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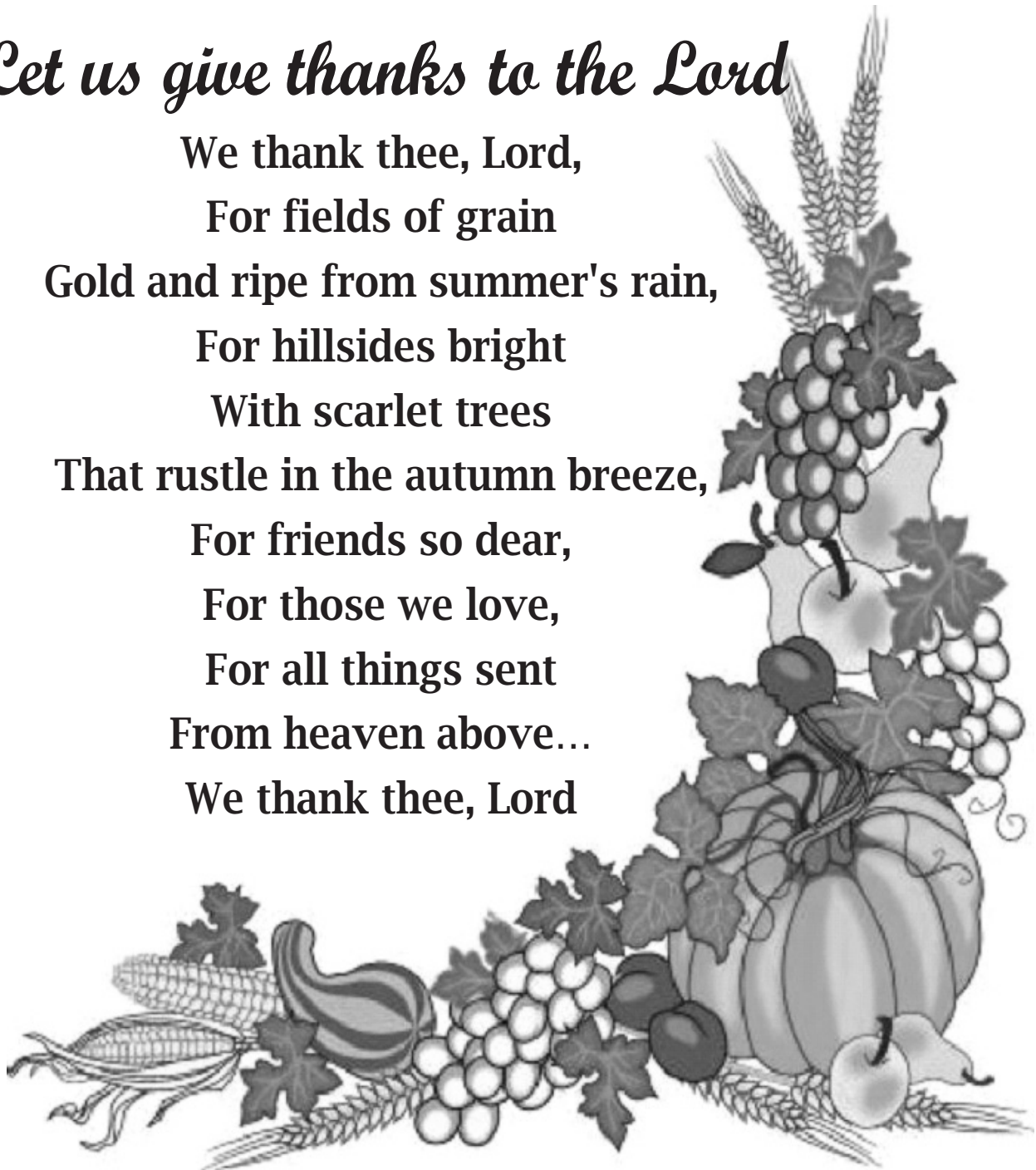
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Let us give thanks to the Lord

We thank thee, Lord,
For fields of grain
Gold and ripe from summer's rain,
For hillsides bright
With scarlet trees
That rustle in the autumn breeze,
For friends so dear,
For those we love,
For all things sent
From heaven above...
We thank thee, Lord





MANY BLESSINGS ON THIS LONG WEEKEND!



