



Most Precious Blood

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Centred in Christ, we are a welcoming community sharing our talents and goodness, joyfully celebrating and reaching out to all.

PASTORAL TEAM

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Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Weekend Masses:

Saturday Vigil - 5:00 PM

Sunday - 9:30 AM, 11:15 AM

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday 7:00 PM

Wednesday 8:45 AM

Thursday 8:45 AM

Friday 8:45 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 11AM - 12 NOON

Weddings: the couple is to contact the parish priest at least 9 months in advance of a desired wedding date.

Baptism: Contact the parish office

What God Does Reveals Who God Is

Much of our western world is defined according to productivity. Value is placed on what we are able to produce, so much so that to be non-productive in the modern sense can mean laziness. However, this is not Christian thought. What we do should flow from who we are, not the other way around. For example, growing up my parents provided the necessities of life for me, namely protection, food, shelter and most of all love. This action on their part could not possibly be reduced to an act of productivity. Rather, this act of parenting flows from who they are. So much so to refer to my mother as the cook would seem outrageous.

Today's feast reminds us exactly of this reality. Whereas all other feast days in the Church's calendar focus on what God does for us today's feast focuses on who God is. What do God's actions reveal about God's nature? Simply put, as scripture reveals, God is Love. Everything we celebrate flows from the simple act of God's unconditional love for his people.

This is the core of the Trinitarian mystery. The Father is deeply in love with the Son and the Son is deeply in love with the Father and the bond of their love is the Holy Spirit. It is according to this union that we can say that God is three persons and one God. From this union of love between Father Son and Holy Spirit life is given. When we realize that the source of our being is love, then and only then do we discover the value of what we do.



MASSSES OF THE WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS

May 27th – May 31st

- Monday - No Mass
- Tuesday 7 PM - John & Samo Ule - *Ivi & Helen Ule*
 - Katharine Collins – *MPB Choir*
 - Eudecia Tiangsing - *Rick & Bev Yuhasz*
- Wednesday 8:45 AM - Rolland Breault - *Mary Ruszczak*
 - Harold Jane - *Anthony Paniccia*
 - Alphonse & Frank Morand - *Family*
- Thursday 8:45 AM- Mary Kuznik - *Joe & Hilde*
 - Jeffrey Patrick Bezaire (19th Ann) - *Mom & Dad*
 - Sondra Cowen - *Darlene Lauzon*
- Friday 8:45 AM - Leoncio Yu – *Yu Family*
 - Inocita Yu – *Yu Family*
 - Intentions of Gerry & Marge Chartrand
 (63rd Anniversary)



- Monday, May 27th - 7:30 PM Prayer Meeting
- Tuesday, May 28th - 1 PM Knit for the Missions
- Wednesday, May 29th - 4:45 PM Finance
- Thursday, May 30th - 1 PM Quilters
 - 7 PM Catholicism
- Friday, May 31st - 1PM Rosary Unborn
 - 8:30 PM Prayer Service
 followed by Outdoor Movie

Sunset Prayer Service & Family Movie Night
Friday, May 31st beginning at 8:30pm

Everyone is welcome to come out to start our Most Precious Blood Feast Day weekend off with a Sunset Prayer Service starting at 8:30pm. There will be time of reflection, song, scripture and silence.

Shortly following the prayer service, everyone is welcome to stay for the movie night. Please bring lawn chairs. The movie we will be watching is "Finding Nemo". There will be popcorn, pop & other snacks available for purchase. The money raised will help send some of our teens to Catholic Christian Leadership Camp and Steubenville.

Country Western BBQ Feast Day Dinner
Saturday, June 1st

Doors open at 6:15pm & dinner is at 7pm

This is the final week to purchase your tickets for the much anticipated BBQ dinner. With your purchase of the \$25 ticket, you have the choice of ½ chicken dinner, rib dinner or ¼ chicken & rib dinner. All dinners come with 4 sides; roasted potatoes, baked beans, coleslaw and Greek tomato & cucumber salad... plus dessert. There will be a cash bar with wine, beer, pop & water to purchase. We are very fortunate to have Crystal Gage & band to entertain us with her amazing voice. The absolute last day to purchase your tickets is Wednesday, May 29th at 4pm.

Mini Health Fair, Community Walk & Ice Cream Sandwich Social

Sunday, June 2nd after both morning masses

After the 9:30 & 11:15am masses there will be a mini health fair in the hall; summer safety, nutrition, blood pressure and chair exercises will be the main presentations.

Shortly following the 11:15am mass, we will be heading out on a community walk, called; "This is our city". We will be stopping at a few different spots a long the way for prayer and reflection. Upon our return at the church there will be cold ice cream sandwiches waiting for us.

Please note: This pilgrimage will begin at approximately 12:30pm, so if you need to bring a light lunch to eat along the way that would be fine. If you would like to bring your children, don't forget your strollers, wagons and sunscreen!

LOOKING FORWARD TO A GREAT WEEKEND OF FESTIVITIES TO CELEBRATE OUR FEAST DAY!

WALK FOR THE CURE

Diabetes and its complications affects the lives of some of our parishioners. It can happen to anyone, at any age, at any time. A cure is needed. We would appreciate your support. You and your family can help fund diabetes research by participating in the following event.

Sunday, June 9th at the Vollmer Recreation Complex in LaSalle. Registration begins at 8:30 am and the walk starts at 10 am rain or shine. Refreshments along the route, Koolini's pasta lunch at the finish line. Great incentive prizes provided by the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation.



Crystal Byerley, Velma Lefebvre, Florence MacDonald,
Babe Sliva, Peggy Corrigan

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Vacation Bible Camp Leader Information Gathering

If you are interested in helping out with this year's Vacation Bible Camp there is a very important Bible Camp Leader meeting on Tuesday, June 11th at 6:30pm. I am looking for responsible teens who need community service hours (they could possibly receive 65 hours), and committed adults to have the time to give to this awesome week of camp.

The camp will run from July 29th until August 2nd. The leadership training will be the week before. Please contact Christine if you have any questions. Vacation Bible Camp Info for Families... Registration forms will be available soon! The age category for the camp is children 6-10 years of age. I will be dropping off registration forms at our three schools and there will be an insert in the bulletin in the next couple of weeks.

INTERCESSARY PRAYER

Intercessary Prayer will be cancelled until September. See you in the fall.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was	\$ 4,068.00
Direct Deposit (avg. per week)	\$ 957.50
Total Collection	\$ 5,025.50

**Building fund collection last week was
\$1,605.00**

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE
**Building fund collection year to date is
\$16,392.65**

*Please pray for our Priests, Deacons and
for Vocations.*

Mon. May 27th	Rev. T. Janisse
Tues. May 28th	Rev. J. Langlois
Wed. May 29th	Rev. R. Tremblay
Thurs. May 30th	Rev. R. Shantz
Fri. May 31st	Seminarians of Diocese
Sat. June 1st	Rev. J. Van Damme

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