

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

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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 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](http://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**

*\*1<sup>st</sup> Friday of every month is Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following 8:30am Mass*  
*\*1<sup>st</sup> 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, March 6**  
No Mass

**Tuesday, March 7**  
Mass 7:00pm

Special Intention for the Osztrovics family offered by Violet Osztrovics

**Wednesday, March 8**  
Mass 8:30am

Intention for Katelin offered by the Ritter family

**Thursday, March 9**  
Mass 8:45am

Intention for Jessica offered by the Ritter family

**Friday, March 10**  
Mass 8:30am

**Stations of the Cross** Mass 7:00pm

**Saturday, March 11**  
Mass 5:00pm

† Danielo Pace offered by the Brimo family

**Sunday, March 12**  
Mass 9:30am  
All Our Parishioners

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**Weekend Contributions .....\$ 1, 420.75**



~ Please remember your parish in your will~

*Parish News...*

**FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION**

**REQUIREMENTS:** The Five First Saturdays Devotion is a request made by Our Lady of Fatima. The Blessed Mother promised to assist at the hour of our death with the graces necessary for salvation all who, as an act of reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, on the first Saturdays of 5 consecutive months.

1. Go to Confession (within 8 days)
2. Receive Holy Communion.
3. Say five decades of the rosary.
4. Keep Mary company for fifteen minutes meditating on the fifteen mysteries of the rosary.

**CWL MEETING:** There will be a CWL Meeting held at the parish hall on Wednesday, March 8 at 1:00pm. Please attend if you're able as we will be discussing the arrangement of funeral lunches held by our CWL members.

**LENT RETREAT:** Please join us on March 28<sup>th</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> for our Lent Retreat: Preparing for Easter. We are excited to welcome Father Gary Schlack to our parish for this special retreat. There will be a Mass followed by Confession. We will meet in the church at 7:00pm each day. We hope to see you!



**CONGRATULATIONS:** Congratulations to all of our Confirmation candidates. Please continue to keep all of our candidates in your prayers as they continue to walk through life with Christ.

*Lord, You send out Your Spirit to touch the hearts of all people, so that they may believe in You and in Jesus whom You sent.*

*Look kindly on all candidates for Confirmation as they listen to Your voice.*

*Open their hearts to Your Spirit and bring to fulfillment the good work that You have begun in them.*

*As we prepare these children for Confirmation, make each of us an instrument of Your love.*

*Teach us to appreciate what is holy in others, and to be patient with what we do not understand.*

*Deepen our faith in the Gospel*

*and help us to pass it on by our example.*

*We pray that You will continue to guide us and sustain us. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.*

**ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH**



***Liturgical Calendar***

**Sunday, March 12**

Mass 11:30am

**Stations of the Cross**

following Mass

**Weekend Contributions .....\$ 165.00**

**Saints Perpetua and Felicity  
March 7th**



Father, your love gave saints Perpetua and Felicity courage to suffer a cruel martyrdom. By their prayers, help us to grow in love of you. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

*-Collect prayer for the memorial of Sts. Perpetua & Felicity*

"In the arena Another will be in me suffering for me, because I will be suffering for Him."

*-Quote of St. Felicity before her martyrdom.*

"Stand fast in the faith and love one another."

*- Last words of St. Perpetua*

***Prayer:*** *Saints Perpetua and Felicity, you loved your infants and you loved your God. By embracing martyrdom for your faith, you gave the greatest witness possible to your children. Please pray for me, that I will never shy away from living my faith openly in a hostile world and that I will be a holy witness of God's most pure love to all. Saints Perpetua and Felicity, pray for me. Jesus, I trust in You. Amen*

**Saint John of God**

**March 8th**

From the time he was eight to the day he died, John followed every impulse of his heart. The challenge for him was to rush to follow the promptings of the Holy Spirit gave him, not his own human temptations. But unlike many who act impulsively, when John made a decision, no matter how quickly, he stuck with it, no matter what the hardship. John of God is patron saint of booksellers, printers, heart patients, hospitals, nurses, the sick, and firefighters and is considered the founder of the Brothers Hospitallers. When you feel the urge to serve, help, or pray do you act on it or argue yourself out of it? Today if you feel an impulse to do good, do it immediately as John of God would have done without thinking of how practical or how embarrassing it might be.

***Prayer:*** Saint John of God, help us to act out of love as soon as we feel the promptings of the Holy Spirit. Help us learn to fight the little voices in our heads and hearts that give us all sorts of practical reasons to wait or delay in our service of God. Amen

**Saint Frances of Rome**

**March 9th**

St. Frances of Rome is an Italian saint who was a wife, mother, mystic, organizer of charitable services and a Benedictine oblate who founded a religious community of oblates, who share a common life without religious vows. On August 15, 1425 the feast of the Assumption of Mary, she founded the Olivetan Oblates of Mary. A confraternity of pious women, under the authority of the Olivetan monks of the Abbey of Santa Maria Nova in Rome but neither isolated nor bound by formal vows, so they could follow her pattern of combining a life of prayer with answering the needs of their society. In March 1433, she founded a monastery at Tor de' Specchi, near the Campidoglio, to allow for a common life by those members of the confraternity. This monastery remains the only house of the Institute. By July they received the approval of Pope Eugene IV as a religious congregation of oblates with private religious vows. The community later became known simply as the Oblates of St. Frances of Rome. In 1925, Pope Pius XI declared her the patron saint of automobile drivers because of a legend that an angel used to light the road before her with a lantern when she traveled, keeping her safe from hazards. Within the Benedictine Order, she is honored as a patron saint of all oblates. She is also a patron saint of widows.



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