



# 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, January 22nd, 2017  
Third 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,

I wish to share with you the final numbers of our  
Christmas Giving Tree Ministry. Your overwhelming  
generosity made a big difference for many families.  
Feed a Family Donation - \$805.00 in Gift Cards.  
Drouillard Place - 75 gift bags of toys and gifts for kids.  
Hearts for Haiti - 10 gift bags full of sheets, baby  
powder and under clothing. In addition, a \$100.00  
donation to buy creole books for girls at school.  
Madonna House - \$435.00  
Save-A-Family Plan - \$450.00  
Our Seminarian, Alex Colautti - \$510.00  
Guadalupe House - 10 gift bags of gifts for moms and  
babies. \$250 donation for a Video Baby Monitor.  
It is obvious that Love Rules here at Most Precious Blood  
Parish!

Congratulations to our Co-ordinator of Youth  
Ministry, Christine Coyle a.k.a. "Miss Christine". 😊  
Recently, Christine was elected as the Windsor Deanery  
Chairperson. As she chairs these meetings, she will act in  
the best interest of the Deanery to be a good advocate for  
the deaneries mission, planning and thinking. But more  
importantly, to pray about God's mission in the Deanery  
and see how best we can engage in that.

*Your success and happiness lies in you. Resolve to keep  
happy, and your joy and you shall form an invincible host  
against difficulties. ~ Helen Keller*

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**

**January 23<sup>rd</sup> – January 27<sup>th</sup>**

- Monday - No Mass
- Tuesday 7 PM - Rose Ouellette - *Bob & Karen Ryan*  
- Maria Pernal - *Nancy Rice*  
- Anne Nguyen - *Rick & Bev Yuhasz*
- Wed. 8:30 AM - Toni Maceyovski - *Allan & Donna Callery*  
- Pat Iler - *Rhonda & Larry Neubauer*  
- Souls in Purgatory - *Robert Girard*
- Thurs. 8:30 AM - Shirley Smith - *Joanne Zold*  
- Giuseppe & Sabrina Moccia - *Tony & Adelina*  
- Ed Burke - *Jack & Uta Costello*
- Friday 8:30 AM - Peter, Jenny & Jerry Kowalski - *Ted & Mary*  
- Ivan Casanova - *Family*  
- Marjorie Chartrand - *Helen Unsworth*



- Mon. Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> - 6:30 PM Youth Group
- Tues. Jan. 24<sup>th</sup> - 1 PM Knit for the Missions  
- 5 PM Social Justice  
- 6:30 PM Holy Face Devotion
- Wed. Jan. 25<sup>th</sup> - 1 PM Intercessory Prayers  
- 6:30 PM Youth Commission  
- 7 PM RCIA  
- 7:30 PM Prayer Group
- Thurs. Jan. 26<sup>th</sup> - 1 PM Quilters  
- 6 PM Choir
- Fri. Jan. 27<sup>th</sup> - 1PM Rosary Unborn

**“A Christian who in these times in not a revolutionary is no Christian.”**

(Pope Francis)

**Youth Group News**

There is youth group on Monday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> for grades 5 through 8 from 6:30-8pm. There will be no meeting on Monday, January 30<sup>th</sup> due to the High School Exams. We will start back up on Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup>. Our next dance is scheduled for Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup>.

**First Confession & First Communion Registration**

Registration for First Confession and First Communion is soon approaching. If you child is in at least grade 2 and you would like them to make their Sacraments, please come to one of the masses the weekend of February 11/ 12<sup>th</sup> or Feb 18/19<sup>th</sup>. Christine or one of the Sacrament prep teachers will be in the hall with registration forms to be filled out. Please note: children are to make their First Confession before making their First Communion. All information will be given out at our first family gathering on Thursday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> from 6:15-7:30pm. Please contact Christine if you have any questions at [ccoyle@dol.ca](mailto:ccoyle@dol.ca).

**Youth Commission Meeting**

Our Most Precious Blood Youth Commission will be meeting this Wednesday to go over next steps and new ideas for youth ministry here at our parish. Please continue to pray for our youth and their families and for God’s continued guidance.

### High School Exam Packs

The stress of exams for high school students can be overwhelming. The Youth Commission at Most Precious Blood would like to relieve some of this stress by giving each student an exam pack. These exam packs will be available after all the masses this weekend. The exam packs are full of treats, prayers, and helpful tools to help your student get through their exams. Each teen that picks up an exam pack will receive a ballot to fill out for a chance to win a \$50 Timmie's card.

Here is a prayer for parents and others to pray each day of examinations (Jan. 26, 27, 30 & 31)

God Our Heavenly Father

You know the hard work that we all have done  
and the times when we have failed to give You our best.  
You know the future that lies ahead for these children and  
You have prepared a banquet for them.

As they go into this examination:  
Calm their hearts, O Loving Father,  
that they may feel Your peace.  
Calm their minds, O Loving Father,  
that all their thoughts may be clear and correct.

Bless every person who has given of themselves on this journey,  
family, teachers, friends and classmates.

As we surrender our children to You, in every way,  
let Your Will be done in their lives today and always

AMEN

### DID YOU KNOW...

I believe we are here on the planet Earth to live, grow up, and do what we can to make this world a better place for all people to enjoy freedom.

Rosa Parks

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PIG ROAST

The annual Knights of Columbus Pig Roast is Saturday, February 4, 2017. Tickets will be on sale after all Masses, and in the office during the week. Pork and chicken are available for \$18.00

### Junior/Senior Kindergarten Registration

Junior and Senior Kindergarten registration for the 2017-2018 school year will take place from February 21<sup>st</sup> to March 3, 2017. A system wide Open House/Evening Registration is planned for Wednesday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> 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.

### OFFERTORY GIFTS

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|---------------------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Last week the collection was</b>   | <b>\$5,506.00</b>  |
| <b>Direct Deposit (avg. per week)</b> | <b>\$ 1,252.25</b> |
| <b>Total Collection</b>               | <b>\$6,758.25</b>  |

fighting winter blues

1. Be productive! 
2. Get up and exercise. 
3. Make plans to see friends. 
4. Make healthy choices. 
5. Create an upbeat playlist. 


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