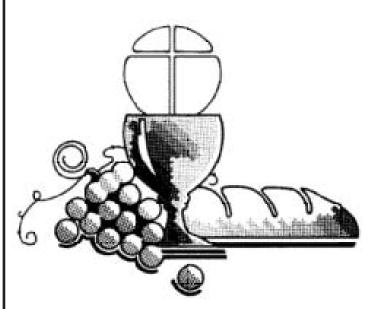
# The Roman Catholic Communities of BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH, BURFORD & ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH, SCOTLAND

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#### PASTORAL TEAM

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Susan Elliott, Parish Accountant

For further information see the volunteer commitment forms in the main foyer of the church

#### **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.

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 Andrew Czarny 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

#### **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.

### BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

\*1st Friday of every month is Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following 8:30am Mass
\*1st Saturday of every month is Mass at 9:00am followed by the Rosary and Confession
\*Sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturday 4:15 pm-4:45 pm

### Liturgical Calendar

Monday, April 17 No Mass

**Tuesday, April 18** Mass 7:00pm In Thanksgiving offered by Violet Osztrovics

> Wednesday, April 19 Mass 8:30am Souls in Purgatory

**Thursday, April 20** Mass 8:45am † Gerard MacDonald offered by the Ritter family

Friday, April 21 Mass 8:30am Intentions for Adam offered by Grandma

Saturday, April 22 Mass 5:00pm † Ryan Lawrence offered by the Brimo family

> Sunday, April 23 Mass 9:30am

# We Are Stewards

Weekend Contributions ......\$ 4, 184.00 Turkey & Syria Earthquake.....\$ 335.00 Second Offering for Good Friday......\$ 785.00

Thank you to our Hall Walkers your efforts raised \$235.00!!

~ Please remember your parish in your will ~

Parish News.

The second meeting for First Holy Communion will be held on **Saturday**, **April 22<sup>nd</sup>** at 11:00am inside the church. This will be the last meeting to register your child for this Sacrament. Attendance is mandatory.

**EVENINGS WITH HIS EXCELLENCY:** Bishop Wayne Lobsinger invites everyone to join him for "Evenings with His Excellency". This is an opportunity to learn more about our Catholic Faith based on the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Class is the second Friday of each month, at 7pm - 8:30 p.m. at St. Ann Church, Ancaster. This month we will continue our look at *The 10 Commandments*. It is also available by livestream on St. Ann's YouTube channel. No cost, no homework, just an opportunity to learn about our faith, all are welcome.

JOIN THE REEL JUSTICE FILM FESTIVAL FOR AN IN-PERSON SCREENING: Please join us at The Staircase Theatre, Hamilton with guest speaker Jason Hoffing from Relay Coffee! Highlighting the importance of fair-trade coffee, the film Black Gold follows Tadesse Meskela, a man on a mission to save 74,000 struggling coffee farmers in Ethiopia from bankruptcy. Against the backdrop of Tadesse's journey to London and Seattle, the power of the multinational players that dominate the world's coffee trade becomes apparent. Location: 27 Dundurn St N, Hamilton. To RSVP visit,

www.reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/.

AGING ISSUES: Listening to Indigenous Voicesjoin us for this chance to learn about aging from the perspective of three Indigenous speakers in our region. The Diocese, through the Family Ministry Office, is cosponsoring this Zoom event on Saturday, April 22 from 2-4 pm. For registration and information, please contact Ellen Ryan, <u>hamiltonagingcommunity@gmail.com</u> or at 905-648-0437.

**GRIEF RELIEF:** Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Join us on Thursdays from 7 – 8:30 p.m. from April 13th - May 18th, 2023 to learn more about what you are feeling and how to gently move forward. You are not alone! This program will be offered online using Zoom. To register, go to www.hamiltondiocese.com and look under Upcoming Events or call Teresa at 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

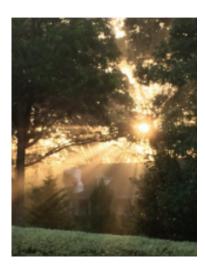
# ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH



Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, April 23 Mass 11:30am

Weekend Contributions ......\$ 2, 591.80



## **Earth Day Prayer**

#### Here is an Earth Day Prayer to help us honour God by the way we appreciate and care for his beautiful creation.

### Dear God,

We thank you that in Genesis as you created the building blocks of our world one by one you declared them all very good. Thank you for the goodness of the day and the night, the goodness of the atmosphere and the seas, the goodness of the land and vegetation, the goodness of the sun, moon and stars, the goodness of all animals and the goodness of all human beings. (Genesis 1:1-27.) We also thank you that you created us as human beings in Your own image with the ability to think, to discover and to build. Thank you for our ability to marvel at both the majesty and grandeur of our earth as well as the intricate design of the tiniest detail of nature. Because you created us to feel most alive when connected to the goodness of our earth, Develop in us a deep respectfulness of the delicate balance of nature. Forgive us for the things we have done that exploit and destroy any part of the balance

you established from the very beginning of time. Help us to remember that You have created us as body, mind, soul and spirit and if we neglect to nurture the physical side of our life, our spirits will perish. Help us to nurture the earth as if it were our own body as the Scripture says, "Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Therefore, honor God with your body." (I Corinthians 6:19 NIV version) Help us to know that although the earth is our home, we do not own it. The earth is Yours, and everything in it. May we appreciate the infinite cost and value You placed on creation. May we honor You by honoring the goodness of the works of Your hands today and

every day the sun rises.

Amen.

