SAINT RAPHAEL, BISHOP OF BROOKLYN
TROPARION – TONE ONE

Byzantine Chant
through the hand of
J. Suchy-Pilalis

Your pro-clamation has gone forth through-out North Amer-i-ca,
calling the scatter-ed sheep in-to the uni-ty of the Church.
Hear-ing your voice, they re-spond-ed to your teach-ing,
and through your writ-ings you in-struct-ed them in pi-e-ty.
Now guid-ed by your ex-a-mple, O fa-ther Ra-pha-el,

(we sing hymns of praise...)

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we sing hymns of praise to Christ our God: Glory to Him Who gave you strength! Glory to Him Who granted you a crown! Glory to Him Who, through you, grants healing to all!

(Spoken rhythm)

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.
When Gabriel announced to you, O Virgin, “Rejoice,”

with that word the Master of all was incarnate in you, O holy Ark. As the righteous David said,

your womb became more spacious than the heavens, bearing your Creator. Glory to Him Who took abode in you.

(Glory to Him who...)
Glo - ry to Him Who came from you. Glo - ry to Him Who freed us by being born of you.
God is the Lord
Tone One

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VERSES:

1. O give thanks unto the Lord, for he is good; for his mercy endures for ever.

2. All nations surrounded me, but in the name of the Lord I cut them off.

3. I shall not die, but live, and recount the works of the Lord.

4. The stone which the builders rejected has become the corner stone.

This is the Lord's doing and it is wonderful in our eyes.

* The ison on D is held on a neutral syllable while the deacon chants the verses in spoken rhythm (cadences are more metric).
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KONTAKION – TONE EIGHT

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(3–4)

Ne You were a guardian and a defender of the Church’s teaching, you protected your flock from false doctrines and confirmed them in the true faith.

O holy father Raphael, son of Syria and glory of North America, always intercede before (the Lord that our souls...)

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Prior to final ending

the Lord that our souls may be saved.

Final Ending

the Lord that our souls may be saved.

Oikos ending:

he always intercedes before the Lord that our souls may be saved.