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# Saint Benedict Roman Catholic Church

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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  
or by appointment

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

Celebrated the second and fourth 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 Larry 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](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca)

### PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

For more information in discerning God's call to Church ministry, contact Father Larry 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 Lawrence Parent, Pastor  
([lparent@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:lparent@hamiltondiocese.com))  
Father Kevin Upendran, Associate Pastor  
Rev. Mr. Leonard Gallant, Deacon  
Rev. Mr. Joseph Murphy, Deacon  
Mrs. Karen Vilorio-Miguel, Pastoral Assistant  
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 Larry. Registration forms are available on the table at the church entrance or from the website.

### PARISH SCHOOLS

<u>Guardian Angels Elementary</u>	905-876-2386
Christopher Hawken, Principal	
<u>Lumen Christi Elementary</u>	905-636-9692
Daniela Attardo, Principal	
<u>Our Lady of Fatima Elementary</u>	905-864-0720
Viviana Varano, Principal	
<u>St. Benedict Elementary</u>	289-851-9353
Mark Witter, Principal	
<u>St. Scholastica Elementary</u>	905-864-0344
Erin Sweeney-Hurd, Principal	
<u>St. Francis Xavier Secondary School</u>	905-636-8799
Adriano Perusin, Principal	
<u>St. Kateri Tekakwitha Secondary School</u>	289-878-2038
Kevin Wong, Principal	

## ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
<b>Sunday, June 18</b> <b>Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Exodus 19.1-6a Romans 5.6-11 Matthew 9.36-10.8	<b>Masses</b> 9:00 a.m.  10:30 a.m.  12 noon	Luis Ampuero  James, Margaret & Bridget McLoughlin  Our Parish Community	
<b>Monday, June 19</b> <b>St. Romuald</b> 2 Corinthians 6.1-10 Matthew 5.38-42	<b>NO MASS</b>	No mass	Very Rev. Paul Panaretos, S.J
<b>Tuesday, June 20</b> 2 Corinthians 8.1-9 Matthew 5.43-48	<b>Mass</b> 9:00 a.m.	Josephine Petrie	Rev. Franjo Sprajc
<b>Wednesday, June 21</b> <b>St. Aloysius Gonzaga</b> 2 Corinthians 9.6-11 Matthew 6.1-6, 16-18	<b>Mass</b> 9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Elisa Brown	Comboni Missionaries (M.C.C.J.)
<b>Thursday, June 22</b> <b>Sts. John Fisher &amp; St. Thomas St. Paulinus of Nola</b> 2 Corinthians 11.1-11 Matthew 6.7-15	<b>Mass</b> 9:00 a.m.	Josephine Petrie	Rev. Wieslaw Berdowicz, S.Chr.
<b>Friday, June 23</b> 2 Corinthians 11.18, 21b-30 Matthew 6.19-23	<b>Mass</b> 9:00 a.m.	Joe & Bertha Vas Gemma Lafranais	Rev. Valentine Onwunjioju
<b>Saturday, June 24</b> <b>The Nativity of St. John the Baptist</b> Jeremiah 1.4-10 Luke 1.5-17	<b>Mass</b> 5:00 p.m.	Artemio Villureal II Special Intentions of Agnes & Rey Reyes Leokadia & Stanislaw Pawlowski	Nativity of Saint John the Baptist - Patron of French Canadians

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

### MINISTERS OF THE WORD (LECTORS)

All Ministers of the Word are invited to attend the meeting on **June 20<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the Parish Hall**. If you are interested to join this ministry, please submit a completed volunteer form with you to the meeting. Those who have expressed their interest and have already submitted a form to the parish office are invited to attend as well. Volunteer forms are available on the parish website or on the table by the Narthex (just outside the parish office door).

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION

 On the weekend of **June 24/25**, 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 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](mailto:ssvp.stbenedictsconference@gmail.com)

### CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES !!



The St. Benedict Parish community congratulates all the graduates! May God continue to bless you and guide you on your life journey.



