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Saint Benedict Roman Catholic Church

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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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Fridays 9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
(First Friday – 9:30am to 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
Father Jonathan Reitzel, Associate Pastor
Rev. Mr. Leonard Gallant, Permanent Deacon
Rev. Mr. Joseph Murphy, Permanent Deacon
Mrs. Karen Vitoria-Miguel, Pastoral Minister/Music Director
Mrs. Alma Paje, Office Administrator
Mrs. Rosario Pinto, Bookkeeper
Mrs. Lenie D'Souza, Office Assistant

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. Josephine Bakhita Elementary</u> Vince Chininea, Principal	289-878-0918
<u>St. Scholastica Elementary</u> Ann-Marie Melchionna, Principal	905-864-0344
<u>St. Veronica Elementary</u> Angelina Barden- Principal	289-878-0916
<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

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

READINGS	LITURGY	INTENTION	PLEASE PRAY FOR
Sunday, June 1st The Ascension of the Lord Acts 1.1-11 Ephesians 1.17-23 or Hebrews 9.24-28; 10.19-23 Luke 24.46-53 <i>"Jesus withdrew from them and was carried up into heaven"</i>	Masses 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	+Rodney Fernandes +Eduardo Galura Our Parish Community	
Monday, June 2nd St. Marcellinus and St. Peter Acts 19.1-8 John 16.29-33	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Sp. Int. of Rachael D'Mello	Rev. Sunil D'Souza, O.C.D.
Tuesday, June 3rd St. Charles Lwanga and Companions Acts 20.17-27 John 17.1-11a	Mass 9:00 a.m.	+Artemio Moralita Sr.	Rev. Christopher Tracey
Wednesday, June 4th Acts 20.28-38 John 17.11b-19	Mass 9:00 a.m.	+Maria Arinda Caetano	Barnabite Fathers, C.R.S.P.
Thursday, June 5th St. Boniface Acts 22.30; 23.6-11 John 17.20-26	Mass 9:00 a.m.	+Joao Pacheco Rocha	Rev. Edward Henhoeffler
Friday, June 6th St. Norbert Acts 24.27; 25.13b-21++ John 21.15-19	Mass 9:00 a.m. <i>Eucharistic Adoration</i> 9:30am to 9pm	+Mrs. K Presentation	Catholic Youth
Saturday, June 7th Acts 28.16-20, 30-31 John 21.20-25	Mass 9:00 a.m. <i>1st Saturday Mass</i> 5:00 p.m. <i>(Livestreamed)</i>	+Kiryakos & Julia Mamo +Paul & +Henrietta Fernandes Thanksgiving +Desmond Mary & +Philomena Maloney +Roy Fernandes +Mario Billiones Deceased members of the De Belen & Mendoza Families	Rev. Roque Concepcion
For more information: please visit: Jubilee 2025			



Our parish bulletin is also available online. For more information, updates and events, please visit our parish website: www.stbenedictparish.ca



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Solemnity of St. John the Baptist	Tuesday, June 24 th	Mass at 9am and 7pm
Solemnity of The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	Friday, June 27 th	Mass at 9am and 7pm



ST. BENEDICT PARISH FEAST SUNDAY **JULY 6TH, 2025**

We're excited to announce that our Parish will be celebrating the Annual Parish Feast on **Sunday, July 6th, 2025!** This year's event promises to be a grand community celebration, featuring craft vendors, food trucks, and a variety of fun activities for all ages. For more information, please visit : <https://stbenedictparish.ca/event/annual-parish-feast-celebration/>



CONGRATULATIONS DEACON LEONARD!! **(June 2nd)**

Happy 7th anniversary of your ordination as a permanent deacon! Your faith and service are a true blessing. May God continue to guide and strengthen you.

WORLD COMMUNICATION DAY

Today, Catholics are invited to reflect upon the media of social communication (films, radio, television, newspapers, audiovisuals) and how these influence our lives. The media can promote values that lead to a more fully human society. The Church's ministry is twofold. The media can be used to help promote the Gospel. At the same time, as receivers of the materials presented by the media, the faithful have a duty to support and promote worthwhile presentations on media and reject those which promote values contrary to spiritual growth.

