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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](http://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](mailto:lparent@hamiltondiocese.com))  
Father Jonathan Rietzel, Associate Pastor  
Rev. Mr. Leonard Gallant, Deacon  
Rev. Mr. Joseph Murphy, Deacon  
Mrs. Karen Viloría-Miguel, Pastoral Minister  
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 905-876-2386  
Nick Laratta, Principal

Lumen Christi Elementary 905-636-9692  
Daniela Attardo, Principal

Our Lady of Fatima Elementary 905-864-0720  
Kelly Stephens, Principal

St. Benedict Elementary 289-851-9353  
Mark Witter, Principal

St. Scholastica Elementary 905-864-0344  
Erin Sweeney-Hurd, Principal

St. Francis Xavier Secondary School 905-636-8799  
Adriano Perusin, Principal

St. Kateri Tekakwitha Secondary School 289-878-2038  
Kevin Wong, Principal

### BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

## EIGHTEENTH & NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
<b>Sunday, August 4</b> <b>Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Exodus 16.2-4, 12-15, 31a++ Ephesians 4.17, 20-24 John 6.24-35	Masses 9:00 a.m.  10:30 a.m.  12 noon	+Rodney Fernandes  Our Parish Community  Special Intentions for Alina Pigon	
<b>Monday, August 5</b> <b>Blessed Frédéric Janssoone</b> <b>Dedication of St. Mary Major</b> Jeremiah 28.1-17 Matthew 14.13-21	NO MASS OFFICE CLOSED CIVIC HOLIDAY		Rev. Melvin Pinto, O.C.D.
<b>Tuesday, August 6</b> <b>The Transfiguration of the Lord</b> Daniel 7.9-10, 13-14 or 2 Peter 1.16-19 Mark 9.2-10	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Jimmy Silva & Family	Transfiguration of the Lord
<b>Wednesday, August 7</b> <b>St. Sixtus II and Companions</b> <b>St. Cajetan</b> Jeremiah 31.1-7 Matthew 15.21-28	Mass 9:00 a.m.	+Alexandra Fleury	School Sisters of Notre Dame (S.S.N.D.)
<b>Thursday, August 8</b> <b>St. Dominic</b> Jeremiah 31.31-34 Matthew 16.13-23	Mass 9:00 a.m.	+Maria Sultana	Rev. Sunil D'Souza, O.C.D.
<b>Friday, August 9</b> <b>St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross</b> Nahum 1.15c; 2.2; 3.1-3, 6-7 Matthew 16.24-28	Mass 9:00 a.m. <i>(Eucharistic Adoration 9:30am to 10:30am)</i>	+Mabel Pereira	St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross
<b>Saturday, August 10</b> <b>St. Lawrence</b> 2 Corinthians 9.6-10 John 12.24-26	Mass 5:00 p.m. <i>(LIVESTREAMED)</i>	+Savio Aranha +Wong Akam +Richard Pinto +Alex Pereira & +Sr. Faustina Thanksgiving	St. Lawrence

### POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION- AUGUST 2024

\*For political leaders\*

*"We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs."*

If your family is celebrating a special occasion or your family wishes to **bring the gifts at mass**, please see an usher and pre-arrange a date of your choice. Further instructions will be given once arrangements have been made.



### NEW USHERS NEEDED

St. Benedict Parish is looking for new Ushers for the **Saturday 5pm and Sunday 12 noon masses**. If you are interested to join and would like to share your time, please submit a **volunteer form** and contact the parish office.



**Our office is closed on Monday, August 5<sup>th</sup>, Civic Holiday.** We will re-open on Tuesday, August 6<sup>th</sup>.



The Catholic Community of St. Benedict Parish welcomes the following children who were baptized in **JULY**. 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.

*Hanna Rose Bekas, Zoe Rita Crasto, Alina Sage Exaltacion, Nolan Alistair Jimenez, Maria Elizabeth Lis, Isabel Mackenzie Marr, Kaia Makenna Marr, Kinza Oluwalonimi Luxury Odukoya, Marcelo Novo Peiges, Nathan Truong Peiges, Enzo Valentino Restrepo, Ella Michelle Samms -Raven, Kashiyan Essen Siva, Sophia Helena van Veen*

HAVE A  
*wonderful*  
DAY

## AUGUST 4 & 11, 2024

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
<b>Sunday, August 11</b> <b>Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 1 Kings 19.4-8 Ephesians 4.30-5.2 John 6.41-51	Masses 9:00 a.m.  10:30 a.m.  12 noon	+Leopoldo & Carmelita De Belen  +S. Shankar  Our Parish Community	
<b>Monday, August 12</b> <b>St. Jane Frances de Chantal</b> Ezekiel 1.2-5, 24-28c Matthew 17.22-27	NO MASS		Rev. Mussie Keflezghi, M.C.C.J.
<b>Tuesday, August 13</b> <b>St. Pontian</b> <b>St. Hippolytus</b> Ezekiel 2.8-3.4 Matthew 18.1-5, 10, 12-14	Mass 9:00 a.m.	+Jose Lima da Silva	Rev. Vivek Trindade
<b>Wednesday, August 14</b> <b>St. Maximilian Kolbe</b> Ezekiel 9.1-7 Matthew 18.15-20	Mass 9:00 a.m.	+Rita Mok	Legionaries of Christ (L.C.)
<b>Thursday, August 15</b> <b>The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b> Revelation 11.19a; 12.1-6a, 10ab 1 Corinthians 15.20-26 Luke 1.39-56	Mass 9:00 a.m.	+Maria Carmina Freitas	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
<b>Friday, August 16</b> <b>St. Stephen of Hungary</b> Ezekiel 16.1-15, 60, 63 or Ezekiel 16.59-63 Matthew 19.3-12	Mass 9:00 a.m. <i>(Eucharistic Adoration 9:30am to 10:30am)</i>	Thanksgiving	Rev. Christopher Tracey
<b>Saturday, August 17</b> Ezekiel 18.1-10, 13b, 30-32 Matthew 19.13-15	Mass 5:00 p.m. <i>(LIVESTREAMED)</i>	+Eduardo Galura +Villete Mendes +Anthony De Souza +M.P. & +Mariamma Alexander	Rev. Raphael Ma



### 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](mailto:catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com). To learn more about the Catechetical Correspondence Program, please visit: <https://bit.ly/DOHCCC>



### FRASSATI LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

The Office of Youth Ministry will be holding a Catholic leadership program for young people in grade ten (ages 15-16). This program will equip them and encourage them to draw closer to Christ and their respective communities. The goal of this program is that young people will join us for opportunities for formation as Catholic leaders and then go back to their respective communities to turn their learning into practice. Registration for this program closes October 25th and can be found at <https://tinyurl.com/frassati2024>



### FAITH AFTER GRADUATION

The Office of Youth Ministry has produced a resource for those graduating grade 12. Please visit our webpage to access the brochure and the suggested resources to help you stay connected to the faith and your parish after graduating from your Catholic High School. <https://tinyurl.com/dohymresources>



### LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary meets weekly every Tuesday at 7pm in the Nursia room. Junior Praesidium is every Saturday at 11am in the Nursia room.



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