

June 20th, 2010
Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, June 21st

9:00 a.m. Stanley Zalaczkowski +

Tuesday, June 22nd

9:00 a.m. Mike Zelowsky +
 Jeanette Sicoli +
 Mary Cavatio +
 Leo Mazzeral, Spec. Int.
 Michael Dion +

Wednesday, June 23rd

9:00 a.m. George Clift +

Thursday, June 24th

The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

9:00 a.m. Clifford Crock +
 Terry Cassaday +
 Lillian McCarthy +
 Tony Cipriani +
 Charles Fudurick +

Friday, June 25th

9:00 a.m. Ryan McMahon, Spec. Int.

Saturday, June 26th

9:00 a.m. Lois Blackstone +
 5:00 p.m. Deceased Members Lucy Family

Sunday, June 27th

8:30 a.m. For Our Parishioners
 10:00 a.m. Stanley Musial +
 12:00 Noon Tara Giuiani +

Please pray for the following:

Brian Kerr	Irene Cherniuk
Betty Smith	Anthony Pileggi
Sharon Coburn	Rick Long
Rob P.	Elaine Scott
Marion Morrison	Elizabeth Dalrymple
Dorothy and Ken Weegar	



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. The Monday Evening Charismatic Prayer Group also prays for those listed above.



OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday, June 13th \$ 9,573.50
 Envelopes 371

We wish to thank all our faithful contributors!
Remember to Tithe a Tooney!

PARISH HAPPENINGS

ST. RAPHAEL'S BIBLE CAMP 2010

This year's camp will be **Monday, July 12th to Thursday, July 15th**. *Registration deadline is June 25th*. **Register as soon as possible. Available spots are filling up fast!** Forms are available in the parish entrance. We are again in need of parent/adult volunteers. Please contact Cristian Lecanda at the Parish if you are interested.

SNACK DONATIONS NEEDED FOR BIBLE CAMP



Any donations of the following items would be greatly appreciated: water, pretzel sticks, animal crackers, graham crackers, rice cakes, smarties, marshmallow creme, gum drops, as well as drinking straws and mini cupcake papers. Please drop off your donations at the office during office hours.



BANNS OF MARRIAGE are announced between:
 Allethia Francis and Omar Liburd
 Lindsay Schwaiko and Jeff Syre

COME AND PRAY WITH US DURING THE SUMMER

The following prayer groups continue to meet during the summer:



- **The Cenacle Prayer** group on Monday at 9:30 a.m. in the St. Anthony room.
- **The Charismatic Prayer Group** on Monday at 7:15 p.m. in St. Francis room.
- **Divine Mercy Hour** on Friday at 2:30 p.m. in the Adoration Chapel.

Everyone welcome. Call 905 632 4862 for more information

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Just a reminder that the last week for the Children's Liturgy program will be June 27th. We will resume after the summer on September 12th. A huge THANK YOU to all the leaders for their time and dedication; they encourage an understanding of the mass on our young children.



If you would like any information on becoming a leader or have any questions about the Children's Liturgy program, please contact Charlotte at 905-681-6221 or bcarpenter2@cogeco.ca Have a happy and safe summer!



PARISH BULLETIN: A reminder that our parish bulletin is **not** published during the summer months of July and August. **The last bulletin will be on Sunday, June 27th.**

Please submit all bulletin announcements to st.raphaelsbulletin@sympatico.ca no later than **Wednesday, June 23rd**. Thank you for your cooperation.

ST. RAPHAEL'S/ST. PATRICK'S COUPLES BRIDGE:

Once again we are looking for new players of contract bridge to join us beginning in September. We play on the second Friday of each month through June 2011 and good fun is had by all. For further information call Victor at 905-634-8527. Younger couples are encouraged to join.



