

Religious Service Directory

DECISION DETERMINES DESTINY

We all make decisions every day. Some decisions can be small and rather uneventful. Like what to order in a restaurant, or what to wear to the office. Perhaps where to take the children to play. But there are some choices which are much more significant. Like who will we marry, what career we will pursue, where we will live...and whether or not we will follow Jesus. Making decisions is not always easy but there are choices that have to be made and more often than not, the choice is in your hands.

I remember hearing the story of a wise old man who lived near the top of a high mountain. It was said of the old man that he could answer with accuracy any question that was presented to him. In fact, word of

his great wisdom had spread through the entire country side.

One day, two young troublemakers schemed together and devised a plan where with they might trick the old man and make him look foolish. As the young schemers made their way up the mountainside, they brought with them a tiny sparrow which was concealed in the one boys' cupped hands.

One of the plotters said to the other, "When we get to the top of the mountain, I will ask the wise old man what I have hidden in my cupped hands. If he says, 'A bird,' I will respond, 'That is right, but what kind of bird? If he says, 'A sparrow,' I will ask him, 'Is the sparrow alive or is it dead? If he responds, 'The sparrow is dead,' I will open my hand and release the bird alive. But if he

responds, 'The sparrow is alive,' I will squeeze my hands together and crush the life out of the sparrow".

A morbid thought, no doubt, but a sinister grin came across the faces of these two rabble-rousers as they neared their destination.

Finally, they arrived before the wise old guru and began to question.

"Oh, wise one," it was sarcastically stated, "What is it that I have hidden in my hands?"

The old man pondered but a moment and said, "You have a bird in your hand."

"Sir, what kind of bird?" the stunned teen asked.

The wise old man responded with certainty, "A sparrow".

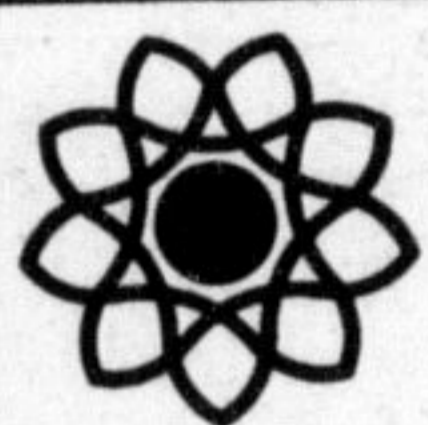
"And sir, please tell us, is the sparrow alive

or is it dead?"

The wise old man studied the faces of these two young delinquents for what appeared to be an eternity, and then slowly he replied, "Son, the decision as to whether the bird is alive or dead lies in your hands."

Today, even in our varied circumstances and situations, the decisions of life in our hands. Every day of the week, every month and year we are confronted with decisions that must be made. Whether those decisions are life giving or whether they will result in a dead end, that determination lies in our hands.

Decide today to include God in your life. Find an active local church near you to get involved with. Consult the directory below for service times and details.



BAHA'I

CANADA DAY -- July 01
 "The future of Canada is very great and the events connected with it infinitely glorious. It shall become the object of the glance of providence, and shall show forth the bounties of the All-Glorious."
 from Baha'i Scripture

