

**May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2010**  
**Ascension of the Lord**  
**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Monday, May 17<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 a.m. Mabel Robinson +

**Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 a.m. Alan Brooksbank +  
 Laurie Ann Pulit +  
 Loretta Beninger +  
 Eva Schoen +  
 Peter Kazyk +

**Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 a.m. Margaret Koritko, Spec. Int.

**Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 a.m. Margaret Harber +  
 Huguette Galante, Spec. Int.  
 Kathy Gateman +  
 Shirley Best, Spec. Int.  
 Wes Nagel +

**Friday, May 21<sup>st</sup>**

9:00 a.m. Vocations

**Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>**

9:00 a.m. Victoria & Warren Chenery, Spec Int  
 5:00 p.m. Joan Rocca +

**Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>**

8:30 a.m. For Our Parishioners  
 10:00 a.m. Sr. Rosalie Siegler, Spec. Int.  
 12:00 Noon Vivian Schnurr +

**Please pray for the following:**

Brian Kerr	Irene Cherniuk
Betty Smith	Anthony Pileggi
Sharon Coburn	Rick Long
Rob P.	Elaine Scott
Diane Fernihough	Marion Morrison
Elizabeth Dalrymple	



*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, May 9<sup>th</sup> \$ 8,727.00  
 Envelopes 389

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

**PARISH HAPPENINGS**

**Celebrating Our Love for the Lord...**

**Our place for reflection, prayer, peace and serenity**

For 18 years St. Raphael's Adoration Chapel has provided a place of worship and rest for those who seek to begin and deepen their relationship with our Lord Jesus. After all this time, the walls and furnishings have served well but now are showing much wear and tear. It is our desire to refresh this space. If you are interested in donating towards this renewal, please pick up a brochure located at the display in the entrance area.



**Mailing Address for Sr. Rosalie**

Sr. Rosalie is recovering well following her shoulder surgery. Parishioners wishing to send their regards can forward mail to: St. Joseph Morrow Park Infirmary, Rm. 208, 3377 Bayview Ave. Toronto, ON, M2M 3S4

**Enthroning the Blessed Mother in Your Home**

Fr. Thomas, Sisters Stine and Christine from the Fraternity of Mary Immaculate Queen of the Universe (France) will be staying in Burlington May 13-18. Fr. Thomas will concelebrate at St. Raphael's at the 9 a.m. Mass on **Monday, May 17<sup>th</sup>**. You are invited to meet them after mass in the St. Francis room where they will invite attendees to consider "Enthroning" the Blessed Mother in their homes. All are welcome.

**ST. RAPHAEL'S BIBLE CAMP 2010**

This year's camp will be **Monday, July 12<sup>th</sup> to Thursday, July 15<sup>th</sup>**. Registration forms are available in the parish entrance. There are 50 spots available. We are again in need of parent/adult volunteers. Please contact Cristian Lecanda at the Parish if you are interested.



**14<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MAY CROWNING**

The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual May Crowning will take place on **Saturday, May 29<sup>th</sup>**. Mass will begin at 9:00 a.m. with a procession and crowning of Mary. Children from our schools will be joining us. Everyone is welcome. Refreshments will be served after Mass in the welcoming area. For more information call 905 632 4862

**EUCCHARISTIC HOME MINISTERS**

This ministry invites volunteer to bring the Eucharist to our parishioners who are confined to their homes. This usually takes place Sunday mornings. If you are interested, kindly contact Norma Clarke at 905-639-7450. This will begin in the fall.

**MASS OF THANKSGIVING**

**Fr. Scott Giuliani** will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving on **Sunday, May 30<sup>th</sup>** at the 12 noon Mass.

**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)

### UPCOMING MEETINGS

#### **Communications Committee Meeting**

Monday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 p.m., St. Francis Rm

#### **CWL General Meeting**

Monday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 p.m., Parish Centre

#### **St Vincent de Paul Meeting**

Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 p.m., St. Francis Rm

#### **God Squad**

Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m., Parish Centre

#### **Cursillo**

Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m., St. Francis Rm.

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

Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m., St. Francis Rm

### **CURSILLO - ULTREYA**

Are you interested in coming back to or learning more about the Cursillo method of GROUPING (faith sharing in small group) and ULTREYA (faith sharing in larger group)? If so, please meet with us on **Wednesday, May 19** at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Francis Room to discuss our options and/or call Wilma or Frank Malick at 905-633-7639 God Bless

**BOOMERANG BRIDGE AND EUCHRE** sessions are held on **Monday afternoons at 1:00 p.m.** in the Parish Centre. Come and join us for an afternoon of fun for only a loonie.



**CWL General Meeting: Monday, May 17<sup>th</sup>** in the Parish Centre, 7:30 p.m. May is the month of The Blessed Virgin. We will be reciting the Rosary. The future of the CWL at St. Raphael's Parish is in peril. We have asked two members of the Diocese to join us as we need help to plan a strategy to make the CWL more relevant to our members. With the level of commitment as it is, we feel that we need some fresh ideas on how to get more of you involved. We invite all of the ladies of the parish to join us and give us your input. Do you care enough to give us an hour of your time?

