

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, October 22nd 2017 29th 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,

I wish to inform all of you that with my added responsibilities to St. Cyril & Methodius Parish I may not be able to return a phone call or respond to an e-mail as quick as I used to. Over the next several weeks I will be spending time at the office at St. Cyril & Methodius sharing my ministry with their needs and requests. I know some feel that I have not returned their calls fast enough but I ask that patience becomes a greater virtue given my present responsibilities both at Most Precious Blood and St. Cyril Methodius.

People have been asking when I will be celebrating Mass at St. Cyril Methodius and Most Precious Blood. Presently, there is no schedule. As part of my meetings this will be discussed and planned and all parishioners will be notified.

Thank you for all your prayers and support through these transitional times within our Church.

This past week our Diocesan Church lost a great man who made such a difference in the lives of all our Diocesan permanent deacons, especially Deacon Frank and soon to be Deacon Dan. Deacon John Vallely passed away at the young age of 70 years. Deacon John oversaw the Diocesan Formation and Study program for the Permanent Diaconate. He served our Diocesan Church well and we pray that he rests in peace in the Eternal Embrace of God our Father.

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 October 23rd - October 27th

Monday - No Mass

Tues. 7 PM - Deceased Members of Pittana Family

-Salvatore Nicoletti(1st Ann.) - Wife & Family

- Margaret Jobin - Rick & Bev Yuhasz

Wed. 8:30 AM - Ray Ouellette - Frank & Kathy Dupuis

-Jacques Lafleur - Mary & Pat Kennedy

- Mr. & Mrs. Jose & Alzira Sousa

Thurs. 8:30 AM - Mark Pflanzner - Mom & Dad

-Ad Charron – Uta & Jack Costello

- Girlie Arguelles - Gallego Family

Friday 8:30 AM - Giovanni & Luigio Santarossa - Navina **Bortolin**

-In Thanksgiving - Darlene

- Pat & Loretta Lauzon - Darlene



Mon. Oct. 23rd - 6:15 PM Confirmation Small Groups

- 1PM Knit for Missions Tues. Oct. 24th

- 5PM Social Justice

- 6:30PM Holy Face Devotion

Wed. Oct. 25th - 6PM Intercessory Prayers

- 7PM RCIA

- 7PM K of C Mtg.

-7:30 PM Prayer Group

Thurs. Oct. 26th - 1 PM Quilters

-6PM Choir

- 1 PM Rosary Unborn Fri. Oct. 27th

-7PM Youth Dance

"Be who God meant you to be and you will set St. Catherine of Sienna the world on fire."

Youth Dance

We will be having a Halloween youth dance on Friday, Oct. 27th for students in grades 5 through 8 from 7-10pm. Admission is \$5 & snacks are extra. Costumes are encouraged.

Teen Discipleship Training

Our training is still ongoing. The next few weeks we will be holding 15 minute interviews for all the teens that want to be a part of youth ministry here at the parish. We have a retreat coming up on Friday, Nov. 3rd from 6-10:30pm.

Salt n' Light TV- Youth, Faith & Vocational **Discernment Synod**

Last Tuesday 3 of our young people joined about 12 other teens/ young adults here in Windsor to take part in a conversation with others from 4 other cities here in Canada to address the Pope and to have their voices heard. The episode will air on Salt n' Light on Sunday, October 22nd at 7:30pm. Also, the Holy Father is asking young people to fill out a survey for the upcoming synod. Here is the link. Please ask your teen/ young adult to take some time and fill out the survey. Thank you.

http://youth.synod2018.va

Confirmation News

This Monday, Oct. 23rd we will be starting up our Confirmation small groups from 6:15-8:30pm. Please pray for all the confirmation candidates, their families and our small group leaders as we work together in preparations for the coming of the Holy Spirit in their lives. Confirmation will take place on Tuesday, Nov. 21st at 6:30pm.

Some of the Confirmation candidates will be participating in the first service project on the 27th. We will be heading to the St. Vincent de Paul store to help sort clothes, clean and more!

THANK YOU

On behalf of Society St. Vincent de Paul once again your generosity for the Thanksgiving Food Drive and donations from the Soup Social were overwhelming. Our cupboards are full! A big thank you to the students for being so creative decorating a plain brown bag! A very heartfelt thank you to all.

No loonie-toonie collection this month.

CLOTHING DRIVE

The St. Vincent de Paul truck will be in our parking lot after all Masses on the weekend of October 28/29 to collect gently used clothes. They are collecting clothing only.

ADORATION

Adoration for the month of November is Wednesday, November 1st from 9am - 6pm. Please sign up in the Narthex or call Rose at 519-945-1272.

ORDINATIONS TO THE DIACONATE

God willing, eight men will be ordained to the order of Deacon at St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica, London, on Saturday, November 4th at 11am. All are welcome to attend. Please keep in your prayers: Arthur Bondy, Brian Hanley, Anthony Hogervorst, Daniel Lemire, Thomas MacLeod, Anthony Rebkowec, Victor Carvajal, and Donald St. Onge.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was \$5,304.60
Direct Deposit(avg. per week) \$1,415.00
Total Collection \$6,719.60

Parish Pastoral Council

The selection process for new members of the PPC is participatory.

All parishioners at Most Precious Blood Parish are invited to let their voices be heard submitting names of those members the parish community who possess the qualities for the ministry of leadership. Nomination forms can be found on-line or at the narthex welcome table. Please fill out the form and drop it in the offertory basket or during office hours no later Tuesday, Oct. 31st. If you have any question please contact the office.

Save the Date Showing of the video "The Euthanasia Deception"

We will be showing "The Euthanasia Deception" video on Tuesday, November 14th following the 7pm mass right in the church. Please spread the word as this video will give you the right information when it comes to this hot topic. The age recommendation to watch this movie would be 16+. Not recommended for children.

500+ Likes on Facebook

The Most Precious Blood Parish Facebook page completed a milestone in social media! We now have over 500 people following us. If you are on Facebook and haven't "liked" our page yet, please do so. You will stay updated on all events, meetings, information and more! Thank you to all who have followed our page.



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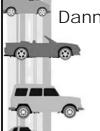
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