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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)
Father Patrick Ohl, Associate Pastor
(pohl@hamiltondiocese.com)
Rev. Mr. Leonard Gallant, Deacon
Rev. Mr. Joseph Murphy, Deacon
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	

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, September 25 Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sts. Cosmas & Damian Amos 6.1a, 4-7 1 Timothy 6.11-16 Luke 16.19-31	Masses 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12 noon	Our Parish Community Intentions of Ron Undseth Joe Castelino	
Monday, September 26 Sts. Jean de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues Revelation 7.9-17 Luke 9.23-26	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Souls in Purgatory	Rev. Andrew Quarshie
Tuesday, September 27 St. Vincent De Paul Job 3.1-3, 11-17, 20-23 Luke 9.51-56	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Mohammed & Agata Kassim	Rev. Drago Gacnik, S.D.B.
Wednesday, September 28 St. Lawrence Ruiz & Companions St. Wenceslaus Job 9.1-12, 14-16 Luke 9.57-62	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions of Leyon family	Sisters Adorers of the Precious Blood (R.P.B.)
Thursday, September 29 Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels Revelation 12.7-12a John 1.47-51	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions of Fabian Louis	Rev. Andrew Lopatniuk
Friday, September 30 St. Jerome Job 38.12-21; 40.3-5 Luke 10.13-16	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Truth and Reconciliation	Rev. James Link, C.R.
Saturday, October 1 St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus Job 42.1-3, 5-6, 12-13, 15-17++ Luke 10.17-24	Mass 5:00 p.m.	Theresa Braganza Gracito Gracias Maria Muller	Rev. Piotr Jurzyk

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

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

<https://youtu.be/DmmYXogloTE>




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.

Emilia Daisy Battiston, Jack Andrew Battiston, Evelyn Grace Dinis-Costa, Sara Victoria Garden, Aiden John Hughes, Aaliyah Cristina Khadan-Sawh, Avery Xavier Khadan-Sawh, Kyle Logan Khadan-Sawh, Helena Marion Mok Koprowski, Henry Christof Lennartz, Lorenzo Mejia Mayorga, Juliette Rose Menecola, Declan Rodney David Morley, William Banaria Ogara, Marco Pacheco, Hazel Poole, Noah Caleb Robinson, Tiana Vasquez

VOLUNTEERS: BAPTISM MINISTRY

The Baptism ministry of St. Benedict parish is looking for new volunteers to help with the baptism preparation meeting and ceremony. If you are interested, please email the parish, stbenedictmilton@hamiltondiocese.com. Meeting will be held on September 29th at 7pm in the Nursia Room.

SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

 This weekend (**September 24/25**), 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

FAREWELL and THANK YOU FR. PATRICK

Join us for coffee in the parish hall as we say our Best Wishes to Fr. Patrick on Sunday, September 25th following every mass.

From the Pastor's Desk

BLESSINGS TO FR. PATRICK

Fr. Patrick has had a whirlwind 'tour of duty' here at St. Benedict's parish. In ten short months, he has risen, with profound response-ability, to the many demands of shepherding this very large parish, with care, love, dedication and wisdom! I personally can't thank him enough for all his hard work and for welcoming me into the fold!

His experience has galvanized him to move (and at times push) forward and become, as a young priest, an able-bodied pastor! Sacred Heart parish in Rockwood, and the Newman Centre at the University of Guelph, are receiving a dedicated, well-organized pastor. We pray for you, Fr. Patrick, and thank God for you and your gift of Christ's priesthood that you have shared with us.

"Father in Heaven, you have looked after St. Benedict parish with your son Fr. Patrick. He has witnessed your Fatherhood and the Shepherding of your Son, Jesus. We dedicate him now, to carry forth your care to the faithful people of Rockwood and the University of Guelph. Bless him with all he needs and hopes for!" Amen.

Farewell Fr. Patrick!

*Fr. Lawrence Parent
Pastor-St. Benedict Parish*



HAMILTON DIOCESE MARIAN DAYS 2022

Join brothers and sisters from around the Diocese in honouring Our Blessed Lady for the last Marian Day of the year with Bishop Crosby on October 1, 2022 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. Join us for confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by the Holy Mass with Bishop Crosby at 10:00 am, the Solemn Crowning of Our Lady with Rosary at 11:00 a.m., and The Queen's Tea at 12:00 p.m., honouring the crowning of the image of our Lady. Cost for lunch is \$20.00 payable at the door. Call the Basilica to reserve your spot: (519) 824-3951.



THE BRIDGE OF ROSES MOVIE **OCTOBER 20 AT 7PM** **(St. Benedict Parish Hall)**

The film features Blessed Frédéric Janssoone played by Bishop Scott McCaig, CC and Fr. Luc Desilets played by Fr. Ben St. Croix, CC. The faithful witness of these two priests would bring about the birth of the now famous Canadian National Marian Shrine at Cap de la Madeleine, Quebec. The film gives witness to the efficacy of the Confraternity of the Most Holy Rosary to unite; to give hope; and to restore a sense of community. The Bridge of Roses is produced by the Marian Devotional Movement.



MARRIAGE SUPPORT

Your marriage does not have to feel like it is more trouble than joy, that is feels stagnant or disconnected and/or that it is causing you constant stress. The solution is Retrouvaille - a program for married couples facing difficult challenges in their relationship. Retrouvaille has one purpose: to help couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. This is a practical program, where sharing is not required except between the couple themselves, designed to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. The next Retrouvaille weekend is Oct. 21-23. For more information call 905-664-5212 or email teamrecine@gmail.com.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Yoga and Mental Wellness Oct 5 – Nov 2

Saint Benedict Parish, Hall , Cost: \$100 per person. Bring your own Yoga mat. To register for the classes, please contact: Lily Gall at 647-893-0101 or email: cwlmilton@gmail.com.



THE FOURTH INDIGENOUS LEGACY GATHERING

is scheduled to be held at Nathan Phillips Square in Toronto, on September 29-30, 2022. Sacred Fire, Indigenous music and dance, drumming and storytelling, workshops, artists and performers, Indigenous food vendors and artisans, will make the experience compelling. The program is sponsored by *Toronto Council Fire*. A multi-faith group which has been supporting the construction of the *Spirit Garden* will have a tent in which faith representatives including Catholic priests, will be available. The construction of the *Spirit Garden* has begun and should be completed by the Fall of 2024!

WOMEN'S DAY RETREAT 2022

Nov 05, 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

This women's retreat is the fruit of a partnership between St. Benedict Parish and Regnum Christi. Fr. Pierre Caouette from Regnum Christi and Fr. Larry Parent our Pastor at St. Benedict's will be leading it along with other collaborators. All women are invited to attend, especially those who may not have experienced a day retreat in a long time or ever in their adult life. The retreat will begin with Mass at 9:30 am. There will also be talks, time for personal prayer, adoration, and group sharing. Lunch & refreshments will be served. Registration is required. The registration fee will cover the expenses and serve as stipends for the preachers.

www.regnumchristiantario.org/event-details/womens-day-retreat

Any requests for bulletin notices require pastor approval and must be submitted to the parish office NO LATER THAN MONDAY MORNING OF THE WEEK

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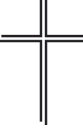


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