

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, November 15th, 2015 33rd 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 of Most Precious Blood Parish,

Thank you to Deacon Frank, Carol & Dan Lemire, Rick and Terry Fauteaux and the many volunteers who worked so hard in making our Parish Harvest Dance such a success. According to the many compliments and praises by so many who attended, it is very evident that the parishioners want another one to take place in the near future. The Committee will be gathering in December to review its successes and will bring back to the people their thoughts and ideas. \$1,981.00 was raised and put towards the Building Fund. This is wonderful to see.

<u>I want to thank the parishioners</u> who participated in the recent Priests' Pension collection for 2015. The Diocese collected \$203,637.47. Most Precious Blood Parish collected \$3,170.00. By your generosity and sacrifice, you help keep our St. John Evangelist Pension Fund strong and offer great support to our retired priests. Thank you again.

<u>Please note:</u> There will be no weekday masses this coming Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 8:30 a.m. I will be taking a 3 day retreat of prayer and reflection in preparation for Advent and Christmas.

<u>Let us keep in our prayers</u> all our grade 8 students who will be celebrating the sacrament of Confirmation, next Sunday, November 22nd at 2:00 p.m., here at Most Precious Blood Parish.

God Bless,

Father Greg

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 November 16th – November 20th

Monday - No Mass

Tuesday 7 PM - Bill Jubenville - Ione Comartin

-Reta May Smith - Anna & Mary Grizan

- Viola Collins - Isidore & Irene Girard

Wed. 8:30 AM - No Mass

Thurs. 8:30 AM - No Mass

Friday 8:30 AM - No Mass



Mon. Nov. 16th - 6:30 PM Confirmation Small Group

Tues. Nov. 17th - 1 PM Senior Cards

- 6:30 PM St. Vincent de Paul

- 7:30 PM PPC Info. Mtg.

Wed. Nov. 18th - 1 PM Intercessory Prayer

- 7:00 PM RCIA

- 7:30 PM Prayer Group

- K of C Gen. Mtg.

Thurs. Nov. 19th - 1 PM Quilters

- 5 PM Finance

- 6 PM Baptism Prep.

- 6 PM Choir

- 7 PM People in the Pews

Fri. Nov. 20th - 1 PM Rosary Unborn

Please contact Christine at ccoyle@dol.ca if you have any questions pertaining to youth ministry and/ or Sacramental prep. Would love to hear from you!

"God made me to know Him, to love Him, and to serve Him in this world, and to be happy with Him forever in the next." Baltimore Catechism

Youth Ministry News

Here are the details for the next two youth ministry events here at the parish:

- "Mini" Bible Camp Day on Friday, November 20th. Open to any child between the ages of 6-13 years old and will run from 9am-3:30pm (early drop off at 8:30 and late pick up at 4pm). This day will be full of games, a craft, prayer, snacks, and lots of fun. The cost of the day is \$25, with additional siblings only costing \$10 more. Please register your child by Tuesday, November 17th. Forms available in the church office and the youth board in the narthex. Call Christine if you have any questions.
- PJ's and Peace Youth Night on Friday,
 November 27th from 7-10pm. This night we will be having fun playing games, focussing on being a peaceful young person and more.

 Snacks will be sold for \$1. Admission to this event is free. Open to any young person in grades 5 through 8.

Confirmation Update

Please keep our young Confirmation candidates and their families in your prayers these next 2 weeks as they come to the final preparations before receiving the Sacrament on Sunday, November 22nd. We have the retreat day this Saturday, Nov. 14th and our final session is on Monday, November 16th. Thank you so much for all your prayers and support.

Youth Choir Info

We are very excited about an opportunity to start up a youth choir here at Most Precious Blood. The make this youth choir a success we need voices & instruments. Please contact Christine Coyle if you are interested in being a part of this choir. Don't let the name fool you... all ages are welcome to join.

Email Christine at ccoyle@dol.ca if you are interested.

SAVE THE DATE

Most Precious Blood Parish will host "For the People in the Pews Program", presented by the Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute at Assumption University.

When unexpectedly confronted with moral and ethical dilemmas related to medicine and science, we often find ourselves at a loss. For the People in the Pews program is designed to provide a deeper understanding and guidance about the moral questions that often seem to challenge Catholic teaching on the dignity of human life.

The program continues November125th from 7-9 pm. at Most Precious Blood Hall. Parishioners are welcome to attend one or all of the presentations. Week 2 Reproductive Issues; Week 3 and 4 will examine End of Life issues including palliative care, euthanasia and assisted death as well as the spiritual needs of the sick and dying

Presenters for this Series will be Fr. Leo Walsh, Professor Emeritus Moral Theology and Maria Giannotti Clinical Bioethics.

SUNDAY MISSALS

Sunday Missals are on sale after all weekend masses for \$5.00 each. Lectors please pick up your free copy.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was \$5,655.80
Direct Deposit(avg. per week) \$1,103.50
Total Collection \$6,759.30

Building fund collection last week was \$321.00

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

Building fund collection year to date is \$34,661.00 Building fund year to date paid is \$45,000.00



KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Keep Christ in Christmas magnets again this year. They will be on sale in the office during the week or in the hall after all masses for \$5.00 each.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TURKEY DINNER

The Knights will be hosting their Annual Turkey Dinner on Sunday, November 22^{nd} from 4-6:30 PM. Tickets will be on sale after all Masses and in the office during the week. Prices are as follows: Adults \$12.00, children 12 and under \$7.00.

PPC Nomination Discernment Process

This coming Tuesday, November 17th we will be gathering with all the people who have accepted the nomination and who have agreed to go through the discernment process. We will be meeting following the 7pm mass. Please continue to pray that the Holy Spirit will guide our discernment process.

Rake n' Run Thank You

Thank you to all the people who called in to have their yard's raked. The Confirmation candidates had a great time and loved helping out in our community. Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for supporting this opportunity by raking with the families and providing a light lunch for them as well. It was a gorgeous day!

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