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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

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, May 28 Pentecost Sunday Acts 2.1-11 1 Corinthians 12.3b-7, 12-13 John 20.19-23	Masses 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12 noon	Ranjith Senadhiphati Henrietta & Paul Fernandes Our Parish Community	
Monday, May 29 Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church St. Paul VI Genesis 3.9-15,20 or Acts 1.12-14 John 19.25-27	NO MASS	No mass	Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church
Tuesday, May 30 Sirach 35.1-15 Mark 10.28-31	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Elizabeth Stec	Rev. Ken Miskiewicz
Wednesday, May 31 The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Zephaniah 3.14-18 or Romans 12.9-16 Luke 1.39-56	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions	The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Thursday, June 1 St. Justin Sirach 42.15-25 Mark 10.46-52	Mass 9:00 a.m. Seasons	Thanksgiving Thanksgiving	Rev. Msgr. Dennis Noon
Friday, June 2 Sts. Marcellinus & Peter Sirach 44.1, 8-13++ Mark 11.11-25	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Michael Silva & Family	Rev. Emmanuel Azike, O.P
Saturday, June 3 St. Charles Lwanga and Companions Sirach 51.12-20 Mark 11.27-33	Mass 9am 1 st Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Domenico Mangiardi Henry, Strasnislav & Franciszka Susik Patrick McCarthy Giusseppina Pasquale & Fernando Figliuzzi	Rev. Fidelis Umukoro, O.P.

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



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION at ST. BENEDICT PARISH

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament scheduled on June 2nd has been moved to **THURSDAY, JUNE 1st**. Sign-up sheets are available in the Narthex.



OUR LADY OF GOOD SUCCESS

Please join Father Upendran on **May 31st from 7pm – 8pm** in the Parish Hall, as he talks about the approved little-known apparition of Our Lady of Good Success. Our Lady appeared in 1610 to a conceptionist nun and spoke to her about our present time. Everyone is invited!



**WEDDING
BANNS**


PUBLICATION 3: MAY 28, 2023

(Last Publication)


**VANEL NGANSOO &
AUDREY ELSA KEMZANG ZEDOND**
are scheduled to celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage on
Saturday, July 15, 2023, at 11am
at St. Benedict Parish, Milton

**JEAN DUCLAIR TAGU SIGNE &
LILIANE CHIMG DJOUGO**
are scheduled to celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage on
Saturday, August 19, 2023, at 1:30pm
at St. Benedict Parish, Milton


ST.VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION

 On the weekend of May 27/28, 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.


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!

YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT - JUNE 3RD - ACTON/HALTON HILLS

 Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) of our diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, June 3rd at St. Joseph, Patron of Canada (64 Church Street East, Acton, Ontario). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH

 Marriage Tip 130 - "United We Stand" is the title of a 1970's song by the Brotherhood of Man. The song may be old, but the lyrics contain words that every married couple would do well to look at and memorize. The song is really a reminder that couples should always support each other, have each other's backs and stand by each other in times of trial. We often forget to keep this context at the heart of our marriages and can antagonize each other instead of support; move apart rather than together. So, remember the words from the song and repeat them to each other often: "For united we stand, divided we fall, And if our backs should ever be against the wall, We'll be together, together, you and I." From: Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

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>.

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.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION THROUGH VLCFF

 The Diocese of Hamilton is proud to partner with Dayton University's Virtual Learning Community for Adult Faith Formation (VLCFF) to offer certificate programs for ministry and enrichment for adult faith formation. We are currently taking enrollment for the Youth Ministry Certification Program and the Catechist Formation Program for the Diocese of Hamilton, which begins in September 2023. Three and five week e-seminars are also available at a discounted rate for all adults in the Diocese looking to further their learning. For more information about our programs, and how to register, visit us at www.hamiltondioceselearns.com.

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.

CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

Do your children attend public or private school or do you home-school? If you are wondering how to support their ongoing formation in religious education, the Diocese of Hamilton offers Catechetical Correspondence Programs for every age and stage from Kindergarten through to High School including programs specially designed to assist children preparing for the Sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation. Click here for more information or contact Sybil at 905-528-7988 x2339 or email: catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com



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