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## All are to be welcomed as Christ

- Saint Benedict of Nursia -

### LORD'S DAY MASSES

(all Weekend Masses are held at  
Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Elementary School  
709 Bolingbroke Drive in Milton L9T 6Z3)

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am and 11:00 am

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Please see inside bulletin for complete schedule and location of weekday Masses.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 pm

Anytime by appointment.

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

Celebrated the second Sunday of the month at 1:00 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. All Weddings arranged through Saint Benedict Parish are celebrated at Holy Rosary Parish in Milton.

### 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. All funeral masses are held at Holy Rosary Church in Milton. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton website is: [www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca)

### PARISH STAFF

Father James S. Petrie, Pastor  
Reverend Mr. Leonard Gallant, Deacon  
Mrs. Janis Asdrubolini, Parish Secretary  
Mrs. Alma Paje, Parish Rectory Assistance

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Thursday

9:30 am - 12:00 noon and 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Friday

9:30 am - 12:30 pm

**Office is closed on Mondays, 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 back of the gym.

### SICK AND HOMEBOUND

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

### PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

For more information in discerning God's call to Church ministry contact our pastor, Father Jim Petrie or contact Father Michael King, Vocation Director for the Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 or visit the Vocations Services' website: [www.hamiltonvocations.com](http://www.hamiltonvocations.com)

### PARISH SCHOOLS

Guardian Angels Elementary 905-876-2386  
Mrs. Rosanna LoPresti, Principal

Lumen Christi Elementary 905-636-9692  
Mr. Joe Jurus, Principal

Our Lady of Fatima Elementary 905-864-0720  
Mrs. Viviana Varano, Principal

Saint Benedict Elementary 289-851-9353  
Mr. Josey Guerin, Principal

Saint Scholastica Elementary 905-864-0344  
Mrs. Erin Sweeney-Hurd, Principal

Jean Vanier Secondary 905-636-8799  
Mr. Gino Montanari, Principal

**SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
<b>Sunday, January 20</b> Isaiah 62:1-5 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 John 2:1-12	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Our Parish Community	
<b>Monday, January 21</b> <b>St. Agnes</b> Hebrews 5:1-10 Mark 2:18-22	No Mass		Rev. Felix Nwatu
<b>Tuesday, January 22</b> <b>St. Vincent</b> Hebrews 6:10-20 Mark 2:23-28	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel – 8:55 a.m.	Alfie Lambe	Rev. Czeslaw Kolasa, S.A.C.
<b>Wednesday, January 23</b> Hebrews 7:1-3, 15-17 Mark 3:1-6	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel – 8:55 a.m.	Gilda Pinto	Discalced Carmelite Fathers (O.C.D.)
<b>Thursday, January 24</b> <b>St. Francis de Sales</b> Hebrews 7:25 – 8:6 Mark 3:7-12	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel – 8:55 a.m.	Frank Curran	Rev. Ranjan D'Sa, O.C.D.
<b>Friday, January 25</b> <b>The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle</b> Acts 22:3-16 Mark 16:15-18	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel – 8:55 a.m.	Souls in Purgatory	Rev. Louis Lenssen, C.R.S.P.
<b>Saturday, January 26</b> <b>St. Timothy and St. Titus</b> 2 Timothy 1:1-8 Luke 10:1-9	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 5:00 p.m.	Arthur Petrie  Watson Rodriguez	Rev. Alessandro Tirelli, C.R.S.P.

**Rectory Office Hours**

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday  
9:30 am – 12:00 and 1:00 – 4:30 pm  
Friday – 9:30 am – 12:30 pm

**SUPPORT REPORT**

**January 13**

Sunday Collection	\$ 2801
Building Fund	5
Loose Collection	<u>704</u>
Total	\$ 3510
Pre-Authorized Debit for Jan.	\$ 4781
Building Fund Pre-Authorized	<u>817</u>
	\$5598

**If your family member is in the hospital, please contact the parish office. For confidential reasons the hospital will not release names of those who are Catholic. Fr. Jim also offers the Sacrament of the Sick. If we do not know of your relative being in the hospital we cannot attend to their spiritual needs. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.**

**PILGRIMAGE TO QUEBEC**

July 22 – 26, 2019

You are invited to join the Hamilton Diocesan Legion of Mary Pilgrimage from **Monday July 22nd until Friday July 26th**. We will be visiting Our Lady of the Cape, Saint Anne de Beaupre, Saint Peregrine Shrine, Saint Joseph Oratory. There will be an opportunity to spend some time in the Old City of Quebec. This is an excellent way to explore the rich spiritual heritage in our own country! For more information, please contact: Tas at 905-578-3846 Hamilton; Cecilia at 905-332-8146 Burlington; Mary at 905-383-9796 Hamilton and Gerry at 905-691-1105 Milton.

