



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, March 12th, 2017
Second Sunday of Lent

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,

Happy 50th Anniversary Development & Peace

Let us join in solidarity and celebrate the 50th anniversary of Development and Peace. To symbolize this, Development and Peace has launched a pilgrimage of a giant quilt that is travelling all over Canada. Most Precious Blood Parish is proud to sponsor this event this coming Wednesday, March 15th from 3:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Everyone is invited to come out and see the Quilt panels.

Please note: weekday mass time change this Wednesday. Mass will be celebrated at 7:00 p.m. instead of 8:30 a.m.

40 Days of Life

Please keep in your prayers all our parishioners and friends who walk and pray in silence these 40 days in front of Metropolitan Hospital. They are walking and praying in silence to defend the rights of the unborn.

A March Break Prayer

Faithful Father, we thank You for our children, our youth and all our school staffs. We thank You for fulfilling Your plans and purposes through them throughout the school year. Bless them all as they take a week off to rest and relax during their March Break. Watch over and keep everyone safe. Amen.

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
March 13th – March 17th**

- Monday - No Mass
- Tuesday 7 PM - Pat & Loretta Lauzon – *Darlene*
-Sergio Truant – *Veronica & Helen*
- Caterina Grammatico – *Mr. & Mrs. Spadafora*
- Wed. 7 PM - Intentions of Michelle Mohyi - *Grandma*
-Souls in Purgatory – *Mr. & Mrs. Reylana*
- In Thanksgiving - *Melanie Gamilla*
- Thurs. 8:30 AM - For the People of Canada
-Kaye McGowan – *Gillies Family*
- Susan Read – *Senior Quilters*
- Friday 8:30 AM - In Thanksgiving – *Ted & Mary*
-Antonio Valentini
- Rene Raymond – *Senior Quilters*



- Mon. Mar. 13th - 6:30 PM Altar Server Training
- Tues. Mar. 14th - 6:30 PM Holy Face Devotion
- Wed. Mar. 15th - 1 PM Intercessory Prayers
- 1:30 PM Coffee House
- 3 PM D & P Quilt Tour
- Thurs. Mar. 16th - 1 PM Quilters
-6 PM Choir
- Fri. Mar. 17th - 1PM Rosary Unborn
- 6 PM Soup
- 6:30 PM Stations

“Are you capable of risking your life for someone? Do it for Christ!” St. Pope John Paul II

Youth Group Update

There is no youth group during the March Break. We also will be having an important youth leader meeting on Monday, March 20th; therefore, Youth group will be back on Monday, March 27th from 6:30-8pm.

**Homeless in a Box Youth Event
(Save the Date)**

Save the date for our annual Homeless in a Box Youth event for grades 5-8 on Friday, April 7th. During this event we will be leading the community in the Youth Living Stations of the Cross. The event will begin at 6pm & the Living Stations will be at 6:30pm.

First Reconciliation Preparations

Please continue to keep the families and their children who are preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The next retreat day for the children is on Saturday, March 18th and then they will be celebrating the Sacrament on Thursday, March 23rd. We will begin the Communion preparations on Thursday, March 31st.

**High School Steubenville Conference
(Only 10 spots left)**

One of St. Augustine’s most famous quotes is, “Our hearts are restless until they rest in you, O Lord.” These words often describe the spiritual angst that teenagers experience throughout their high school years. Every teen has the desire to achieve something great and to be someone great. We see this desire played out on social media daily. At a Steubenville Conference, teens will learn what it takes to be great in this life. Teens will come to experience a relationship with Christ that can radically transform everything in their life. The goal of every Steubenville Conference is for teens to open their hearts to Jesus Christ who desires their lives to be fulfilling, exciting, and joyful!

Email Christine if your teen is possibly interested at ccoyle@dol.ca.

SOUP AND STATIONS

We will be having soup and stations every Friday evening during Lent. Various service groups within the parish will be providing soup. Soup will be served at 6pm followed by Stations at 6:30 pm. The sponsor this week is CWL.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE DRIVE

The St. Vincent de Paul truck will be in the parking lot the weekend of March 25/26. They will be collecting gently used clothes at all the Masses. They are collecting clothes only that weekend.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE VIGIL

From March 1 to April 9, our community will take part in 40 Days for Life. Pray that, with God's help, this will mark the beginning of the end of abortion in our city—and beyond.

Our Windsor vigil is from 7am to 7pm every day from Wednesday, March 1st – Sunday, April 9th. Stand on the public right-of-way along Tecumseh Road (sidewalk) on either side of the street. Signs are available in the office, please return when you are finished.

Knowledge vs Wisdom

There is a difference between knowledge and wisdom.

Knowledge is knowing that a tomato is a fruit not a vegetable.

Wisdom is knowing not to include it in a fruit salad.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was	\$7,151.00
Direct Deposit(avg. per week)	\$1,400.00
Total Collection	\$ 8,551.00

SUNDAY FRIENDS

Just a reminder that Sunday Friends is open to children between the ages of 4 thru 7.

Altar Server Training

This Monday evening we invite any new altar servers to our training session from 6:30-7:30pm. To be an altar server your child must have made their First Communion. If you have any questions please email Christine at ccoyle@dol.ca.

DROUILLARD PLACE PASTA EVENING

Come celebrate "SPRING" with Drouillard Place. A pasta evening will be held on Wednesday, March 22 at the Fogolar Furlan Club, Canada Room. Doors open at 5:30pm and dinner at 6pm. Ticket prices are \$20 for adults and children 4-12 \$10. Call 519-253-1073 and ask for Janet to book your tickets.

LENTEN FOOD DRIVE

During Lent, Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be collecting non-perishable food donations. Week 2 will be Cereal.

COME AND SEE WEEKEND

MARCH 24-26, 2017

This is a weekend for men who are considering a call to the priesthood. We invite you to attend if you are single, Catholic male 17-45 years of age. Are in good health and psychologically mature and seriously considering a call to a life and service to Church as a priest. Please talk to Fr. Greg for more information.

COUPON BOOK


The CWL is selling the Windsor's 2017 Bestseller Coupon Book. Check it out in the office during the week. The book sells for \$40 with over \$2000 worth of saving coupons towards dining, sports, eateries, and entertainment.

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