A Catholic-Christian Community of Faith in the Diocese of Hamilton since 2012

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 prebaptismal 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 Holv Rosarv 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

<u>Guardian Angels Elementary</u> Mrs. Rosanna LoPresti, Principal	905-876-2386
<u>Lumen Christi Elementary</u> Mr. Joe Jurus, Principal	905-636-9692
<u>Our Lady of Fatima Elementary</u> Mrs. Viviana Varano, Principal	905-864-0720
Saint Benedict Elementary Mr. Josey Guerin, Principal	289-851-9353
<u>Saint Scholastica Elementary</u> Mrs. Erin Sweeney-Hurd, Principal	905-864-0344
<u>Jean Vanier Secondary</u> Mr. Gino Montanari, Principal	905-636-8799

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, May 5	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School	Our Parish Community	
Acts 5:28-32, 40-41	9:00 a.m.		
Revelations 5:11-14	11:00 a.m.		
John 21:1-19			
Monday, May 6	No Mass		Rev. Ed Henhoeffer
St. Francois De Laval			
2 Timothy 4:1-5			
John 10:11-16			
Tuesday, May 7	No Mass		Rev. Msgr. Pierre-
Acts 7:51 – 8:1			Philippe Jean-Pierre
John 6:30-35			
Wednesday, May 8	No Mass		Our Parish Community
Catherine of St. Augustine			
Acts 8:1-8			
John 6:35-40			
Thursday, May 9	No Mass		Rev. Joseph Michel
Acts 8:26-40			
John 6:44-51			
Friday, May 10	No Mass		Rev. Francis Salasiar,
Acts 9:1-20			C.S.C.
John 6:52-59			
Saturday, May 11	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School	Intentions of Rosina Gos	Rev. Roshan Loy
Acts 9:31-42	5:00 p.m.		D'Souza,
John 6:53, 60-69	_	Jose Francisco Coutinho	C.S.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

If your family member is in the hospital, please contact the parish office. For confidential reasons the hospital will not release names of those who are Catholic. Fr. Jim also offers the Sacrament of the Sick. If we do not know of your relative being in the hospital we cannot attend to their spiritual needs. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

<u>PILGRIMAGE TO QUEBEC</u> 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.



RECIPE BOOK

The CWL is planning to have a **recipe book** printed. Members of the community are requested to send in their mouth-watering

recipes along with their name, nationality and maybe a picture of the dish to <u>cwlmilton@gmail.com</u>. Recipes could be starters, main entrees or even soups and desserts. Once compiled and printed, we would like to have these books made available to our parishioners during Christmas for a nominal price.

UPCOMING CWL EVENTS

May 5th - Milton Good Neighbors Community Day – The CWL along with the Milton Community is volunteering in this event. More details to follow.

May 7th – Talk on Beauty and Skin Care – The ladies of CWL have organized a speaker from Shopper's Drug Mart who will be giving beauty and skin care tips. This will be from 7:30 p.m. – 8:15 p.m. at Our Lady of Fatima School in the staff room.

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 <u>cwlmilton@gmail.com</u> or call, 905-462-2093.

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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 kcurley@primus.ca or 905-875-1270.

SOLVING OUR RELATIONSHIP DISORDERS...

This is the title of LOJ FEAST MILTON's teaching series starting on its April 06 Feast. The key to having healthy relationships is to realize that we need to work on our relationship with ourselves first before working on our relationship with other people, our families included. Join us then in our lively and Spirit-filled prayer gathering on the following dates and start having healthier relationships:

MAY 11...TALK # 3.....DISORDERED PURITY

The Feast, a place of miracles and of love where disciples are made, is held at the Holy Rosary School gym, 141 Martin St. Milton. <u>It is open to all!</u> No tickets necessary, only your open heart and open spirit. <u>We have separate</u> 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*.

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 www.haltonalive.ca/membership or 905-632-3232

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

WALK FOR LIFE

Will you walk with Halton Alive? With each step, we commemorate the 100,000 unborn lives lost to abortion every year in Canada and reaffirm our commitment to supporting women in unplanned pregnancies.

A pro-life fundraiser the whole family can enjoy!

BBQ lunch, t-shirt and kids' games included.

Date: Sat., June 1, 2019

Time: 9:30am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$20 /ticket, **12 + under are free** (includes registration, walk and BBQ).

Location: Burlington Christian Fellowship (2054 Mountainside Dr. Burlington)

Join a team or create your own! Get started today www.haltonalive.ca/w41

Help us raise funds to support pro-life education in Halton!

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

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 (416) 559-9327 at or email: marvinduarte1@gmail.com for more info.

YOUTH RALLY

Any youth planning to attend the Diocese of Hamilton Youth Rally at Bingeman Convention Center on Saturday, May 25 (grades 7-12) are invited to Holy Rosary Parish Hall (139 Martin St., Milton) on Wednesday, May 1st at 7 pm for a Pre-Rally Fun Night. They will be finalizing the registration, providing information and doing activities.

May Mary the Mother of Christ, ask her Son's blessings for you.



