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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

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

TRINITY SUNDAY

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, June 4 The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity Exodus 34.4b-6, 8-9 2 Corinthians 13.11-13 John 3.16-18	Masses 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12 noon	Our Parish Community Marlyn Barrozo Presentation Kulanayagam	
Monday, June 5 St. Boniface Tobit 1.1ad, 2a, 3, 17; 2.1-8++ Mark 12.1-12	NO MASS	No mass	Rev. Edward Mahony
Tuesday, June 6 St. Norbert Tobit 2.9-14-3.1++ Mark 12.13-17	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions of Shiela & Nathaniel	Very Rev. David Walter
Wednesday, June 7 Tobit 3.1-6a, 7-10a, 11-13, 15b-17a Mark 12.18-27	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Anna & Antonio Tieri Intentions of Manuel Reboredo	Sisters Adorers of the Precious Blood (R.P.B.)
Thursday, June 8 Tobit 4.2; 5.4; 6.10-11b; 7.1, 9-16; 8.1, 4-9++ Mark 12.28-34	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Brendan Yap	Rev. Fulbert Jonas Ahouansou
Friday, June 9 St. Ephrem Tobit 11.5-15 Mark 12.35-37	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Toni Agozzino Special Intentions of Lolee & Manuel Reboredo	Rev. Ian Duffy
Saturday, June 10 Tobit 12.1-20 Mark 12.38-44	Mass 5:00 p.m.	Deacon Joe Di Grado Maria & Jan Mitrowski Presentacion Magtibay	Rev. Vernon Boyd, S.J.

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



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 if preferred. All are welcome!



LET US RETURN WITH JOY!

The Pastoral Letter of His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, that was posted last weekend (for the Solemnity of Pentecost) **removes the dispensation from the obligation to participate at Sunday Mass, effective on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi), June 11, 2023.** Those who are impeded from participating at Sunday Mass because of ill health, or care for the sick, or some other grave reason, are not bound by the obligation to participate in the Sunday Eucharist. The letter is available on the parish website.



The Catholic Community of St. Benedict Parish welcomes the following children who were baptized in February. 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.

ELIZABETH WING-YIN CHOW, ADRIELLE JAZZ DANTES, MATTEO JOSE DASILVA, MIA FORERO-RINCÓN, MACKENZIE SOFIA MARIE GAINFORT, ZOEY ISLA KINGSON MALIK, ELLE PULICICCHIO, EMRY PULICICCHIO, EZRA PULICICCHIO, MATTHEW TANDOG REAL, CHLOE ARIELLA RESTREPO, ARRIANE CELESTE ROXAS



ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS AT GATE OF HEAVEN CEMETERY (THE CATHOLIC CEMETERIES)

Annual Memorial Mass at Gate of Heaven Cemetery . The Spring Memorial Mass at Gate of Heaven Cemetery in Burlington will take place on Saturday, June 17, at 11:00. Light refreshments will be served following the Mass. All are welcome!



DO NO HARM WEBINAR SERIES

Decolonizing Anti-Human Trafficking Work – Held in partnership with the Collaborative Network to End Exploitation, we invite anti-human trafficking advocates to learn from experts and critically reflect on our work. Each week we will explore ways our colonial history has impacted human trafficking as it pertains to Indigenous Communities in Canada. Held Tuesdays, 1pm EST, beginning June 6, 2023. Visit <https://cnee.eventbrite.ca> to register



DID YOU KNOW? Children in our parishes benefit from the Catechetical Correspondence Program each year for ongoing religious education and preparation for the Sacraments. We need volunteers to support the program! If you are willing to accompany these children in their learning journey, please reach out to the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis at catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com. To learn more about the Catechetical Correspondence Program, please visit: <https://bit.ly/DOHCCC>.

CATHOLIC DAY CAMP

The Sports and Virtue Day Camp is for boys and girls entering grades 4-7 in fall. The first week will run on July 4-7 at Christ the King Secondary School in Georgetown. The second week will take place at St Thomas Aquinas Secondary School in Oakville on July 10-14. The camps run from 9am to 3pm each day. Activities consist of sports, tournaments, crafts for the girls, faith formation and more. Fun guaranteed! Price is \$120 per participant for the camp in Georgetown (4 days) and \$150 for the camp in Oakville (5 days). There's a discount for family members. We will need a team of mom volunteers to help out with snacks and ensure a safe environment. If you're interested, please let Fr. Pierre know. You can reach out to Fr. Pierre at pcaouette@legionaries.org for any question. Hope to see you there! More information with the links below:

Georgetown, July 4-7:

<https://form.jotform.com/ecydontario/sportsandvirtue2023-georgetown>

Oakville, July 10-14:

<https://form.jotform.com/ecydontario/sportsandvirtue2023-oakville>

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Registration is open for Vacation Bible School from **August 14th – 18th** at Holy Rosary School for any students entering Year 1 Kindergarten to Grade 8. Volunteers are needed to help run stations and lead groups from station to station. If interested, please contact Tima Borges at vacationbibleschool.milton@gmail.com. Registration forms are available at <https://www.holyrosaryparish.ca/special-events.html>.



TO INFORM, ENCOURAGE AND HEAL

June is Indigenous History Month in Canada. We invite you take time in this season to learn more about the Catholic Church's commitment to ongoing reconciliation efforts with Indigenous communities through a four-week learning opportunity through the VLCFF (Virtual Learning Community for Adult Faith Formation). To learn more about this study, please visit us at www.hamiltondioceselearns.com

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples planning to marry at St. Benedict Parish, should contact the parish office ONE year in advance of the desired wedding date. At least one member of the couple must be CATHOLIC, registered and/or living within the boundaries of our parish (SOUTH OF DERRY ROAD in MILTON).

PODCAST



Essential but Disposable Labour, Migrant Workers Exploited in Canada – In collaboration with the Sisters of St. Joseph Toronto and the Collaborative Network to End Exploitation, we have created a podcast which centres the voices and experiences of Migrant Workers in Canada. In a limited number of bi-weekly episodes, we join in conversation with workers, immigration specialists and frontline advocates to understand the systems and policies that compose this labour market and how our Ministries can better serve this community. You can find the podcast on Spotify or visit the CNEE website here: <https://www.cnee.ca/podcast/>.



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.** Register at one of the Marian days, or by calling the Basilica: (519) 824-3951



FRASSATI LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Young people entering grade 10 in September are invited to register for the Frassati leadership program. This year long program is designed for young Catholic leaders who want to expand their Catholic leadership skills and grow in their relationship with Christ and their communities. For registration and more information please visit: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/youth-ministry/frassati>



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