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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 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](http://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](http://www.hamiltonvocations.com)

### PARISH SCHOOLS

Guardian Angels Elementary 905-876-2386  
Mrs. Rosanna LoPresti, 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  
Mr. Gino Montanari, Principal

**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
<b>Sunday, October 14</b> Wisdom 7:7-11 Hebrews 4:12-13 Mark 10:17-30	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Our Parish Community	
<b>Monday, October 15</b> <b>St. Teresa of Jesus</b> Galatians 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1 Luke 11:29-32	No Mass		Rev. James Link, C.R.
<b>Tuesday, October 16</b> <b>St. Marguerite D'Youville</b> Galatians 5:1-6 Luke 11:37-41	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 8:55 a.m.	Marybelle Undseth	Rev. Heitor Antunes
<b>Wednesday, October 17</b> <b>St. Ignatius of Antioch</b> Galatians 5:18-25 Luke 11:42-46	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 8:55 a.m.	Thanksgiving	Permanent Deacons
<b>Thursday, October 18</b> <b>St. Luke</b> 2 Timothy 4:9-17 Luke 10:1-9	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 8:55 a.m. Mass – Birkdale Retirement 611 Farmstead Drive 10:30 a.m.	Josefina Clarito  Liborio Dinolfo	Rev. Jiri Macenauer
<b>Friday, October 19</b> Ephesians 1:11-14 Luke 12:1-7	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel - 8:55 a.m.	Joan Reardon	Rev. Aurimas Paulius Rudinskas, O.P.
<b>Saturday, October 20</b> <b>St. Hedwig</b> Ephesians 1:15-23 Luke 12:8-12	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 5:00 p.m.	Margaret Green  Deceased members of Rak Family & Nalepa Family	Rev. Wallace Metcalf

**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 7**

Sunday Collection	\$ 3172
Loose Collection	773
Needs of the Cdn. Church	60
Building Fund	<u>160</u>
Total	\$ 4165

**WELCOME TO THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S  
LEAGUE**

The Catholic Women's League of St. Benedict Parish invite all women from the age group of 18 years and above to join them in their monthly meeting which is on the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm at Our Lady of Fatima School staff room. Membership fees are \$35.00. For more information, contact: Lily Gall at [cwlmilton@gmail.com](mailto:cwlmilton@gmail.com)  
**Next Meeting: Tuesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>**



**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. *Hudson Directo, Luka Durham, Maya Elliott, Jacob Labelle, Matthew Labelle, Arianna Lockington, James Lockington, William Lockington, Saoirse Mercado, Zhuri Nahimana, Berlin Rosa and Ciaran Shaw.*

**CATECHISM PROGRAM**

Programs are available for children from Kindergarten through to High School who are not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic Schools is also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact Monica in the Catechesis Office at 905-528-7988, ext. 2238 or check out our website at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) and click on the Catechesis Office for more information, printable registration forms or to register online.

### BECOMING CATHOLIC!

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! Those adults 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. We began our program October 3<sup>rd</sup> but there is still time to join.

For more information on this program please contact the parish office.

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### LIGHT OF JESUS FEAST MILTON

Our world today is increasingly getting smaller and smaller. We can easily connect with our relatives and friends around the world. Even classmates from decades back can be easily traced in FB. We learn news around the globe in seconds after they happened. LOJ's Bo Sanchez calls this digital phenomenon a "Digital Tsunami". No, we cannot stop it nor can we go back to the "good ole days" when there was no internet. But while we cannot stop the waves generated by this digital tsunami, we can ride it so we won't get swallowed.

How? Join us at the LOJ Feast Milton at 2:00PM at the Holy Rosary School gym on the following dates and together, let us explore the ways we can be blessed and bless others using this modern digital technology that God has given us:

Oct20.....Talk #2 #Envy; Rephrase Your Praise

Nov03.....Talk #3 #GodPost, Choose One Voice

Nov17.....Talk #4 #Story of Creation

The Feast, a place of miracles and love, is a lively catholic prayer meeting 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 2:00PM.**

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

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### THE LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary at St Benedicts & Holy Rosary parishes is pleased to announce that they will bring the Pilgrim Virgin statue to the homes of families who would like to welcome Mary into their homes as a way of increasing family prayer & bring blessings to families. The Legionaries will accompany the statue to the home & will pick up the statue in a week at an appointed date & time. These visits normally take place in the evenings. To arrange a home visitation please contact Cherry Muller (647-470-0385) or Gerry Mok (905-691-1105).

### 8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HCCEF EVENING WITH BISHOP CROSBY

In Halton, 10.5% of children are living in low-income households - that would be an estimated 3600 HCDSB students. Poverty affects a child's ability to be healthy and to succeed in school.

Be part of the solution – support the 8<sup>th</sup> Annual HCCEF Evening with Bishop Crosby on **Wed. Nov. 7<sup>th</sup>**. Tickets and sponsorships available. Register online at [www.hccef.org](http://www.hccef.org). Halton Catholic Children's Education Foundation (HCCEF) – [www.hccef.org](http://www.hccef.org) Contact Marc Clare, Executive Director; [clarema@hccef.org](mailto:clarema@hccef.org), 905-632-6314 x248

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**ALL YOUTH, TEENS & YOUNG ADULTS IN GRADE 7 & UP** are invited to an evening of Praise and Worship, Guest speakers, testimonies of faith, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and refreshments designed and

planned just for YOU!

Where: **Holy Rosary Church**

When: **Friday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

Time: **7:30 - 10:00 pm**

For more info, contact Deacon Bob & Betty Grynol

Email:

[deaconsden@gmail.com](mailto:deaconsden@gmail.com)

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### ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS

**Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.**

On Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. at **Holy Rosary Church** we will celebrate a Mass for the sick. During this Mass we will celebrate the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick for any parishioner who is suffering due to a serious illness or advanced age.

If you are planning to receive this Sacrament, please write your full name on the sign-up sheet in the foyer of the Church or call the Parish Office at 905-878-6535 no later than Tuesday, October 16<sup>th</sup>.

We invite all parishioners to join us for this Mass, to pray for the sick, and to support our brothers and sisters who are suffering at this time. Light refreshments will be served in the Parish Hall after the Mass.

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**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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