

Religious Service Directory

Hope For Humanity

Almost 200 years ago, Napoleon and his troops were the scourge of Europe, conquering army after army and nation after nation. England was to be his next conquest. Desperate, the British monarchy sent their greatest military leader, Wellington, onto the continent of Europe to take on Napoleon on the battlefield of Waterloo. The date was June 18, 1815. Napoleon's French troops were fighting the British, Dutch and German Allied Forces under the command of General Wellington. England's future hung in the balance of the battle of Waterloo.

At that time, there was no T.V., radio, or wireless transmission to send messages concerning the results on the battlefield. Rather, there was a watchman on the tower of Winchester Cathedral that was to look out across the English Channel for a signal that would flash the news.

It seemed as if all England had gathered around the tower of Winchester Cathedral. Inside, people were praying. Finally, a signal was

flashed. W-E-L-L-I-N-T-O-N D-E-F-E-A-T-E-D... At that critical moment, a dense fog rolled in making it impossible to see whether there was any further message. News of defeat quickly spread throughout the city. All of England's hopes were dashed. Soon, French troops would be on their soil. Sadness and gloom filled the air. They had lost the war.

As quickly as it rolled in, however, the fog lifted and the message was repeated again. W-E-L-L-I-N-G-T-O-N D-E-F-E-A-T-E-D T-H-E E-N-E-M-Y. Oh, how the message changed with the addition of only two words. The good news spread like wildfire throughout the countryside! Sorrow was turned to joy! Defeat was turned to victory! England rejoiced and hope was restored. The feared invasion never resulted for the enemy was defeated!

Almost 2000 years ago, on the battlefield more severe than Waterloo,

a greater conqueror went forth to engage the powers of darkness. Jesus Christ Himself took on the forces of evil at Cavalry. The forces of hell unleashed their fury against Him. In that tremendous struggle, it appeared that Christ had been vanquished. His head fell upon His chest and Jesus Christ gave up his spirit. He ceased to breathe, a dark pall sank over all of the land.

As Jesus was laid in the tomb on the first Good Friday afternoon, hope had died even in the hearts of Jesus' most loyal friends. After the frightful crucifixion, the fog of disappointment and misunderstanding had crept in on the faithful followers of Jesus. However, they had read only part of God's Divine Message. C-H-R-I-S-T D-E-F-E-A-T-E-D... was all that they knew.

Three days later, the fog lifted even as the sun began to break over the eastern hills for out of that cold tomb, from out of the darkness of

death, from the very pit of hell there stepped forth one who would say, "I am the resurrection and the life. I am He who was dead and now lives and behold I am alive forevermore!" Easter Sunday removed the fog of disappointment and misunderstanding and the world was able to receive the complete message: C-H-R-I-S-T D-E-F-E-A-T-E-D T-H-E E-N-E-M-Y! Christ defeated death! Defeat was turned into victory!

Today you might be feeling like there is no hope, like the enemy has won in your life. The fog of despair, disappointment and confusion crowds your life. Today, won't you invite Jesus Christ to step into your circumstances and bring the power of the resurrection to you. Set aside your cares, turn from trouble and turn to Jesus! He cares for you!

Submitted by: Rev. Dan Rogge, Senior Pastor of New Life Church, Milton



MILTON SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Welcomes you to
Hugh Foster Hall, 43 Brown St. Milton
Sat. 9:30 a. m. - Sabbath School
Sat. 11:00 a.m. - Divine Service

Come and join us for worship
Call for mid-week prayer service info.
PASTOR C.O. Roulston
416-821-4610



Milton Baptist Church

900 Nipissing Rd.
(905) 875-1626

Good Friday, April 21, 2000

10:30 am Communion Service
Sermon: *It Is Finished!*

Easter Sunday, April 23, 2000

9:30 - Easter Breakfast - All are welcome
11:00 - Worship Service
Sermon: *Yes, He is Risen!*

Rev. Greg Macaulay - B.A., M.Div.