CHALICE CANADA at St. Benedict Parish June 21/22

Chalice: Bringing the Poor to Christ and Christ to the Poor



CWL –PRAYER FOR PALLIATIVE CARE

June 6th -First Friday Eucharistic Adoration
930am to 9pm

Join us in Praying for Palliative care. Commit to one hour between 930am to 9pm as a Prayer Angel. Contact Farah at 647-704-0025 to sign-up.



BAPTISM

The Catholic community of St. Benedict Parish welcomes the following children who were baptized in the month of May. 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.

Gianina Marie Catalli, Ethan Tao Cheng,

Giannis Roberto King Christie, Cairo James Cortes-Espiritu, Alessia Trinh Dawson, Oluwafifehan Dipo-Adebule, Oluwafikunmi Dipo-Adebule, Anastasia Cecilia Pacheco Freire, Ryland Austin Johnson, Brooklyn Kaia Kim, Owen Kyle Kim, Ian Kwon, Yuna Lee, Magnus Ma, Imuseilerioluwa Alexandria Quadri, Oluwakiibati Ariana Quadri, Armani Martinez Singh, Ava Rose Tallyn, Arlena Wu, Jancy Wu, Jacob Yong, Lio Robert Zavarella, Myla Chantal Zavarella, Nahla Cassandra Zavarella



FOOD FOR LIFE

Food for Life helps our neighbours in need to access fresh food. They currently assist over 400 households here in Milton on a weekly basis. To help serve families on the south side of Milton, they are looking to partner with us, St. Benedict Parish, as a distribution site for them. If interested in learning more about this ministry and how you might be able to help, please speak with Fr. Jonathan or contact the parish office stating your interest.



LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary at St. Benedict & Holy Rosary Parishes is pleased to announce that they will bring the Pilgrim Virgin Statue or the Divine Mercy Image to the homes of the families as a way of increasing family prayer and bringing blessings to families. The Legionaries will accompany the statue or image to the home and will pick it up at an appointed date. To arrange a home visitation, please contact, Paula Melo at miltonlegionofmary@gmail.com. The Legion of Mary meets at St. Benedict Parish on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. Junior Praesidium meets on Saturdays at 11:45am. All interested are welcome to join.



CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP

Sacred Heart of Jesus

Sunday, June 22 2pm to 3pm Parish Hall

Calling all children! Come with your kids 12 and under for an hour of joyful learning about the devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. There will be crafts, catechisms and music! This event is organized by the Catholic Moms Group, Saint Benedict. For a free registration email stbenedictsh@catholicmomsgroup.com. All kids are welcome!



BECOME A VOLUNTEER at ST. BENEDICT PARISH!

We are truly blessed to have such a caring and devoted community, and we are inviting you to become a volunteer at our parish. Our parish thrives on the dedication and generosity of volunteers like you. Your time, talents, and compassion can make a significant difference in our parish and the wider community. Whether you have a few hours to spare each week or are looking for a one-time commitment, there are numerous ways you can contribute. Volunteering is a wonderful way to deepen your connection with our faith community, develop new skills, and experience the joy of giving. Every act of service, no matter how small, has a profound impact. For more information, please visit our website: Parish Ministries – Saint Benedict Parish & Parish Organizations – Saint Benedict Parish



YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT IN JUNE

Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and 30s) of our diocese to attend an evening of prayer, fellowship and praise music in support of your vocations. The Young Adults Night includes a Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), social with food (7:30pm-8:00pm), praise night with vocations testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on **Saturday, June 7th** at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (934 Highway #8, Stoney Creek, Ontario). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>. 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 need volunteers to support the program! 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. To learn more about the Catechetical Correspondence Program, please visit: <https://bit.ly/DOHCCC>



CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

St. Benedict Parish Nursia Room
2nd & 4th Fridays of the Month at 630pm.

Join us for a powerful time of worship, reflection on the Word, and a healing service. All are welcome!



ST. JOSEPH'S FUN FEST DAY

Saturday, June 7th 2541 Old Bronte Rd. Oakville
For more information, please contact Tony Silveira at (905) 510-3793 or Sandy Silveira at 905-510-3913

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