

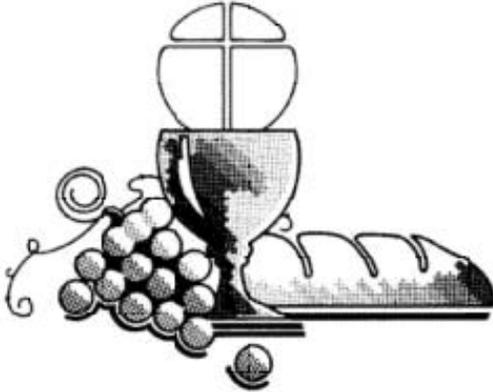
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Our auxiliary provides catering for all occasions at reasonable prices.

## **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.

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## **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 31**

**Private Mass**

Armando Lopes offered by the Knights of Columbus

**Wednesday, April 1**

Intentions of Lucia & Franklin Cruz

**Thursday, April 2**

**Private Mass**

Murray Wivell offered by Pearl Szabo

**Friday, April 3**

**Private Mass**

Mary Dumauchel offered by Ron & Joyce Rombout

**Saturday, April 4**

*Palm Sunday of the Passion of The Lord*

**Private Mass**

Jose Pereira, Beatriz Silva & Vasco Almeida offered by Horacio & Rose Da Silva

**Sunday, April 5**

*Palm Sunday of the Passion of The Lord*

**Private Mass**

For All Our Parishioners

Sanctuary Lamp for a quick end to the Coronavirus offered by the Parish

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<b>February 2020</b> .....	\$ 1,400.00
<b>Weekend Contributions</b> .....	\$ 80.00



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*Please remember your parish in your will!*

**PARISH NEWS**

**Cancellation of Masses and Church Closure:** During these unprecedented times and for the health and safety of all, the Bishop of the Diocese of Hamilton, His Excellency Douglas Crosby, has mandated that there be **no public Masses** until further notice, including funerals.

We can do vigil prayers at the Funeral Home and burial service at the cemetery with the immediate family. Funeral Mass will take place later. In addition, the Church, Hall and Office will be closed to the public. That includes no private devotion and prayer in church. Please stay home and pray. We will attend to your phone calls and emails: 519-449-5143. [parishoffice@blessedsacramentparish.ca](mailto:parishoffice@blessedsacramentparish.ca) or [pciallella@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:pciallella@hamiltondiocese.com). I want to thank the few staff people who have come in to help with the essential upkeep of the Church. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

**Confessions:** Fr. Peter will listen to confessions. Please call ahead to book an appointment. In these extraordinary times, if you cannot get to a Priest, the Holy See (under the mandate of Pope Francis), instructed Catholics that one may receive general absolution or make a perfect act of contrition, until they are able to make a personal Confession. Remember, God is merciful!

**Mass on TV/Web:** You can watch the Mass at home. **Vision TV:** Sunday at 8 am; Monday to Friday, 8 am and 12 noon. Saturday, 8:00 am and 9:30 am. **Salt & Light:** Monday – Saturday, 6:30 am and 9:30 am with the Pope. 11:00 am, 3:00 pm and 10:30 pm; Sunday 10:00 am and 11:30 pm. You can also see the Mass anytime on the internet.

**Masses offered by Fr. Peter:** He will celebrate the daily Mass in private for your intentions and offer the Sunday Mass for all Parishioners, the sick, all the medical personnel attending to the sick and for an end to the COVID-19 pandemic. The Sunday Mass will be live-stream ON Facebook, check “Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall Burford”.

**Prayer at Home:** We encourage you during this fast from the Eucharist to pray for each other, for the sick and for the men and women on the front line who serve the public. The Rosary, prayerful reading of Scripture and other devotions are recommended.

**Knights of Columbus 40 CANS FOR LENT:** For now we have suspended any collection of non-perishable food items.

**Enrollment Ceremony:** Will not take place. If we can re-schedule, you will be notified. Until we hear otherwise, we are still planning the **Retreat for April 15**, 9:45 am until 2:00 pm and **Confirmation on April 21** at 7:00 pm.

**Blue Mass:** We hope it will still take place on Sunday, April 19 at 9:30 am. In the meantime, continue to pray for our first responders.

**Meeting for Upcoming Pilgrimage to Europe:** We have decided to postpone the Pilgrimage. More news will be forthcoming.

I have been assigned Hardy Terrace Nursing Home. Hospitals may have more stringent restrictions. Rest assured, our God is merciful. If for whatever reason a Priest cannot attend to the sick in person, we will offer ardent prayers for the sick and support for their loved ones. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

***Fifth Sunday of Lent***



Dear Parishioners:

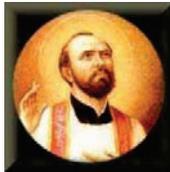
Today's Gospel story of the raising of Lazarus reminds us to be hopeful in these difficult times. While our hearts go out to the sick, the suffering and the dying and their families, eventually we will persevere. It will require sacrifice and commitment on the part of all. Jesus is truly our life and our salvation. We turn to him in faith in our hour of need. Look out for one another. Also, be mindful of the support of the Parish. Like many churches, we do rely on your weekly contribution. Please consider an alternative way to offer your financial support, like mailing a cheque or calling the office to pay by credit card, debit or automatic bank transfer. If you would like to drop off your envelopes, please call ahead to make an arrangement. We will record your contribution. We are trying our best to eliminate non-essential expenditures, but there are ongoing bills and payroll that need to be met. Thank you for any support you can offer at this time. Below I leave with you a prayer you can offer for spiritual Communion, **Anima Christi** or **Soul of Christ**.

God bless you and please stay well.

Fr. Peter Ciallella

***Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me. Blood of Christ, inebriate me. Water from the side of Christ, wash me. Passion of Christ, strengthen me. O good Jesus, hear me. Within your wounds, hide me. Never let me be separated from you. From the malignant enemy, defend me. At the hour of death, call me; and bid me come to you. That with your saints I may praise you forever and ever. Amen.***

**ST. ANTHONY DANIEL**



***Liturgical Calendar***

**Sunday, April 5**

***Palm Sunday of The Passion of The Lord***

**Private Mass**

For All Our Parishioners

**No Masses and Church Closure:** Please read the announcement above.

**CWL Spring Bazaar:** While we are disappointed we had to cancel this year's Bazaar, we thank the volunteers, sponsors and participants. Our goal for 2021 is to have the best Bazaar ever!

**Easter Flowers:** No collection of Easter flowers until we return to our regular schedule.

**Meeting for Upcoming Pilgrimage to Europe:** We have decided to postpone the Pilgrimage. More news will be forthcoming.

**Contributions** ..... \$ 0.00

***News in the Diocese***

**Visit to the Sick:** As Priests we always want to make ourselves available to visit the sick and dying. At this time we can only administer the Sacrament of the Sick with proper precaution. No Communion. We have coordinated among the Priests of the Brantford/Brant region to visit all of our healthcare facilities and nursing homes. Bishop Crosby has asked that each Priest not visit more than one facility for our safety and the safety of the patients and their healthcare providers.

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