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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: <u>https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations</u>

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				
Guardian Angels Elementary	905-876-2386			
Mr. Christopher Hawken, Principal				
<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			

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, January 16	<u></u>		Ĩ
Second Sunday in	Masses		
Ordinary Time	9:00 a.m.		
Isaiah 62.1-5	10:30 a.m.	Our Parish Community	
Corinthians 12.4-11	12 noon		
John 2.1-12			
Monday, January 17	Mass		
St. Anthony	9:00 a.m.	Lena Fernandes	Rev. Joseph de Viveiros,
1 Samuel 15.16-23			C.R.
Mark 2.18-22			
Tuesday, January 18	Masses		
1 Samuel 16.1-13	9:00 a.m.	Edward Stallbaumer	Rev. Jungheon
Mark 2.23-28			(Francisco) Kwak
	7:00 p.m.	Jerry Go	
Wednesday, January 19	Masses		
1 Samuel 17.32-33, 37, 40-51	9:00 a.m.	Jennifer Pesa	
Mark 3.1-6			
	7:00 p.m	Amal Jermanos	Youth Ministers
	-	Fidelina Notario	
		Isagani Pantaleon Sr.	
Thursday, January 20	Masses		
Sts. Fabian & Sebastian	9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions of Noel Fanning	D. M. S. CILOMI
1 Samuel 18.6-9; 19.1-7			Rev. Marian Gil, O.M.I.
Mark 3.7-12	7:00 p.m.	Francisco & Raymund Palmares	
Friday, January 21	Mass		
St. Agnes	9:00 a.m.	Fr. Paul Boucher	Rev. Zygmunt
1 Samuel 24.2-21			Baranowski
Mark 3.13-19			
Saturday, January 22	Mass		
St. Vincent	5:00 p.m.	Eugene Karunakaran &	
2 Samuel 1.1-4, 11-12, 19,	-	Muthiyah Kulanayagan	Rev. Timothy Higgins
23-27		Thanksgiving	
Mark 3.20-21		Peter D'Souza	

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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.

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

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Saturday, January 15, 2022 https://youtu.be/43uEusrt490

Holy Rosary Parish HOLY ROSARY PARISH MASSES



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: January 16, 2022



YEAR OF AMORIS LAETITIA FAMILY -HAMILTON DIOCESAN **SPEAKER SERIES**

- We are excited to present the Year Amoris Laetitia Family Diocesan speaker series designed to look at various topics that impact families with one speaker per month

from January to June. In January we will have a special three part presentation on the document itself. They first two sessions will be presented by Bishop Lobsinger, with the final session led by Mrs. Teresa Hartnett. The evening sessions will be held from 7-8:30 p.m. on Jan. 12th, 19th and 26th. The entire series will be presented by zoom, so you must register, but can join in by internet or phone. Check the Diocesan website at https://amorislaetitia.hamiltondiocese.com/ for information and to register. Join us for the entire series, or for a topic of to interest you! Contact Teresa Hartnett at thartnett@hamiltondiocese.com, or 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

BIBLE SUNDAY



The Diocese of Hamilton celebrates Bible Sunday on January 23, 2022. Bishop Crosby has chosen the third Sunday of Ordinary Time each year as our day to emphasize how

#TheBibleSpeaks and how #WeListen. We encourage you to visit our Diocesan webpage dedicated to Bible Sunday 2022. Here you will find resources for adults, youth and children to help foster a relationship with God's living Word: www.hamiltondiocese.com/thebiblespeaks

RESTART



Starting over after separation or divorce with support, care and tools for your journey. We invite you to check out the Diocesan website at: https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-

ministry/divorce-separation.php to see the programs we offer and to find out dates of the new programs in early 2022. If you have questions, call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.



CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP

Catholic Moms Group wishes all moms a new year filled with faith, hope and charity! 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 January 19th. For any questions, contact Nelcy Lopez at stbenedictsh@catholicmomsgroup.com Check out www.CatholicMomsGroup.com to learn more about this amazing ministry!



REEL JUSTICE FILM FESTIVAL

The **Reel Justice Film Festival** is back! We are excited to offer another year of engaging films, which spotlight issues of social, political, and economic injustice. Join us January 27, 2022 at 7:00 P.M. for "There's Something in the Water". The film documents environmental racism in Nova Scotia, revealing a portrait of ecological and social disaster, where rural areas are plagued by toxic fallout from industrial development and your postal code determines your health. The Reel Film Festival partnership Justice is а between Development & Peace and the Bishop Farrell Library online & Archives. Visit 115 at https://reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/ to view our 2022 schedule or to secure your spot at any of our virtual screenings!



SERRA CLUB VOCATIONS Second Sunday in Ordinary Time January 16, 2022

Pray to know how God wants to use your talents and abilities. Could it be He is calling you to consider priesthood, diaconate, or religious life? If He is, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988). vocations@hamiltondiocese.com Email www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in January 2022 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

