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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. 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

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

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, May 12 Acts 13:14, 43-52 Revelations 7:9, 14-17 John 10:27-30	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Our Parish Community	
Monday, May 13 Our Lady of Fatima Acts 11:1-18 John 10:1-10	No Mass		Rev. Ronald Hodara
Tuesday, May 14 St. Matthias Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 John 15:9-17	No Mass		Rev. Ireneusz Koziak, S.A.C.
Wednesday, May 15 Acts 12:24 – 13:5 John 12:44-50	No Mass		Society of Christ (S.Chr.)
Thursday, May 16 Acts 13:13-25 John 13:16-20	No Mass		Rev. Edward Hinsperger
Friday, May 17 Acts 13:26-33 John 14:1-6	No Mass		Very Rev. Peter Tuyen Nguyen
Saturday, May 18 St. John I Acts 13:44-52 John 14:7-14	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 5:00 p.m.	Irenio & Francisca Domingo Gaetana & Salvatore Bondin	Rev. Malcolm Katzenberger

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

May 5

Sunday Collection	\$ 2794
Building Fund	\$ 220
Loose Collection	<u>\$ 609</u>
Total	\$ 3623

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.

YOUTH CHOIR

It has been wonderful to see the growth of the Youth Choir at our Parish during the last 5 years. Parents have our sincerest thanks for encouraging their children to sing the praises of our Lord by joining the choir.

However, we have an overwhelming number of children and we are unfortunately understaffed to take care of so many young ones. For this reason, the Youth Choir will now extend their invitation to children from the age of 10 and up. High school students can also earn volunteer hours by joining the choir.

Practices are held every Thursday from 6:30pm to 8:00pm. For more information please contact Vanessa D'Souza at 905-462-2849 or email at vanessadza@gmail.com

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

“Save the Date” for Vacation Bible School from August 12th-16th for any students entering JK to Grade 8. 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 interested, please contact Kim Curley at kcurely@primus.ca or 905-875-1270.

RECIPE BOOK

The CWL is planning to have a recipe book printed. St. Benedict's Parish has a very diverse community and we would love for our parishioners to take part in this venture. We request that you send us your traditional recipes for this book; which can vary from appetizers, soups, entrees and desserts.

Please send in your recipes along with your name, nationality and the name of the dish to cwlmilton@gmail.com latest by August 31st 2019.

We will compile this book and have it ready for sale before Christmas. All proceeds from this sale will be donated towards the Church Building Fund. Your cooperation is very much appreciated.

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. For more information, please contact us at: cwlmilton@gmail.com **Next Meeting:** June 4, 2019

UPCOMING CWL EVENTS

June 8th - The CWL of St. Benedict Parish is inviting the faithful (men and women of all age groups) to join them for a trip to the Martyr's Shrine in Midland. The cost is \$25. For more information see the flyer on the notice board. Email us at cwlmilton@gmail.com or call, 905-462-2093.

HALTON ALIVE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Get to know Halton Alive! Join us in reviewing our annual activities and finances, hear about our work and capture the vision for the future. Members must attend or submit a proxy. Non-members welcome as guests!

Refreshments provided

Wednesday, May 15, 2019 at 7:00pm

St. Matthew Parish hall (downstairs)

1150 Monks Passage, Oakville

RSVP or submit proxy by May 8th at www.haltionalive.ca/membership or 905-632-3232

CONQUEST FATHER & SON WEEKEND

Conquest Milton will be hosting our annual exciting Father and Son weekend camp Friday, May 31st to Sunday June 2nd, 2019 at Camp Brebeuf in Rockwood. This event is open to all boys ages 5 to 17 and is a great opportunity for Fathers and Sons to spend some time together, enjoying the outdoors, and at the same time, deepen their love for Christ and their Catholic Faith. Please check the club website www.conquestmilton.com for event details or contact Marvin Duarte at (416) 559-9327 or email: marvinduarte1@gmail.com for more info.

MARIAN PILGRIMAGE AT MARY LAKE SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF GRACE IN KING CITY

Join us on **Sunday, May 19, 2019**

For Mass, Rosary, & Family Picnic

Arrival at 9:30 a.m.

Mass at 11:00 a.m.

Celebrated by Fr. Michael Vanderbeek, LC

Rosary at 3:00 p.m.

Address: 13760 Keele Street, King City, ON

For more information contact:

Regina Rodrigues 647-529-7747

Register on-line: events@regnumchristiontario.org

Parking fee: \$10 Bring a picnic lunch

DAY OF PRAYER AND HEALING

The Sisters of Life are hosting a Day of Prayer and Healing on Saturday, June 1, 2019, for women seeking healing after abortion. The day is an opportunity to experience the loving mercy of God and the joy of healing in Christ, in a confidential and sacred space. It will include a witness of mercy, a Scripture reflection, personal prayer, opportunity for Sacramental Confession, and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. There is no fee for the day, lunch will be provided. **CONTACT:** The Sisters of Life **PHONE:** 416-463-2722 **EMAIL:** toronto@sistersoflife.org

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.

PARENTING TIP

As the warmer weather makes its way into our lives, it is a perfect time to help children learn about the beauty of God's created world and our task to be stewards of his creation. Cleaning the yard after winter, planting flowers and vegetables, picking up garbage left behind once the snow melts - these are all great ways to teach your children to honour God's world. And as a bonus, you will spend time outdoors as a family. The world is our home, help your children learn to engage with the earth. (Family Ministry Office)

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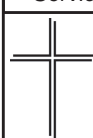
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