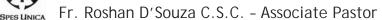
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**OFFICE HOURS** Mon-Fri 9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

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

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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, 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

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#### **PARISH SCHOOLS**

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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

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Monday, January 28 at 9:00 a.m. + Shirley Godin

**Tuesday, January 29** at 9:00 a.m. + Jason LaFontaine

Wednesday, January 30 at 9:00 a.m. + Jason LaFontaine

**Thursday, January 31** at 9:00 a.m. + Norma Clarke

Friday, February 1 9:00 a.m. + Laurence O'Connell 7:00 p.m. + Frank Pulis

Saturday, February 2 at 5:00 p.m. Ints. Molly & Michael Doherty; + Epifanio & Nora Braganza; + Archie DelCol; + Maria Ciuriak

Sunday, February 3

9:00 a.m. For Our Parishioners 11:00 a.m. + Ane Mihaljevic

Please pray for the following:

Michael Colameco

John Scharer Molly Laporte Barbara Kennedy Mary Berry Nicola Izzi Maritza Garcia Doug Pudsey Sarah Scharer Gonzalez Jim Singer Frances Wentges Milan Heck Peggy Evans Elizabeth Talatala Helen Weppler Jill Ascah Asia Rae Landry Jane Urquhart Laith Yousif Lee Olds Noah Landry Stephen Pustai Sr. Rosalie Siegler Mary Lilly Michael Smart Alison Zierl Vincent Stanford Sarah LaFontaine Kyle Elliott Bill & Lucie Karen Beeho Rosario Herve Jennings Harvey & Pat Jill Olds Paul La Fontaine Joanne Pringle Malcolm Frank Clarke Elizabeth Elder Cathy Moore Coral King

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**

Thank you for your continued support!

Sunday, Jan. 20<sup>th</sup> - envelope (185) \$3383.00 - New Year's \$50.00

- loose \$447.00

The **Third Sunday in Ordinary Time** begins to take us through **Luke's Gospel**. We will follow it each week until February when Lent begins; it picks up again after the Easter season when Ordinary Time returns. It introduces Jesus as returning to Galilee "in the power of the Spirit" where he goes to the synagogue and teaches from Isaiah: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor." He ends with the stunning words "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing."

University's Online Ministries web site:

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#### ST RAPHAEL GREEN CORNER

Pope Francis writes: "We make every effort to adapt to our environment, but when it is disorderly, chaotic or

saturated with noise and ugliness, such overstimulation makes it difficult to find ourselves integrated and happy." Laudato Si #147

"Beyond Reduce, Reuse, Recycle/ The 9 'R's of a Sustainable Life" – (Greenpeace Australia.)
"Reduce, reuse, recycle is great. Finding new ways to use things we already have again and in different ways, can help us turn what we think we can't use into something new. But what about sustainability beyond the Three 'R's? When problems of mass-production, excessive marketing, and overconsumption are so systemic – we need to look

#### Repair!

further to fix them."

When buying a new item of clothing is cheaper than getting an old one repaired – why bother? Because the production of new clothes has a massive impact on the environment, climate, and the people making them. https://www.greenpeace.org.au/blog/green-your-wardrobe/

"Have you ever felt like your mobile phone has inexplicably stopped working just as your contract was about to finish? There might be a reason why. Begin questioning sudden failure or the built-in obsolescence of products – which can be great for technology companies, but is a disaster for our planet.

If we change our first response from "how do I get a new one to how can I repair this one, we can start to change this consumer culture."

Consider Repairing: clothing, shoes, household items and electronics

Consider the Sharing Economy in your neighbourhood: car pool, lend/borrow tools and equipment, share childcare, and help a neighbour to shovel snow!

#### IN OUR PARISH

ADULT FAITH FORMATION: The Sacraments of Matrimony and Holy Orders. In the life of Christ we see and hear about love being poured out for the other. It is in giving that we receive and become our best selves. So at the heart of the Church's life are these two sacraments that celebrate the priority of love given in service of others. Join us on Wednesday, January 30<sup>th</sup> from 7-8 pm in the Parish Center to further explore these two sacraments of service.

**ADORATION, PRAISE, WORSHIP AND MASS:** Please join our parishioners in a church wide adoration and praise and worship on **Friday, February 1**<sup>st</sup> at **7 pm**. All are welcome to spend time with the Lord.



