

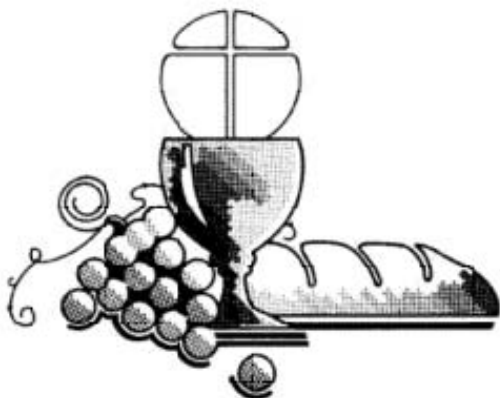
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Call 519-449-5131, or 519-449-2811. Our auxiliary provides catering for all occasions at reasonable prices.

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.

Scotland: Thur. & Fri. 7:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The Baptism of Children is celebrated on the first Sunday of the month at 3:00 p.m. in Burford and the third Sunday of the month in Scotland. Application forms are available at the entrance of the church.

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

CATHOLIC FUNERALS

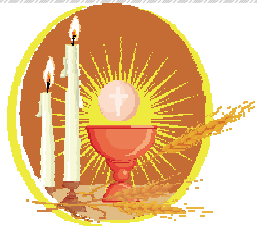
It is customary to celebrate the funeral of a Catholic with a Funeral Liturgy in the parish church. Please call the Funeral Home or the Parish at time of need. The time of funeral must be confirmed by the Pastor.

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.



Masses this Week

7:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 30, 2017
Jake Leendertse
(Amurin & Maria Fernandes)

8:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 31, 2017
The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Maggie Zacher
(Helen Michalchuk)

8:30 a.m. Thursday, June 1, 2017
For the Conversion of all Muslims
(Stephen Van Erve)

8:30 a.m. Friday, June 2, 2017
First Friday
Sareka Halpert (Sister of Julia Devenyi)
(Pearl Szabo & Violet Osztrovics)

5:00 p.m. Saturday, June 3, 2017
Pentecost Sunday
Lucy Gaspar
(Rosaria Lopes)

9:30 a.m. Sunday, June 4, 2017
Pentecost Sunday
Intentions of Pope Francis & all priests
(Michelle Ritter)

Sanctuary Lamp
For All Our Parishioners
(Both Parishes)

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS must be in to parishoffice@blessedsacramentparish.ca before midday Monday.

**Have you remembered?
Blessed Sacrament Parish in your Will.**

ST. ANTHONY DANIEL



SUNDAY MASS
11:30 a.m. June 4, 2017
Pentecost Sunday
For All Our Parishioners
(Both Parishes)

Weekday Masses Thursday and Friday at 7:00 p.m.



CHURCH CLEANING – Volunteers needed to clean the church. Please fill in your name at the back of the church. If time is an issue, a \$30.00 donation will clean the Church for one week. Your monetary donation for 1 week or 1 month can be placed in an envelope, indicate “CHURCH CLEANING” include your name and place in the Sunday collection or call Joan Kegels at 446-1139. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
FORTY CANS FOR LENT

Thank you to all the parishioners who supported this year’s 40 Cans for Lent Campaign. 850 lbs of non-perishable food was donated the Burford Community Food Bank. We need an additional 150 lbs to meet our commitment. **A two-day food drive will be held on the weekend of May 27-28** in hopes of meeting our goal. Please show your support for our community.

ROSES FOR LIFE

The Knights of Columbus will be distributing Roses for Life the weekend of **May 27-28**. Donations will help support Culture of Life initiative in Brant County.

RAFFLE TICKETS

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Ontario K of C Raffle Tickets in support of Special Olympics Ontario, Alzheimer Society and local charities across Ontario. There will be 500 draws for prizes valued at over \$500,000. **Tickets are \$5 each and available from any member of the Knights of Columbus after Mass throughout the month of May.**

PARENTING TIP

Spring brings new joy and new opportunity as the weather warms and we spend more time outdoors. It is a great chance to draw our children's attention to the greening grass, flowers sprouting from the ground and leaves opening on the trees. Nature has a cycle and so too does life - remind your children of the creative power of God in making all this happen year after year. Help them to see our role in nature and how our Catholic faith calls us to respect, care for, love and nurture all of God's created gifts in this world, both human and those in nature.

IN THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON AND AREA PARISHES & CHURCHES

BISHOP WILLIAM MCGRATTAN is visiting St. Basil Parish in Brantford, as part of the 175th Anniversary celebrations. Bishop McGrattan was baptized in the Parish and his parents are buried in St. Joseph's Cemetery in Brantford, making him "a son of the Diocese." Welcome back Bishop McGrattan!

FATHER DAVID WILHELM AND THE REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP COMMITTEE at Our Lady of Assumption Parish, Stoney Creek will be welcoming a mother and son to Canada on May 24, 2017, through the BVOR Program. They are sponsoring a Chinese family out of Thailand.

PASTA NIGHT AT ST. MARY'S BRANTFORD

St Mary's Church is fundraising for a new heating system. Please support the cause and attend their Pasta Night, **5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Friday, June 16th** at St. Mary's Parish Hall, Murray Street. There will be delicious penne pasta with meat sauce or arabiata; eat in or take out. Drinks and desserts are available for purchase. Ticket prices \$10 Adult, \$8 Child. Tickets are available from the office at (519)753-7316.



Dear Friends,

In Canada, the Feast of the Ascension has been moved from Thursday to the nearest Sunday for quite awhile now. On the one hand the traditional day has been messed with. On the other hand our bishops want all of us to be aware of this special feast and to celebrate it.

Ascension Day is a watershed. Before this day the Risen Lord seemed to be appearing and being physically present to many, many people. But He has been very clear that He must go to the Father in order to send the Advocate, the Holy Spirit.

Although the Apostles, The Holy Women, and hundreds of others had seen Him and even touched Him and ate with Him, they could not quite comprehend what was happening. It was at Pentecost, a few days later, when the Holy Spirit entered the hearts of the Apostles and many disciples surrounding our Blessed Mother in the upper room that they finally got it. They knew the "facts" but the "facts" needed to be integrated into a seamless garment.

So it is that an unbeliever can read the Bible and the Catechism a hundred times without understanding. They can even memorize it and give lectures on Catholic teaching. But it is useless without the gift of Faith and the loving power of the Holy Spirit.

On this Feast of the Ascension let us begin praying for our unbelieving relatives, friends and neighbours to receive the Holy Spirit so they too can know the great gift of Pentecost.

Sincerely, in Christ,
Fr. Bob



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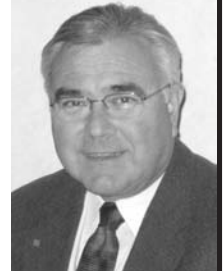
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