

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, February 12th, 2017 Sixth 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,

<u>Last Saturday at the Knights of Columbus Awards</u>
<u>Dinner</u>, I was very happy to congratulate in the name of the Parish the following recipients for the following awards. Knight of the Year Award: Mr. Ray Tremblay Family of the Year Award: Mr. & Mrs. Chris & Tina Dunlop & Family.

Father Alphonse Kerckaert Volunteer of the Year Award: Mr. & Mrs. Cindy & Charlie Marier.

Well done good and faithful servants.

<u>Please note:</u> There will ne no confessions this coming Saturday, February 18th. I will be spending the day in Essex on the Women's Cursillo retreat. The following weekend, Thursday February 23rd – Sunday February 26th, I have agreed to be one of the Spiritual Directors for the 2017 Women's Cursillo Retreat in Essex. Father Capitano will be present to preside over the weekday and weekend Masses. Presently, the weekend is full and I ask that you keep the Windsor-Essex Cursillo movement in your prayers. Thank you.

The Season of Lent begins with Ash Wednesday, Wednesday March 1st. There will be three Masses celebrated on this day: 8:30 a.m. at Most Precious Blood; 10:30 a.m. at St. Anne's French Immersion School, and 7:00 p.m. at Most Precious Blood. Father Greq

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 February 13th – February 17th

Monday - No Mass

Tuesday 7 PM - Caterina Grammatico - Mr. & Mrs. Galati

-Sergio Truant – Adriana Cervini

- Anne Nguyen - Rick & Bev Yuhasz

Wed. 8:30 AM - Rose Ouellette - Madelyn Waugh

-Girlie Gallego Arguelles - Gallego Family

- Irene Gault - Maria Teresa Aldigheiri

Thurs. 8:30 AM - Mary Jane Palmer - Anne MacDonald

-Elizabeth Bush - Mary & Pat Kennedy

- Patrick Breslin - Diane Hodut

Friday 8:30 AM - Intentions of Marnie Tremblay - Mary & Pat Kennedy

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-Dale Seeger - Darlene Lauzon

- Pat & Loretta Lauzon - Darlene



Mon. Feb.13th - 6:30-8:30 PM Youth Rally

Tues. Feb. 14th - 6:30 PM Holy Face Devotion

Wed. Feb. 15th - 1 PM Intercessory Prayers

- 7 PM RCIA

-7:30 PM Prayer Group

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Thurs. Feb. 16th - 1 PM Quilters

-6 PM Choir

Fri. Feb. 17th - 1PM Rosary Unborn

Sat./Sun. Feb. 18/19 - Sacramental Registration

"God didn't give Adam & Eve the right to decide what was good and evil. He gave them the right to choose between good & evil. That 'little' difference makes all the difference." Mark Hart

I will be away from Friday, Feb. 17th until Sunday, Feb. 19th for a much needed personal retreat. Please keep me in your prayers during this time. Thank you[⊕]

Youth Ministry News

This Monday, February 13th from 6:30 – 8:30 pm we are pleased to have NET Canada Encounter Team #2 here for a Youth Rally! The rally is for any young person in grades 6-8. This youth rally will be full of fun, faith filled activities and powerful faith testimonies. To help cover the cost of the NET Team we are asking for a small good will offering of \$2 at the door. Even if your child or grandchild has never been to a youth ministry event, please invite them to come out to this awesome faith experience.

There will be no youth group on Feb. 20th due to the Family day holiday.

First Reconciliation / First Eucharist News

These next two weekends will be the time to register your child who is in grade 2 or up for the First Confession/ First Communion program. The family info gathering will be on Thursday, Feb. 23rd from 6:15pm-7:30pm. Your child who will be preparing for the sacraments will be receiving their first lesson this evening, so it is very important that they attend with you. During this evening all the information and dates will be given out. Please contact Christine if you have any questions at ccoyle@dol.ca.

Chris Bray Concert & Peace Prayer Service Thank You's

Thank you to all the parishioners who came out on the bus journey to Amherstburg to listen to Chris Bray. It was a lovely evening of prayer and worship. Also, to the little group that came out to Monday's prayer for peace during our youth group. Your presence there meant so much to the young people. Thank you for praying with us.

USED STAMPS

The CWL is currently collecting used stamps from mail for Development and Peace. 100% of the proceeds from the stamps are used to help Development and Peace partners in Africa, Asia and Latin America as well as provide emergency relief during natural disasters. Please clip all stamps from envelopes leaving a margin around the stamps. There will be a box labelled Stamps in the Narthex of the Church, or please see a member of the CWL. Thank you kindly for your donations.

CWL BAKE SALE

The CWL is sponsoring a Bake Sale, featuring 5" meat and chicken pot pies on Saturday, February 25th from 9am – 4pm.

CHURCH CHUCKLE

A PRAYER FOR THE DAY

Dear God, so far today, I've done all right. I haven't gossiped, and I haven't lost my temper. I haven't been grumpy, nasty or selfish, and I'm really glad of that! But in a few minutes, God, I'm going to get out of bed, and from then on, I'm probably going to need a lot of help. Thank you! Amen.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was \$7,866.00
Direct Deposit(avg. per week) \$1,248.50
Total Collection \$9,114.50

DID YOU KNOW...

There are two things that interest me; the relation of people to each other, and the relation of people to the land.

Aldo Leopold

Junior/Senior Kindergarten Registration

Junior and Senior Kindergarten registration for the 2017-2018 school year will take place from February 21st to March 3, 2017. A system wide Open House/Evening Registration is planned for Wednesday, February 22nd from 5 – 7pm at local Catholic schools.

Parents are asked to contact their local school to register. At the time of registration they will be asked to present their child's Birth Certificate, Baptismal Certificate, Health Card and Immunization Record.

TOUR OF HOSPICE

A tour of Hospice will be held on Thursday, February 16th at 1pm. The maximum participants is 25. Please meet at the church at 12:30pm. Anyone interested is asked to contact Carol Guimond at 519-945-6415 or email at cguimond@cogeco.ca before Monday, February 13th to reserve a spot.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

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