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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.

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

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, January 15

7:00 p.m. Mass

Bill Kane offered by the Knights of Columbus,
Council 16418

Wednesday, January 16

8:30 a.m. Mass

Filomena Gomes offered by Marian & John McClure

Thursday, January 17

8:30 a.m. Mass

Elisa Zanotti offered by Pasqualina & Father Peter
Ciallella

Friday, January 18

8:30 a.m. Mass

John & Eileen Daiken offered by Cathy May

Saturday, January 19

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. Mass

Garth Henriques offered by Marjorie Brimo

Sunday, January 20

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 a.m. Mass

For All Our Parishioners (Both Parishes)

Sanctuary Candle for the intentions of Greg &
Annie Brimo and Family

We Are Stewards

On-Line Giving/E-Tithing for	
December 2018	\$ 1,030.00
Weekend Contributions (December 30)	\$ 2,315.00
January 1, 2019 Contributions	\$ 3,685.00
Weekend Contributions (January 6)	\$2,390.00



- **Wi Fi in the Parish Hall Username is Parish Hall and the password is 5194495131**
- **Please remember your parish in your will!**

Parish News

Envelopes for 2019: Please pick up your new set of envelopes for 2019. Please begin to use them now. If you would like to sign up for envelopes, please contact the Parish Office. We also offer pre-authorized giving through direct bank transfer.

Children's Liturgy: Resumes on January 13. Welcome back children and catechists!

Knights of Columbus: Will have their monthly meeting on Tuesday, January 22 after the 7:00 p.m. Mass.

Thank you! Fr. Peter wishes to thank all those who expressed their best wishes to him for his birthday on January 4th. Your good wishes and prayers are greatly appreciated.

The Pope's Prayer Intentions for January: For the month of January, the Holy Father asks that we pray for young people, especially in Latin America. May they follow the example of Mary and follow the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the gospel to the world.

Catholic Women's League: We wish to encourage all ladies of the parish to join the Catholic Women's League, whether you are able to attend meetings or not. Membership increases numbers, and numbers get the attention of the government on all issues of importance to Catholic women across our country. Your dues help the League to carry out its work on a parish, provincial and national level. Membership in the league is open to women 16 years of age and older. Those who have parish offering envelopes will find an envelope for CWL Membership Dues included in January 2019. **Annual Membership is \$23.00.** Those who do not have parish envelopes may place a cheque or cash in an envelope marked "Attention CWL" (don't forget to include your name) and place it in the collection basket at Mass. Membership may also be renewed on Sundays in January after Mass. Thanks for your support.

News in the Diocese

Annual Bible Sunday: The Second Annual Bible Sunday will be observed in the Diocese of Hamilton on Sunday, February 3, 2019. The focus of this year’s observance is “*Listening to God’s Word at Mass*”. Two special presentations on the Gospel of Luke will be offered by Fr. Michael Patella, O.S.B. St. Michael Parish in Waterloo (2:00-3:30 pm) and the Cathedral Basilica of Hamilton (7:00-8:30 pm). Plan to attend one of these presentations which will outline what we will hear at the Sunday liturgies, the Year of Luke.

ST. ANTHONY DANIEL



Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, January 20

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:30 a.m. Mass

Repose of the soul of Jose Americano offered by Julio & Margarida Fernandes

Special Prayers: If you would like a special prayer for yourself or a loved one because of sickness or for a special anniversary or birthday celebration, please contact Linda Mels, 519-754-5280.

Weekend Contributions (December 30) ...\$ 627.90

January 1, 2019 Contributions \$ 560.00

Weekend Contributions (January 6) \$ 526.00

MISSIONARIES AND MARTYRS

Dear parishioners:

In the course of the year 2018, 40 “missionaries” and pastoral workers were killed around the world, almost double the previous year’s toll of 23, the Vatican’s *Fides* news agency reported.

Until 2017, the Americas led the way for 8 consecutive years for the highest number of missionaries killed. In 2018, Africa topped the list.

Fides data showed that of the 40 killed, 35 were priests, 1 was a seminarian and 4 were lay people. Africa accounted for 21 deaths, with 19 priests, a seminarian and a lay woman. South America came second with 15, including 12 priests and 3 lay people. Asia came next with 3 priests, and 1 priest in Europe.

Fides explained that it preferred using the word “missionary” for those killed, referring to the Apostolic Exhortation, “*Evangelii Gaudium*”, where Pope Francis says that “in virtue of their baptism, all the members of the People of God have become missionary disciples.” “All the baptized, whatever their position in the Church or their level of instruction in the faith, are agents of evangelization, and it would be insufficient to envisage a plan of evangelization to be carried out by professionals while the rest of the faithful would simply be passive recipients,” the Pope says.

This is why the annual list of *Fides* does not just include missionaries “ad gentes” in the strict sense, or missionaries in mission lands, but comprises all the baptized engaged in the life of the Church dying in a violent way and not strictly “in hatred of the faith”.

Fides said that many missionaries have lost their lives during attempted hold-ups and robberies, at times in ferocious circumstances in impoverished and degraded social contexts, where violence predominates, with authorities helpless or weakened by corruption and compromise, or where religion is misused.

Let us pray for those who have been killed while serving the Church and for the ones who continue to make heroic sacrifices for the sake of the Gospel every day.

God bless,
Fr. Peter Ciallella



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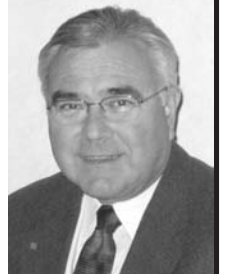
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