MILTON GOSPEL HALL

306 Ontario St. N. • 878-3873

10:00 a.m. - The Lord's Supper
11:45 a.m. - Sunday School
6:30 p.m. - Gospel Service

Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
Prayer and Bible Study

Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures; and was buried and rose again the third day.
1st Corinthians 15.3

Bethel Assembly of God

You are invited to Bethel Assembly of God

Friday Nights at 7:30
Meeting in the Quality Inn
161 Chisholm Drive in Milton
Starting April 28th

Rev. Raymond Skelton
875-4058

Email bethel_ca@Angelfire.com
"A caring concerned community church"

We welcome you to...
ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH

123 Main St. E, Milton

Easter Services

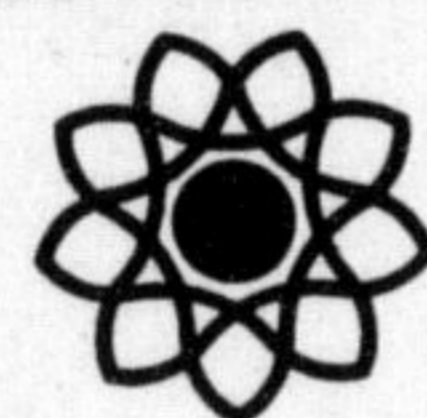
7:00 a.m. Sunrise Service at Clements Farm (call for info)
9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Easter Celebration & Communion

Rev. John Benham & Rev. John Ambrose

Judy Hunter, Director of Music

Church office: (905) 878-8895

www.globalserve.net/~stpaulsmilton



BAHA'I

EQUALITY

God hath created all humankind in His own image, and after His own likeness... and from the spiritual viewpoint there is no difference between them. Whosoever draweth nearer to God, that one is the most favoured, whether man or woman.

- from the Baha'i writings

LOCAL:878-0011
REGIONAL:1-800-433-3284
GLOBAL:www.bahai.org

Grace Anglican Church

317 Main St. E., Milton

the Church on the Hill

Tel. 878-2411 Fax 878-3005

www.welcome.to/Grace.Milton

Rev. Dr. Mark McDermott

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES:

10:00 a.m. - a service of readings & prayer;

with children's activity

5:00 p.m. - Said Evensong

EASTER DAY:

8:00 a.m. - Said Eucharist

9:15 a.m. - Informal Eucharist

11:00 a.m. - Sung Eucharist

DISCOVER / AMAZING FACTS BIBLE SCHOOL

FREE DISCOVER BIBLE GUIDES

FREE AMAZING FACTS BIBLE LESSONS

- Where is God when people are suffering and dying?
- When a person dies, what then?
- What is the secret to a happy life?
- Is there hope for a chaotic world?

Discover the amazing Bible answers to these and other key questions that affect your happiness.

Write Box 23012, 55 Ontario St.
Milton Ont, L9T 5B4

On the internet at <http://www.vop.com> and www.amazingfacts.org/bibleschool/schoolmain.asp

Milton Alliance Church

2850 DERRY RD.

(between the Fire Hall and Hospital)

Phone 878-5664 • Fax 878-6676

Pastor Greg McCombs

EASTER SERVICE - Sun. Apr. 23 - 11 a.m.
GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE - 11:00 A.M.

Tuesday at 7 p.m. JR. HIGH - (gr. 6-8)

Wednesday at 7 p.m. - PIONEER CLUBS (ages 4-12)

Thursday at 7 p.m. - SR. HIGH (gr. 9-OAC)

For more info on our ladies, mens, youth and children's ministries, please call the church office



The Salvation Army Church Milton

11:00 am - Morning Worship & Kids Church

100 Nipissing Road, Unit 3

Pastors:

Lieutenants Sheldon & Clare Feener

For more information about our services, and other programming please call 876-2420

