

# The Roman Catholic Communities of **BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH, BURFORD & ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH, SCOTLAND**

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Our auxiliary provides catering for all occasions at reasonable prices.

## **NEW PARISHIONERS**

We welcome new parishioners! Registration forms are available at the entrance of the church and at the parish office.

## **ARRANGING A WEDDING**

A minimum of 6 months preparation, which includes a Marriage Preparation course is required for all couples wishing to be married in Hamilton Diocese.

## **PRAYER LINE**

Sylvia Miller 519-449-3668 or Linda Bennett 519-449-2986.

**St. Vincent de Paul:** 519-865-1562 (Please Leave a Message)

## **OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday to Friday 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

## **LORD'S DAY MASSES**

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Burford

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Burford

11:30 a.m. Scotland

## **WEEKDAY MASSES**

Burford: Tues. 7:00 p.m.

Burford: Wed. to Fri. - 8:30 a.m.

## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Saturday: 4:15 to 4:45 p.m. or by appointment.

## **SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Application forms are available at the entrance of the church. Please fill in and place in collection basket or drop off at office. Once received Fr. Peter will contact you.

## **SACRAMENT OF THE SICK**

Anointing of the sick in home or hospital can be arranged by calling the parish office. Whenever possible, please call before any situation becomes critical.

## **HOLY ORDERS/RELIGIOUS VOCATION**

Individuals wishing to explore a vocation to the priesthood, permanent diaconate or the religious life are encouraged to speak to the Pastor or see the vocations website at [www.vocationinfo.ca](http://www.vocationinfo.ca)

## **CATHOLIC FUNERALS**

It is customary to celebrate the funeral of a Catholic with a Funeral Liturgy in the parish church. Please call the Funeral Home or the Parish at time of need. The time of funeral must be confirmed by the Pastor.

## **SICK & HOMEBOUND**

If you know someone who is homebound and would like to receive communion please contact the parish office.

## **CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD. Sun.9:30 a.m.**

For the young children of the parish. The children's liturgy is an opportunity for children to celebrate the Liturgy of the Word at a level they can understand.

**WORSHIP IN OUR PARISH**

*Liturgical Calendar*

**Tuesday, March 17**

7:00 p.m. Mass

John Zacher & Yvonne Moore offered by Caroline Morrissey

**Wednesday, March 18**

**9:00 a.m. Mass**

Karl Hepp offered by Henrica Hoogstraten

**Thursday, March 19**

8:30 a.m. Mass

Francelina da Conceicao offered by the Parish Hall Auxiliary

**Friday, March 20**

8:30 a.m. Mass

Intentions of Lorelei MacDonald offered by the Ritter Family

**Saturday, March 21**

*Fourth Sunday of Lent*

5:00 p.m. Mass

Ray Grubb offered by Belle & Family  
For All Our Parishioners (Both Parishes)

**Sunday, March 22**

*Fourth Sunday of Lent*

9:30 a.m. Mass

Mike Longo offered by Frank & Maria Petrella

Sanctuary Lamp for the intentions of Monica Szabo  
offered by Pearl Szabo

**We Are Stewards**

**On-Line Giving/E-Tithing for**

**February 2020** ..... \$ 1,400.00  
**Weekend Contributions** ..... \$ 1,770.00



*Wi Fi Password for the Parish Hall is:*  
**5194495131**

*Please remember your parish in your will!*

**PARISH NEWS**

**Stations of the Cross:** Every Friday during Lent at 7:00 p.m.

**Retreat Day for Women:** All women of the Parish are invited to participate in the Lenten Retreat hosted by the CWL of Blessed Sacrament and St. Anthony Daniel. The retreat will be led by Fr. Mike Isabelle on **Wednesday, March 18** from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. **Lunch will be provided.** Cost: free will offering. Sign-up sheet at the back of the church.

**Children's Liturgy:** During the March break we will not have Children's Liturgy. May our Catechists and children enjoy the break.

