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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

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 Michael King, Vocation Director for the Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 or visit the 'Vocations Services' website: 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
Mr. Kevin Brady, Principal

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

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

CORPUS CHRISTI

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, June 3 The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Exodus 24:3-8 Hebrews 9:11-15 Mark 14:12-16, 22-26	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Our Parish Community	
Monday, June 4 2 Peter 1:1-7 Mark 12:1-12	No Mass		Rev. Msgr. Raymond Modeski
Tuesday, June 5 St. Boniface 2 Peter 3:12-15, 17-18 Mark 12:13-17	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 9:00 a.m.	Jack Hughes	Rev. Anthony Ciavarro
Wednesday, June 6 St. Norbert 2 Timothy 1:1-3, 6-12 Mark 12:18-27	Mass- Jean Vanier High School 9:30 a.m. 10:40 a.m.	Intentions of Judy Smith Muriel Lalonde	Chancery Staff
Thursday, June 7 2 Timothy 2:8-15 Mark 12:28-34	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 9:00 a.m. Mass – Seasons 760 Bronte Street South 10:30 a.m.	Special Intentions Pjeter Kola	Rev. Ronald Hodara
Friday, June 8 The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Hosea 11:1-4, 8-9 Ephesians 3:8-12, 14-19 John 19:31-37	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 9:00 a.m.	Presentacion Magtibay	Rev. Ed Henhoeffler
Saturday, June 9 The Immaculate Heart of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary Isaiah 61:9-11 Luke 2:41-51	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 5:00 p.m.	Edward Vethanayagam Brenda Undseth	Rev. Jacek Kryn, 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

SUPPORT REPORT

May 20

Sunday Collection	\$2224
Loose Collection	487
Building Fund	<u>975</u>
Total	\$3686

SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR CANADA SUMMER JOBS PROGRAM

As per Bishop Crosby's letter last weekend, there will be a special collection taken this weekend after all the masses to be distributed to Catholic charities whose programs are at risk because of their inability to attest to the government demands. If you are making a donation by cheque please make it payable to St. Benedict Parish. *Thank you for your generosity.*

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.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, June 5th



BLESSING FOR EXPECTANT PARENTS

If you are having a child in the near future, you are welcome to join Fr. Jim after the masses this June 2nd & 3rd to take part in a blessing for expectant parents.

PARISH MISSION APPEAL

Every year in the Diocese of Hamilton there is an annual parish mission appeal where a parish is matched up with a missionary diocese or missionary religious order to enlighten us in the work they do and more importantly to remind us that despite location or economic differences, we all belong to the same Church. Next weekend we welcome Father Tom Vermiglio MCCJ to Saint Benedict Parish.

Fr. Tom Vermiglio was ordained a Comboni Missionary Priest 46 years ago. The first five years of his priesthood he worked in East Africa, teaching secondary school and doing parish ministry. For the next 13 years he worked in the U.S. and Canada doing vocation and mission promotion. In 1990 he returned to Kenya for three more years of parish ministry, in the slum area of Nairobi Kenya. From 1993 until 2006 Fr. Tom did mission promotion and parish work again in the U.S. and Canada. At the present time Fr. Tom is mission office director as well as associate pastor at St. Joseph Church in Kitchener, ON.

We thank him for coming and sharing with us the good works of the Comboni Fathers and how we can help our brothers and sisters in the world.

PILGRIMAGE TO QUEBEC

July 16th - 20th 2018

You are invited to join the Hamilton Diocesan Legion of Mary Pilgrimage from **Monday July 16th until Friday July 20th**. 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! Father Jim Petrie will be the spiritual director of the pilgrimage. For more information, please contact Gerry Mok at 905-691-1105 or Tas Binaday at 905-578-3846.

LOJ FEAST MILTON: LOUD... LISTENING TO THE VOICES OF TODAY'S GENERATION

To the elders among you, be shepherds of God's flock that is under your care... In the same way, you who are younger, submit yourselves to your elders. All of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, because, "God opposes the proud but shows favor to the humble." (1 Pt 5:1,2,5).

Did you know that generation gap or the difference in opinion, values, beliefs and even politics between young people and their parents or grandparents has existed since the beginning of time? Whether we belong to the baby boomers, x-generation, millennials, we have experienced, in one way or another the generation gap

The Light of Jesus Community-Feast Milton invites you to The Feast, A Place of Miracles and of Love on the following dates:

JUNE 9 - TALK # 1 EVOLUTION...REACHING OUT

JUNE 16 - TALK # 2 EXPRESSION...MATURING EMOTIONALLY

JULY 7 - TALK # 3 EXPANSION...ATTRACTING YOUNG PEOPLE TO FOLLOW JESUS

COME, let us build a legacy for our young people and in our own little way, help bridge the so-called generation gap because this should not exist in our world.

The Feast, a place of miracles and of love, is a lively catholic prayer meeting 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 or [FB/feast.milton](https://www.facebook.com/feast.milton).

CHALLENGE GIRLS MILTON CAMP BREBEUF WEEKEND

Challenge Girls Milton will be hosting our annual exciting weekend camp from Friday, June 8th to Sunday June 10th, 2018 at Camp Brebeuf in Rockwood. This event is open to all girls ages 5 to 17 and is a great opportunity for Mothers and Daughters to spend time together, enjoying the outdoors, and at the same time, deepening their love for Christ and their Catholic Faith. Please check the club website www.challengemilton.com for event details or contact Carolina Rey at 416-949-4507 or email: challengemiltoevents@gmail.com for more info.

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 Violanta Nicholson (647-241-9607) or email vcnicholson@hotmail.com

Receiving Eucharist is a real sign of unity in our Church. God nourishes us with the "Bread from Heaven" if we have ordained priests to celebrate the Liturgy. If you fee the inclination to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 ext.2246 vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

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