

Most Precious Blood Roman Catholic Parish

Parish Office

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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, August 13th, 2017 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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,

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).

Do you know of someone who is interested in becoming Catholic? The RCIA process is a journey of faith discovery. Each week, participants learn an aspect of our Catholic faith and are given the tools to discern how God is working in their lives. This year, we will have a shared group of 5 Parishes participating together that will start October 11th and will be taking place here at Most Precious Blood Parish on Wednesday's from 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. Individuals from Most Precious Blood, Our Lady of Guadalupe, Parish of the Atonement, St. John Vianney and St. Theresa will enable people to journey together, ask questions, pray and understand more about our faith. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact myself, Father Greg, to set up an appointment and to begin the process.

<u>Please take special note:</u> THERE WILL BE NO WEEKDAY MASSES at Most Precious Blood for the week of August 21st-25th.

<u>I cannot thank the children enough</u> for responding to my plea to plaster "Father Greg's fridge" with their wonderful art in expressing their thoughts on how beautiful the Kingdom of God is! Soon all will see a picture of it at Church:

God Bless you all during these summer months, 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 August 14th – August 18th

Monday - No Mass

Tuesday 7 PM - Giovanni, Aldo, Gino Vogrig – Lascak

-Bruno Bianchini — *Ennio & Lidia* - Elery Laporte — *Paula Marcuzzi* - Don Momney — *Wife & Kids*

Wed. 8:30 AM - Florence & James Ferguson - Ray &

Veronica Tremblay

-Intentions of Maddyn Broad - Mary & Pat

- Eleanor Tremonti - Tullio

Thurs. 8:30 AM -Pat Iler(1st Ann.) – Doris & Family

- Kathleen Lane - Alice Harris

-Eugene Hood — Collavino Family

Friday 8:30 AM - For the People of Canada

-Jim Robinson – Rita Mulyrne

- Intentions of Gloria Napier – Mary & Pat Kennedy



MASS INTENTIONS August 21st – August 25th

Monday - No Mass

Tues. 7 PM - No Mass

Wed. 8:30 AM - No Mass

Thurs. 8:30 AM -No Mass

Fri. 8:30 AM - No Mass

Flight 2017 Bible Camp

It is with great joy to let our parish families know that our summer bible camp was a success. With over 60 children, 25 teen leaders and 5 amazing ladies we made it through the week stronger in our faith and stronger as a family. The children and teens who attended each day completed all the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy (they have a passport to prove it). Each day was a different adventure where we put our faith into action. Not only did we complete all the works of mercy, our dance team taught all of us the bible camp dance #. You can check out our dance # on YOUTUBE (put in the search space- God is on the Move (7eventhTime Down) Most Precious Blood Dance) or go to the parish Facebook page to check out not only the video, but all the pictures from the whole week of camp.

A huge thank you to all the teens that came out for two weeks (one week of training and one week of camp), without these teens caring for the children, sharing with the children and being there for them all week, the camp would not be able to happen. Also, to Cindy Marier, Mary Kennedy, Fran Koslowski Mary Kowalski and Melanie Mills; these ladies worked the kitchen to make all the snacks for the children and get the crafts ready each day. Believe me when I say that the kitchen work is not easy. I want you all to know how much I appreciate all your time and hard work you put into this year's camp. It didn't go unnoticed and I thank you from the bottom of my heart. And lastly to all the parents who signed their children up for camp. Thank you for entrusting myself and the bible camp leaders in taking care of your child this past week and leading them on a great adventure of faith.

Lost & Found (Bible Camp)

If your child attended this summer's bible camp and you noticed you are missing some of their things...there is a lost & found table in the foyer by the office.

Come to the Beloved Retreat

It's time to mark your calendars. offering again we are retreat experience at Oxley this November 17-19, 2017. Many of you couldn't schedule our May retreat due to commitments but other the fall wanted to to come offering.

We are excited to build on the success and momentum of our first retreat. Come and experience the beautiful grounds of Holy Family Retreat House, the people, good food and an opportunity to learn more about yourself while resting in the Holy Spirit.

This is a collaborative effort with St. Anne' Parish of Tecumseh and we each have 18 spaces available. A brochure that has a registration form on the back page is available in the main office.

Looking forward to spending the weekend with you.

Deacon Frank

Church Signs & Sayings

We may not be Dairy Queen, but we do have great Sundays!

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was \$5,397.00

Direct Deposit(avg. per week) \$ 1,435.00 Total Collection \$6,832.00

In the Footsteps of the Martyrs' Pilgrimage

Young adults ages 18-35 are especially invited to participate in a two-day pilgrimage in the footsteps of the Canadian Martyrs' leading up to our Diocesan Mass at the Martyrs Shrine, Midland, Ontario, on August 22 with Bishop Fabbro and Dabrowski. Participants under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent/guardian and those over 35 are welcome as well. The pilgrimage will begin at the Martyrs Shrine with an evening vigil, on Sunday, August 20. Monday morning we will visit Ste-Marie-among-the-Hurons and then head to the St. Louis mission and walk approx. 6kms to St. Ignace, the site of the martyrdom of St. Jean de Brébeuf and St. Gabriel de Lalement, where we will camp for the evening. Tuesday morning we begin the 14 km walk to the Martyrs' Shrine in time for the Diocesan Mass. Interested pilgrims are invited to contact Christine Coyle at ccoyle@dol.ca . Meals are provided with the exception of one breakfast. Cost is \$75. I would really love to take a group of young adults... so please if you are interested contact me asap!!!

Offertory Families

There are a few spots open on our offertory family schedule located on the ministry board in the narthex. We are encouraging new families to sign up for this ministry. It would be so awesome to have a different family each week. The next time the schedule will go up will be at the beginning of September. All you have to do is check your schedule for the next few months, pick a mass/ date and put your family name in that time slot. Thank you to all who have already signed up!

Altar Server Training

To all the really new Altar Servers and to any other child that would like to Altar Serve we are having an important training session on Wed. Aug. 30th from 6-7pm here at the church. Please let Christine know if your child will be attending at ccoyle@dol.ca.

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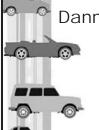
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