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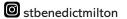
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(Rule of Saint Benedict #53)

#### 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

### **EUCHARISTIC 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 Please see Father Larry for more Adults (RCIA). 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 Viloria-Miguel, Pastoral Assistant Mrs. Janis Asdrubolini. Office Administrator Mrs. Alma Paje, Office Receptionist

## **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**

Guardian Angels Elementary Nick Laratta, Principal	905-876-2386
Lumen Christi Elementary Daniela Attardo, Principal	905-636-9692
Our Lady of Fatima Elementary Kelly Stephens, Principal	905-864-0720
St. Benedict Elementary Mark Witter, Principal	289-851-9353
St. Scholastica Elementary Erin Sweeney-Hurd, Principal	905-864-0344
St. Francis Xavier Secondary School Adriano Perusin, Principal	905-636-8799
St. Kateri Tekakwitha Secondary School	289-878-2038

## **BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Kevin Wong, Principal

Any requests for bulletin announcements require pastor approval and must be submitted to the parish office no later than Monday morning of the week.

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for	
Sunday, May 5	Masses			
Sixth Sunday of Easter	9:00 a.m.	Our Parish Community		
Acts 10.25-26, 354-35, 44-48				
1 John 4.7-10	10:30 a.m.	Intentions of Benjamin	Pope's Pastoral Works	
John 15.9-17		Glaessel		
	12:00 p.m.	+Maria Sultana		
Monday, May 6			Ct François de Laval	
St. François de Laval	NO MACC		St. François de Laval	
2 Timothy 4.1-5	NO MASS		Patron of the Bishops of Canada	
John 10.11-16			OI Callada	
Tuesday, May 7				
Acts 16.22-34	Mass		Very Rev. David	
John 16.5-11	9:00 a.m.	+Elisabetta Ionadi	Wynen	
Wednesday, May 8				
Blessed Catherine of	<b>NA</b>		Sisters of Charity of	
St. Augustine	<b>Mass</b> 9:00 a.m.	Cilhart Buar Blanca Caranas	St. Vincent de Paul	
Acts 17.15-22-18.1	9:00 a.m.	+Gilbert Ryan Blanco Campos	of Zagreb (S.O.C.)	
John 16.12-15				
Thursday, May 9	Mass			
Acts 18.1-8	9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Peter Glaessel	Intentions of Peter Glaessel	
John 16.16-20			Rev. Mark Morley	
	Birkdale	Sp. Intention of Wendy &		
		Henry Ignor		
Friday, May 10	Mass			
St. John of Avila	9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Hannah	Very Rev. Adrian Lee	
Acts 18.9-18	<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b>	Vayman	very nev. Admin Lee	
John 16.20-23a	930am to 10:30am			
Saturday, May 11		+Jim Cronolly		
Acts 18.23-28	Mass	+Eleonora Leszczewski &		
John 16.23b-28	5:00 p.m.	+Jose Cabral	Rev. Fadi Rizk	
	(LIVESTREAMED)	+Martinho Viegas	TICVII GGI TIIZK	
		+Angelo Alcaraz &		
		+Maria Zapata		



## **BAPTISM**

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

Rosa Curciarello, Adrian Dien, George Philip Foot, Abigail Maria Gomes, Izabelle Rose Jeresano, Gianna Marie Joanes, Rayne Alexandra Kaoukdji, Luana Oliveira Medeiros, Emily Mok, Sheldon Mok, Addyson Everleigh Nazareth, Kaiya Aiko Heaven Newton, Julian Ordonez, Jordan Kolade Owolabi, Justin Oluwadamilare Owolabi, Giuliano Joseph Patton, Abigail Violet Pease, Ella Rose Purificacion, Messiah Marish Senthuran, Kobe Theodore Sison, Aspyn Idalia Manson Wood



## Congratulations!

To all the students receiving the Sacrament of First Communion this month of May. We pray that the Lord guide them and may His Blessings be upon them always!

St. Scholastica – May 7<sup>th</sup>
St. Benedict – May 8<sup>th</sup>
Guardian Angels – May 9<sup>th</sup>
Our Lady of Fatima – May 14<sup>th</sup>
Lumen Christi – May 16<sup>th</sup>



## **CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK**

Catholic Education Week 2024 begins on **Sunday, May 5, 2024**. The Catholic schools

in our parish will engage in a series of events to celebrate the ongoing gift of publicly funded Catholic education. You are invited to learn about the various celebrations that are happening in your children's school, and are welcome to attend, if possible. This year's Catholic Education Week theme is, "We are called to love", and is grounded in our Holy Scriptures: "If we love one another, God lives in us." (1 John 4:12). With joyful anticipation of the Jubilee Year of 2025, we are inspired by Pope Francis announcing the theme of "Pilgrims of Hope." With open hearts of love, we can continue to "fan the flame of hope" for a bright future.