### **DIOCESAN/COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS**

**Annual Anointing Mass for Shut-ins** hosted by Society of Saint Vincent de Paul Hamilton Particular Council: Saturday **May 29, 2 p.m.**, at Annunciation of Our Lord Church, 280 Limeridge Rd West, Hamilton. Please call Carol or Pat at 905-648-3290 for information or to arrange a ride.

### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT**

The **50th Anniversary Charity Golf Tournament** will be held at the beautiful Century Pines Golf Club, on **Tuesday, June 1<sup>st</sup>**. Our goal is to make it the best year ever by offering you the best deal for a charity tournament. Play golf for \$175 (\$75 tax receipt), lunch, 18 holes of golf, golf cart, prime rib dinner and much more.

Sponsor A Hole - for \$350 or Two holes for \$500 and receive a receipt as an advertising expense. Donate Prizes - for our silent auction or golfer prize table. Enjoy a Prime Rib Dinner \$60 (\$25 tax receipt). Please join us in our celebration year and together we can support many charities in our community. For more info please phone Council 5073, Knights of Columbus office at 905-335-5073 or email [kofc@kofc5073.ca](mailto:kofc@kofc5073.ca)



**93<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of the Apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima, Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>.** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 6:00 p.m., Mass for Life at 7:00 p.m. followed by a Silent Walk for Life - Sacred Heart Church, Hamilton.

Most Reverend Anthony F. Tonnos, D.D., Bishop of Hamilton, will celebrate the **Annual Memorial Mass on Saturday, May 29<sup>th</sup>** at 11 a.m. at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. All are invited to attend. For more information please call 905.522.7727 or [www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca)

### **Halton Pro-Life 'Walk for Life' Fundraiser**

Please help Halton Pro-Life raise funds at our 'Walk for Life' Walkathon **Saturday, May 29<sup>th</sup>**, starting from St. Dominic Church, Oakville, at 8:30 a.m. for a 10 km walk or 9:30 a.m. for a 5 km walk. Pick up a pledge form at the church or download from [www.haltonprolife.com](http://www.haltonprolife.com) or call 905-632-3232

**DAY OF PRAYER Friday May 21<sup>st</sup>.** 9:30 to 3pm (mass at 8:30). To register, call Sr. Elaine 905-388-3966 or e-mail [ssspertshire@sympatico.ca](mailto:ssspertshire@sympatico.ca)

**Responding to the Call – A Celebration of Priesthood** St. Margaret Mary Parish Community is pleased to honour two of our very own newly ordained Priests, Father Mark Morley & Father Stephen Crowley with a Thanksgiving Mass & Dinner on **Monday June 7<sup>th</sup>**. The Celebration will begin with a Mass in the Church at 5pm. (all are welcome) followed by a dinner at Michelangelo Banquet Centre at 6:30 pm. The cost of the dinner ticket is \$35. For further information/tickets please call Marilyn (905 388-2200), Betty (905 383-0360), Aldo (905 573-1662) or Don (905 575-7272).

**Have you wondered seriously if you have a vocation to be a sister, brother, deacon or priest?** Set aside a weekend for yourself and make a vocation discernment retreat. **May 28-30** at the Scarboro Mission Centre, Toronto. The retreat is intended for persons 18-35 and is sponsored by the Toronto Area Vocation Directors Association (TAVDA). For more information contact Fr. Michael Traher at 416-261-7135

**Faith and Fun since 1941.** Camp Brébeuf is a Catholic Camp located on 110 acres of forest and stream in the beautiful town of Rockwood Ontario. Our facilities include many exciting feature such as a rock climbing wall, huge high ropes course, archery range, swimming pool, canoe pond, sports field, wood cabins, outdoor chapel and more. Run by the Hamilton Catholic Youth Organization under the guidance of Bishop Tonnos and the Diocese of Hamilton, Camp Brébeuf offers summer camp programming for grade school students and a Leadership Camp for those entering grade 9 all the way up until grade 11. For more information visit: [www.campbrebeuf.ca](http://www.campbrebeuf.ca) or call 519-856-4671.

On **Saturday May 29**, Corpus Christi Catholic Secondary School will be holding its **Second Annual Community "Indoor Garage Sale"** from 8 am to 12:00pm. All proceeds from the sale will go to McMaster Children's Hospital. *Any community donations would also be greatly appreciated.* This includes such items as toys, smaller household items, sporting equipment, etc. Items may be dropped off at the main office from 8am to 3pm from May 25-28. Questions: Michelle Teixeira at 905-331-5591 or [teixeiram@hcdsb.org](mailto:teixeiram@hcdsb.org)