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(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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every First Friday of the Month 9:30 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

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 Father Mark Morley, 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 John Ha, 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 Narthex or from the website.

PARISH SCHOOLS

<u>Guardian Angels Elementary</u> Nick Laratta, Principal	905-876-2386
<u>Lumen Christi Elementary</u> Daniela Attardo, Principal	905-636-9692
<u>Our Lady of Fatima Elementary</u> Kelly Stephens, 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

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, October 1 Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus Ezekiel 18.25-28 Philippians 2.1-11 Matthew 21.28-32	Masses 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12 noon	Thanksgiving Alain Canazares Our Parish Community	
Monday, October 2 The Holy Guardian Angels Exodus 23.20-23a Matthew 18.1-5, 10	NO MASS	No mass	Rev. Toby Collins, C.R.
Tuesday, October 3 Zechariah 8.20-23 Luke 9.51-56	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Lucia & Apifonio Cabibi	Rev. Joseph de Viveiros, C.R.
Wednesday, October 4 St. Francis of Assisi Nehemiah 2.1-8 Luke 9.57-62	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Oliver Turley	Felician Franciscan Sisters (C.S.S.F.)
Thursday, October 5 St. Faustina Kowalska Nehemiah 8.1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12 Luke 10.1-12	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Sheila Edwards	Rev. Robert Love
Friday, October 6 Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher St. Bruno Baruch 1.15-22 Luke 10.13-16	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Thanksgiving	Rev. Marian Gil, O.M.I.
Saturday, October 7 Our Lady of The Rosary Baruch 4.5-12, 27-29 Luke 10.17-24	Mass 9:00 a.m. (First Saturday of the Month) 5:00 p.m. (LIVESTREAMED)	Louise Miskew Intentions of Everilda Ratnakumar Intentions of Edward Pears Paulo Tanaka	Rev. Zygmunt Baranowski



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The Catholic Women's League will welcome our Diocesan president Joyce Cotter and treasurer Mary Clark at our next meeting on

Wednesday, October 18th at 7pm. The presentation is a National Unity Outreach project to address concerns from the various councils across Canada. All women of the parish are welcome to attend.

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The Catholic Women's League of St. Benedict Parish, 300 Yates Drive, Milton, L9T 2W3 will be hosting a Vendor's Craft Sale on Saturday, December 2nd. For those that would like to reserve a table to sell crafts, tables will be available at a cost of \$40 each. We will have a limited number of tables and will reserve them on a first come first served basis. The deadline for registration and reserving a table is Friday, November 17th. To submit your fee please e-transfer to ghada.rassam@gmail.com. For further information please email us at cwlmilton@gmail.com.



ST. BENEDICT MUSIC MINISTRY

Attention aspiring singers! The 9 am and 10:30 am choirs are looking for male and female adult singers as well as children over the age of 10. Please see the music leader at your mass. Or email Karen at kviloriarniguel@hamiltondiocese.com with your interest. Practice dates and times will vary based on the mass time.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
ST. BENEDICT COUNCIL

St. Benedict KOC are pleased to organize a dinner and dance social night on November 17th at Country Heritage Park, Milton, with Live Band, DJ and Buffet Food. Our parish has grown exponentially in the last few years. This event will be an opportunity for fellow parishioners to meet others, enjoy good food and win great raffle prizes! Tickets are \$35 each. Proceeds from the event will be donated to St. Benedict Building Fund. For more information or to purchase tickets, please contact us koc16746@gmail.com or visit us on www.stbenedictknights.ca, or call Ajay Lazarus on 647-818-1275.



BAPTISM

The Catholic Community of St. Benedict Parish welcomes the following children who were baptized in *SEPTEMBER*. 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.

- Sofia Francesca Battiston, Brayden Robert Coomber, Alexander Francisco Costa, Felix Xavier Costa, Luca Marco Di Domenico, Theo David Joe Freitas, Aidan James Goncalves Konstantakos, Zelia Amaya Lara, Brielle Rosslyn Lemierzewicz, Eliana Sabine Lemierzewicz, Kai Angel Oran, Noah Miles Pineda, Kalen James Quinlan, Isaac Mateo Remedios, Madison Mae Salvador, Olivia Jo Vi, Preston Marius Walker*



BECOMING CATHOLIC- RCIA

If someone you know would like to become Catholic, the St. Benedict Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is starting this October. We are currently enrolling new participants. Please complete the RCIA intake form online on the parish website, and someone will be in touch with you with next steps.



CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP

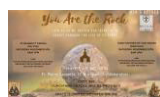
Hello, moms! Do you want to pray but would like to learn new ways to do it? Come and learn different ways of praying during our October meeting! Connect with our Lord and have fun with other moms. **Wednesday, October 11, 2023**, Saint Benedict Parish, Hall, 8 to 9 pm. Join the Catholic Moms Group! All moms are welcome. For more information about this wonderful ministry, please, visit the website <https://www.catholicmomsgroup.com/> For questions, and details about our meetings contact Nelcy Lopez at stbenedictsh@catholicmomsgroup.com

MARIAN - IGNATIAN PILGRIMAGE TO PORTUGAL, SPAIN, AND LOURDES

Led by Fr. Kevin Upendran of St. Eugene and St. John the Baptist Parishes, Hamilton. Please contact Liz Dachuk - Connaissance Travel and Tours 416-291-2676 Ext 239 / Toll free 877-701-7729 Ext 239
Email: lizdachuk@connaissancetravel.com.



MEN's and WOMEN's RETREATS



There are two retreats coming up at our Parish – one for women and one for men. Those events are organized by Fr. Pierre Caouette LC and a team of collaborators. The women will reflect on Martha & Mary, and the “one thing needed”. The men will explore the life of St Peter and his identity in Christ. The women’s retreat will be on **Saturday, October 28th and the men’s retreat on Saturday, November 4th**. See the Parish website for more information. Space is limited.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION at ST. BENEDICT PARISH

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is on **October 6th from 930am to 9pm**. Sign-up sheets are available in the Narthex.

THAT MAN IS YOU



Do you want to become a man after God’s own heart? St. Benedict Catholic Men’s Group is organizing a full season of TMIY (That Man Is You). The free program will unfold in 26 enriching sessions held on **Saturdays - 7:30 a.m. to 9 a.m.** Each session includes fellowship and coffee, video and small group discussions. There will be 13 sessions up to the season of Christmas, followed by a break. Another 13 sessions will follow from January to April, leading to Easter. Come and experience a gathering that helps men fulfill their holy calling in an atmosphere of fellowship and community. For registration and details visit the parish website.



YOUNG ADULTS NIGHTS

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-7:30pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday October 7th at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk Street, Guelph), and on Saturday, November 4th at Saint Pius X Church (9 Waverly Street, Brantford). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com



DID YOU KNOW...

Children in our parishes benefit from the Catechetical Correspondence Program each year for ongoing religious education and preparation for the Sacraments. We are in desperate need of more volunteers to support the demand of enrollment for the 2023-2024 pastoral year. If you are willing to accompany these children in their learning journey, please reach out to the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis at catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com for training and more information. To learn more about the Catechetical Correspondence Program, please visit: <https://bit.ly/DOHCCC>



LIFE CHAIN : Sunday, October 1, 2023 2:30pm to 3:30pm

LIFE CHAIN Life Chain is a public, prayerful, peaceful witness against legalized abortion. Join thousands of pro-lifers across Canada and take a visual stand to end abortion. **BURLINGTON:** Fairview St. & Maple Ave.; **OAKVILLE:** Trafalgar Rd. & Dundas St., **MILTON :** Main St.& Ontario St.



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