**** ATTENTION PARENTS ****
HOLY ROSARY
YOUTH MINISTRY

Tuesday, Oct 15, 2019 – St. Teresa of Jesus

8:00 a.m. †Dec. Memb. Barbetti & Fojan Families

7:00 p.m. †Anthony Dias; †Dec. Memb. Gaetan & Arpa Families; †Leo (Doc) Drozd; †Monique Heroux; †Prek Kola; †Age Tomja; †Lena Marku; **S/I** Tom & Mri Selmani; **S/I** Pavlin, Edwart, Nevila Selmani & Nevila Cela; **S/I** Fr. Steve & Maria Wojcichowsky; In Thanksgiving

Are you the parent of a pre-teen or teen (age 10-17)? Are you interested in joining a committee for visioning and discerning the needs and direction of a future Holy Rosary Youth Ministry? We need you! You are invited to attend a meeting to listen to parents, just like you, who have gone through the process and will share their experiences of success and challenges. This meeting will be on **Thursday, October 17th at 7:30 pm** in the Parish Hall. We want to begin the discussion on how to create a sustainable parent-supported youth group that:

1. Glorifies Jesus and draw each person closer to him
2. Helps youth to build relationships and community
3. Gives opportunities for service to others
4. Cultivates stewardship of our environment

Wednesday, Oct 16, 2019 – St. Marguerite D'Youville

8:00 a.m. **S/I** Raphael Blasiak

Thursday, Oct 17, 2019 – St. Ignatius of Antioch

8:00 a.m. †Jeanette Marleau

7:00 p.m. **S/I** Helen Crozier

Friday, Oct 18, 2019 – St. Luke

8:00 a.m. †Nancy Fellows

Saturday, Oct 19, 2019 – 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. †Anthony Antonucci; †Salvatore & Antonia Vizzini; †Brenda Francis; †Anthony Trinidad; †Cherryl Decouto; †Lester Decouto; †Mae Decouto; **S/I** Anthony Foley; **S/I** Kevin Fernandes; In Thanksgiving

Sanctuary Lamp – Oct 13, 2019

In Loving Memory of Angela & Cosimo De Leo

Readings for Sunday, Oct 20, 2019:

Exodus 17.8-13

2 Timothy 3.14-4.2

Luke 18.1-8

“Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.”

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HAPPY THANKSGIVING!
“O sing to the Lord giving thanks; sing psalms to our God with the harp. He prepares the rain for the earth, making mountains sprout with grass.”

Fr. Vivek, Sr. Kathleen and I wish to extend a heart-felt welcome to all parishioners and to those who have joined together this weekend to celebrate Thanksgiving. A special welcome to those university and college students who have come home to their families to celebrate.

CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE



The **CWL Fall Rummage Sale** will take place on **Sat, Oct 19th from 8:00 am to Noon** in the Parish hall. Drop off will be **Fri, Oct 18th from 8 am-8 pm**. Please no furniture.

Sock-tober: The CWL is collecting hats, mitts and socks which will be donated to Milton organizations who work with the homeless. Please place your donations in the boxes at the back of the church.



If you enjoy crafts, we provide the materials and help to make crafts for our Christmas Bazaar, **every Thursday** in the church hall from **1 pm to 3 pm**.

The CWL is selling **Confirmation articles**. Please see our display case by the church office or our website for an overview of the items on sale. Please contact **Margaret Doma** at **905-546-7253** or complete an order form on the display case for further information.

LEGION OF MARY



The Legion of Mary at St Benedict & Holy Rosary parishes is pleased to announce that they will bring the **Pilgrim Virgin Statue** or **The Divine Mercy Image** to the homes of families as a way of increasing family prayer & bringing blessings to families. The Legionaries will accompany the statue or image to the home & will pick up the statue or image at an appointed date & time. These visits normally take place in the evenings. To arrange a home visitation please contact **Cherry Muller (647-470-0385)**.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALLOWEEN DANCE



The Knights of Columbus are hosting a Halloween Dance on **Saturday, October 26th**. Dinner included. Tickets are \$40 per person. Costumes are preferred. For tickets, please contact Michael Vertolli Michaelvertolli1@gmail.com or Colin Genier geniercal@gmail.com. Adults only, alcohol will be sold.

