

Most Precious Blood Roman Catholic Parish

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Office Hours

Tuesday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon 12:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:30 a.m. and 11:15 a.m.

Reconciliation

Saturday: 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Also by appointment.

Baptisms

Celebrated during the Masses on the 1st Sunday of each month. Please call the office.

Marriage

Contact Father Greg one year in advance to book an appointment.

Sunday Friends

Every Sunday from September to June during the 11:15 a.m. Mass.

Vocations

If you are discerning a call to Priesthood, permanent deaconate or religious life, please contact Father Greg at the parish office.

Sunday, April 7th 2019 Fifth Sunday of Lent

Father Gregory J. Bonin, Pastor
Father David Johnston, Associate Pastor
Rev. Mr. Daniel Lemire, Deacon
Mrs. Christine Coyle, Coordinator of Youth Ministry
Mrs. Liz Desmarais, Secretary
Mrs. Carol Lemire, Custodian / Maintenance Manager

Dear Parishioners of Most Precious Blood Parish,

<u>This Year's Diocesan Day of Confessions</u> will take place this <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>April 10th</u>.

Confession times and parishes are as follows: 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Most Precious Blood Church. 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. 7:00 p.m. -8:00 p.m. Most Precious Blood Church. There will be four priests available. Father Capitano, Father Janisse, Father David and myself.

Thank you to the members of our Parish Finance and Social Justice Committees for their presentations last weekend. Both presentations were Good News. Also, thank you to all for their donations to Development and Peace on this Solidarity Sunday. Many thanks to the Social Justice committee for their display this year. It was very well received and the students really enjoyed reading it after their weekday mass.

<u>Please note:</u> On Saturday April 20th there will be no 5:00 p.m. Mass, rather Easter Vigil Mass will begin at 7:00 p.m. Also, On Easter Sunday, April 21st, the Mass schedule will be 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. The 11:30 a.m. Mass times changes pertains ONLY to Easter Vigil Saturday and Easter Sunday.

Reminder: Stations of the Cross each Tuesday during Lent at 6:15 p.m. Father Greg

Earish Mission Statement

CENTERED IN CHRIST, WE ARE A WELCOMING COMMUNITY SHARING OUR TALENTS AND GOODNESS, JOYFULLY CELEBRATING AND REACHING OUT TO ALL.



MASS INTENTIONS April 8th - April 12th

Monday No Mass

Tues. 7 PM - Aldo Laino - Gina Mancini

Yvette Leroux – Gilles & Colette
Pilon Family – Gilles & Colette

- Trudy – *Willa*

Wed. 8:30 AM - Leticia Cabangon - Cedar Family

- Fr. Al Williams - Gilles & Colette

- Carmen Lafleur - Gilles & Colette

- Intentions of Margaret Hart – Mary & Pat

Thurs. 8:30 AM - Ferucio Zanier - Gisella Feregotto

- Pat & Loretta Lauzon - Darlene

- Carole Spoiala – Ted & Judy O'Gorman

- Anna Ferrera - Frank & Giannina Gualtier

Friday 8:30 AM - Aurelio Pupulin - Egidia & Pietro Zanon

- Intentions of Tremonti Family

- Pearl Walsh - Joseph, Tammy & Penny

- Charles McDearmid - Daughter Charmaine



Mon. Apr. 8th - 6:30 PM Play Practice

Tues. Apr. 9th - 1 PM Intercessory Prayers

- 6:15 PM Stations - 6:15 PM Blessed

- 7:30 PM Fatal Flaws

Wed. Apr. 10th Confession

- 10:30 AM - 1:30 PM MPB

- 3 – 5 PM OLOG

- 7 – 8 PM MPB

Thurs. Apr. 11th - 1 PM Quilting

- 6 PM Baptism Prep.

- 6:45 PM Parish Council

Fri. Apr.12th - 1 PM Rosary Preborn

- 6:30 PM Youth Stations

"I love being Catholic because I love knowing that holiness is possible for me." Natalie Gunawan

Youth Ministry News! Jeff Martyniuk Scholarship

We have a new scholarship that has been designed to assist a grade 12 student to help them continue with their post-secondary studies. It is available for a student who may have struggled because of financial and/or personal challenges and this limited their ability to concentrate fully on their studies. The benefactor will be a person that can provide evidence of how they have overcome adversity and have worked to the best of their ability throughout their high school journey. Please see Christine for details and the criteria form

Family Event "Living Stations of the Cross"

This year all are welcome to the "Living Stations of the Cross" performed by our young people on Friday, April 12th beginning at 6:30pm. Refreshments served following the presentation.

Good Friday Family 11AM Service

This year our youth will be leading our parish community in the Passion Play at the 11am Family Service on Good Friday. This service is geared to families. All are welcome to join us for this most Holy service.

Alpha Spring Session

What is Alpha? Alpha is a series of interactive sessions exploring the basics of the Christian faith. Each session looks at a different question and is designed to create conversation. There's no pressure, no charge; it's just an open, informal, and honest space to explore and discuss life's big questions together. First we start with food, and then show the video, after the video is time for the small group discussion and then dessert! Here are the details for this upcoming Alpha...

When: Thursday evenings beginning on Thursday, April 25th until June 27th, 2019. **Time**: 6:15-8:15pm (dinner served at 6:30pm) Who is it for: Adults, teens, young adults, seniors, people of deep faith, people with no faith...anyone!

What is it: Dinner, talk, discussion, new friendships

To register or if you have any questions please contact Christine Coyle at ccoyle@dol.ca.

The New Evangelization Summit 2019

When: Saturday, May 4th 2019

Time: Doors open at 8:15am. Summit begins at 8:45am-4:30pm (light breakfast and lunch will be served).

Where: Most Precious Blood Parish is the Host

Site for this year's Summit **Who**: 18 years and older

Cost: No charge Tickets available at

www.newevangelizationion.ca

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was \$4,938.35

Direct Deposit(avg. per week) \$1,290.00

Total Collection \$6,228.35

Thank you for your generosity.

World Youth Day Walking Pilgrimage

The Diocese of London/ Vocations Office and the Parish of Families is hosting a first "World Youth Day Walking Pilgrimage". This is a response to many who could not make this year's World Youth Day in Panama. The date of this event is Saturday, April 27th. We will begin at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish @ 11:30am, walk to STS. Cyril & Methodius, St. Theresa and conclude with mass, dinner & evening of Praise here at Most Precious Blood. To find more info and register please contact either Christine Coyle at ccoyle@dol.c or Father Patrick Beneteau at vocations@dol.ca.

This is for youth, families and parishioners of all ages. It is a great opportunity to celebrate World Youth Day locally!

Easter Memorial Flowers/Decorations

As we prepare for Easter, we once again remember in a special way our loved ones who have died. If you wish your loved one(s) to once again be remembered in this year's Memorial, I ask that you please use the "Easter Flower" envelope in your offertory envelope boxes. Along with your donation, please place the names of the deceased and donors names (please print clearly) along with your desired donation and drop off in the Sat/Sun collection. All must be submitted by April 12th. All names will be published in our Easter bulletin.

FATAL FLAWS

A viewing of Fatal Flaws will be on Tuesday, April 9th at 7:30pm. This documentary examines the truths about euthanasia also known at medically assistance in dying. All are invited to attend.

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