



# 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, November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2016 Feast of Christ The King

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,

Plan to join us TODAY for our afternoon of prayer to  
mark the closing of the *Jubilee Year of Mercy*.  
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place  
following the 11:15 a.m. Mass until 3:30 p.m. Rosary at  
2:30 p.m., followed by the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy at  
3:00 p.m., followed by Benediction.

Let us pray for a just and fair settlement to the  
current work stoppage in our Catholic School  
Community. Please pray for both sides of the dispute  
and pray they go back to the bargaining table for the  
benefit of our students and for all effected.

Let us pray for:

Catholic School Board Director Paul Piccard, Director of  
Education.

Trustee Ward 7: Barb Holland, Board Chair.

Trustee Ward 5/8 Fred Alexander

Unifor Local 2458.

Congratulations to all of our Confirmation  
candidates!

After months of preparation, we have arrived at the great  
day.

We ask that the Holy Spirit strengthen our young people  
for the great challenges they face. We  
always want to stand with them.

God Bless,  
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**

**November 21<sup>st</sup> – November 25<sup>th</sup>**

- Monday - No Mass
- Tuesday 7 PM – Bill Jubenville(25<sup>th</sup> Ann.) – *Ione Comartin*  
 -Tarcisio Zuech – *Henry & Maureen*  
 - Suzanne Brooks – *Family*
- Wed. 8:30 AM - Louis Pez(40<sup>th</sup> Ann.) – *Charlie & Cindy*  
 -Sergio Truant – *Betty Recker*  
 - Gail Leach – *Verna & Family*
- Thurs. 8:30 AM -Souls in Purgatory – *Sara*  
 -Guido & Dominica Mancini – *Giulia Devellis & Family*  
 -Mike Devellis – *Giulia Devellis & Family*
- Friday 8:30 AM - Dorothy MacPhee – *Anne MacDonald*  
 - Florijan Pirih – *Wife Zalka*  
 - Intentions of Carlos & Vanessa Mifsud



- Mon. Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> - 6:30 PM Youth Group
- Tues. Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup> - 1 PM Knit for Missions  
 - 6:30 PM Holy Face Devotion  
 - 7:30 PM PPC Discernment
- Wed. Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> - 1 PM Intercessory Prayers  
 - 7 PM RCIA.  
 - 7:30 PM Prayer Group
- Thurs. Nov. 24<sup>th</sup> - 1 PM Quilters  
 - 6 PM Choir
- Fri. Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> - 1 PM Rosary Unborn  
 -7 PM Youth Dance

**Confirmation: The 7 Gifts of the Holy Spirit**

As we celebrate The Sacrament of Confirmation this weekend, may we all reconfirm our relationship with the Holy Spirit and remember we all have these gifts stirring inside of us. The question to reflect on is... have we been calling on these amazing God-given gifts in our lives?

1. **Wisdom:** The ability to discern what is true, right, and lasting.
2. **Understanding:** Allows you to look beyond the shallowness of the world and see the lasting truth in every situation, by recognizing how God is working you your life.
3. **Counsel:** The right judgement that allows you to see what is right and what is wrong, and the prudence to act accordingly.
4. **Fortitude:** The courage and strength of will to do what you know you should do, even if that means personal loss or suffering.
5. **Knowledge:** The ability to see things from a supernatural viewpoint, in particular, to know what God is asking of you.
6. **Piety:** A loyalty to God that manifest as generous love and affectionate obedience.
7. **Wonder & Awe (Fear of the Lord):** Helps you to grasp God’s greatness and your dependence on him. As a result, you are filled with enormous respect for God and you dread above all offending him or being separated from him.

Congratulations to all the young people this weekend that have been confirmed. Confirmation is going to change your life in wonderful ways. We are so excited for you. Please know that we are here for you and are continuing to pray for you on this amazing faith journey.

Thank you so much to all the small group leaders who dedicated themselves to the program and to the young people. Your witness and commitment to your Catholic Faith and love for Jesus is inspiring and our parish family is so blessed that you are a part of it! Thank you to the Knights of Columbus who purchased our lovely cakes this weekend as we celebrate the outpouring of the Holy Spirit.

### Choirs in Concert

St. Anne's Church in Tecumseh is hosting a "Choirs in Concert" evening on Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. This event features local choirs including our own Most Precious Blood Choir. A collection will be taken for the Downtown Mission and the Second Chance Ministry. Come out and enjoy the music.

### Singing the National Anthem

The Most Precious Blood choir will once again be singing the National Anthem for the Spitfires game on Thursday, February 9<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at the WFCU Arena. Spitfires vs. the Oshawa Generals. Choir members are selling tickets for \$16(reg. \$22). Anyone wishing to come to the game and support us, please see a choir member and order your ticket.

### Keep Christ in Christmas Magnets

The Knights of Columbus will once again have Keep Christ in Christmas Magnets for sale after all Masses and in the office during the week. \$5.00 each.

### CWL Bazaar

Thank you to all who helped and participated at the Bazaar last weekend. It was a great success.

### CHURCH CHUCKLE

An old gentleman was strolling through the park one beautiful day when he came upon a child sitting on a bench, busily saying his ABC's. The old man waited until the child was through, then said, "I see you're practicing your alphabet." "No," replied the child. "I was praying. You see, I don't know how to pray very well so I just give God the letters and he puts them into the right words!"

### OFFERTORY GIFTS

<b>Last week the collection was</b>	<b>\$ 5,231.00</b>
<b>Direct Deposit(avg. per week)</b>	<b>\$ 1,204.75</b>
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$6,435.75</b>

### Youth Ministry Update

Youth group is this Monday, November 21<sup>st</sup> for anyone in grades 5/6 & 7/8 from 6:30-8pm. The youth dance is on Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup> from 7-10pm. The cost is \$5 at the door. Snacks are extra.

### Giving Tree 2016

This Advent we will be having 2 giving trees on display in the church proper the first weekend of Advent (Nov. 26/27). Giving Tree tags will consist of the following: St. Vincent de Paul, Madonna House, Drouillard Place, Hearts for Haiti, Sponsor a Seminarian (our very own Alex Colautti), Our Lady of Guadalupe Home, Save a Family Plan and "Feed" a Parish Family for Christmas Initiative. Further details will be given out in next weekend's bulletin.

### Parish Pastoral Council

The parishioners that have been nominated have been contacted. Those who have accepted the nomination will gather together on Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:30pm to begin the discernment process in selecting new members on the PPC. Please continue to pray for all those involved, especially on Sat. Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> as the present members of the PPC will gather, pray and discern the 4 new members.

### *Most Precious Blood Parish 2016 Christmas and New Year's Mass schedule*

#### Saturday, December 24<sup>th</sup>

**(Christmas Eve)**

4:30 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

10:00 p.m.

#### Sunday, December 25<sup>th</sup>

**(Christmas Day)**

10:00 a.m.

#### Saturday, December 31<sup>st</sup>

**(New Year's Eve)**

5:00 p.m.

#### Sunday, January 1st

**(New Year's Day)**

9:30 a.m.


11:15 a.m.

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