

Most Precious Blood Roman Catholic Parish

Parish Office

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Office Hours

www.mostpreciousblood.ca

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 4th 2018 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Father Gregory J. Bonin, Pastor
Father David Johnston, Associate Pastor
Rev. Mr. Daniel Lemire, Deacon
Mrs. Christine Coyle, Coordinator of Youth Ministry
Mrs. Liz Desmarais, Secretary
Mrs. Carol Lemire, Custodian / Maintenance Manager

Dear Parishioners,

Every October, our parish takes up the

Thanksgiving Appeal. Our parish and diocese would like to express a heartfelt Thank-You to everyone who has so generously supported our collection. Together, our people and parishes are united in the incredible mission to bring Christ's light to the world. To date \$9,328.00 has been generously donated. May God bless you all for your kindness towards your Parish Family.

<u>Please feel free to</u> write the names of all your deceased family, friends and relatives into the Book of Life which is placed in the church for the entire month of November. All names will be remembered at every mass celebrated throughout the month of November.

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

On behalf of Most Precious Blood Parish, I wish to thank Freda Jones for chairing our Parish Social Justice Committee for the past 4 years. Freda has done a remarkable job in bringing our parish family to a greater awareness of the many Social Justice Issues that we need to stand up for and defend. Thank you Freda! As our new chairperson, we welcome Jeff Seguin and as our new co-chairperson we welcome Patricia Kennedy. Together, we will work together with the Social teachings of the Church defending and supporting one and all. Father Greq

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 5th - November 9th

Monday No Mass

Tues. 7 PM - Deceased Members Lascak & Vogrig

Families - Lascak Family

- Deceased Members Pittana Family

- Gene Adam - Rick & Bev Yuhasz

- Anthony Warden - Rick & Bev Yuhasz

Wed. 8:30 AM - Lina Fiorino - Luigi & Family

- Regina Janek - Paulina Szeman

- William Hall - Collavino Family

- Theresa Rozek - Celestine Weglarz

Thurs. 8:30 AM - Pat Iler - Doris

- Attilio & Marcella Facca - Family

- Lino & Luigi A. Facca - Family

- Deceased Members McKeon & Day Fam.

Friday 8:30 AM - Olga Renaud - Family

- David Sutherland - Thibert Family

- Mary Wilhelm - Ted & Mary Kowalski

- Buzz McCarrell - Robert & Judy Haapasaari

MEETING

Mon. Nov. 5th - 6:15 PM Keep Connected

Tues. Nov. 6th - 1 PM Intercessory Prayers

- 7:30 PM CWL

Wed. Nov. 7th - 9 AM Adoration

- 1:30 PM CWL

- 7 PM RCIA

- 7:30 PM Prayer Group

Thurs. Nov. 8th - 1 PM Quilters

- 6 PM Choir

- 6:45 PM Parish Council

Fri. Nov. 9th - 1 PM Rosary Preborn

"Anyone who seeks truth seeks God, whether or not he realizes it."

Saint Edith Stein

TRUNK N' TREAT THANK YOU'S

A very big thank you to all who participated in our first Trunk n' Treat last weekend. I can't believe all the children and adults that came through our parking lot, hall and came to church to be a part of this event. It was an amazing community builder for sure! I will be delivering all the blessing bags of personal hygiene items this coming week; very generous donations. Thank you to all those who came and gave out candy, who dropped off baked good & treats. Thank you to our Confirmation candidates who helped out as part of their service project... they did awesome and were kept really busy. Also, thank you to Steph & Sarah who were on my committee, thank you for all your time and energy you gave to this project.

Save the Date- First Communion/ First Confession

If your child is in grade 2 and older here is the date for our Open House Registration Night- Wed. Jan. 9th 2019 between the hours of 4:30-7:30pm. Forms will be given out at STOC and St. Anne's French Immersion in December. They will be made available in the office & on-line also.

Confirmation Update

The program is going great! Please keep families in your prayers as we are having the Family Twilight Retreat on Friday, Nov. 9th from 6:30-9:30pm. If you would like to pray a special Novena for our Confirmation group, copies of the prayer will be located in the Narthex or on-line. The Novena will start on Nov. 16th 2018. Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

Keep Connected

We are so fortunate to have 12 families participating in the "Keep Connected" Sessions on how to build communication with Tweens and parents. It is so humbling to be a part of such a program.

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

Canadian Catholic Organization for development and Peace (CCODP) Education and Action Campaign:

CCODP is the development arm of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. The goal of this year's campaign is to Educate our people about the issue of forced migration and the plight of the 68.5 million forced migrants in the world today. It also involves a call to Action for our people to request our government to do more to eradicate the root causes of forced migration in the world.

As your Bishop, I ask that you support this campaign on behalf of our brothers and sisters in the Global South and around the world.

Parish Pastoral Council Nominations are now open

All parishioners at Most Precious Blood Parish are invited to let their voices be heard by submitting names of those members of the parish community who possess the qualities for the ministry of leadership which we have listed weekly this past month. We need 3 new members!

Forms can be found at the welcome table in the narthex, in the church office or you can email your name or someone you are nominating to Christine at ccoyle@dol.ca. Nominations are due Tuesday, November 6th by 4pm.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was \$4,769.00
Direct Deposit(avg. per week) \$1,428.75
Total Collection \$6,197.75

Thank you for your generosity.

Rake n' Run 2018

The Knights of Columbus and our Confirmation students are getting ready to rake your lawn on Saturday morning November 10th. If you are unable to rake your lawn and would like to have the Knights and the young people rake your lawn for you please give the church office a call and we will put your name & address on the list.

Alpha Update

Thank you to all who have signed up for the Fall Alpha Session. We have about 30 people ready to take part on the Alpha journey. Please keep all of the participants & the team in your prayers.

Registration for this Alpha course is now closed. Please keep checking the bulletin for the next Alpha in the winter/ spring season of 2019.

K OF C TURKEY DINNER

Join us Sunday, November 18th from 4-6pm in the hall for our Annual Turkey Dinner. Ticket prices are adults \$13, children 12 and under \$7. Tickets on sale Nov. 10/11.

Church Chuckle

A minister parked his car in a no-parking zone in a large city because he was short of time and couldn't find a space with a meter.

Then he put a note under the windshield wiper that read: "I have circled the block 10 times. If I don't park here, I'll miss my appointment. Forgive us our trespasses."

When he returned, he found a citation from a police officer along with this note "I've circled this block for 10 years. If I don't give you a ticket I'll lose my job. Lead us not into temptation."

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