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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

Served by the Holy Cross Fathers



Fr. Wilson Andrade C.S.C. - Pastor

Fr. Emmanuel Ralte C.S.C. - Associate Pastor



Catherine Osborne - Office Administrator

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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
	<i>closed on Statutory Holidays</i>	

MASS TIMES

Saturday 5:00 PM
Sunday 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM
Mon - Fri 9:00 AM

WEDDINGS

Please contact us at least one year in advance.

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.

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

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS & BECOMING ROMAN CATHOLIC

- For newborns, any weekend Mass.
- For school aged children, after being catechized.
- For adults interested in becoming Roman Catholic call the office for more information.

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

The Diocese of Hamilton HamiltonDiocese.com Catholics Come Home www.CatholicsComeHome.org
Vocations www.HamiltonVocations.com

Mass Intentions

(† = Deceased Intention; No Marking = Intentions of...;
Thx = Thanksgiving; Hlg = Healing)

Mon. June 8, 9am	† Marta Cortill
Tue. June 9, 9am	Beth Sales
Wed. June 10, 9am	† Jean Damiani
Thu. June 11, 9am	Edwin Grad
Margaret Neale	† Terry Murphy
† Angela Mattiacci	† Brian Oliveira
† Warren Chenery	† Campo Elias Caycedo
Fri. June 12, 9am	Nicholas Heald
Sat. June 13, 5pm	Lee Fiamelli & † Joseph Fiamelli
† Rita Southon	† Mike Zelowsky
† Jean Damiani	† Ethelyn Gonsalves
† Nieves Mendez	† Anthony Fenton
† Souls in Purgatory	
Sun. June 14, 9am	† Roberto Moniz
Sun. June 14, 11am	For Our Parishioners

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

May 31, 2026

Envelopes (146) \$2,967
Loose \$908

Thank you for your generous support



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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ASAP FUNDING



MOTHERS IN NEED: Knights handed out empty baby bottles on Mothers Day to let parishioners collect loose change or other donations. Please return the filled bottles to St.

Raphael Church on Fathers Day.

The funds raised via Knights Assistance and Support After Pregnancy program will help Shifra Homes provide after birth services and needs. Please make out any cheques to "Shifra Homes" and put in a Knights baby bottle.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION:

Members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be collecting donations after all Masses next weekend. SSVP envelopes are available at back of the church for those who would like income tax receipts at the end of the year.

SUMMER BIBLE CAMP: The Summer Bible Camp at St. Raphael Parish is back again in July 2026. It is for children who will be entering kindergarten in September 2026 up to children entering Grade 5. The camp runs from July 13 to July 17, from 9:30am – 12:30pm. Fees for the camp are \$100 for the first child in a family, \$75 for the second child, and \$50 for any additional children in the same family. Any students entering Grade 9 and up in September 2026 who would like to volunteer at the camp are also asked to register. Visit our website: <https://straphaels.ca/summer-bible-camp/> to register. Space is limited, please register soon to secure your spot.



ST. RAPHAEL PARISH RELIGIOUS GIFT SHOP NOW ACCEPTING DEBIT AND CREDIT CARDS:

St. Raphael Church operates a small shop selling religious items just off the main lobby of the church. Parishioners and visitors are welcome in the store after each weekend mass and during the week after daily mass. Among the items for sale are rosaries, bibles, books, crucifixes, children's books, religious themed colouring books, bible scene puzzles, religious gifts, first communion gifts and gifts for confirmation. New inventory has just arrived. Payments accepted: cash, debit or credit.

RESTING IN THE HEART OF JESUS: CELEBRATING THE MONTH OF JUNE:

The Universal Church dedicates the month of June to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. The Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus (June 12, 2026) celebrates the deep and personal love Christ has for all humanity. Rooted in the Gospel, devotion to the Sacred Heart reminds us of Jesus' compassion, mercy, and sacrifice shown especially through His Passion and death on the Cross. The image of His heart symbolizes His endless love that is always open to forgive, heal, and welcome us home. To learn more about this blessed month and how you might wish to participate, visit us at:

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/sacredheart/>

SUMMER BULLETIN: Bulletins will be published every two weeks through the summer. Please pick up a bulletin on the following dates: June 21, July 5, July 19, August 2, August 16 & August 30. The regular weekly bulletin schedule will resume on September 13.

