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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

PARISH STAFF

Father James S. Petrie, Pastor
Reverend Mr. Joseph DiGrado, Deacon
Mrs. Janis Asdrubolini, Parish Secretary

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
Wojciech Kuzma, 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
Mrs. Rosanna LoPresti, Principal

Lumen Christi Elementary 905-636-9692
Mr. Patrick Mayne, Principal

Our Lady of Fatima Elementary 905-864-0720
Mr. Kevin Brady, Principal

Saint Benedict Elementary 289-851-9353
Mrs. Victoria Hogan, Principal

Jean Vanier Secondary 905-636-8799
Mr. Gino Montanari, Principal

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, September 27 Needs of the Church in Canada Numbers 11:25-29 James 5:1-6 March 9:38-43, 45, 47-48	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Our Parish Community	
Monday, September 28 St. Wenceslaus Zechariah 8:1-8 Luke 9:46-50	No Mass		Rev. Mike Myroniuk
Tuesday, September 29 St. Michael, St. Gabriel & St. Raphael Revelation 12:7-12 John 1:47-51	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel 9:00 a.m.	Antonio Moniz	Rev. William O'Brien
Wednesday, September 30 St. Jerome Nehemiah 2:1-8 Luke 9:57-62	Mass- St. Benedict School 9:30 a.m.	Richard Ward	Pallottine Fathers
Thursday, October 1 St. Therese of the Child Jesus Nehemiah 8:1-4, 5-6, 7-12 Luke 10:1-12	Mass- Jean Vanier High School Chapel 9:00 a.m. Mass – Seasons Retirement 760 Bronte St. S. – 10:30 a.m.	Vera Marshman Intentions of all Priests	Rev. Charles Fedy, C.R.
Friday, October 2 The Holy Guardian Angels Exodus 23:20-23 Matthew 18:1-5, 10	Mass- Guardian Angels School 9:00 a.m.	Agnes Petrie	Rev. Gary Palagnio, C.R.
Saturday, October 3 Baruch 4:5-12, 27-29 Luke 10:17-24	Mass – Our Lady of Fatima School 5:00 p.m.	Mary Angelie, Dioscoro & Gloria Labuga and Leandro Seno	Rev. Clair Girodat, C.R.

Rectory Office Hours
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
9:30 am – 12:00 and 1:00 – 4:30 pm
Friday 9:30 – 12:30 pm



Welcome to the Catholic Women's League

The Catholic Women's League of St. Benedict's Parish invites 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 7:30 pm at Our Lady of Fatima School Library. Membership fees will be \$35.00 annually. For more information, please contact: Lily Gall - 647-955-2399

CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

Programs available for children from Kindergarten through to High School not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic Schools 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 and click on the Catechesis Office for more information, printable registration forms or to register online.

SUPPORT REPORT	
Sunday Collection (117) Envelopes	\$1586
Loose Collection	\$ 621
Building Fund	<u>\$ 799</u>
Total	\$3006
Pre-Authorized Debit for Sept	\$3490
Building Fund Pre-Authorized	<u>\$ 685</u>
	\$4175

Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada: An Act of Solidarity!

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) is mandated by the Holy See and the Bishops of Canada to assist dioceses and their Bishops in a number of areas of pastoral life: faith formation, doctrine, ecumenical dialogues, international relations, interreligious conversations, liturgy, relations with Indigenous Peoples, social justice, and building a culture of life and family.

In his letter to the parishes across the country in which he explains the Collection, CCCB President Archbishop Paul-André Durocher of Gatineau points out that this year Collection is being held while a number of families from Canada are participating to the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia, in response to an invitation from Pope Francis. In addition, the General Synod of Bishops on the family will soon begin. "This twofold coincidence reminds us of the importance of families as part of the Church's mission and as part of the work of the national conference and the regional assemblies. The Church's commitment to families is one more reason why all the faithful in our country will want to ensure the collection's success through their generosity and solidarity," the CCCB President writes.

LOOK UP AND SEE GOD.....LOJ FEAST!

God says in Matthew 18:20, "Where two or three are gathered in my name, there shall I be in their midst". This powerful series is about looking beyond the routine, beyond the mundane, beyond the problems. Yes, to look up beyond the ceiling, beyond the sky, beyond the clouds, beyond the moons, planets, and stars, to see God Himself.

After this series, you'll learn how to find God everywhere, because everything in your life is a window where you can see God; Nature, People, Yourself and Events just to name a few.

Schedule: Gift of the Present Moment.....Oct 03

PUSH...Seeing God in our Future...Oct 17

The Feast, a catholic prayer meeting of the Light of Jesus Community, is back at its regular home, the gymnasium of the Holy Rosary School, 141 Martin St. Milton. We invite you to join us. No tickets necessary; just come with an open heart and open spirit with your whole family! We have separate activities for youth and children.

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

CONQUEST BOYS CLUB

Conquest is a faith-based, sports-packed program and runs through the academic school year with meetings and fun events held every Friday nights at St Peter Elementary School. We are now accepting registrations for the 2015-2016 school year. Now in its 9th year, Conquest offers 3

programs: Father & Son (ages 5 up to Grade 2), Junior Program (Grade 3 - 6) and Club Program (Grade 7 – age 16). Registration details can be found on our website www.conquestmilton.com or contact Paul Medeiros for more detailed information at conquestinmilton@gmail.com or call 416-910-7339.

Discernment Gatherings

If you feel called by God to explore the call to the priesthood or religious life, please join our Discernment Gatherings on 1st and 2nd Saturdays of the month in Waterloo and in Hamilton. We start this October. For more detailed information or to contact Fr. Kuzma, the Vocation Director, please visit: www.HamiltonVocations.com



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. Isaiah Adams, Maya Avila, Kolton Chan, Estelle Cordeiro-Barbara, Kian Grey, Munenyasha Muradya, Brooklyn Stocco, Jackson Stocco and Avery White.

Time for Two: Growing in Love

Do you ever wish you had more time as a couple? Are you surprised at how fast the days and months fly by? Do you wish you could take some time as a couple? **Then this is the weekend for you!**

- ★ *Rediscover the spark that was there on your wedding day!*
- ★ *Rediscover the best friend you have had since you were married!*
- ★ *Give yourselves a private weekend away and discover each other anew.*

This may well be the most valuable two days you will spend together as a couple – enrich your love and knowledge of each other!!

The Marriage Encounter/Enrichment weekend will be held on **Oct. 17/18** at the **St. Ignatius Retreat Centre in Deemerton, Ontario**. Contact the Family Ministry Office: 905-528-7988 ext. 2249 or familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com. Information and on line registration can be found on our website at www.hamiltondiocese.com.



There will be a Lectors meeting September 29th at 7:00 pm and a Eucharist Ministry meeting September 29th at 8:00 pm. Both will be held in the library at Our Lady of Fatima School.

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