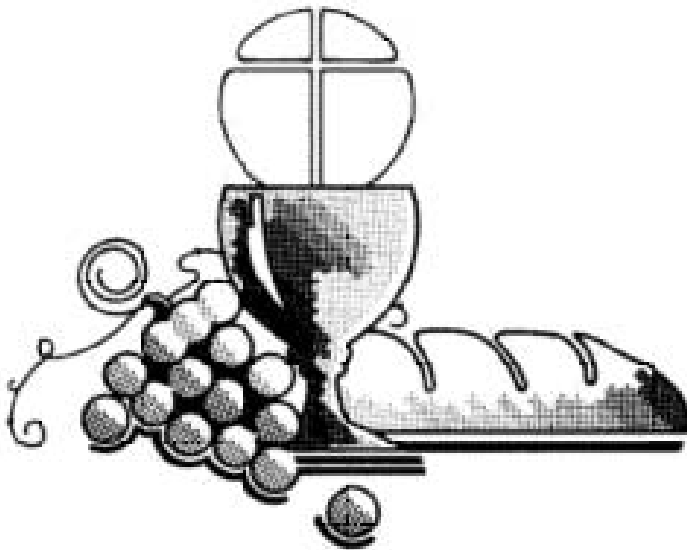


The Roman Catholic Communities of **BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH, BURFORD & ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH, SCOTLAND**

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Susan Elliott, Parish Accountant

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

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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

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, March 4
No Mass

Tuesday, March 5
Mass 7:00pm

† Steve and † Ethel Horvath offered by Ethel Fintas

Wednesday, March 6
Mass 8:30am
~ All Souls in Purgatory ~

Thursday, March 7
Mass 8:45am
† Rosa Arruda offered by Lucia Cruz

Friday, March 8
Mass 8:30am
† Franklin Cruz offered by Lucia Cruz

Saturday, March 9
Mass 5:00pm
† Jack Vilaca offered by Maria Gloria Vilaca & family

Sunday, March 10
Mass 9:30am
~ All Our Parishioners ~

We Are Stewards

Weekend Contributions \$ 1387.00



Thank You to everyone who came out and did an awesome job cleaning up the Parish Hall And Kitchen.

Thought for the week

III Sunday of Lent March 3, 2024

EX 20:1-17; PS 19:8, 9, 10, 11; 1 COR 1:22-25; JN 2:13-25

Our readings call us to roll up our sleeves and persevere through the remainder of Lent by committing to a more faithful life with Christ.

In today's Gospel, Jesus purifies the temple area because it is being misused as a marketplace. He becomes angry at their lack of reverence for God. He spills the coins of the money changers and overturns tables, saying, "Take these out of here, and stop making my Father's house a marketplace."

Jesus witnessed the way people mistreated the temple — the place to worship God and God alone. He drives out evil and works to purify all that is sinful in that place. This is what Jesus wants to do for us this Lenten season. He wants to remove all impurity and evil in our lives and hearts so that we may have a proper dwelling place for the Holy Spirit. Let us ask ourselves, what areas of our life need cleansing? Let us name those areas and invite Jesus to purify us. He became man to carry our burdens and wipe away our sins. He has given us boundless mercy, but we must do our part to seek it and commit to living a more faithful life as a disciple of Christ. With this knowledge, let us seek to be purified from our sins so that our hearts might be a true temple of the Holy Spirit.

This season of Lent is only halfway done — there is still time to work through our shortcomings and purify our hearts for Easter morning. But let us not waste another moment. Let us name our shortcomings, seek God's mercy and invite Him to transform our hearts.

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STATIONS OF THE CROSS



BLESSED SACRAMENT - FRIDAYS AT 7PM

ST ANTHONY DANIEL - FOLLOWING SUNDAY MASS

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Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, March 10

Mass 11:30am

~ All Our Parishioners ~

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Weekend Contributions \$ 630.00



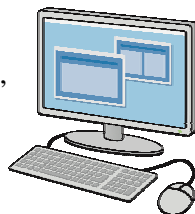
EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS

Easter Flower collection after Mass on Sunday March 3rd & 10th at Saint Anthony Daniel. Thank you for your support.

+++++ **PARISH DATABASE UPDATE**

It is time to update both parishes' databases.

On the weekend of March 16th and 17th, we will be at the back of the church after Mass to make sure that your information is accurate. We plan to ensure information is accurate, add cell phone numbers and email addresses to our database. The new updated information will allow the parish to email you quick updates on parish events, weekly bulletins, and tax receipts.



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## **'THE CHOSEN'**

St. Mary's Parish will be showing Season 1 of "The Chosen".

This will take place in the church beginning on **Friday, March 1 at 6:00 pm with Episodes 1 & 2**. This series will continue on the next **3 Fridays** at the same time with two episode each week.

No food is allowed in the church, only beverages. Donations, monetary or non-perishable items are greatly appreciated. Please note that there are very sensitive topics and graphics in these episodes. All are invited although **parental discretion is advised**. There will be a 5-minute break between episodes.

## **PARISH LENTEN SERIES**

Do you struggle to believe that you are intimately and personally loved by Jesus Christ? Do you want to experience his Divine Mercy more abundantly? Here is your chance to gain a deeper knowledge and greater trust in His unconditional love.

Our 5-week video series on *Divine Mercy, The Second Greatest Story Ever Told* began on Thursday, February 15th. This series has been created by Fr. Michael Gaitley. After watching the video, we will break into small groups for a short discussion.

We are encouraging everyone to use this as an opportunity to be spiritually renewed this Lent. **Please invite a friend to join you.**

*Blessed Sacrament Parish*

181 King Street, Burford

**Thursday evenings at 7:00pm.**

**March 7th, 14th, and 21st**

Registration is not mandatory but it would be nice if you would sign up so we have an idea of how many will be attending. There is a sign up sheet at the back of the Church, or you can call or email the Parish Office.

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## **40 CANS for LENT**

The Knights of Columbus are continuing to support "40 Cans for Lent" project. Please bring your nonperishable items to church with you beginning this week until the end of Lent. Your generous donations will be given to Saint Vincent de Paul for our neighbours in need.

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**PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH** Vacations or 'Stay-cations' are a wonderful time to step away from the busy-ness of everyday family living and reconnect with each other. As you laugh and play this March break, do not forget to stay connected to your faith. Be the family that plays and prays together. Take some time to talk about Lent and how it leads us to the great celebration at Easter!

## **HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS**

If you know someone that is not able to come to church but would like to have Communion brought to them, have their confession heard, or receive the Sacrament of the Sick. Please contact the parish office.



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