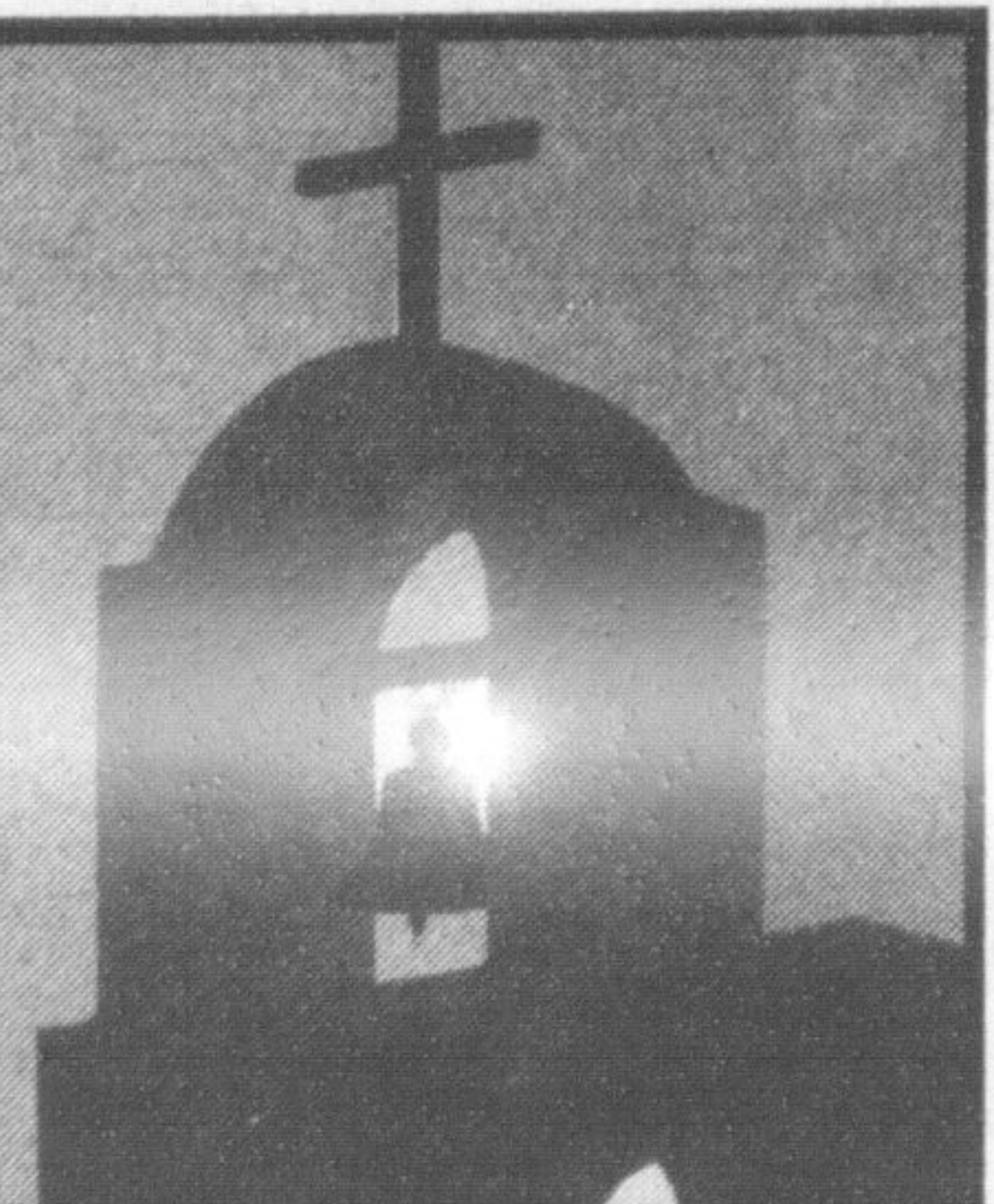


Your Invitation To Worship



Perseverance

A man was sleeping in his cabin when suddenly his room filled with light and God appeared before him. He told the slumbering man that He had a job for him to do, and showed him a large rock in front of his cabin. God instructed the man to push against the rock with all his might. That would be his task. And so, the man did, day after day.

For what seemed like years, the man toiled from sun up to sun down, daily setting his shoulders squarely against the cold, massive surface of the unmoving rock and pushing with all his might. But each night, he returned to his cabin sore and worn out, feeling frustrated in his inability to move the rock.