WYD 2027 The Diocese of Hamilton is blessed to have **80 young pilgrims** preparing to travel to Seoul, South Korea next summer as a part of the 45th International Celebration of World Youth Day. To learn more about this pilgrimage of faith and how you can support the young people of our Diocese, visit us at: wyd.hamiltondiocese.com



MIRACLE OF THE SUN IN FATIMA: PILGRIMAGE TO FRANCE, SPAIN, PORTUGAL: Join Father Wilson from **Oct 2 - 14, 2026**, for a 13-day pilgrimage through France, Spain and Portugal. Price: **\$5,340 per person**. For more information, please contact Lin T. at International Tours 416-837-9306 or at: <https://www.ihotours.com/tour/pilgrimage-to-france-spain-portugal-11/>

YOUTH MINISTRY CERTIFICATION PROGRAM
The Hamilton Diocese is currently accepting enrollment for the Youth Ministry Certification Program, which begins in September 2026. Join us as we explore the practical strategies for youth ministry and the accompaniment of young people in our diocesan community. To review a full course list and for more information, please visit: www.hamiltondioceselearns.com.

ANNUAL WALK FOR DOWN SYNDROME: Join us for the most joyful walk of the year! We walk, dance, jump in bouncy castles, and turn the day into a festival of fun, friendship, and inclusion. Your support helps the Halton Down Syndrome Association (HDSA) provide essential programs, advocacy, and community support, including social events, fitness programs, new parent resources, and more. Let's walk together to bring joy, raise awareness, and build a more inclusive future for people with Down syndrome!

How to get involved...

- Sign up to register/join a team, donate, or sponsor.
- On **Saturday, June 13**, gather with us at the Milton Fairgrounds where we will walk and party.
- Encourage friends and family to join the walk too!

To support Allan McNeill's Team, use this link:

<https://2026hdsawalk.raiselysite.com/en/t/allan-mc-neill-team>

MAGNIFICA HUMANITAS: ON THE PROTECTION OF HUMAN DIGNITY IN THE AGE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE: Pope Leo XIV's first encyclical, *Magnifica Humanitas* released publicly on May 25 and focuses on human dignity, ethics, labour, and responsible AI development. As Catholics, we are called to use new technologies wisely, guided by faith, truth, and concern for the common good. You can read this new encyclical here: www.vatican.va

PILGRIMAGE TO MONTREAL AND QUEBEC: Join Father Wilson on a 4-day pilgrimage from **July 24 – 27**, for the 150th Anniversary celebration of the Feast of St. Anne de Beaupre. Father Wilson will con-celebrate the Sunday Mass celebration. Stops include St. Joseph's Oratory, Mary Queen of Peace, Cap-de-la-Madeleine. Price ranges from \$695 - \$985 (based on occupancy) and includes coach travel from St. Raphael Church, 3 nights' accommodation, and some meals. For more information, please contact Lin T. at International Tours 416-837-9306.

FRASSATI LEADERSHIP PROGRAM: Calling all those entering Grade 10 in September 2026! Are you looking to grow in your faith? Do you want to explore what it means to be a Catholic leader? **The Frassati Leadership Program** may be for you. Join other Grade 10 Catholic leaders as we reflect on the foundations of Catholic leadership and foster opportunities for you to grow in your own faith and leadership skills. For more information and to register please visit: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/office/pastoral-offices/youth-ministry/frassati/>.

WORLD REFUGEE DAY: As we prepare to observe World Refugee Day on June 20, we are reminded of Christ's call to welcome the stranger: "I was a stranger and you welcomed me" (Matthew 25:35). For decades, the Diocese of Hamilton, through its Office for Refugees and in partnership with its parishes, has helped refugee families build new lives in Canada with dignity, compassion, and hope by providing protection through the private sponsorship program. Learn more about this life-saving ministry.

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/office/pastoral-offices/office-for-refugees/>

WALK WITH JESUS: RETREAT FOR PARENTS WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED THE DEATH OF A CHILD: The loss of a child is a most challenging event in the life of any parent. This grief is acute and challenging. The Diocese of Hamilton invites you to join us for this healing day. Whether the loss is recent or some time ago, we know this day will help to restore your inner core. The retreat will be offered from 9 am to 4 pm on Saturday, October 10 or Saturday, November 7th. The \$20 fee includes lunch. Registration is required for set up and lunch. You can register on the Diocesan home page at hamiltondiocese.com under upcoming events (look for the date retreat of the date), or by calling the office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

HOLY CROSS FATHERS' RETREAT: Fr. Wilson and Father Emmanuel will be away on retreat with the Holy Cross Fathers from Monday – Wednesday. Please keep the Holy Cross Fathers in your prayers during their retreat. Fr. Tomy Chittinapilly will celebrate the 9am masses on Tuesday and Wednesday.

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