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

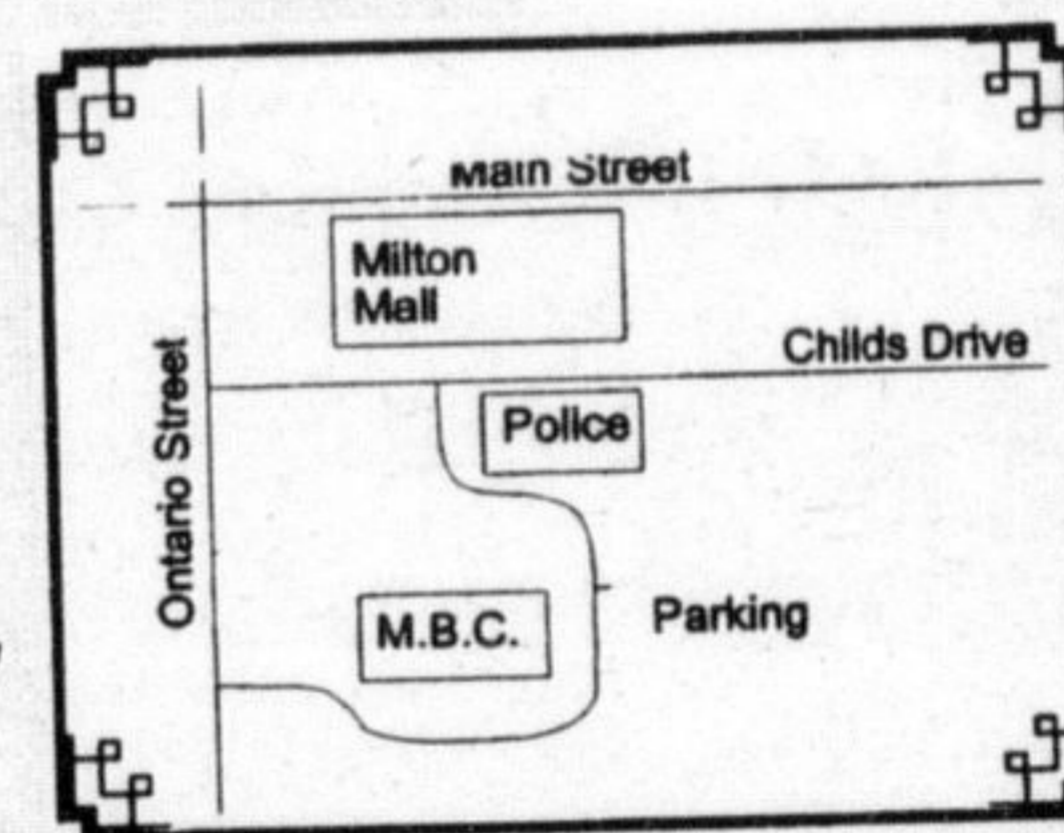
Milton Bible Church



Worships at the
Milton Senior's Activity Centre
 500 Childs Drive

10:30 am Worship Service
 with children's ministries running concurrently

Pastor: Rev. James A. DeMarsh
 876-3586



VICTORY BIBLE CHURCH

**Jesus Christ Is King!
 But, Is He King In Your Life?**

If we accepted Christ as our Lord and Saviour, then we should allow him to direct us in this life so He can get the greatest glory out of our lives.

Join us this Sunday to see how Jesus Christ can be King in your life.

10:00 A.M. - Sunday Morning Worship
Milton Leisure Centre
(Board Room)
 (separate services for children 9 years and under)

THURSDAY
Question & Answer Bible Study
 (Call for information)

"Living A Victorious Life By The Word Of God"
Pastor Charles Boyce
 (905) 875-2162
 Email cboyce@interhop.net



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

Summer Hours
10:00 am - Worship Service

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

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

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
SUNDAY SERVICES
 8:00 a.m. - Holy Communion
 10:00 a.m. - Sung Eucharist

Church School & Coffee Hour
 Wheelchair Access Through Parking Lot Doors

Thursday
 10:00 a.m. - Holy Communion

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

Mass at 5:30 p.m. Saturday
 9:00am., 10:30 a.m. & Noon Sunday

ST PETER CHURCH
 9th Line & Britannia
 Mass at 9:00 am Sunday

Rev. Earl Talbot, P.P.



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

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

Senior Pastor - **Rev. Dan Rogge**
 Children - **Mrs. Natalie Rogge**
 Worship - **Mrs. Esther Kessler**
 Youth - **Rev. Gord Clark**

9 am - Early Worship Service
 10:45 am - Second Worship Service
 100 Huntley Street's, Ray David Glen:

What Manner of Man Is This?

Dynamic Children's Programs & Nursery

6:30 p.m. - Outdoor Gospel Celebration
Inspiring music - Bonfire - Marshmallows

CAPTIONING PROVIDED FOR DEAF/HARD OF HEARING EVERY SUNDAY AT 10:45 AM

SUMMER MIDWEEK FAMILY NIGHT
 Every Wednesday at 7 p.m.
 Adults - The Gift of Forgiveness
 Children & Youth - Great Activities

"ENLARGE YOUR CIRCLE OF LOVE"

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

For when we were yet without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly
Romans 5.6

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH

123 Main St. E, Milton

Summer Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m. (until Labour Day) • Nursery Available
KIDS CAMP CHUCHAPALOOZA 9:30 a.m.
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - JULY 17-21

Rev. John Benham & Rev. John Ambrose
 Judy Hunter, Director of Music
 Church office: (905) 878-8895
www.stpaulsmilton.org

