



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, December 25th, 2016 Christmas Day

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, visitors, neighbours and friends,
MERRY CHRISTMAS 2016.*

With deep joy and gratitude, I extend to you my prayerful
best wishes for a holy and blessed Christmas. During this
Advent Season, it has been my prayer that each of you
would find opportunities to reflect on your own faith and
relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ and His Church.
Whatever it is that our hearts and souls desire, whether
we realize it or not, our ultimate desire is Jesus Himself,
for this reason, we are filled with joy and consolation at
Christmas to know that all that we hoped for has been
fulfilled in the person of the Christ Child.

I received a Christmas card with this message: "This
Christmas, I wish you Jesus." On the inside it read: "Isn't
it nice to have everything!"
We are truly blessed to have everything in the Name of
Jesus.

*From the Parish Team and Parish Staff of Most
Precious Blood Parish we extend to you and your
families, A Merry Christmas.*

*May the Peace, Love and Joy of the Christ Child fill
your hearts and bring you light even in your darkest
days.*

Father Greg **Deacon Frank** Christine

Liz Carol

Parish Mission Statement

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



MASSSES OF THE WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS

December 26th – January 1st

Monday - No Mass
 Tuesday 7 PM - No Mass
 Wed. 8:30 AM - No Mass
 Thurs. 8:30 AM - No Mass
 Friday 8:30 AM - No Mass
 Saturday 5 PM - New Year's Eve
 Sunday 9:30 & 11:15 AM - New Year's Day

**Office Closed Monday, December 26th
 until Tuesday, January 3rd
 Office will re-open at 9AM on
 January 3, 2017**

Steubenville High School Conference the summer of 2017

We are already registered for our High School Conference in Steubenville, Ohio 2017! Our parish has 20 spots to fill. We will be sharing a bus with the Our Lady of Mr. Carmel Teen group too. The weekend of the conference is July 21, 22, & 23rd. This Conference is open to teens going into grade 9 through to graduating from grade 12. To hold a spot a \$50 deposit is required. This conference has to be one of the most powerful events that a teen can experience when it comes to their faith. I strongly recommend this conference to all families who have a teen.

Adult Steubenville Conference

Do you feel your faith needs a boost? Do you have questions about the Catholic Faith? Are you searching for your purpose and passion in the everyday and can't seem to find it? As adults, we care so much for our children and others that we often forget about ourselves. Steubenville offers a conference for adults to give us the spark and passion to live our faith and to share that faith with our families. If this is something you think you may be interested in going to, please see Christine Coyle or email her. The weekend of the adult conference is June 9, 10 & 11th 2017. More details will be coming.

"Nowhere in the world has so great a miracle occurred as in that little stable in Bethlehem; here God and man became one." Thomas A Kempis
 (German mystic, author of *The Imitation of Christ*)

On behalf of the youth ministry team here at Most Precious Blood we would like to wish you and your family a wonderful Christmas holiday. May the Lord continue to bless your families and that you continue to seek him out in your everyday. Please know that we are continuing to strive to minister to all youth and their families and that we are here for you if you need support or any resources. We know that families are busy and have a lot on their plates, and the youth ministry team want you to know that you are in our prayers. Also, we would like to thank all those who support youth ministry with prayers; it is very much appreciated. If you ever need to reach Christine Coyle the Coordinator of Youth Ministry, please contact her by email at ccoyle@dol.ca.

Youth Ministry News

There are different opportunities for your family within our youth ministry program here at Most Precious Blood. We are always trying different ways to give families and their children an encounter with Jesus. Youth group is a way for young people in grades 5 through 8 to come together, share in discussions, play some fun games, pray and make new friends on Monday nights. These meetings run from 6:30-8pm. There is no need to sign up or register. We will be resuming our meetings after the holidays on Monday, January 16th. We also have youth dances too! Our next dance is on Friday, January 13th from 7-10pm. The cost is \$5 at the door and snacks are available for purchase. Dances are open to students in grades 5 through 8. A teen program will be starting up in spring 2017! Keep checking the bulletin or our website for details.



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