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# SAINT BENEDICT ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

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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. Joseph DiGrado, Deacon  
Mrs. Janis Asdrubolini, Parish Secretary

### 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  
Wojciech Kuzma, 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. Patrick Mayne, Principal

Our Lady of Fatima Elementary 905-864-0720  
Mr. Kevin Brady, Principal

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

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

**TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
<b>Sunday, June 25</b> Jeremiah 20:10-13 Romans 5:12-15 Matthew 10:26-33	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Our Parish Community	
<b>Monday, June 26</b> Genesis 12:1-9 Matthew 7:1-5	No Mass		Rev. Piotr Golinski
<b>Tuesday, June 27</b> <b>Blesseds Nykyta Budka and Vasyi Velychkovsky</b> Genesis 13:2, 5-18 Matthew 7:6, 12-14	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 9:00 a.m.	Carmen Buhagiar	Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I., D.D.
<b>Wednesday, June 28</b> <b>St. Irenaeus</b> Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18 Matthew 7:15-20	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 9:00 a.m.	Polson Torry Karam	Sisters of St. John the Baptist (C.S.J.B.)
<b>Thursday, June 29</b> <b>Sts. Peter and Paul</b> Acts 12:1-11 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18 Matthew 16:13-19	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 9:00 a.m.	Eugenia Palango	Rev. Andrew Czarny
<b>Friday, June 30</b> <b>The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church</b> Genesis 17:1, 5, 9-10, 15-22 Matthew 8:1-4	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 9:00 a.m.	Deceased Family Members of Jean Vanier Staff	Very Rev. Tim Hingston
<b>Saturday, July 1</b> Genesis 18:1-15 Matthew 8:5-17	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 5:00 p.m.	Daphne Sandoval	Rev. Lukasz Kopaniak, S.A.C.

**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 June 18**

Sunday Collection (147) Envelopes	\$2228
Loose Collection	418
Building Fund	<u>80</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2726</b>

**CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSES**

Programs available for children from Kindergarten through to High School not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic Schools also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact Monica in the Catechesis Office at 905-528-7988, ext. 2238 or check out our website at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) and click on the Catechesis Office for more information, printable registration forms or to register online.

**Fostering Faith IN and THROUGH Grandparents: Save the Date!**

Join us for a celebration of the Faith of Grandparents in time for National Grandparents Day. The event will take place at Basilica of Our Lady Parish in Guelph (28 Norfolk Street) on Saturday, Sept. 9th from 9:30 am-12:30 pm. Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated at 9:30 am followed by light refreshments. Then sit back and enjoy two reflections from David Dayler and Anne Jamieson on the importance of our faith lives for our own sake and for the good of generations to come! There is **no charge** for this event. Your RSVP allows us to plan for the hospitality but walk-ins the day of are most welcome. Please note that we will have faith resources for sale at the event. Register by contacting Monica at 905-528-7988 ext. 2238, or at [mverin@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:mverin@hamiltondiocese.com).

**CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING**

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in September 2017 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.



The Catholic Community of St. Benedict Parish welcomes the

following children who were baptized in June. We support them with our prayers and ask that their parents nurture them so they can grow up to be faith filled people of God and our Parish Community.

Emma Cardoso, Angelo Conopio, Owen De Sousa, Kassie Empaynado, Leonardo Gosine, Abigail Heard, Jonas Inton, Nathaniel Luck, Oliver Zubel, Amelia & Sofia Zimmermann-Angelov.

### **BLOCKBUSTERS...EPIC BIBLE STORIES THAT CHANGE LIVES**

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new. (2 Cor 5:17)

Have you recently watched a movie that changed your life? A movie that inspired you, lifted you, and made you a better person? Get ready because in the months of June and July, The LOJ Feast Milton will be presenting BLOCKBUSTERS..Epic Stories That Changed the World. Actually love stories wherein God, The Lover and You, The Beloved, are the co-stars!

These ancient bible stories will move and challenge us to discard our old habits and become a new creation in Christ Jesus. So why don't you mark your calendar on the following dates and join us, The Light Of Jesus Feast Milton? In addition, you will appreciate a lively way of praising God, encounter Jesus in His words and enjoy a warm fellowship with your brethren in Christ:

JULY 08.. Talk # 3 REDPOOL

JULY 15.. Talk # 4 FINDING JONAH

The Feast, a place of miracles, is held in the gym of the Holy Rosary School, 141 Martin St. Milton. It is a family-oriented, Catholic prayer gathering that is open to all! No tickets necessary, only your open heart and open spirit. We have separate activities for youth and children. 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 or FB/feast.milton.

Vacation Bible School starts August 14<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>. Any students entering JK-Gr.4. Also, high school students interested in volunteering are welcome. This is a great way for you to earn your volunteer hours. We are needing other volunteers to help run stations and leading groups from station to station. If you are interested please contact: Alisha Gillen Phone: 289-878-1914

Email: [alishagillen@gmail.com](mailto:alishagillen@gmail.com) For those interested in registering their children there are registration forms available at St. Benedict Parish Office.

### **CENTENARY OF FATIMA MARIAN PILGRIMAGE DAYS**

Come participate in Marian Pilgrimage days in this the centenary year of the Fatima appearances of Our Lady. Each month we will fulfill the request of our Lady of Fatima to join with her in prayer, invoking blessings and graces for our families, Church and the world by gathering at St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Waterdown.

In honour of this year's special 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary, a plenary indulgence is available to those who attend and perform all the obligations attached to the indulgence. Each day begins with Mass, features a Marian Procession as the rosary is prayed, Stations of the Cross, and quiet time in the Marian garden. The program is from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Pack a lunch. For further information, to check out the day's programming, visit the website:

[www.stthomaswaterdown.com/pilgrimage/](http://www.stthomaswaterdown.com/pilgrimage/)

Next date: July 1

To all women of the parish: are you looking for something faith filled and inspiring to do in the parish community? Would you like to connect with other women, wives and mothers to pray, learn and grow together? Join us biweekly on Monday evenings as we use Fr. John Bartunek's, video retreat guides to help grow in our relationship with God and one another.

For more information contact Tima Borges at 647-227-0682 or [borgestima@gmail.com](mailto:borgestima@gmail.com)

Children thrive on routine and schedules, as do most adults. As summer approaches and the days grow longer, it can be difficult to keep established timetable in check. Helping your children flourish in mind, body and spirit this summer is possible, but as parents you must take control. Keep track of the nutritional value of the food your children consume each day; work hard to be sure they get the proper amount of sleep since it will provide benefits both now and into the future; remember to celebrate God's beauty in nature, to say prayers at meals & before bed and to attend Mass as a family. Children's growth doesn't take a break during the summer months, so be vigilant and they will bloom.

### **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 is 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.

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