### HAMILTON DIOCESAN MARIAN DAYS

These days will be celebrated from June to October 2023 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. The day will start with Confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by Mass at 10:00 a.m., Rosary Procession at 11:00 a.m. and lunch at 12:00 p.m., Holy Hour and Marian Catechesis at 1:00 p.m. The day will close with Benediction at 2:00 p.m. Please bring your own lunch. Coffee and Tea will be available. Presiders will be, **Bishop Matthew Ustrzycki**: Saturday, June 3; **Bishop Douglas Crosby**: Saturday, July 1; **Bishop Gerard Bergie**: Saturday, August 5; **Bishop Wayne Lobsinger**: Saturday, September 2; **Thomas Cardinal Collins**: Saturday, October 7.



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus is the largest Catholic organization in the world with 1.9 million members. Its mission is to empower Catholic men to live their faith at home, in their parish, at work and in their community through works of charity, fraternity and in union with the Church. All Catholic men in our parish are invited to join the St. Benedict of Nursia Council and participate in its noteworthy activities.

How to Register:

1. Online: <https://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-the-knights.html>
2. By Email: [koc16746@gmail.com](mailto:koc16746@gmail.com)  
(kindly provide your name and phone number or means to contact you)
3. By Phone: please call Paul Kilala, Grand Knight, (647) 823-8740

### SUMMER ATTIRE



As we enter the summer months and vacation time, we are grateful for a time of rest and relaxation. The coming months might best be characterized as “casual”. However, we respectfully ask that all parishioners make an effort to dress appropriately for the Sunday Eucharist. Beach and gym attire are inappropriate for the Sunday Eucharist. Our respect for the Lord and the other members of Christ’s body demands that we dress appropriately. Please also remember to turn off your cell phones as you enter. Thank you.

### CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP



Moms, come learn more about the devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Get closer to Jesus by knowing better the heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary. New moms at all ages and stages are always welcome. Delicious treats will be offered. Saint Benedict Parish, Subiaco Room, Wednesday, June 21st: 8 to 9 pm . For questions, contact Nelcy Lopez at [stbenedictsh@catholicmomsgroup.com](mailto:stbenedictsh@catholicmomsgroup.com)

### WORLD YOUTH DAY IN THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON



Did you know that 39 delegates from the Diocese will be traveling to the international celebration of World Youth Day in Portugal this summer? Led by the Holy Father, Pope Francis, these pilgrims will have the opportunity to pray alongside thousands of young people from around the world in celebration and thanksgiving for the gift of the Holy Church. We need your help! Please pray for our young people on their journey and keep up to date on our pilgrimage by following us on social media: @officeofyouthministry (Instagram) or “Diocese of Hamilton Office of Youth Ministry” (Facebook).

HAPPY  
*Father's Day*



### IN PERSON VISITS WITH THE SAINT JOHN'S BIBLE ARE BACK!

If you are interested in having The Saint John’s Bible visit your parish or school, visit our website for programming information and booking details. Virtual and hybrid programming available, too!  
<https://hamiltondiocese.com/stjohnsbible/>.

### MUSIC DIRECTOR- JOB OPPORTUNITY

St. Paul the Apostle Parish in Burlington is looking for an experienced musician to fill the part time role of Music Director. Primary responsibilities will be to direct and lead the choir, and coordinate the other music ministries. Please see the diocesan website or <https://hamiltondiocese.bamboohr.com/careers/172> for more information and how to apply.

### BECOMING CATHOLIC

#### (RCIA – Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Is God calling you or someone you know to join the Catholic faith or complete the sacraments of initiation? If so, the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is for you! Beginning in late September or early October, adults (high school age and older) who wish to be baptized or received as full members of the Roman Catholic Church, are invited to meet weekly with a team of parishioners and members of the pastoral staff. Together, we explore the Catholic Christian faith and prepare for the Sacraments of Initiation, which are celebrated at Easter. For more information on this program, please contact the Parish office.

### PRISON MINISTRY

Holy Rosary Church has an active prison ministry and has been running Roman Catholic programs at the prisons in Milton for a number of years. We are inviting members of St. Benedict’s Parish to join us. Volunteers regularly visit Vanier correctional facility for women. We are currently looking for volunteers. If you are interested in learning more about this important ministry and perhaps joining our dedicated group of volunteers, please call Nuala Harold at 647-405-9196.

### CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE



The Catholic Women's League is hosting a 'High-Tea' on June 24 afternoon from 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm in the Parish Hall. The tickets will be on sale in the upcoming weekend masses @ \$25 per person. E-transfers can be made to: [Ghada.rassam@gmail.com](mailto:Ghada.rassam@gmail.com) if preferred. All are welcome!

### CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

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