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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 www.hamiltondiocese.com

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 the 8:30am Mass.

1st Saturday of every month is Mass at 9:00am followed by the Rosary and Confession.

Sacrament of Reconciliation is on

Saturday 4:15-4:45pm

Liturgical Calendar

Monday, September 30th

No Mass

Tuesday, October 1st

Adoration 6:00pm Mass 7:00pm †John Longo offered by Ritter Family

Wednesday, October 2nd

The Holy Guardian Angels
Mass 8:30am
~All Souls in Purgatory~

Thursday, October 3rd

Mass 8:45am †Emily Eaton offered by Ritter Family

Friday, October 4th

St. Francis of Assisi Mass 8:30am

followed by adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
†Michael Hopwood offered
by SSVP Particular Council

Saturday, October 5th

9:00am mass

followed by Rosary and Confession Mass 5:00pm

†Jack Vilaca offered by Maria Gloria Vilaca & Family

Sunday, October 6th

Mass 9:30

~ All Our Parishioners ~

We Are Stewards

Weekend Contributions.....\$1,435.00

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

NM 11:25-29; PS 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14; JAS 5:1-6; MK 9:38-43, 45, 47-48 In our readings this week, Eldad, Medad, and the man driving out demons were all doing the work of God. They had been entrusted with a gift and used it to glorify the Lord. Joshua and John should have responded in joy and appreciation for another's gifts and talents.

We oftentimes look at another's strengths as our weakness whether it be in parish life, in the workforce, or even in our own families.

Jesus is calling us to cut out those sinful thoughts and attitudes from our lives. The next time we witness someone being a good steward of God's gifts — rejoice! And continue to examine how you are using your gifts and talents to ensure you are being a good steward of what God has entrusted to you.

We do not want to end up like the rich in our Second Reading from St. James. They stored up their riches to the point where they withheld wages from their workers! They clenched tightly to the pleasures and luxuries that the world offers and put it in front of both God and their neighbor. They misused the gifts God bestowed on them.

We must keep this in perspective as we journey on our path as Christian stewards. We do not live for this life, but for the next.

He has given us time every day, countless talents, and numerous treasures. Are we using them for His glory? This week when we witness other people in our lives using the gifts God has given to them, instead of becoming jealous or critical, say a prayer of thanksgiving and take time to reflect on what God has gifted you and how you can offer it to Him for His glory.



"Volunteers Needed: Once a month from October to May to assist with the Rosary program at Blessed Sacrament School. If you can spare 1 hour each month to bring the love of the Rosary to our school, please contact the Parish office."

Prayer Line

If you are interested in helping out with our Prayer Line please give the office a call.



ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH



Liturgical Calendar
Sunday Mass 11:30am
~All Our Parishioners~

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The Hamilton Catholic Physicians Guild

Wondering how to live your faith as a medical student, staff physician, or health care professional? This is the big challenge in today's secular society, especially in medicine, where we are confronted regularly with ethical dilemmas in end-of-life care, freedom of conscience and the intersection of the Catholic Faith and clinical health care practice.

The Hamilton Catholic Physicians Guild comprises a welcoming group of physicians and health care professionals, who invite you to join us, attend presentations we host, and participate in discussions pertaining to medical ethical issues, spiritual and social events. In addition, our society offers educational opportunities to attend retreats and conferences which provide a great venue for partnership.

Those interested, please contact Dr. Anne Niec (nieca@mcmaster.ca) or Dr, David Chan (dchan@mcmaster.ca).

Flyers and advertising in church fover

If you have something that you think the church should share at the back table please let the office know ahead of time. Thank you.

Harvest Mass

On October 6th we will be having a Harvest Mass. You are welcome to bring in any Harvest items to be blessed.

The Sacred Heart Catholic Youth Ministry Group in Paris ON., is hosting a FREE NET Canada Youth Retreat on Sunday October 6th, starting with a Youth-led mass at a 11am and wrapping up at 7pm. 60 youth in grades 7-12 are welcome to attend.

Lunch and dinner are included.

The retreat theme is UNDERLYING TRUTH: In a world where our identity is being shaped both positively and negatively by others, how can we find a stable self-worth? In this event, we'll explore how we are unconditionally seen, known, and loved by God and can be sure of our value through him.

Please register before September 28th using this QR Code.

More information about NET Canada Retreats can be found on

their website and poster displayed in your church. Hope to see you there!



Forward Together in Christ

This book was formed to assist the Bishop of Hamilton discern the best way to move forward after recent struggles and limitations. There are booklets available at the back of the church. On page 24 and 25 there are some practical suggestions given to help us move forward on a Parish level. We are asked to pick 3 areas that you feel our Parish should work on. Please put your suggestions in the suggestion box at the back of the church. (anonymous)

Confirmation

Confirmation this year will be held on Wednesday November 20th. Letters have gone out to the students with more details. Registration must be in by October 4th.

Life Chain is a prayerful and peaceful witness to the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death. On Sunday, October 6th, for one hour from 2-3 pm, you are invited to join together along St. Paul Ave. and King George Rd. between St. George St. and Wood St., together with hundreds of other locations across North America, as a silent and prayerful witness to the inherent dignity of every human being. Signs will be available at the corner of St. Paul Ave. and St. George St. as well as at Wood St. Please set aside an hour of your Sunday to defend the unborn.

PUT ON YOUR DANCING SHOES AND COME JOIN US FOR SOME FUN!!!

All Saints Harvest Dance

Fundraiser

Mark Friday October 25th in your calendar 7pm-10pm. We will be having Line dancing lessons here in Blessed Sacrament Hall with Joan Minnery. All ages are welcome. It cost \$5 at the door. Hot Dogs, Snacks and Refreshments will be available to purchase.



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