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- 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
Mr. Christopher Hawken, 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
Ms. Katharine Stevenson, Principal

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, November 3 Wisdom 11:22 – 12:2 2 Thessalonians 1:11 – 2:2 Luke 19:1-10	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Our Parish Community	
Monday, November 4 St. Charles Borromeo Romans 11:29-36 Luke 14:12-14	No Mass		Rev. Zygmunt Baranowski
Tuesday, November 5 Romans 12:5-16 Luke 14:15-24	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel – 8:55 a.m.	Deceased Members of the Legion of Mary	Rev. Robert Bulbrook
Wednesday, November 6 Romans 13:8-10 Luke 14:25-33	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel – 8:55 a.m.	Aloma Ferns	Deceased Priests of the Diocese of Hamilton
Thursday, November 7 Romans 14:7-12 Luke 15:1-10	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel – 8:55 a.m. Mass – Seasons 760 Bronte Street South 10:30 a.m.	Frank Duff Deceased Members of Kononczuk Family	Rev. Timothy Higgins
Friday, November 8 Romans 15:14-21 Luke 16:1-8	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel – 8:55 a.m.	Michael Sutton	Rev. David Perrin
Saturday, November 9 The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 John 2:13-22	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 5:00 p.m.	Alex Nwoko & James Akuagwu Eduardo Jose Pineda Paz	Rev. Brendan McGrath

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 OCTOBER 20

Sunday Collection	\$ 2527
Building Fund	\$ 3207
Diocesan Collection	\$ 655
Loose Collection	\$ 30
Total	\$ 6419

ST. BENEDICT PARISH BUILDING FUNDRAISER

G.O.A. Milton Chapter is hosting its 2nd annual Christmas Dine & Dance fundraiser for the St. Benedict Parish building fund. Thanks to all parishioners who made last year's event a great success. We look forward to your continued support to help build this beautiful house of God.

Date: December 1st, 2019

Location: Payal Banquet Hall,
3410 Semenyk Ct, Mississauga

Time: Open 10:30 am

Live Bands: Memory Lane, Goa Amigos & DJ Kaya

Tickets: \$40/adult and \$22/child (Ages 4-12)
Under 4 years – FREE (no seating)

For Tickets Contact: Fatima D'Mello 416-846-0807

Pat Grisoni 905-462-2021, Conrad Rozario 647-527-6723
or Andrea D'Souza: 647-588-0209



BLESSING FOR EXPECTANT PARENTS

If you are having a child in the near future, you are welcome to join Fr. Jim after the masses November 2nd & 3rd to take part in a blessing for expectant parents.

ALL SOULS DAY MASS

Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton, will celebrate the annual **All Souls Day Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery on Sunday, November 3, at 2:00pm.** For more information, please call (905) 522-7727, or visit www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca. All are welcome!



YOGA EVENT

The Catholic Women's League of St. Benedict's Parish is hosting a Yoga event – **Yoga with Ioulia** - and invites parishioners both men and women aged 16 years and older for an evening of fun on **Wednesday November 6th from 7:00 to 8:30pm at Lumen Christi Elementary School, Savoline Blvd, Milton.**

Cost per person: \$10/-. Please bring your own yoga mats and refillable water bottles.

For more information and registration, please email at cwlmilton@gmail.com and check the flyer on the bulletin board.

Please feel free to bring your family and friends for a fun evening.



RECIPE BOOK VENTURE

The Catholic Women's League of St. Benedict's Parish is planning to have a recipe book printed. Our 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. 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.

SENSORY FRIENDLY MASS

Beginning on November 10 at 3 pm, Mary Mother of God in Oakville will offer a monthly Mass for Catholics (young and old) with sensory sensitivities including Autism, Down Syndrome, Sensory Processing Disorder, ADHD and other sensory differences. You can expect lower lighting, softer music, shorter and more literal homilies, low gluten hosts and the freedom to move around if necessary. Most important, you'll receive the Eucharist while surrounded by fellow worshipers with a warm, welcoming attitude. Feel free to bring whatever supports you may need, including fidgets, weighted blankets, noise cancelling headphones, sunglasses or comfort toys. All Masses are on the second Sunday of the month at 3:00 pm. Dates for the sensory friendly Masses are: Nov, 10, Dec. 15, Jan. 12, Feb. 9, March (cancelled for March Break), April 12, May 10, June 14. for more info, contact Debbie Frey at youth.mmogp@bellnet.ca.

ARE YOU STRESSED OUT? JOIN US AT THE LOJ FEAST MILTON!

STRESS... This is our greatest epidemic today. So many of us are stressed, we're burning out! In fact, the World Health Organization has included BURN-OUT in its 11th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD-11) as an occupational phenomenon. But what complicates the situation is that STRESS has become a sign of SUCCESS! If you want to look successful, look stressed. We can see the mess that this dreaded epidemic brings to our society, breaking up families, stealing us of our future and joy and robbing us of our loved ones by sickness or early death. Thank God, He has a perfect solution. We invite you to join us at the LOJ Feast Milton on the following dates as we begin an exciting new teaching series: BURN...FINDING OUR INNER FIRE. Let us unpack God's perfect antidote to STRESS together:

NOV 02 - Talk #1 - Burn-In, We Are God's Forever

NOV 16 - Talk #2 - Burn-Out, Stop Struggling

DEC 07 - Talk #3 - Burn-Up, God is in Our Ordinary

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. It is open to all! No tickets necessary, only your open heart and open spirit. We have separate activities for young adults, youth and children so bring them along! **WORSHIP STARTS AT 2:10 PM.**

For more info, please call Bing/Angie Buhain at 905-462-5072, Rey/Elvie Reyes at 647-407-3294 or Eric/Tess Garcia at 647-205-9160. You can also visit our website, lojcanada.com or FB/feast.milton. **SEE YOU AT THE FEAST MILTON!!!**

CHALLENGE GIRLS - BAKE SALE

Challenge Girls would like to invite you to our bake sale on the weekend



of November 16th & 17th after every mass at the Holy Rosary Parish hall. This is a fundraiser to support our Challenge youth leaders going on a Pilgrimage to Rome in March 2020. Please help support our girls by donating baked goods. For donations, please contact Carolina Rey at 416-949-4507. Thank You for your support!

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.

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