BOOMERANG BRIDGE AND EUCHRE: Cards will resume on Monday, September 13th. Thanks to all for coming out.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

God Squad

Wednesday, June 23rd, 6:30 p.m., Parish Centre

S.E.N.T (Spirit Envisioned in Teens)

Thursday, June 24th, 6:30 p.m., St. Francis Rm

LOST AND FOUND

Please check the bulletin board in the Parish entrance for lost keys and earrings. There is also a lost and found box across from the St. Anthony Room for larger items.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for a small group of volunteers to help with the running of the First Communion for St. Raphael's and St. Paul's schools. Christian Lecanda, Youth Minister, is in need of a group of 4 - 5 willing helpers to assist on the weekends of the 1st Communions. If you are interested in giving some time and would like more information please call Debbie Lydon 905-633-7688 (evenings)

DIOCESAN/COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS

Walking Pilgrimage to Martyrs Shrine - The Cross of Victory Pilgrims will walk to the Martyrs Shrine over a period of 8 days (Aug 7 to Aug 14). Our mission: to ask God's forgiveness for the sin of abortion. We also pray for the intentions of our Holy Father and our family and friends. The cost is \$100 which provides for food, night spots and vehicles (to carry baggage & pilgrims). Come and join 100's of others of all ages who participate in this walking pilgrimage each year and experience faith in action as never before. Contact Rick Johnson at 905-336-0362 or r_a_johnston@yahoo.com

FOUNDATIONS FOR MINISTRY PROGRAM

The Foundations for Ministry Program is a course designed to offer lay Catholics the opportunity to learn more about the foundations of our Catholic faith: Church history, scripture, morality, sacraments and prayer. This foundation is useful to parishioners who serve in a variety of ministries. The course will be offered in Hamilton and Waterloo starting in September 2010. Contact Josie at the Office for Ministry, Family and Religious Education at 905-528-7988 x2241 or check out our website at www.hamiltondiocese.com for more information and registration forms.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

June is a good time to reflect with your children on the successes and challenges of the past school year. Remind your children that, through baptism, we are all called to use our God-given gifts. In Confirmation, these gifts will be strengthened so that we may share them with the whole Church. Help your children to see how important it is for them to use God's gifts.

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH

Leaving a Legacy: Marriages that have lasted over the long haul allow generations to look back and grow forward. They are living examples of what it means to have lasting love; they give hope. Marriage is at the heart of family, so celebrate your marriage milestones!

CATHEDRAL MASS CHANGE

Please note that during July and August, the Sunday afternoon Mass at the Cathedral of Christ the King will be at 4:00 p.m., beginning July 4th.

DIOCESAN FAMILY CONFERENCE



Family Matters! Loving, Living, Learning ... Growing in Faith **October 15th - 17th** (Friday evening through to 11 am Sunday Mass) Hamilton Convention Center. What to expect: International speakers on relationships, family issues, grief, spirituality - something for everyone - married or not, widowed, young or old. Fabulous workshops with practical information. Beautiful liturgies, including our closing Mass celebrated by His Excellency, Bishop A.F. Tonnos, Bishop of Hamilton. Activity streams for children of all ages and youth (reduced conference rates, see brochure for detail) \$95 for adults (\$105 after July 1st) Pick up a conference brochure at your parish or call for more info: 905-528-7988 ext 2234

The Sisters of the Carmel of Saint Joseph will pray for you during the Novena to Our Lady of Mount Carmel, July 8th to July 16th Are you troubled? Do you need spiritual support? You can participate in the Novena of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Send your prayer intention slip with your name and address to Carmel of Saint Joseph R. R. #1, St. Agatha, ON N0B 2L0

Pilgrimage to Quebec Shrines August 20-23: Our Lady of Cape, St. Anne de Beaupre, Blessed Frederick's Tomb and St. Joseph's Oratory. Bus, hotel, & most meals. Cost \$299. For more details call Louise at 905-664-1871 or Adele at 905-643-7562.

Retreats at Loyola House

Many upcoming programs and retreats for June. See www.loyolahouse.com for information and registration.

Volunteer Drivers Needed



The Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton is currently in need of Volunteers to drive our children to important scheduled appointments. We are looking for responsible and caring individuals who have flexible time to share. At the Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton, Volunteer Drivers are an integral part of the service delivery to our children and their families. Our drivers also complement and enhance services provided by our staff. If you are interested in becoming a Volunteer Driver or would like more information, please contact Lisa Hostein, Volunteer and Development Coordinator at 905-525-2012 x 3256 or via e-mail at lisa.hostein@hamiltonccas.on.ca We need you!

DAY OF PRAYER - June 25th

This will be the last Day of Prayer until the fall. It will be held at St John the Baptist Parish from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. There is mass at 8:30 for those who wish to attend. The cost is \$20, please bring a bag lunch. If possible please register with Sr. Elaine at 905-388-3966 or ssspertshire@sympatico.ca