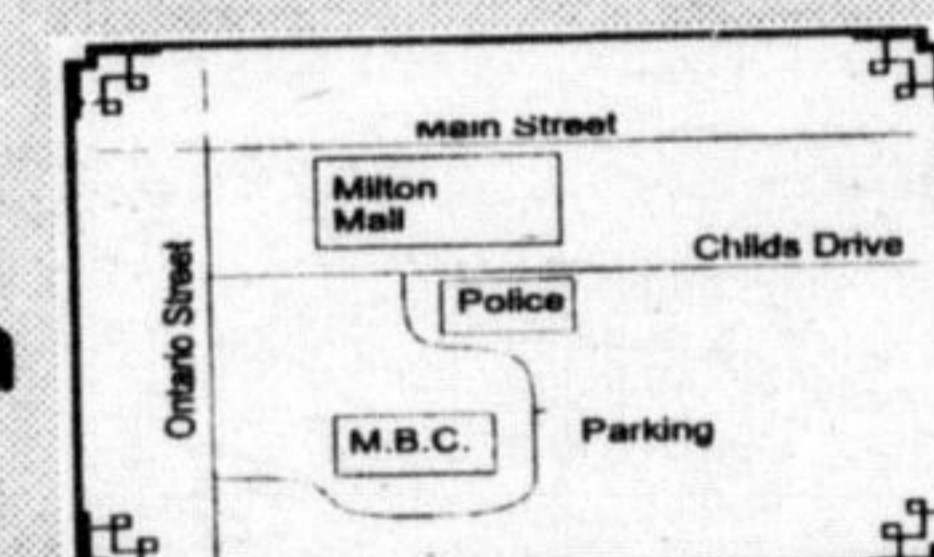
JOIN US FOR EASTER AT

Milton Bible Church

EASTER CELEBRATION

10:30 AM

Pastor: Rev. James A. DeMarsh
876-3586



NEW LIFE

6620 THIRD LINE, MILTON

"Only 1/2 km South of Derry Road"

Phone: (905) 878-3358

Church Affiliated with the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Good Friday Communion Service

10:00 a.m.

"MY SIN HAS BEEN NAILED TO THE CROSS OF MY SAVIOUR"

Easter Sunday Morning Service

9:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

"IF YOU COULD SEE ME NOW!"

EASTER CANTATA

"ALPHA & OMEGA"

...featuring indoor pyrotechnics, dramatic crucifixion, powerful resurrection & inspiring heaven scene. Don't miss this musical presentation!

Good Friday - 7:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday - 3 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.

CAPTIONING PROVIDED FOR DEAF/HARD OF HEARING

"ENLARGE YOUR CIRCLE OF LOVE"

HOLY ROSARY PARISH

<http://www.golden.net/~wts/hamilton/p-holyrosary-m.html>

878-6535 (T.T.Y. 878-9044)

HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

139 Martin Street

Holy Thursday - April 20

Mass of the Lord's Supper - 8:00 p.m.

Good Friday - April 21

Morning Prayer - 11:00 a.m.

Children's Passion Celebration - 3:00 p.m.

Prayer at the Cross - 7:30 p.m.

Holy Saturday - April 22

Morning Prayer and

blessing of Easter food - 11:00 a.m.

Easter Vigil - 8:00 p.m.

Easter Sunday - April 23

Eucharist

7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m. & 12:15 p.m.

ST PETER CHURCH

9th Line & Britannia

Mass at 9:00 am Sunday

Rev. Earl Talbot, P.P.



VICTORY BIBLE CHURCH

HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED WHAT JESUS CHRIST WAS THINKING WHEN HE DIED ON THE CROSS?

We always see man's view of the crucifixion in the Gospels, but join us this Easter Sunday to see what was going through the mind of Christ as He suffered for our sins on the cross.

10:00 A.M. - Morning Worship
Milton Leisure Centre
(Board Room)

(separate services for children 9 years and under)

Check out Pastor Charles Boyce on Cogeco 14 in his "Wisdom for the Week"

"Living A Victorious Life By The Word Of God"

Pastor Charles Boyce

(905) 875-2162

Email

cboyce@interhop.net

St. George's Anglican Church

Lowville on the Guelph Line, just north of Derry Road

Good Friday, April 21

4:30 p.m. "The Passion of our Lord according to St. Matthew" a solemn service of music & scripture

THE EASTER LITURGIES

Easter Saturday, April 22

7:00 p.m. The Easter Vigil

Easter Day, April 23

8:30 & 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion

10:30 a.m. Youth Service in the Auditorium, Holy Communion

Nursery and Sunday School provided

Rector: The Reverend Canon Charlie Master

Associate Priest: The Reverend Jerry Salloum

For more information call the church office 878-1363

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

170 Main Street E., Milton 878-6066

Ministers - The Rev. Rod Lewis

- The Rev. Colleen Smith

Director of Music Ministries - Chris Fischer

Friday, April 21

Good Friday Service 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, April 23

Easter Worship Celebration 10:30 a.m.

All ages worshipping together.

Wheelchair access at Mary Street entrance.