

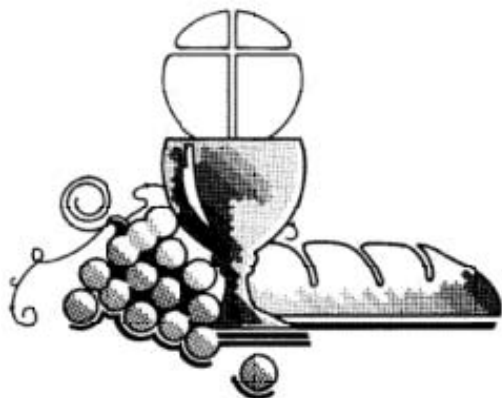
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Call 519-449-5131, or 519-449-2811. Our auxiliary provides catering for all occasions at reasonable prices.

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

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.

WORSHIP IN OUR PARISH

Liturgical Calendar

Tuesday, January 30

7:00 p.m. Mass
 Intentions of the Smutniak Family requested by Yvonne Veltri

Wednesday, January 31

St. John Bosco, Priest
 8:30 a.m. Mass
 Intentions of Maria DaSilva

Thursday, February 1

8:30 a.m. Mass
 Eugenio Arciero requested by Alfred & Mary Risi

Friday, February 2

The Presentation of the Lord
 8:30 a.m. Mass
 Mary Goodson requested by Marjorie Brimo
 9:00 a.m. Adoration & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, February 3

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 5:00 p.m. Mass
 Tonny Follings requested by Henrica Hoogstraten & Family

Sunday, February 4

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:30 a.m. Mass
 Wallace Grelik requested by Mary Grelik & Family

Sanctuary candle for Antonio Ciallella requested by Pasqualina Ciallella

We Are Stewards

On-Line Giving/E-Tithing for	
December, 2017	\$ 610.00
Weekend contributions	\$ 2,495.00



***We now have Wi Fi in the Parish Hall
 Username is Parish Hall and the password is
 5194495131***

Please remember your parish in your will!

Sunday Offering Envelopes: Envelopes for 2018 are available for pick-up at the back of the Church. If you wish to begin using direct deposit or envelopes, please contact the parish office.

Faith Formation News

New Children's bulletin: We now have a special weekly bulletin for children: **Explaining God's Word.** It is age appropriate for 7-10 years. We hope you and your children will make use of the creative activities and suggestions for the family each week. The Children's Bulletin can be picked up at the back of the church.

Newly Baptized: We congratulate the following children who were recently baptized as members of our faith community: Kevin Michael Laughlin and Harmony Faith Laughlin. We pray that they will continue to grow in their faith, together with the support and guidance of their parents.

SAINT ANTHONY DANIEL



Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, February 4

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 11:30 a.m. Mass
 For All Our Parishioners (Both Parishes)

Bazaar Meeting: To be held on **Tuesday, February 13th at 1:30 p.m.** at 1622 Burford-Delhi Townline Rd., Scotland (Mels' residence). All are welcome.

Weekend Contributions \$ 432.95

In the Diocese of Hamilton

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2018? If you are, you are invited to join couples from across the Diocese for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 10, 2018 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. Refer to the poster in the church or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com.

JOIN THE "CALL FOR CONSCIENCE" IN HAMILTON DIOCESE

The Government of Canada passed legislation in June 2016, legalizing euthanasia/assisted suicide. The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario is forcing health care workers to participate in ending the lives of their patients. **The Diocese of Hamilton wants to protect the rights of all healthcare workers.** Visit www.CanadiansforConscience.ca Write a letter to your Provincial Member of Parliament and consider adding your e-mail address to the Conscience Coalitions network to receive future information. We all need to join the "Call for Conscience" taking place between February 6 and March 31st.

"OVER 18"

Pornography is impacting children and teens at rates never before seen. Come and learn more about the issue, its impact on our children and how you can protect your children, grandchildren, students and all children. The information will come to light through discussion and viewing of the documentary *Over 18* (view the trailer at www.over18doc.com/). *Over 18* will be shown in **St. Pius X Parish Hall on Tuesday, February 6th at 7:00 p.m.** The mature content (be assured there are no graphic visuals) means that only those age 18 or over should attend. The evening is being jointly sponsored by the Brant Region CWL's and Knights of Columbus.

THE GOOD LIE

St. Pius X Brantford is having a free screening of "**The Good Lie**" on **Sunday, February 4th at 2:00 p.m.** "The Good Lie" is a 2014 film that follows a group of young Sudanese refugees, orphaned and driven from their homeland by civil war, who finally are admitted to the U.S. as refugees. The film is rated PG 13 so is best suited for adults and children grade 7 and above.



BIBLE SUNDAY

Dear Parishioners:

His Excellency, Douglas Crosby, OMI, DD, Bishop of Hamilton, has declared that once a year, the Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time, the Diocese will celebrate Bible Sunday. Today we will mark the First Annual Bible Sunday. The Bishop explained that this special dedication is a response to Pope Francis' invitation. In his Apostolic Letter at the closing of the Jubilee Year on Mercy (2016), the Holy Father wishes, "that God's Word be increasingly celebrated, known and disseminated, so that the mystery of love stemming from this font of mercy may be ever better understood." (Apostolic Letter *Misericordia et misera*, n. 7).

All Priests of the Diocese have been asked this Sunday to preach on the importance of the Word of God and praying with Sacred Scripture. You will also receive a special insert in this week's bulletin: a bookmark with special prayers for before and after reading scripture. There are also some helpful questions to ask when reading and praying over scripture.

As Catholics we must strive to give greater importance to the Word of God. All of our wonderful devotions, sacramental celebrations, Liturgy, tradition, prayers and dogma are based on the revealed Word of God. May we take the time in our personal prayer and/or as a family to meditate and pray over Sacred Scripture. And may we be ever mindful of the beautiful words of the Psalmist:

"Your Word, O Lord, is a lamp for my feet, a light for my path!" Psalm 119:105

God bless,
Fr. Peter Ciallella

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