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

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, November 27 First Sunday of Advent Isaiah 2.1-5 Romans 13.11-14 Matthew 24.37-44	Masses 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12 noon	Our Parish Community Peter Cull Romeo Bautista	
Monday, November 28 Isaiah 4.2-6 Matthew 8.5-11, 13++	Mass 7:00 p.m.	Joseph Deoni	Rev. Sam Restivo, C.R.
Tuesday, November 29 Isaiah 11.1-10 Luke 10.21-24	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Dan Zivkovic & Rob Moore	Rev. Brendan McGrath
Wednesday, November 30 St. Andrew Romans 10.9-18 Matthew 4.18-22	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Thanksgiving	Fraternity of the Poor of Jesus Christ (p.j.c.)
Thursday, December 1 Isaiah 26.1-6 Matthew 7.21, 24-27	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions Robert Rivet	Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger, V.G., E.V.
Friday, December 2 Isaiah 29.17-24 Matthew 9.27-31	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions of Lolee Reboredo	Rev. Romelito Guillen
Saturday, December 3 St. Francis Xavier Isaiah 30.19-21, 13-26 Matthew 9.35-10.1, 5a, 6-8++	Masses 9:00 5:00 p.m.	Leon Reboredo Archie Abaquita Intentions of Alfredo Rodriguez Raiza Molero	Rev. Grayson Hope

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL



On **November 26/27**, 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 the 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

Once again, our Society of Saint Vincent de Paul invites you to help families who are struggling at Christmas by taking an Angel from our baskets in the church main lobby which will be available for return until the weekend before Christmas (**Dec17/18**). Instead of purchasing gifts, we will be giving our families store gift cards so they can safely purchase gifts themselves. Your help is needed more than ever before. Our families depend on your generosity and will be grateful for anything you can give to help them celebrate Christmas this year. You can also donate online and receive a tax receipt at www.ssvphaltonpc.org/Donate. Please make sure to select St. Benedict Milton. If you have any questions you can contact us by email: ssvp.stbenedictsconference@gmail.com or call us at 905-875-7995

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

PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER:



FIRST COMMUNION

OR visit the Parish website to access the link (Deadline April 17th, 2023)



CONFIRMATION

OR visit the Parish website to access the link (Deadline January 9th, 2023)



The Catholic Community of St. Benedict Parish welcomes the following children who were baptized in **November**. 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. **Baillee Baker, Brady Baker, Owen John Baker, Luca Domenic Cimetta, Gabriella Marie Garisto, Luka Ivan Mezgec, Willa May Moss, Oliver Matthew Nicho, Tessa Corrine Ogbiti, Kayla Frances Pitz, Serena Ella Shamoon, Liam Frederick Virtudazo-Burford, Wesley Roy Walker, Tatum Jordyn Estabillo Williams, Chloe Yang & Kinsley Maeve Yeung.**

ST. BENEDICT PARISH
CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE

ADVENT RECONCILIATION

Wednesday, December 14th
7pm to 9pm

CHRISTMAS EVE

Saturday, December 24th
4pm | 6pm | 10pm | 12mn
8pm en Français

**SOLEMNITY OF THE BIRTH OF
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST**

Sunday, December 25th
9am | 1030am | 12pm

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

Friday, December 30th
9am

**SOLEMNITY OF MARY ,
THE MOTHER OF GOD**

Saturday, December 31st
5pm

Sunday, January 1st

9am | 1030am | 12pm

**SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY
OF THE LORD**

Saturday, January 7th
5pm

Sunday, January 8th

9am | 1030am | 12pm

*There will be **NO CONFESSIONS** on December 24th
Regular Saturday confessions will resume on
December 31st.*

*There are **NO AFTERNOON or EVENING
MASSES** celebrated on Christmas Day anywhere
in the Diocese of Hamilton*



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DAILY MASS - CHANGE OF SCHEDULE

Starting Monday, December 5th, our 7pm Monday mass will be suspended until further notice. Beginning Saturday, December 3rd, 1st Saturday mass will be celebrated at 9am and **every 1st Saturday of the month thereafter.**



2023 SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES

The 2023 Sunday Offering Envelopes will be available for pick-up starting December 3, 2021.



CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP

Moms, do you want to better prepare your spirit this Advent? Join Catholic Moms Group to explore the aspects that can block our spiritual growth and how to clear the path for a brighter Advent spirit.

This is a great opportunity to go deeper in your faith life and connect with other incredible Catholic moms. Crafts and snacks will be provided! Where: Saint Benedict Parish, Subiaco room; December 14th from 8-9pm. For any questions, contact Nelcy Lopez at stbenedictsh@catholicmomsgroup.com. Check out www.CatholicMomsGroup.com to learn more about this amazing ministry.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
ST. BENEDICT PARISH COUNCIL

The Knights of Columbus council meeting is on **November 29th at 7pm** in the Parish Hall. All members are invited to attend.



YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT - DECEMBER 3RD

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). Saturday, December 3rd at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk Street, Guelph). 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 124 - The culture often pushes us to pursue work, activities and socializing, without keeping us grounded in the fact that there are only 24 hours in a day. When we look at our lives through the lens of both a daily and weekly schedule, we can begin to see where our priorities are focussed. Do you spend both quality and quantity time with the one you love? Do you ensure that as a couple you engage in meaningful moments through texts, calls, face to face discussions and sharing meals, social time and other activities with your spouse? Many people feel lonely in their marriages, but loving someone means we spend enough time together to ward off loneliness and in so doing, bond and deepen our love. From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

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