**"COME AND SEE" - JOHN 1:39**

Attention Youth ages 12-18, and Young Adults. You are invited to Come and See at **Holy Rosary Parish** (Milton) on **Saturday Feb. 2, 2019** at 7:30 pm -10:00 pm. The Keynote speaker is Chris Bray [chrisbraymusic.com](http://chrisbraymusic.com). Praise & Worship band, speaker, Youth Testimony, Adoration, music & prayer. Pick up time at 10:00 pm in the parish hall. [facebook.com/YouthHolyRosary](https://facebook.com/YouthHolyRosary) [twitter.com/YouthHolyRosary/](https://twitter.com/YouthHolyRosary/) [instagram.com/youthholynosary/](https://instagram.com/youthholynosary/)

### CALLED TO LIFE WORKSHOP

Equip yourselves with the education and tools to shift the culture and become catalysts to build a strong culture of life in your parish. Our first step toward building a compassionate support and mentorship program for mothers and unplanned pregnancy. For women parishioners, sponsored by CWL and Halton Alive  
Saturday, February 23, 8:45am-11:30am  
St. Raphael's Parish, 4072 New St., Burlington  
Cost \$5, Refreshments provided.  
RSVP by Friday, Feb 15 with Tawnya Arsenault at [cec@haltonalive.com](mailto:cec@haltonalive.com)

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### MORNING OF SPIRITUALITY

The CWL of St. Paul the Apostle in Burlington invite all ladies to a **Morning of Spirituality** on **Saturday, January 26th, 9am-1pm**, in our Parish Hall with **Father Tim Theriault**, Associate Pastor at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish. Father Tim will speak on **Prayer and Discernment-Recognizing and Understanding how God works in our lives.** Our morning starts with **Mass** at 9 am in the church and includes a light lunch. The cost is \$10. Please register in advance by email to Shelley Monaco [smonaco151@gmail.com](mailto:smonaco151@gmail.com) or Susan Williams at [susanwilliams327@gmail.com](mailto:susanwilliams327@gmail.com). Please join us.

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### MISSION CATHOLIQUE FRANCOPHONE DE MILTON

Prions ensemble en français tous les dimanches de 13h à 14h. Messe en langue française à l'école St-Nicolas à Milton, 720 Woodward Avenue.  
Curé Père: Father Fulbert Jonas  
Appel à bénévoles: nous avons besoin de vous pour la mission! Contacter Père Jonas au 905-877-4373 de 14h à 17h.  
Let's pray together in French. Every Sunday from 1pm to 2pm. Mass in French language at St-Nicolas School, 720 Woodward Avenue with Father Fulbert Jonas.  
We need volunteers. Please contact Fr. Jonas at 905-877-4373 from 2pm to 5pm.

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### THE LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary at St Benedicts & Holy Rosary parishes is pleased to announce that they will bring the Pilgrim Virgin statue to the homes of families who would like to welcome Mary into their homes as a way of increasing family prayer & bring blessings to families. The Legionaries will accompany the statue to the home & will pick up the statue in a week 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) or Gerry Mok (905-691-1105).

### OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2019

Requested offering envelopes are available for pick-up on the side table in the gym. Please remember to pick these up as soon as possible before they are returned to the office. It is important that you **only use the current year's envelope**. Those returned to the office will be recycled for new parishioners - *so your previous envelope number may be used by someone else if not picked up.*

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### THE OVERFLOWING LOVE OF THE FATHER TO YOU AND THE ST. BENEDICT PARISH FAMILY!

Do you want to know the Father, Son and the Holy Spirit more deeply? Join Us at The LOJ FEAST MILTON. Together, we'll do a deep dive into the first three statements of our Creed: (1) "I believe in God the Father..."; and (2) "I believe in Jesus Christ..."; and (3) "I believe in the Holy Spirit..." This series isn't just about studying religious statements, but getting closer to the 3 Greatest Beings in our multiverse. Because at the LOJ Feasts, it's never only about knowledge but always about relationships.

Yes, "Creed" literally means "I believe". But in Latin, "believe" and "heart" have the same root word. Why? *Beliefs that change our life reside in the heart, not in the mind.*

We are highly hopeful that you will join us at 2:00 PM at the Holy Rosary Elem School gym on the following dates:  
Feb 02...Talk # 3-Empowered (The Holy Spirit)  
*The Feast, a place of miracles and of love, is a lively catholic prayer meeting by the Light of Jesus Community held at the Holy Rosary School gym, 141 Martin St. Milton. It is open to all! No tickets necessary, only your open heart and open spirit. We have separate activities for young adults, youth and children so bring them along! WORSHIP STARTS AT 2:00 PM.*

\_For more info, please call Bing/Angie Buhain at 905-462-5072 or Rey/Elvie Reyes at 647-407-3294. You can also visit our website, [lojcanada.com](http://lojcanada.com) or [FB/feast.milton](https://www.facebook.com/lojfeast.milton).

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### WELCOME TO THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The Catholic Women's League of St. Benedict Parish invite all women from the age group of 18 years and above to join them in their monthly meeting which is on the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm at Our Lady of Fatima School staff room. Membership fees are \$35.00. For more information, contact: Lily Gall at [cwlmilton@gmail.com](mailto:cwlmilton@gmail.com)  
**Next Meeting:** February 5<sup>th</sup>

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