ST ANTHONY DANIEL ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT ~ DECEMBER 7 & 8, 2019

Please Consider Signing Up for the Electronic Bulletin - Contact the Office Today!

Mass Times
Our Lord's Day: Sat 5pm,
Sun 8:30 & 10:30am
Weekdays: Tues 7pm,
Wed-Fri: 8am

Sacraments
For Baptisms, Marriages, and Communion to the Sick, contact the office or visit our website

Confession Times
Tuesday: 6-6:45pm
Saturday: 3:30-4:30pm

Parish Office Hours
Mon-Thurs:
9:30am-12:00pm
1:00pm-4:00pm
Fri:
9:30am-12:00pm
1:00pm-3:30pm

Parish Schools
St. Daniel
Saint John Paul II
Canadian Martyrs
St. Mary's High School

Mass Intentions
Located in our narthex

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New To Our Parish?
Welcome! We're glad you're here! To register, fill out the form on the Welcome Desk or online

Connect With Us:
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SUNDAY HOMILIES

Did you miss Mass last weekend?

Are you trying to remember that great line from Father's homily?

Do you want to share Father's homily with friends or family?

We are now uploading Father Tim's Homilies (in audio version) on our website each week:

stanthonydaniel.ca/homilies

THANK YOU!

Our parish bazaar was a huge success!

The Catholic Women's League of our parish extends a huge "**Thank You!**" to all our parishioners for YOUR contributions and continued support for our Annual Bazaar.

Monies raised will benefit charities locally and nationally.

Your generosity is appreciated!

FR TIM UPDATE

As Catholics and disciples of Jesus Christ we have a constant companion in Our Lady. It is her sole desire to pray for us that we might be open to God's graces and draw closer to her son, Jesus Christ. In the season of Advent, Mary takes on a uniquely important role. It is during Advent that we reflect upon her '*yes*' which allowed the Word of God to become incarnate in her womb. During Advent we also celebrate two very important feasts of Our Lady. On December 9 we celebrate the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception and on December 12 we celebrate Our Lady of Guadalupe. On both days we invite you to come to Mass at 8AM to celebrate Our Lady and her important role in our lives as Catholics.

BAMBINELLI SUNDAY

For the past several decades, the Pope has blessed the Baby Jesus figurines from Nativity Scenes that belong to families, and the families themselves, in St. Peter's Square in Rome.

The blessing takes place on Gaudete Sunday, the third Sunday of Advent, and is known as Bambinelli Sunday.

Bring your Baby Jesus figurine from your home to any of the Masses on the weekend of December 14th/15th to be blessed as we celebrate our own Bambinelli Sunday.

After the blessing, you are encouraged to take your 'Bambinelli' home and place it in a gift box, wrap the box and save it for Christmas.

Let this be the first gift opened on Christmas Day!

CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN – UPDATE!

Canadian Food for Children in Toronto has received sufficient support (financial and prayers, we are sure!) that normal operations are able to begin again.

This is wonderful news!

This means that the Herb Wittich Depot at 843 Guelph St., Kitchener will re-open on Wed., Nov. 27 at 12:30PM and will resume the regular Wednesday and Thursday openings from 12:30 to 3PM. Thank you for all your past support.

For more information, please visit: canadianfoodforchildren.net

CFFC
Canadian Food For Children

MASS INTENTIONS

December 9 – 8AM	Protection of the Unborn
December 10 – 7PM	Tiziano Parisotto, Kay Schagena, Intention of the Hartleib and Rainford Families
December 11 – 8AM	Fortunat and Margaret Poirier
December 12 – 8AM	Rick Schuster
December 13 – 8AM	Peter Nhi Vu
December 14 – 9AM	Teresa Dong Dinh
December 14 – 5PM	Maria and Vincenzo Romano, Josephine Graci, Mijo Suljak, Stefan Koenig, Kurt Sommer, Lina Milani, Bill & Elecia Walton
December 17 – 7PM	Maria Eduarda Teixeira, Ena Luke, Aldric Luke, Alan MacKenzie
December 18 – 8AM	Peter Nhi Vu
December 19 – 8AM	Louise and Hubert Feeney
December 20 – 8AM	Intention of Joan Masters
December 21 – 9AM	Georgette Fortier
December 21 – 5PM	Colleen Kavanaugh, Deceased members of the Livingstone Family, Lina Milani, John L. Runstedtler, Ed Cerant, Charles Burns, Salvatore Graci, Lina Milani
December 26 – 8AM	Luke Oliveira
December 27 – 8AM	Mary McCrohan
December 28 – 5PM	Eugenio Aidullo, Angelita Carine and Ninfa, T J Dy Medina, Rita and Antonio Arruda, Luke Oliveira
January 2 – 8 AM	Peter Nhi Vu
January 3 – 8AM	Joyce Shewchuk and Reverend Bob Walz
January 4 – 5 PM	Madalena and Jose Cardoso Melo, Salvatore Graci, Christina and Jake Canhoto

