Bishops, Priests, & Deacons;  
+ Laura Carroll; + Liliana Vacca; + Emil Komac

**Sunday, November 4**  
9:00 a.m. For Our Parishioners  
11:00 a.m. + Philomena Southall



**ST RAPHAEL GREEN CORNER**  
*Pope Francis writes: "...But the good functioning of ecosystems also requires fungi, algae, worms, insects, reptiles, and innumerable variety of microorganisms. Some less numerous species, although generally unseen, nonetheless play a critical role in maintaining the equilibrium of the particular place." Laudato Si # 34*

We can help Mother Nature provide the elements that are needed to maintain healthy gardens and soil. Wondering how to prepare your garden for winter? Here are some End of Season Gardening tips that will help you to prepare for next spring:

**\*Maintaining soil fertility:** First and foremost that means taking care of the soil. A bare patch of soil devoid of plants is very vulnerable to erosion and loss of fertility. But when there are plants in the patch their roots conduct mutually beneficial exchanges with soil organisms. The roots exude sugars and other compounds in exchange for a variety of readily absorbed minerals and other nutrients. In addition, the physical presence of plants prevents winter rains, snow and ice from eroding the soil and leaching nutrients. Remove plants and you remove nature's way of protecting the landscape and its fertility.

**\*Tips for Fall Mulching:** Mulch your lawn by mowing fallen leaves right back into the yard and leaving them. Mowing, in effect, shreds the leaves, giving them more chance to decompose over winter. Leaves can be a wonderful — and cheap — source of nitrogen that grass will need come spring. Eco-friendly benefits to mulching leaves back into the grass: quicker spring green up using less fertilizer and fewer weeds! The small decomposing leaf pieces provide nutrients to your lawn over the winter for quicker greening in the spring. They also cover any bare spots in the lawn that are good places for weed seeds to germinate. Mulch deeply, but not too deeply. Yes, you want maximum insulation. But you also want excess moisture to evaporate. The deeper the mulch, the harder it is for evaporation to occur. Saturated soils encourage rot and disease. Don't let mulch pile up around the trunks of trees or the base of shrubs. Mulch rubbing up against a trunk keeps it from drying out, an invitation to rot and disease. <https://www.planetnatural.com/fall-soil-prep/>

Now is a good time to plant spring bulbs in your garden!

**Please pray for the following:**

John Scharer	Molly Laporte	Barbara Kennedy
Mary Berry	Nicola Izzi	Maritza Garcia
Doug Pudsey	Sarah Scharer	Gonzalez
Frances Wentges	Jim Singer	Milan Heck
Peggy Evans	Elizabeth Talatala	Helen Weppler
Jill Ascah	Asia Rae Landry	Jane Urquhart
Lee Olds	Noah Landry	Laith Yousif
Stephen Pustai	Rozalia Bereznay	Mary Lilly
Michael Smart	Sr. Rosalie Siegler	Vincent Stanford
Kyle Elliott	Alison Zierl	Bev Speirs
Karen Beeho	Sarah LaFontaine	Bill & Lucie
Marilyn Bittner	Rosario Herve	Jennings
Coral King	Jill Olds	

*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 a.m.*

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

Sunday, Oct. 21 <sup>st</sup> - envelope (224)	\$4032.00
- loose	\$696.00
Needs of the Canadian Church	\$1480.00

*Thank you for your continued support!*

A vision of comfort and healing is offered for the **Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time**. In Jeremiah, we see the Lord gathering "his people" - the blind, the lame and the helpless innocents, bringing them together to console and guide them. **In Mark's Gospel**, Bartimaeus, the blind beggar has the courage to beg for healing from Jesus. He is hushed by the crowd but continues to call loudly for Jesus, who hears him and heals him. "Go your way; your faith has saved you."

**IN OUR PARISH**

**ADULT FAITH FORMATION:** Join us **Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> at 7 pm** in our **Parish Center** for a "**Church Tour**". Please join us and bring a friend.

**TO ALL PROCLAIMERS OF THE WORD:** If you would like a copy of the "Workbook for Lectors" to better prepare for Sunday liturgy proclamation, please be in touch with Patty McConnell at churchmouse48@gmail.com or 905-333-8727. The cost is **\$13**. Please be in contact with Patty before **November 1<sup>st</sup>** as this is the date the order will be processed.

**DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE - CARITAS CANADA**

**CAMPAIGN, SHARE THE JOURNEY:** Please take time to read and reflect on the messages in the Share the Journey pamphlet. The young man in the cover photo is nameless ( he was gone before the photographer could identify him), but is one of many fleeing terror and persecution in Myanmar. His face shows exhaustion, sadness, yet a hope that life must go on somehow. Can we enter his and the other migrants' experience through our support and solidarity? Consider signing the ACTION Card next week.



**YEARLY MEMORIAL MASS:** It is our custom to remember and celebrate the deceased members of our family in the month of November. We will be remembering and praying especially for the deceased members of our parish, who passed away last year. This special mass will take place on **Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7 pm** in the church. The beginning of this mass will be our Adoration, Praise and Worship followed by the memorial mass. Everyone is welcome to attend. There will be a short reception following the mass in the welcoming area.

**FIRST RECONCILIATION MEETING:** There will be a parent's information session for the grade 2 parents on **Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm** in the church.



**CHARITY FASHION SHOW:** St. Raphael's CWL will be hosting a fashion show to benefit their favourite charities on **Thurs. Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>, at 7 pm**—doors open at 6:30pm. Tickets are **\$12**. Fashions are from Jus B'Gauze, with great door prizes, store discounts, and Jewellery Fines and Amigurumi to purchase. The invite has gone to all the area churches with a very favourable response. Don't delay, purchase your tickets at the gift shop or reserve by contacting Charlie at 905-681-6221 or [bcarpenter2@cogeo.ca](mailto:bcarpenter2@cogeo.ca).



**ST. RAPHAEL PARISH ANNUAL GAME NIGHT: Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> after 5 pm mass.** Join a team or bring a team (Teams of 8). Tickets are **\$10**. BYOB and snacks. Pizza will be served at half time. Trivia questions in all categories. 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place prizes. Come out and have a few laughs and enjoy your community family. Invite your family and friends to this great night. Hope to see you there.

**CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING:** Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in January 2019 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Volunteers are required to help give the parish kitchen a deep cleaning. The cupboards will be wiped down. The fridge, coolers and top of the stove will also require thorough cleaning. Depending on the number willing to help it should only take 2 to 2 1/2 hours. Once we have a list of volunteers we can decide on a mutually agreeable date. If you can spare a couple of hours please contact Marlene @905-634-0733.

**THE CHRISTMAS PLAY:** Elementary students interested in participating in "The Christmas Story" play on Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>, please contact Rocco Devito at 905-464-0562 or [rocco.devito@dpcdsb.org](mailto:rocco.devito@dpcdsb.org).



**ATTENTION CWL SNOWBIRDS:** Members, who are going south this winter, please remember to renew your membership before you leave. Please note the 2019 fee is \$30.00 (formerly \$25.00). The breakdown of the Per Capita fee for 2019 is as follows: national = \$13.00; provincial = \$3.00 and diocesan = \$6.00 (formerly \$3.00) and \$8.00 for our council. Please place cash or cheque for \$30.00 in an envelope with your name; address; telephone number and email address and drop it in the regular collection at Mass. Contact Charlie at 905-681-6221 for more info.



**THE GOOD SHEPHERD TREE OF HOPE:** Once again this year, we will be putting up the Tree of Hope for the Good Shepherd. It will be in the church hallway for a month, starting **Nov 3<sup>rd</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. 30<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.

**IN OUR COMMUNITY**



**THE BELL BAZAAR – Sat. Nov. 3** at **Holy Rosary Church**, (287 Plains Rd. E.) from **9am to 3pm**. Santa & Lucky Dips for kids, free admission. Best tea room—soup, chili, sandwiches, pies and more! Home baking, Penny Sale, Crafts. Fully accessible venue and parking. For info. call Carol 905-525-1426.

**HOLY SEPULCHRE CEMETERY ALL SOULS DAY MASS:** Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton, will celebrate the annual All Souls Day Mass at **Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Burlington, on Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm**. All are welcome. For more information, please call (800) 661-5985, or visit [www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca).

**KOFC TRIVIA:** Bring a team or join a team. Proceeds go to the Burlington community through the works of the KofC. **6 pm doors open on Fri. Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> at Columbus Hall** (2400 Industrial St., Burlington) **Trivia starts at 7 p.m. Admission is \$10**. Prizes for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place and door prizes. Food and refreshments. For info contact Michael Mark - 289-259-3680, [mysmark18@sympatico.ca](mailto:mysmark18@sympatico.ca) or Mario Carr - 905-580-3472, [mariocarr@cogeco.ca](mailto:mariocarr@cogeco.ca)

**SUNDAY FUNNY:**



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