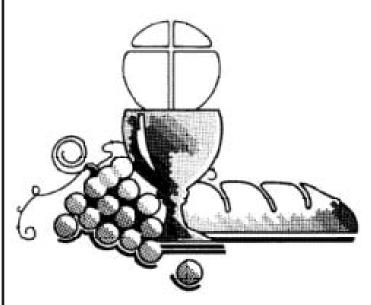
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For further information see the volunteer commitment forms in the main foyer of the church

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, October 30

No Mass

Tuesday, October 31

Adoration 6:00pm Mass 7:00pm Special Intention offered by the Ritter family

Wednesday, November 1

Mass 8:30am All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, November 2

Mass 8:45am † Joe Oliviera offered by the Pajor family

Friday, November 3

Mass 8:30am

followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
† Jack Oliviera offered by Beatrice DaSilva

Saturday, November 4

Mass 9:00am followed by the Rosary and Confession

Mass 5:00pm † Members of the Koechl & Compeau families offered by the Koechl family

Sunday, November 5

Mass 9:30am All Our Parishioners

We Are Stewards



Thought for the week

XXX Sunday in Ordinary Time October 29, 2023 EX22:20-26; PS18:2-4, 47, 51; 1THES 1:5C-10; MT 22:34-40 Today's readings are all about love — the radical love of God for His people and the radical love we are called to live out in response. The stewardship way of life is nothing more and nothing less than the practical application of loving God and neighbor in our daily lives. Jesus sums up the message of all the prophets, as well as the purpose of all God's laws in today's Gospel passage, from Matthew. It is a message we have likely grown-up hearing — but it is so beautiful and so challenging, it bears repeating again and again. It is Christ's response to a question about which commandment is greatest. His answer reveals both the greatest and the second greatest commandments. He says, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind... The second is like it: you shall love your neighbor as vourself." How is the second like the first? What do the two commands have in common? Love. Love God first and love neighbor as self. This is the heart of the stewardship way of life — simple enough for a child to understand, challenging enough to be the life's work of every "grown-up."

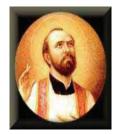
C.W.L. CHRISTMAS BAZAAR AND VENDOR

SALE: Sat. November 18th Blessed Sacrament CWL. is hosting a Christmas Bazaar and Vendor Sale in the church hall from 9:30-2:30. It will consist of a bake sale, a craft table for our church crafters, a raffle table full of wonderful prizes to win and of course local vendors and artisans showcasing their products. For anyone wishing to help there are many ways.

- 1. Help: Whether a CWL member or not we could use many helping hands to make this event a success. Just add your name to the volunteer list at the back of the church and we will find you a job.
- **2**. Bake: in the past we have received wonderful goodies maybe you could whip up some cookies ,cakes, pies loaves etc. for our bake sale.
- **3.** Donations of knitted, sewn or any crafted items would be appreciated for our own Blessed Sacrament crafters table.
- **4.** Donations of prizes for the raffle table. New, unused items will be gratefully accepted. Don't know what to buy –put a monetary donation in an envelope marked C.W.L. Bazaar, drop it in the collection plate and we will look after the shopping for you. A box will be in the entrance for any gift donations. For info contact any C.W.L. member or Veronica -519-757-9696

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ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH



Liturgical Calendar Sunday, November 5Mass 11:30am

All Our Parishioners

Weekend Contributions\$ 657.00

Solemnity of All Saints, November 1

The Church celebrates all the saints: canonized or beatified, and the multitude of those who are in heaven enjoying the beatific vision that are only known to God. From the first centuries after Christ, Christians who died a martyr's death were considered saints, who live in God's presence forever. Every year, on the anniversary of the martyrs' deaths, Christians would visit their tombs and celebrate the Eucharist. This practice grew throughout the centuries to include remembering other outstanding Christians on the days they died. Soon the entire calendar was filled with memorials of the saints. In the ninth century, Pope Gregory IV designated November 1st as the day to remember all the saints living in God's presence. What must we do in order to join the company of the saints in heaven? We "must follow in His footsteps and conform to His image seeking the will of the Father in all things. We must devote ourselves with all our being to the glory of God and the service of our neighbour. In this way, the holiness of the People of God will grow into an abundant harvest of good, as is admirably shown by the life of so many saints in Church history" (Lumen Gentium, 40).

All Souls Day, November 2

The Church, after rejoicing yesterday with those of her children who have



entered the glory of heaven, today prays for all those who, in the purifying suffering of Purgatory await the day when they will be joined to the company of saints. At no place in the liturgy is stated in more striking fashion the mysterious union between the Church triumphant, the Church militant and the Church suffering; at no time is there accomplished in clearer fashion the twofold duty of charity and justice deriving for every Christian from the fact of his incorporation in the mystical Body of Christ. By virtue of the consoling doctrine of the communion of saints, the merits, and prayers of each one are able to help all; and the Church is able to join her prayer with that of the saints in heaven and supply what is wanting to the souls in Purgatory by means of the Mass, indulgences and the alms and sacrifices of her children. It was St. Odilo, fourth abbot of Cluny, who was responsible for the institution of the general commemoration of all the faithful departed. He instituted it and fixed its celebration on November 2nd, the day after All Saints day. The practice spread to the rest of Christendom. Daily in a special Memento in the Canon of the Mass, at which the priest remembers all those who have fallen asleep in the Lord, the priest implores God to grant them a place of happiness, light, and peace. Thus, there is no Mass in which the Church does not pray for the faithful departed; but today her thoughts are directed towards them in a particular fashion. We pray for the liberation of the souls in Purgatory.

Almighty and everlasting God, You gave us Saints so that we can honor You by recognizing Your redemptive work in them, and that we have shining examples and powerful intercessors in our lives. They received blessings and righteousness from You because they belonged to a generation that sought only You. Allow me today to appreciate them for their past merits and their present prayers offered in the sight of Your divine majesty, so that my life too may become an oblation pleasing to You. Amen.

Lord, on this All Souls Day, let me remember those who are now preparing to meet You. You gave us the spiritual and corporal works of mercy so that we might look after our brothers and sisters, both alive and dead. Amen.



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