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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 12-5pm, Wednesday 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

Tuesday: 6:00pm to 6:45pm, 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

March 8, 2026

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 (Relics of St. John Paul II. special family intentions) followed by the Rosary and Confession.

Sacrament of Reconciliation is on Tuesday 6-6:45pm. and Saturday 4:15-4:45pm

Liturgical Calendar

Monday, March 9, 2026

No Mass

Tuesday, March 10, 2026

Adoration & Confessions 6:00pm.

Mass 7:00pm.

†Alma Bella Sandejas-Agtane
offered by Camille Ortega

Wednesday, March 11, 2026

Mass 8:30am.

~All Souls in Purgatory~

Thursday, March 12, 2026

Mass 8:45am.

Welcome Blessed Sacrament School
Intentions of Allan Bolano
offered by Arlene Bolano

Friday, March 13, 2026

Mass 8:30am.

†Clotilde Mendes offered by
Julio & Margarita Fernandes
Stations of the Cross 7:00pm

Saturday, March 14, 2026

Mass 5:00pm

†Harold & Judy Fader offered by Doreen Fader

Sunday, March 15, 2026

Mass 9:30am

~ All Our Parishioners ~

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK

EX 17:3-7; PS 95:1-2, 6-9; ROM 5:1-2, 5-8;
JN 4:5-42 OR JN 4:5-15, 19B-26, 39A, 40-42

Today's readings for this Third Sunday of Lent center on the theme of thirst, reminding us that a stewardship way of life both satisfies our own longing for Christ and helps us respond to Christ's thirst for souls.

In our first reading from Exodus, the Israelites complain in their thirst for water, despite all God has done to free them from slavery. Yet when Moses cries out for help, God provides abundantly, bringing water from the rock to satisfy His people. The Lord's generosity did not end there. He continues to provide for us today, patiently meeting our needs again and again.

In today's Gospel, we hear the powerful encounter between Jesus and the Samaritan woman at the well, beginning with His simple request: "Give me a drink." He then tells her that He can offer living water — water that truly satisfies.

These words speak directly to us as well. Christ asks us to "give Him a drink" by sharing the gifts we have received with Him and with others for His sake. Yet it is Christ Himself who fills us, offering the living water of His grace.

God invites each of us to play a part in bringing others to Him through a stewardship way of life. This Lent, may we respond to that invitation with renewed commitment, offering our time, talent, and treasure so that many may come to know Christ. In doing so, we help to quench His thirst for souls.



40 Cans for Lent

The Knights of Columbus are running their annual "40 Cans For Lent" at both Blessed Sacrament and St. Anthony Daniel Church. Donations can be dropped off in the foyers of both churches. Please be as generour as possible. The need is great! Thank you!



Income Tax Receipts

Blessed Sacrament Parish income tax receipts for 2025 have been mailed out. Please let the office know if you have any questions.



We Are Stewards

Weekend Contributions.....\$1,474.10

ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH



Liturgical Calendar

NOTE: There will be no 11:30am Sunday Mass on March 15th at St. Anthony Daniel. Everyone is invited to join us for the Retreat at Blessed Sacrament Church.

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Weekend Contributions\$310.00

World Day of Prayer

Sunday March 8th at 2:00pm at Oakland- Scotland Community Church. Everyone is invited to join them.

Meetings

C.W.L- Wednesday, March 18th @ 5:30pm in the hall.

C.W.L. Soup Day

Join us for our next Soup day on Tuesday March 17th in the Blessed Sacrament Hall. 11:30am-1:30pm Everyone is welcome! Free will offering appreciated.



Reel Justice Film Festival Join us for our March screening of *Living on One Dollar*. Four college students from the United States travelled to rural Guatemala to live on just \$1 a day for two months. They battled hunger, parasites, and the realization that there are no easy answers to solving extreme poverty. Yet, the generosity and strength of their neighbors left them a resilient optimism. \$56 for 56 days, how would you survive? There is no discussion with this screening. Watch the film any time once you receive the link on March 26th. Registration required. Register and view our full schedule of events at: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/reel-justice-film-festival/> A partnership between the Bishop Farrell Library & Archives and Development and Peace – Caritas Canada, the Reel Justice Film Festival shines a spotlight on issues of social, political, and economic injustices.

First Holy Communion



For all of those wishing to have their children fulfill the Sacrament of First Communion and First Reconciliation, please fill out a registration form and return it with a copy of their baptism certificate before March 12th. You are asked to attend one of the following information meeting- **Wednesday March 11th**, 6:30-7:30pm or **Saturday March 14th**, 11:00am-12:00pm. Other dates to save are: Workshops on **Saturday March 28th** 11:00am-1:00pm, **April 25th** 10:30am-1:00pm and **Friday May 1st**. Rehearsal **First Holy Communion May 2nd and 3rd, 2026**

Parish Lenten Retreat

The Season of Lent



Come join us for our Lenten Retreat with Father Adam Filas March 14-17th.

Saturday 14, 5:00pm mass

Sunday 15th, 9:30am mass,

Coffee and refreshments after.

Monday 16th, 5:30 Sacrament of

Reconciliation followed by a Mass.

Several Priest will be here to assist us.

Tuesday 17th, 7:00pm Mass

There will be a second collection on the weekend 14/15th for the Mission expenses, thank you for your support.

Looking for Support for your Marriage – Does your marriage feel like it is more trouble than joy, does it feel stagnant, or disconnected? Is it causing you constant stress? The solution is Retrouvaille – whose one purpose is to help couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. This is a practical program, where sharing is not required except between the couple themselves. It is designed to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. This is for struggling couples, including those who may be considering separation or divorce. The next Retrouvaille weekend is March 13-15, 2026. Call 905-664-5212 or email 1013r@helpourmarriage.org.



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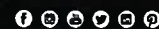
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