INVITATION TO PRAY THE ROSARY

“There is no problem, I tell you, no matter how difficult it is that we cannot solve by the prayer of the Holy Rosary.”



The G.O.A. Milton chapter would like to cordially invite each and every parishioner to come out and join our youth to pray the Rosary for Peace on **Saturday, October 19th** at **12.00 pm** in the church. Please mark your calendars to join us in prayer and fellowship.

REGENERATE(D) 2019

Are you aware that as a baptized Catholic YOU have a calling (or a vocation) in life? This is YOUR unique purpose. That means that vocations are not only for priests and religious sisters! Do you live with this purpose in mind? On **Sat, Nov 23rd**, join Branches Catholic Ministries at the Scotiabank Convention Centre in Niagara Falls ON, as it hosts Regenerated 2019 with an urgent theme, *“You Are Called”*. Regenerated Youth will run concurrently for ages 12 to 18. Early bird pricing by Oct 31st. For more information about these conferences visit <http://branchesoftheword.org/> or call 905-685-7000.

PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

How has Jesus touched you and made you whole? In gratitude, ask Him how He would like you to respond. Could Jesus be calling you to follow him as a priest, sister, brother or deacon? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

Please remember to especially pray for our priests:

- Oct 14 – Rev. Lech Wycichowski, C.R.**
- Oct 15 – Rev. Jerome Mascarenhas, O.C.D.**
- Oct 16 – Missionaries**
- Oct 17 – Rev. Venil D’Souza, O.C.D.**
- Oct 18 – Rev. Brian Quigley, M.C.C.J.**
- Oct 19 – Rev. James Malone**

Refer to our website: www.holyrosaryparish.ca for additional events & information!

PRISON MINISTRY



Holy Rosary Church has an active prison ministry. Volunteers from the parish regularly visit both Maplehurst and Vanier correctional facilities which are both located in Milton. Maplehurst is one of the largest prisons in the province. Maplehurst is a prison for men and Vanier is for women.

Pope Francis placed a special emphasis on ministering to those in prison when he took the extraordinary step of naming the threshold of each jail cell a Holy Door of Mercy.

If you are interested in learning more about this important ministry and perhaps joining our dedicated group of volunteers, please call **Mike Darling** at **905-876-2997** for Maplehurst or call **Nuala Harold** at **647-405-9196** for Vanier.

9TH ANNUAL HCCEF EVENING WITH BISHOP CROSBY



Poverty remains a powerful factor in whether a student succeeds in school. In Halton, 10.5% of children are living in low-income households - an estimated 3600 HCDSB students. Be part of the solution – support the 9th Annual HCCEF Evening with Bishop Crosby on **Wed. Nov. 6th**. Tickets and sponsorships available. Pick up your form here at the parish or register online at www.hccef.org. Contact Marc Clare, Executive Director; clarema@hccef.org or 905-632-6314 x248.



ST. BENEDICT PARISH BUILDING FUNDRAISER

G.O.A. Milton Chapter is hosting its 2nd annual Christmas Dine & Dance fundraiser for the St. Benedict Parish building fund. Thanks to all parishioners who made last year’s event a great success. We look forward to your continued support to help build this beautiful house of God.

- Date:** December 1st, 2019
- Location:** Payal Banquet Hall,
3410 Semenyk Ct, Mississauga
- Time:** Open 10:30 am
- Live Bands:** Memory Lane, Goa Amigos & DJ Kaya
- Tickets:** \$40/adult and \$22/child (Ages 4-12).
Under 4 years – FREE (no seating)

For Tickets Contact: Fatima D’mello 416-846-0807, Pat Grisoni 905-462-2021, Conrad Rozario 647-527-6723 or Andrea D’souza: 647-588-0209.

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