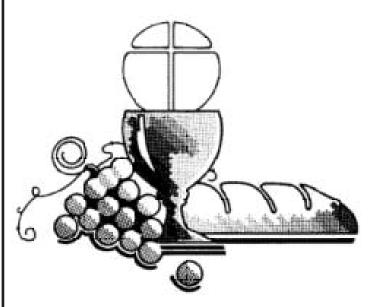
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#### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

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.

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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. Francisco 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

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#### BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

#### Liturgical Calendar

Monday, August 22 No Mass

Tuesday, August 23 Mass 7:00pm

Wednesday, August 24 Mass 8:30am

**Thursday, August 25**Mass 8:30am

Friday, August 26 Mass 8:30am

Saturday, August 27 Mass 5:00pm

#### Sunday, August 28

Mass 9:30am

Intensions for Maria and Michal Mikulec offered by John and Mary Sroka. Intensions for the Kora family. Intensions for Brandon offered by Pearl Szabo.



Sanctuary Candle for the intensions of Brandon

 Weekend Contributions
 \$ 1530.00

 Building Fund
 \$ 165.00





Let's relax and enjoy the few remaining weeks of summer. Let's take time to relish being together with family and friends and appreciating their importance in our lives. Let's find time to savour our faith as well. Take time to attend a weekday Mass, reflect together on a bible reading and/or pray the rosary together. Summer is a great time not only for creating wonderful memories for all to share, but for pondering on and building our faith.

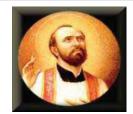
#### PARENTING TIP

Our children are constantly learning about life and how to live in the world by all they hear and experience. Stories are great ways to teach our children, but we don't always have to reach for a book to tell a story. Family stories about an event that taught you a lesson, demonstrated love, connected you to your faith, and describes family traditions are great teaching tools. Setting aside a weekly family storytelling session is a great way to bond, pass on traditions and teach the lessons that have value to you and your family.

#### MARRIAGE TIP

Love is a commitment, one that has bright days, gray days and everything in-between days. When we persevere and work through our struggles in positive ways, our relationship grows stronger and more resilient. When we understand that God is with us in our marriage, it reminds us that we are never alone. As Paul wrote to the Philippians, "I can do all things through him who strengthens me." (4:13). When we turn to God together in daily prayer, our love grows and deepens and is capable of handling any day that comes our way.

#### ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH



#### Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, August 21
Mass 11:30am
Prayers for the Souls in Purgatory

Weekend Contributions .....\$ 590.00

Sanctuary Candle for the presence of our Lord at St. Anthony Daniel Parish

#### A Prayer to St. Batholomew

God and loving father, you have given us the glorious Apostle Bartholomew as our beloved Patron Saint and powerful advocate in heaven. We offer you our prayers, animated by a spirit of confidence that through the efficacious intercession of Saint Bartholomew, we shall merit your unfailing help and protection and shall ever remain loyal and devoted to Divine will all the days of our life.

Teach us to cherish, proclaim, and practice the Gospel message of Christ, which Saint Bartholomew so eloquently preached and finally sealed with his heroic martyrdom.

As we prepare devoutly for his solemn feast by this novena of prayers, we trustingly raise our minds and hearts to you.

Refuse not, O Lord God, our humble petition but unite it with that of Apostle Bartholomew and of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of the Apostles, so that we may obtain the grace of true repentance for our Sins, of divine assistance in our spiritual and temporal wants, and of constant fidelity to all our Christian duties. This we ask through Jesus Christ, Our Lord, Amen.

#### ST. BARTHOLOMEW



AUGUST 24TH

Saint Bartholomew was one of the Twelve Apostles of Jesus Christ who was martyred in the 1st century AD. Saint Bartholomew lived in the first century AD and was one of the Twelve Apostles of Jesus Christ. He was introduced to Jesus Christ through Saint Philip and is also known as "Nathaniel of Cana in Galilee," notably in John's Gospel. Saint Bartholomew is credited with many miracles related to the weight of objects

Of the many miracles claimed to have been performed by Bartholomew before and after his death, two are known by the townsfolk of the small Italian island of Lipari. The people of Lipari celebrated his feast day annually. The tradition of the people was to take the solid silver and gold statue from inside the Cathedral of St Bartholomew and carry it through the town. On one occasion, when taking the statue down the hill towards the town, it suddenly became very heavy and had to be set down. When the men carrying the statue regained their strength, they lifted it a second time. After another few seconds, it got even heavier. They set it down and attempted once more to pick it up. They managed to lift it but had to put it down one last time. Within seconds, walls further downhill collapsed. If the statue had been able to be lifted, all the townspeople would have been killed.

During World War II, the fascist regime looked for ways to finance their activities. The order was given to take the silver statue of Saint Bartholomew and melt it down. The statue was weighed, and it was found to be only a few grams. It was returned to its place in the Cathedral of Lipari. In reality, the statue is made from many kilograms of silver and it is considered a miracle that it was not melted down.

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