**Knights of Columbus 40 CANS FOR LENT:** The Knights will be collecting donations before and after each weekend Mass throughout the season of Lent. All the food collected will be donated to the Burford Community Food Bank and the St. Vincent de Paul which serves Burford and Scotland.

**Enrollment Ceremony:** Will be celebrated on Sunday, March 29 at 9:30 a.m. Please pray for the candidates as they prepare for the Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation on April 21, 2020. The Retreat for the Confirmation Candidates will take place on **Thursday, April 2** from 10:00 am until 2:00 p.m. in the Church and Hall.

**Blue Mass:** A special Mass to honour and thank the first responders of Brant County and surrounding region on Sunday, April 19 at 9:30 am. We can never thank enough the service and dedication of our firefighters, paramedics and police.

**Meeting for Upcoming Pilgrimage to Europe:** Sunday, April 19 at 4:00 pm in the Parish Hall.

*News in the Diocese*

**Feast of St. Joseph:** Thursday, March 19 at 11:00 am at All Souls Church in Hamilton (21 Barton St. West). Fr. Peter Ciallella will preside and preach at the Solemn Mass. Following the Mass, there will be a potluck lunch in the Parish Hall. For more information call 905-528-1513.

**DIOCESAN ANNIVERSARY MASS**

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2020? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the

Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 14th at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. Please refer to the poster on the bulletin board for information on how to register for the celebration or go to [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com).

**Friday Night Support Group for Separated or Divorced:** There is a group that meets every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month in Hamilton. For more information contact the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988, ext. 2249.

**ST. ANTHONY DANIEL**



*Liturgical Calendar*

**Sunday, March 22**  
*Fourth Sunday of Lent*  
11:30 a.m. Mass

Helen Crawford offered by Richard & Lori Crawford

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**CWL Spring Bazaar:** Saturday, March 28, 2020 from 1:00-3:00 pm. Please help support the event by donating baked goods, items for the penny table, grocery hamper, or come out and enjoy refreshments and coffee. All are welcome and please invite a friend.

**Church Cleaning:** Volunteers are needed to help with the cleaning of the church. Please sign up at the back of the church. If you are unavailable to clean, you can help with a monetary donation of \$30. You can put your donation in an envelope marked "Church Cleaning" and leave it with the Sunday Collection. For more info. Please call Joan Kegels 519-446-1139.

**Contributions** ..... \$ 445.00

*Share Lent Sunday*

Dear Parishioners:

On Sunday, March 29 we will have our annual **Share Lent Sunday**. The Bishop of the Diocese of Hamilton, Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, OMI, has given his full support for the campaign organized by *Development and Peace – Caritas Canada*.

The theme for this year's Campaign is "*Our Common Home*". We are invited as Catholics to improve our relationship with God's Creation by connecting us to one of the Earth's most important ecosystems – the Amazon. This year's Campaign is in line with the recent Synod on the Pan-Amazon region. We know that the man-made environmental impact and deforestation are an existential threat not only to the people and living species there, but for the entire planet. The Amazon rainforest alone produces six percent of the world's oxygen and it readily absorbs large amounts of carbon dioxide from the atmosphere. The receding biosphere will only conflate the devastating impact of global warming.

By showing solidarity with the Amazonian communities we support their defense of the land and their effort to make sustainable choices for themselves and their children. Poverty is another harsh reality faced by the Amazonians. Even though there has been some progress, the Amazon region in Brazil, for example, has the highest rate of poverty in comparison to other regions in that country.

How can we help? Aside from advocating our government to show interest for the Amazonians, let us be generous in our offering for Share Lent Sunday. If you do not use regular envelopes, you can make a donation in an envelope marked "Share Lent". One of the Lenten practices is charity. We acknowledge the blessings we enjoy in this life and make a concerted effort to help those in need, not only locally but globally as well. Mindful of how we will be judged by the Lord in the way we treated "the least of our brothers and sisters" (Matthew 25), let us do what we can not only because it is morally right, but also because it is an integral part of who we are as followers of Jesus Christ.

God bless,  
Fr. Peter Ciallella

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