## NATIONAL FAMILY AND LIFE WEEK 13 TO 19 MAY 2024

"National Family and Life Week (NFLW) this year will take place from **13 May to 19 May** 

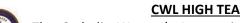
2024. The theme for this year is "Love hopes all things," which is taken from Saint Paul's hymn on love in 1 Corinthians 13.7: "[Love] bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things." This description of love is also at the heart of Pope Francis's reflection on the dynamics of spousal and family love in the Post-Synodal Apostolic Exhortation Amoris Laetitia, chapter 4. Through this theme, families are encouraged to cultivate, deepen, and renew Christian hope by drawing on scriptural reflection, family prayer, and the Sacraments." For more information about National Family Life week, please visit: <a href="https://stbenedictparish.ca/diocese-of-hamilton-announcements/">https://stbenedictparish.ca/diocese-of-hamilton-announcements/</a>



#### MAY SALSA DINNER AND DANCE SOCIAL

St. Benedict Knights are pleased to organize a dinner and dance social night on **Friday May** 

**31st** at Country Heritage Park, Milton, with Live Band, DJ and Buffet Food. Tickets are \$45 each. Proceeds from the event will be donated to St. Benedict Building Fund and other charitable programs of the Knights. Please visit stbenedictknights.ca or contact Adolfo 416-788-6673 or Pervin 647-388-8174 or <a href="mailto:koc16746@gmail.com">koc16746@gmail.com</a> to book your tickets in advance or for more information.



The Catholic Women's League is hosting their Annual High Tea on June 1st from 2pm to 4pm in the Church hall. All are welcome! Tickets will be on sale after all masses this weekend and next!

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The CWL Ladies have a Rose Sale for Mother's Day on the Weekend of May 11/12 both Saturday and Sunday. Please note however that there will also be treats for sale only after all masses on May 12th along with the Rose Sale. Your support is greatly appreciated.

## **CCO MISSIONARIES VISITING ST. BENEDICT PARISH**

Jeff and Jackie Lavery, missionaries with Catholic Christian Outreach (CCO), will be speaking after every mass the weekend of **May 11<sup>th</sup>/May 12<sup>th</sup>**. CCO is a movement dedicated to evangelization and building missionary disciples, primarily on university campuses, and also in parishes all over the world. Jeff and Jackie will be sharing about the CCO's ministry, and how you can support their mission.



## CONQUEST MILTON FATHER & SON WEEKEND

conquest Milton will be hosting our annual exciting Father and Son weekend camp Friday, May 24th to Sunday May 26th 2023 at Camp Brebeuf in Rockwood. This event is open to all boys ages 5 to 17 and is a great opportunity for Fathers and Sons to spend some time together, enjoying the outdoors, and at the same time, deepen their love for Christ and their Catholic Faith. Please check the club website <a href="https://www.conquestmilton.com">www.conquestmilton.com</a> for event details or contact Marvin Duarte at (416) 559-9327 or email: <a href="marvinduarte1@gmail.com">marvinduarte1@gmail.com</a> for more information.



## CHALLENGE GIRLS MILTON CAMP BREBEUF WEEKEND

challenge Girls, Milton will be hosting an exciting weekend camp from Friday, May 31st to Sunday June 2nd, 2024 at Camp Brebeuf in Rockwood. Girls aged 6 – 17 years are invited to join in this unique experience to grow in your Catholic faith, develop virtues, make friends and have FUN! Moms are welcome to participate as well. Please check the club website www.challengemilton.ca for event details or contact Nazneen Duarte at 647-456-4195 or email: <a href="mailton@gmail.com">challengeinmilton@gmail.com</a> for more info.



## RESTORED BY LOVE: A RETREAT ON INNER HEALING

All are invited to attend a 3-day retreat on inner healing being held from Friday, **May** 

10 at 6 pm to Sunday, May 12th. Fr. Adam Zettel, LC will lead this retreat with a team of collaborators. The retreat theme is based on the teaching of Dr. Bob Schuchts, author of "Be Healed". Registration in advance is required as space is limited. Register online at <a href="https://www.regnumchristiontario.org/">https://www.regnumchristiontario.org/</a> or contact Tima Borges at <a href="mailto:events@regnumchristiontario.org">events@regnumchristiontario.org</a>

## JUNIOR PRAESIDIUM OF THE LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is inviting the young people from ages 8 to 17 of our parish to join the Legion's Junior Praesidium. The purpose of the Junior Praesidium is to train and spiritualize young members with a focus on Mary as the Mediatrix of all graces. Juniors will be expected to do one hour's work every week, ranging from helping at home to helping in our Church. We will meet every Saturday at 11am here at our parish. Our first meeting will take place on June 1st in the Nursia Room.



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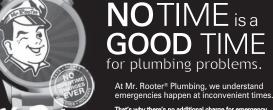
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