



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 diaconate
or religious life, please contact Father
Greg at the parish office.

Sunday, April 24th, 2016
Fifth Sunday of Easter

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

Dear Parishioners,

2015 Parish Financial Update

Next weekend, April 30th/May 1st, a member of the Parish Finance Committee will be giving a Good News story at all the Masses. Thank you to all the parishioners who contribute to the building up of our parish both spiritually and financially.

This coming Thursday, I give thanks to Almighty God as I celebrate my 26th anniversary to the Priesthood of Jesus Christ.

It is a joy and a privilege to serve the people of Most Precious Blood Parish during my stay here.

Our Parish is one vibrant, enthusiastic and Eucharistic Community of Faith!

May God continue to shower us with His abundant Graces and Blessings.

Please note: This coming Friday, April 29th, our weekday Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. and not 8:30 a.m. Everyone is invited to come out to celebrate the Sacrament of the Sick with our seniors and enjoy a nice luncheon following mass.

Refugee Update

An update on our Refugee Family will be given very soon to all parishioners. Please stay tuned.

God Bless,
Father Greg

Parish Mission Statement

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



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS

April 25th – April 29th

- Monday - No Mass
- Tuesday 7 PM - Antonio Bortolin – *Navina*
- Rina Piccinin – *Carmela Angione*
- Rita Leveque – *Noela Hodgins*
- Marie E. Young - *Family*
- Wed. 8:30 AM - Antoinette Buratto – *Noreen Renaud*
- Girlie Gallego Arguelles – *Gallego Family*
- Stefan Hrinkanic – *Bagin Family*
- Thurs. 8:30 AM - Nick Kriz – *Frank & Rita Coletto*
- Sr. Eileen Marie Hunter – *Noela Hodgins*
- Toni Maceyovski – *Joanne & Noreen*
- Friday 11 AM - Melanie & Peter Zvidrs – *Anna & Mary*
- Rozalia Upenieks – *Anna & Mary Grizan*
- Genoeffa & Joseph Zeps – *Anna & Mary*



- Mon. April 25th - 6:30 PM Youth Group
- Tues. April 26th - 1 PM Knit for Missions
- 5 PM Social Justice
- 6:30 PM Holy Face Devotion
- Wed. April 27th - 1 PM Intercessory Prayers
- 7:30 PM Prayer Group
- Thurs. April 28th - 1 PM Quilters
- 6PM Choir Practice
- Fri. April 29th - 11 AM Senior Mass
- 1 PM Rosary Unborn

“The soul is in God and God in the soul, just as the fish is in the sea and the sea in the fish.”

St. Catherine of Siena

Youth Ministry Update

As the nice weather approaches, many people get involved in other activities, we will be slowing down our youth ministry events here at Most Precious Blood.

Here are the dates of events for the upcoming months (mark your calendar):

Monday, May 9th Youth Group Night- Grades 5 through 8 (6:30-8pm)

Friday, May 20th Youth Dance

Monday, June 6th Youth Group Night- Grades 5 through 8 (6:30-8pm)

Friday, June 17th Youth Dance

Altaration: The Mystery of the Mass Revealed

All teens are welcome to come to our Altaration Teen Sessions the next 4 Saturdays. We will meet at mass and then gather in the hall for dinner. After dinner we will begin our sessions. Sessions include dynamic videos from some of our top Catholic speakers and small group discussions. Sessions should last until approximately 8:15pm. These sessions will help your teen grow deeper in their faith and learn more about what we do at Mass & why. Please encourage your teen to come out. Our 5th session will be a learning mass and this will be scheduled at another time.

Saturday, April 23rd ,Saturday, April 30th ,May, 7th May 14th

Most Precious Blood Feast Day Weekend

Mark your calendar!

Our Feast Day Weekend falls on May 27, 28 & 29th There will be a full weekend of events, prayer and fun planned. Here is a glimpse of what’s happening:

Year of Mercy Mass with an outdoor Eucharist procession, Spring Dinner & Dance and our annual outdoor BBQ & Picnic with lots of activities for young and old!

SENIOR MASS/SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

You are invited to join us on Friday, April 29th at 11 am for Mass followed by lunch. Please call the office at 519-948-4133 if you plan to attend so that we may prepare adequately for lunch and transportation.

5th ANNUAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE RISE UP WOMEN OF TRUTH

Theme: Daughters of Mercy

Join us Saturday, May 7th at Holy Name of Jesus, Essex. Keynote speaker is Kimberley Hahn. Ticket prices are \$30 for adults and \$20 for students. Please call Lori at 519-776-7377 to register or for more information.

CHURCH CHUCKLE

A little girl was sitting on her Grandmother's knee, as she read her a bedtime story. From time to time the little girl took her eyes off the book and reached up to stroke her Grandmother's wrinkled cheeks. Then stroked her own cheek. Finally she said, "Grandma, Did God make you?" Yes Grandma replied. "God made me" Then the little girl asked "Did God make me?" "Yes" her Grandmother replied "God did make you" There was a pause before the little girl said "Getting better isn't he?"

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was	\$5,269.00
Direct Deposit (avg. per week)	\$ 1,281.25
Total Collection	\$6,550.25

**Building fund collection last week was
\$865.00**

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

**Building fund collection year to date is
\$7,400.25**

Grade 8 Fest

Please keep our grade 8's in your prayers on Tuesday, April 26th as we head to Sarnia for a day of leadership & faith activities. We have 6 spots left on our bus... if you have a grade 8 who may be interested please contact Christine by Monday April 25th ccoyle@dol.ca.

HIGH TEA

The 8th Annual Parish High Tea is on Sunday, May 1st. Tickets are \$12.00 for adults and \$8.00 for children 8 and under. Tickets will be on sale after all masses or in the office during the week.

COUPON BOOK

The CWL is selling the Windsor's 2016 Bestseller Coupon Book. Check it out in the hall after masses or in the office during the week. The book sells for \$40.00 with over \$2,000 worth of saving coupons towards dining, sports, eateries, and entertainment.

BURSARIES

The Catholic Women's League is once again offering Bursaries to Post-Secondary female members of our parish. Please check the CWL bulletin board in the narthex for more information.

MOTHER'S DAY

SILENT VIGIL AND WALK

Join us on Mother's Day, May 8th as we gather to remember the tragic victims of abortion who have met their horrific death within our local abortuary. We will gather at Immaculate Heart Parish Hall, 2153 Parkwood Ave. at 2:15 pm.

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL


Join us on Tuesday, April 26th at 7 pm Mass for the feast day of Our Lady of Good Counsel, the CWL patroness.

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