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ALL ARE TO BE WELCOMED AS CHRIST

(Rule of Saint Benedict #53)

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 p.m.
and 4:00 p.m. (en Français)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Please see inside bulletin for complete schedule

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Saturday 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm
Anytime by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

Celebrated the second Sunday of the month at 1:30 p.m.
Contact the parish office to arrange date and to arrange pre-baptismal course at least two months before preferred date.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM OF ADULTS

A period of preparation is necessary, and it is imperative that individuals complete the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). Please see Father Jim for more information.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Kindly contact the parish office at least a year prior to desired date of marriage. Preparation course is essential.

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family, please contact the parish office before contacting the funeral home, and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton website is: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

For more information in discerning God's call to Church ministry, contact our pastor, Father Jim Petrie or contact Bishop Lobsinger, Vocation Director for the Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 or visit the Vocations Services' website: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations>

SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Please contact the parish office of confinement to home or hospitalization, so sacramental care may be provided.

PARISH STAFF

Father James S. Petrie, Pastor
(jpetrie@hamiltondiocese.com or Twitter: @jimpe47)
Father Patrick Ohl, Associate Pastor
(pohl@hamiltondiocese.com)
Rev. Mr. Leonard Gallant, Deacon
Mrs. Janis Asdrubolini, Office Administrator
Mrs. Alma Paje, Office Receptionist
Mr. Massimo Corrado, Custodian

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday
9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Office is closed on weekends and public holidays.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome you and your family to Saint Benedict Parish! Please introduce yourself to Father Jim. Registration forms are available on the table at the church entrance or from the website.

PARISH SCHOOLS

<u>Guardian Angels Elementary</u> Mr. Christopher Hawken, Principal	905-876-2386
<u>Lumen Christi Elementary</u> Mr. Joe Jurus, Principal	905-636-9692
<u>Our Lady of Fatima Elementary</u> Mrs. Viviana Varano, Principal	905-864-0720
<u>St. Benedict Elementary</u> Mr. Josey Guerin, Principal	289-851-9353
<u>St. Scholastica Elementary</u> Mrs. Erin Sweeney-Hurd, Principal	905-864-0344
<u>St. Francis Xavier Secondary School</u> Ms. Katharine Stevenson, Principal	905-636-8799
<u>St. Kateri Tekakwitha Secondary School</u> Mr. Kevin Wong, Principal	289-337-5316

EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, February 27 Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time Sirach 27.4-7 1 Corinthians 15.54-58 Luke 6.39-45	Masses 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12 noon	Our Parish Community	
Monday, February 28 1 Peter 1.3-9 Mark 10.17-27	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Special Intention Arthur Petrie	Rev. Ranjan D'Sa, O.C.D.
Tuesday, March 1 1 Peter 1.10-16 Mark 10.28-31	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Ricardo Bugayong Thanksgiving	Rev. Joseph Ahilan, C.R.S.P.
Wednesday, March 2 Joel 2.12-18 2 Corinthians 5.20-6.2 Matthew 6.1-6, 16-18	Mass 9:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Intentions of Silva Family Louisa D'Souza Thanksgiving for Peter & Virginia Pereira Barbara Whistler	Ash Wednesday
Thursday, March 3 Deuteronomy 30.15-20 Luke 9.22-25	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Thanksgiving Charlotte Robson	Rev. Louis Lensen, C.R.S.P.
Friday, March 4 St. Casimir Isaiah 58.1-9a Matthew 9.14-15	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Victor Marasigan Sr. & Antonio Marasigan	Rev. Fernando Ferreira Pinto, C.S.Sp.
Saturday, March 5 Isaiah 58.9b-14 Luke 5.27-32	Mass 5:00 p.m.	Julius & Elvina Menezes Special Intention of Maria Miodek Mayil Pasamonte	Rev. Allen Varlaki

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We seek refuge under your protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our pleas – we who are put to the test – and deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin.

- Pope Francis, March 2020

ST. BENEDICT PARISH 5:00 P.M. LIVESTREAMED MASS

Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time:
 Saturday, February 26, 2022
https://youtu.be/e6ubCBfLN_4

Holy Rosary Parish
[HOLY ROSARY PARISH MASSES](#)



ASH WEDNESDAY, March 2nd, is the day when the Lenten Season traditionally begins. There will be two Masses on that day at St. Benedict Parish, **9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.** Ashes will be distributed at both masses.



POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER TO OUR LADY, HEALTH OF THE SICK
O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith.

You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need. We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial. Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us:

He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.



MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION FROM FATHER JIM PETRIE

"I am very appreciative of all your prayers. However, because the situation is on-going, no further information can be given out at this time and I kindly ask that no visitors are permitted at this time."



FIRST RECONCILIATION

The Catholic Community of St. Benedict Parish congratulates all students who will be receiving the Sacrament of First Reconciliation on **February 26th and March 5th.**



VIRTUAL CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Since we are unable to have Children's Liturgy at this time there will be a **Virtual Children's Liturgy Classroom** available. There are many "click-able" items in the classroom that open up to the current gospel message and also other resources. Click on the link for more information: [February 27, 2022](#)

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



On the weekend of **February 26/27**, the Saint Vincent de Paul Society will be at the doors after Mass to accept your donations. Your generosity is most appreciated and we thank you on behalf of the society and the needy of our community. Our conference is also always looking for new members. if you are interested please contact ssvp.stbenedictsconference@gmail.com



DIGITAL LENTEN RESOURCES

The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis and the Liturgy Office have prepared a variety of resources for parishes and families for the Lenten season. The link below brings you to the **Lent 2022 Virtual Resources** on the Diocesan web page. A few of these resources are highlighted below.

- Liturgy of the Word for Ash Wednesday with His Excellency, Bishop Wayne Lobsinger prepared with an elementary school participant in mind. This can be celebrated virtually in a classroom or at home.
- Tips for families celebrating the Lenten rituals of prayer, fasting and almsgiving at home.
- Resources available for purchase from the Diocese office or free on-line links to children's activities, literature for teens, and adult resources.

<https://hamiltodiocese.com/lent2022/>



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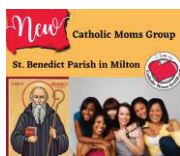
Please see enclosed questionnaire to participate in the Diocesan survey. A copy of the questionnaire is also available at the parish website.



SERRA CLUB VOCATIONS :March 6, 2022

Jesus was led by the Holy Spirit into the desert for forty days of prayer and fasting. Are you open to being led by the Holy Spirit into the life-commitment God has prepared for you? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988).

Email vocations@hamiltodiocese.com
www.hamiltodiocese.com/vocations/



CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP

Do you want to better prepare your soul for the Lord during this lent? Join Catholic Moms Group! We invite **all moms** to join the group. This group provides a great opportunity to pray, learn about how to be a better mom, raise faith-filled children and laugh together with other wonderful Catholic women.

This is indeed a great chance to go deeper in your faith life and connect with other incredible Catholic moms. Don't miss it!The group meets virtually **every third Wednesday of the month** from 8 to 9 p.m. Our **next meeting** would be on **March 16th**. For any questions, contact **Nelcy Lopez** at stbenedictsh@catholicmomsgroup.com Check out www.CatholicMomsGroup.com to learn more about this amazing ministry!.

SACRED HEART PARISH 100TH ANNIVERSARY

This June 15th, Sacred Heart Parish in Hamilton, will be celebrating 100 years. We ask former and present parishioners to please send photos of memories at Sacred Heart either by email: sacred.heart@cogeco.ca or to bring them to the Sacred Heart parish rectory. Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate Mass at Sacred Heart Church on Sunday, June 5th 2022 at 10:00 a.m., and this will be followed by brunch at Michaelangelo's. Further details to follow.



Join **Halton Alive** in touching the hearts of 6,200 residents of long term care and retirement homes through our 2022 Inspire Hope Campaign! Spring Flowers Initiative:

Volunteers needed to make and deliver 6,200 homemade Spring flowers! Includes discussion starters for parents, teachers and youth ministers to spark conversation about the value of the vulnerable in our society. Sign up at www.haltonalive.ca/inspirehopeflowers or contact Tawnya Stanus 905-632-3232 .

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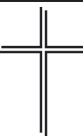


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