# THE ROMAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH, BURFORD & ST ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH, SCOTLAND

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#### PASTORAL TEAM

Father Andrew Czarny, Pastor

Doreen Fader, Parish Secretary blessedsacramentburford@hamiltondiocese.com

Susan Elliott, Parish Accountant

For further information see the Volunteer Commitment forms in the main foyer of the church.

## **NEW PARISHIONERS**

WELCOME! Registration Forms are available at the entrance of the church, at the parish office or on our website.

## ARRANGING A WEDDING

A minimum of 6 months preparation, which includes a Marriage Preparation course required for all couples wishing to be married in the Hamilton Diocese.

#### SICK & HOME BOUND

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 9:30am

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.

SAINT VINCENT de PAUL: 519-865-1562 (Please leave a message)

#### OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday 9:00am - 1:00pm

#### LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00pm – Burford Sunday 9:30am – Burford 11:30am – Scotland

#### WEEKDAY MASSES - BURFORD

Tuesday 7:00pm Wednesday 8:30am Thursday 8:45am Friday 8:30am

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:15 to 4:45pm or by appointment

#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Application forms are available at the entrance of the church. Please complete and place in the collection basket or drop off at the office. Once received Fr Andrew 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 Father Andrew or check the Vocations tab on the Hamilton Diocese website <a href="https://www.hamiltondiocese.com">www.hamiltondiocese.com</a>

#### 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 the funeral must be confirmed by the Pastor.

#### FUNERAL RECEPTIONS

Remember that the Parish Hall is available for reception after a funeral.

### **SCENT FREE AIR**

Some people are sensitive or allergic to scents and fragrances. Please be mindful when you are getting ready to attend church

## **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

## <u>Liturgical Calendar</u>

## Monday, April 8

7:00pm

The Annunciation of the Lord

## Tuesday, April 9

Adoration 6:00pm

Mass 7:00pm

Intentions for the Birthright volunteers offered by

Ethel Fintas

## Wednesday, April 10

Mass 8:30am

~ All Souls in Purgatory ~

## Thursday, April 11

8:45am

†Rafael & Maria Ventura offered by the family

## Good Friday, April 12

8:30am

†Joe Miller offered by Anna Cusack

## Saturday, April 13

5:00pm

†Jack Vilaca offered by Maria Gloria Vilaca & family

## Sunday, April 14

Mass 9:30am

~ All Our Parishioners ~

## We Are Stewards

Weekend Contributions	. \$3	,650.00
Building Fund	\$	245.00
Share Lent	. \$	105.00
Needs for the Holy Land	\$	761.25
Flower Donations	\$	95.00



Thank you to all volunteers

who helped with the Easter

Triduum

## Thought for the week

II Sunday of Easter, Sunday of Divine Mercy April 7, 2024 ACTS 4:32-35; PS 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 JN 5:1-6; JN 20:19-31

On this second Sunday of Easter, we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday. We celebrate this feast today since God's mercy was shared with us through the resurrection of Jesus. To put it simply, today, we are celebrating Jesus' merciful love for us and how we can partake in it. No matter where we are on our journey as a disciple of Christ, we are all in need of God's merciful love. There are countless times throughout our day when we miss the mark. For instance, we might fail to respond in kind to our spouse or kids, fall into gossip in our workday, or even forget to think positively of others. These shortcomings call us to humble ourselves and receive the unwavering mercy of God.

Jesus is Mercy itself. He was born into time to save us from sin. And to ensure His Mercy was always available to us, He gave us the Sacrament of Reconciliation. In our Gospel, Jesus encounters the apostles after the resurrection and says, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." Jesus gave us the gift of this sacrament because He wants to help us reach eternal life. He knows we cannot do it without His merciful love, and a resolve to do better and to follow Him more faithfully.

Today, may we recall the precious gift God has given to us through His Son — Mercy itself. May we never forget that, with a contrite heart and a resolution to do better, God is always willing to forgive.

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## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION



For all of those wishing to have their children fulfill the Sacrament of First Holy Communion and First Reconciliation. *DATES TO NOTE* 

Retreat Day and Reconciliation—Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 am to 1:00pm (snack will be provided)

Rehearsal – Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm -8:00pm Celebration – Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am Mass

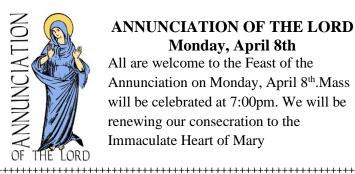
## ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH



## Liturgical Calendar Sunday, April 14 Mass 11:30am ~ All Our Parishioners ~

## We Are Stewards

Weekend Contributions	\$ 677.35
Share Lent	. \$50.00
Needs of the Church/Holy Lands	\$145.00



## ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD Monday, April 8th

All are welcome to the Feast of the Annunciation on Monday, April 8th. Mass will be celebrated at 7:00pm. We will be renewing our consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

## **BULLETINS BY E-MAIL**

In order to save on printing costs, the Parish office will be emailing the bulletin to all those that provided an email address. If you do not wish to receive the bulletin via email, please let the office know. We will still have printed copies for distribution at weekend masses.

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### **VOCATIONS RECOGNITION DINNER 2024**

The Serra Club of Hamilton invites you to gather on Wednesday, May 15, 2024 at Liuna Station to celebrate the service of our Priests, Religious Brothers and Sisters, Permanent Deacons and Consecrated Virgins Living in the World. Doors open at 6:00pm. Tickets are \$90 per person. Please contact serrahamilton1965@gmail.com for tickets and more information. Co-sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton.



## SAVE THE DATE CWL COMMUNION BREAKFAST

The CWL are having their Annual Communion Breakfast on Sunday April 28th at 10:45 at the Burford Golf Club.

## **BISHOP CROSBY VISIT**

On Sunday June 16th Bishop Crosby will be coming to St. Anthony Daniel's Parish for 11:30 Mass.



## 40 CANS for LENT

Thank you to all the parishioners made the Knights of



Columbus' 40 Cans of Lent food drive for St. Vincent de Paul such a success. Some 600 lbs. of food were donated.

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## **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY** April 7<sup>th</sup>

Holy Hour 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Divine Mercy Sunday is a feast day is observed in the Roman Rite calendar, as well as some Anglo-Catholics of the Church of England.



On May 5, 2000, Pope Saint John Paul II decreed that the Second Sunday of Easter, the Octave of Easter, would be known as Divine Mercy Sunday. The feast was established by the pope after he canonized Saint Faustina, a humble Polish nun to whom Jesus revealed his message of divine mercy. The Second Sunday of Easter concludes the Octave of Easter.

## SOLAR ECLIPSE April 8th

No matter where you are **NEVER LOOK DIRECTLY AT THE PARTIAL ECLIPSE** without protective eyewear, or you could risk permanent eye damage.



In Toronto, the eclipse will

begin at 2:05 PM and reach a maximum coverage (99%) at about 3:20 PM, then end at 4:41 PM.

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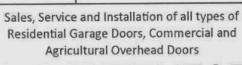
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