Before long, Satan fed him troublesome thoughts like: "You have been pushing against that rock for a long time, and it hasn't budged. You are wasting your time! You are never going to move it! Give up!"

Deep within, the discouraged man felt that the task was impossible. Disheartened, he saw himself as a failure. Full of anxious, he took his troubled thoughts to God in prayer, saying: "Lord, I have laboured long and hard in your service, putting all my strength to do what you have asked. Yet, after all this time, that Rock has never budged an inch. What is wrong with me? Why am I failing?"

The Lord responded compassionately, "My friend, when I asked you to serve me and you accepted, I told you that your task was to push against the rock with all your strength, which you have done. Never once did I mention to you that I expected you to move it. Your task was to push. And now you come to me, with your strength spent, thinking that you have failed. But, is it really so?"

"Look at yourself. Your arms are well-muscled, your back is strong, your hands are calloused from constant pressure, and your legs have become massive and hard. Through opposition you have grown much and your abilities now surpass that which you used to have. Yet you haven't moved the rock. But your calling was to be obedient and to push and to exercise your faith and trust in My Wisdom. This you have done."

"Now, I, my friend, will move the rock."

Often, we tend to use our own intellect to decipher what He wants, and actually what God wants is just simple obedience and faith in Him.

By all means, exercise the faith that moves mountains, but it is still God who moves the mountains. Oswald Chambers wisely wrote: "God does not call us to be successful, but to be faithful."

I encourage you to visit a local church this week - you'll be glad you did! Service times and locations are published in the Religious Directory below to help you!

Submitted by Rev. Dan Rogge, Pastor of Milton's New Life Church

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

Sunday, Sept. 23
10:00 am

"The King is Coming"

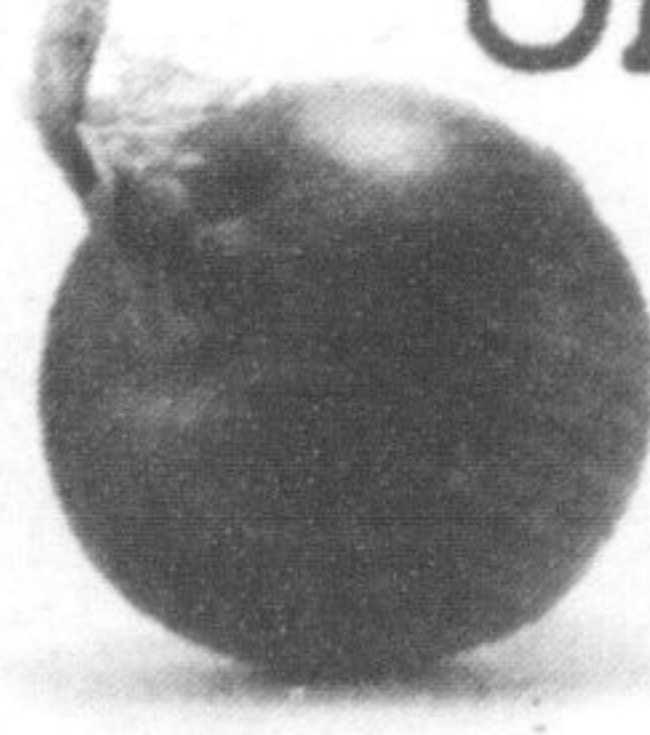
www.thesanctuarymilton.com
905.257.3987
Milton Sports Centre
605 Santa Maria Blvd. (Derry Rd., west of Hwy. 25)

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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

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10:30 am - Sanctuary - Holy Communion
10:30 am - Family Room - Morning Prayer
Alpha Course starting Sept. 25th - 6:30p.m. (free dinner)

7051 Guelph Line at Derry Road (Tel) 905-878-1363
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Second Service 10:45 AM*
Evening Service 6:30 PM
Children's Ministries available in all Services
*Captioned for the Deaf/Hard of Hearing

TUESDAYS Ladie's Coffe Break 9:30 AM
WEDNESDAYS Family Night 7:30 PM
Adult Bible Study/Extreme Life Youth/BT Club for Kids

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Pastor Walter H. Isaak

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Worship & Communion 11:00 am
Thursday Bible Study 7:00 pm

Minister Steve Corbett

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Pursuing Jesus passionately and connecting with our God-given family

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10:30 a.m. Service
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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 dwelt among us, and we beheld his glory, as of the only of the Father
- John 1.14

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