Advent Confession Times

Tuesday, December 10	6:00PM – 6:45PM
Saturday, December 14	9:30AM – 10:30AM 3:30PM – 4:30PM
Tuesday, December 17	6:00PM – 6:45PM
Saturday, December 21	9:30AM – 10:30AM 3:30PM – 4:30PM
Tuesday, December 24	9:00AM – 10:30AM

Christmas MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve ~ December 24	5PM 7:30PM 10PM
Christmas Day ~ December 25	8:30 AM 10:30AM
Feast of the Holy Family December 28/29	5PM 8:30AM 10:30AM
Feast of Mary, Mother of God December 30/January 1	5PM 8:30AM 10:30AM

UPCOMING DIOCESAN EVENTS

FRIDAY NIGHT SUPPORT GROUP FOR PERSONS SEPARATED OR DIVORCED -
Would it help you to have people around you to understand what you're going through? Would you like to hear some ideas that will encourage you and help you to develop new ways of coping with the stresses in your life?
The Hamilton Diocesan Support Group meets the **1st and 3rd Friday** of each month and they can help! No need to register just come and join us at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West, Hamilton from **7 – 9PM** For more information call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. There is NO COST, but great learning, caring and support!

HEALING AFTER AN ABORTION: IT IS POSSIBLE - Caring hearts are available to help you deal with the difficult feelings that often come after an abortion. At **Project Rachel** we offer a confidential service allowing people to work through their feelings and find hope and healing. Please contact us at 905-526-1999 o*r toll free at 1-888-385-3850.*

UPCOMING LOCAL EVENTS

AREA ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES 2019

Monday, December 9th

7:30 pm St Louis Church, Waterloo

Tuesday, December 10th

7:00 pm St. Agatha Church, St. Agatha

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Wednesday, December 11th

6:30 pm St. Aloysius Church, Kitchener

7:00 pm St. Mary of the Seven Sorrows Church, Kitchener

7:00 pm St. Joseph Church, Kitchener

Thursday, December 12th

7:30 pm Our Lady of Lourdes, Waterloo

Wednesday, December 18th

7:00 pm St. Teresa of Avila Church, Elmira

7:00 pm St. Anne Church, Kitchener

7:00 pm Blessed Sacrament Church, Kitchener

UPCOMING EVENTS AT OUR PARISH

Mass for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception	Monday, December 9th ~ 8AM
Intermediate Youth Ministry	Tuesday, December 10 ~ 7PM – 9PM
Under 20 Youth Choir Practices *We are preparing for Christmas Eve!*	Wednesday, December 11 & 18 ~ 6PM – 7PM
Confirmation Meeting	Thursday, December 12 ~ 7PM – 8PM
Bambinelli Sunday	Weekend Masses December 13/14 Bring your baby Jesus figurine
KW Catholic Moms Group	Wednesday, December 18 – 10 AM
Office Closing Early	On Friday, December 20th, the parish office will be closing early (11:30AM) as our staff gathers for a Christmas Meal.
55+ Soup with Fr. Tim	On Thursday, January 16th all 55+ members of our parish are invited to a free soup lunch and conversation with Fr. Tim.
Trivia Through the Decades *(80's-Today!)*	Friday, January 17th, 7PM-9PM - Adults Only Trivia Night
Ministry Retreat – *"Come Away and Rest"*	Saturday, Feb. 8, 2020 ~ 9AM – 1:00 including lunch Speaker: Fr. Tim Theriault ~ Stay tuned for more information