

# Your Invitation To Worship



## Superbowl Sunday

Superbowl LXI, held on Sunday in Miami, pits the Indianapolis Colts against the Chicago Bears. Avid sports fans, young and old, will cheer on their favourite players as they battle one another for this coveted championship. With such focus on football this week, let's consider how some of its more technical terms could be applied in a church setting.

A **quarterback sneak** is when church members attempt to leave quietly during the altar invitation.

A **draw play** is what many children do with their bulletin throughout the Worship Service.

**Half-time** refers to the interval of time between the conclusion of Sunday School and the beginning of the Worship Service.

A **benchwarmer** is someone who does not contribute to the service in any way. Sadly, this individual does not sing, pray, work, or give and is quite content to simply sit and do

nothing.

Having a **backfield-in-motion** describes what happens when the younger children begin to make restroom or water fountain trips to the back of the sanctuary during the service.

**Staying in the pocket** is what can happen to someone's money if they fail to realize the importance of giving to support God's work.

The **two-minute warning** is the point at which members of the congregation realize that the sermon is almost over and begin to gather up their personal belongings.

An **instant replay** is used when the pastor loses his place in his notes and rereads a certain section.

**Sudden death** occurs when the preacher goes into overtime and is often evidenced in the attention span of congregation members.

A **trap** is particularly effective when the individual called on to pray for the special requests failed to

pay attention as they were listed.

An **end run** allows people to get out of church quickly, without having to speak to anyone.

And finally, a **blitz** best describes the pressing rush for the restaurants that follows the closing prayer.

Hope you enjoyed those parallels! They were meant to make you smile!

Consider visiting a local church this week and take the first step

towards reaching your personal potential and brightening the future of those around you! Consult the Religious Directory below for service times and location.

Submitted by Reverend Dan Rogge, Senior Pastor of New Life Church, Milton

**Milton Bible Church**  
Loving God. Loving people.

Sundays at 200 Main Street

10:00 am Worship & Teaching  
Children's Programs Running Concurrently

11:00 am Coffee & Conversations  
(We serve Tim Horton's Coffee!)

905-876-3586

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Our Ministry has been serving this community for **150+ Years**

Join us this year in a celebration of...  
The preaching of God's word in this church on the escarpment since 1856. Come and meet us, we will be very pleased to meet you.

RECTOR: Rev. Canon Charles Masters  
January 4th, 2007 Services -  
8:30 am - Morning Prayer  
10:30 am - Holy Communion Traditional Service  
10:30 am - Holy Communion in the Family Room  
Nursery and Junior Sunday School

7051 Guelph Line at Derry Road (Tel) 905-878-1363  
Visit our web site [www.stgeorgeslowville.org](http://www.stgeorgeslowville.org)

The **Sanctuary**  
A Church for Your Heart, Mind & Spirit™

**Sunday, Feb. 4**  
**10:00 am**

Series: "Jesus on the Move"  
(a study of the book of Mark)  
"Finding Forgiveness"

[www.thesanctuary.ca/milton](http://www.thesanctuary.ca/milton)  
**905.257.3987**  
Milton Sports Centre  
605 Santa Maria Blvd. (Derry Rd., west of Hwy. 25)

To Advertise in the Church Directory please call  
**Colleen Gorman**  
at 905-878-2341 ext. 211

**GRACE ANGLICAN CHURCH**  
Clergy: 317 Main St. E  
Rev. Dr. Mark McDermott the Church on the Hill 905-878-2411  
Rev. Dr. Renée Desjardins  
Father Mark Curtis

Services: Sunday  
8:00 am - Said Eucharist  
10:00 am - Sung Eucharist including "Kids' Spirit" Program followed by coffee hour

Listen to our Sunday sermons online at [www.gracechurchmilton.com](http://www.gracechurchmilton.com)

Wheelchair Access through Parking Lot  
[www.gracechurchmilton.com](http://www.gracechurchmilton.com)

**NEW LIFE**  
824 THOMPSON RD. S., MILTON

For more info: [www.newlife-milton.org](http://www.newlife-milton.org)  
or call Pastor Dan Rogge at 905-878-3358

9 a.m. - First Worship Service  
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School for All Ages  
10:45 a.m.\* - Second Worship Service  
\*Service Captioned for Deaf/Hard of Hearing

**MILTON SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**

Invites you to our weekly Sabbath services at  
**Hugh Foster Hall, 43 Brown St. Milton**  
Sat. 9:30 a.m. - Sabbath School  
Sat. 11:00 a.m. - Divine Service  
**FREE BIBLE SCHOOL**

Discover the amazing Bible answers to life's perplexing questions, and the secret to a happy life.  
For FREE BIBLE LESSONS, write: P.O. Box 23012, 55 Ontario St., Milton, Ont., L9T 5B4.  
On the INTERNET, <http://www.vop.com> and [www.amazingfacts.org/bibleschool/schoolmain.asp](http://www.amazingfacts.org/bibleschool/schoolmain.asp)  
PASTOR: AJ DuCosta 519-835-8301  
For more information about our service and program, please call.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
1412 Britannia Rd. West, Milton, On L9T 2X8  
905-875-2939

Sunday School Classes  
10:00 am

Worship & Communion  
11:00 am

Thursday Bible Study  
7:00 pm

Minister Steve Corbett

**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 7:30p.m. - Prayer and Bible Study

And the Word was made flesh and swelt among and we beheld his glory

- John 1.14

A Winning Strategy:  
**Put God First**

6:30 p.m.  
Available on 6 Screens  
**Superbowl Party**

New Life's Midweek Options  
Ladies' Coffee Break  
Tuesday at 9:30 a.m.  
Adult Bible Study,  
Youth, BG Clubs  
Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Blueprint for Life

**GRACEWAY BAPTIST CHURCH**

103 Martin Street  
905-878-1629  
Pastor Walter H. Isaak

10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. - Evening Service

Thursday  
7:00 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer

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**Southside Community Church**  
905-878-5664  
Located on Derry Rd., between the Sports Centre and the Hospital

Pursuing Jesus passionately and connecting with our God-given family

Meet new friends in the café at 10:00 am  
**10:30 a.m. Service**  
**Facing The Giants in Your Life**

Lead Pastor Jack Ninaber  
Youth Pastor Eric Helliwell

[www.southsidemilton.org](http://www.southsidemilton.org)

**KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WELCOMES YOU**  
170 Main St. E., Milton 905-878-6066  
Minister - Rev. Howard T. Sullivan  
Director of Music Ministries - Sonja van de Hoef

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.  
9:15 a.m. - Youth Small Group (Grades 7 & up)

10:30 a.m. - Children's Worship (Ages 3 - Grade 6) & Nursery

"CALLED TO SERVE THE LORD"

Wheelchair access and washrooms provided so that all may come and worship. Access off Mary Street.

We welcome you to...  
**ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH**  
123 Main St. E., Milton

Sunday February 4, 10:30 am  
**ANNUAL MEETING**  
Worship, Lunch & Business Meeting  
Church School & Gospel Unit for JK - Gr. 8  
Supervised Nursery Care from 10:15 a.m.

NEW!! Winter WonderCafé - Feb. 8, 7:30  
A time to ponder life's great questions... All Welcome!

Rev. John Benham & Rev. Gaylyn McLean  
Church office: (905) 878-8895 ext. 21  
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