**CHRISTIANS ON A JOURNEY**: All are welcome to attend. For information, please call Wilma or Frank 905-870-0641.

**Our Regular Monthly prayer time** is Every Second Monday of the Month.

Mon. Feb 11 7:30pm

**New Street CRC** 

### 3416 New Street WOMEN'S DAY OF REFLECTION: February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019.

Join us in our parish centre for a day of faith and connecting with women. Our speakers David Daylor and Anne Jamieson from the Diocese of Hamilton, will guide us on the theme of Journey to Holiness based on Pope Francis exhortation Call to Holiness. Tickets are \$35 - includes continental breakfast and lunch (\$25 for members of CWL St. Raphael). For tickets and information please contact Charlie Carpenter phone 905-681-6221 or email: <a href="mailto:bcarpenter2@cogeco.ca">bcarpenter2@cogeco.ca</a>. Tickets are on sale until January 27th.

39<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL ST. RAPHAEL MEN'S RETREAT: March 15-17, 2019. The retreat will be held at Manresa, 2325 Liverpool Road, Pickering. This year's topic is "We Love because He Loved Us" our discipleship as a response to God's love, mercy and grace by Fr. John Sullivan S.J. For detail please call Jonathan Fowler 905-634-0248, Steven Pustai 905-639-6428, or Fiona 905-839-2864.

#### **EUCHARIST TO HOME BOUND OR HOSPITAL**

**REMINDER:** To receive communion in your home (within our church boundaries) or at Joseph Brant hospital please contact the parish office 905-637-2346 with your name, phone number and address or hospital room number. Also, when you register at the hospital be sure to write "Catholic" and "Saint Raphael Parish" in the space provided on the registration form.

#### ARE YOU REGISTERED IN OUR PARISH? It is

necessary to register your family in order to be in "good standing" with regards to baptisms, weddings, pastoral references, etc. Registration Forms are available on our Web Site, at the Welcome Desk in the foyer and in the parish office. When you have completed the form, please return it to the Parish Office.

**LOST AND FOUND:** Please check the lost and found box located outside the gift shop. There are many items including gloves, scarves and eye glasses! Any items that remain unclaimed after February 18<sup>th</sup> will be donated.

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

Pre-Authorized Giving allows those who wish to have their monthly donations debited directly from their bank accounts. *Why Should I Participate?* • Convenience: Your offering is deducted from your account once each month and automatically deposited in the Parish account.

- You can plan your giving in advance for the whole year.
- You can continue to support the Parish when you are away. *Advantages for St. Raphael Parish*: A regular, dependable flow of contributions to the church,

#### especially over the summer holiday months.

• A reduction of processing time for the Volunteers who count the collection every Sunday.

We respect that giving is a very personal thing, but we hope the implementation of this optional plan will be a source of convenience for you. Brochures are available in the parish entrance or in office.

FIRST COMMUNION PARENTS MEETING: Monday February 11<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm. The meeting will take place in the church.

CONFIRMATION RETREAT: There will be a retreat for all those who are going through the sacrament of Confirmation this year at our Parish on Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup> from 8:45 am until 1 pm in our Parish Centre.

**2019 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES:** Please pick up your envelopes in the parish entrance, <u>by the elevator</u>. Please note some envelope numbers have changed for the New Year. For assistance please contact the office.

#### **IN OUR COMMUNITY**



**DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE** and Pope Francis invite us this Lenten season to reach out and encounter

migrants and refugees, to make a commitment to really go toward others, to stop, listen and really see them. To learn how to foster a culture of encounter in your parish or school. Join in a SHARE LENT WORKSHOP at one of these parishes:

Mon. Feb. 11, St. Raphael's Parish Hall, 4072 New St., Burlington, 7-9 pm.

Tues. Feb. 19, Annunciation Parish Hall, 280 Limeridge Rd. W, Hamilton. 7-9 pm.

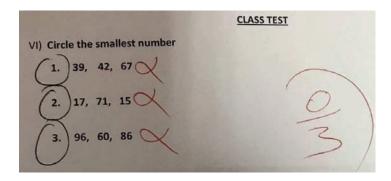
THE SERRA CLUB OF HAMILTON: invites you to join in honouring and celebrating milestone years of service of our Priests and Consecrated Brothers and Sisters. The event takes place on Tues. April 30<sup>nd</sup>, 2019 at Liuna Station, Hamilton beginning with cocktails at 6:30. Tickets are \$65. For details please check <a href="https://www.celebrationprl.wixsite.com/dinner">www.celebrationprl.wixsite.com/dinner</a> or call Margaret Carreiro at 905-628-5682.



### 8TH ANNUAL HCCEF CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC: Wednesday June 12, 2019.

**VOCATIONS:** You are the body of Christ; every one of you is a member of it. As a member of the body, we serve different roles. Are you willing to do your part? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 or email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com. To join Holy Cross Fathers please talk to Fr. Francis or visit <a href="https://www.holycrossvocationscanada.com">www.holycrossvocationscanada.com</a>.

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