



# 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, October 23rd, 2016**  
**30th 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,

Please pray for the Priest's of the Diocese of London who will gather this week in London for The Annual Clergy Study Days Monday to Wednesday. There will be no weekday masses this coming Tuesday and Wednesday.

As family members of the of the Roman Catholic Church, LET US PRAY, TOGETHER, THE PRAYER BELOW for a quick resolution to the present strike happening at our local elementary and secondary schools.

Unifor Local 2458, representing 370 includes custodians, maintenance workers, secretaries, campus ministers, and information technology employees.

A Prayer for a Just Resolution to the present strike.

Holy Spirit, Source of all strength, and Author of all Unity, we lay before you this situation of our brothers and sisters struggling in the present strike.

We lift the needs of all, workers, management, families, our community, Local 2458 and the Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board, for a peaceful and equitable solution that will bring resolution to this conflict. Help all to realize that the welfare of one party is the concern of all and that the concern of all must be the aim of everyone.

In the name of Christ, we pray for your Peace to come among us. Amen.

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  
October 24<sup>th</sup> – October 28<sup>th</sup>**

Monday - No Mass

Tuesday 7 PM – No Mass

Wed. 8:30 AM - No Mass

Thurs. 8:30 AM - Rose Ouellette – *Yves & Paula Boucher*  
 - Intentions of Julie Banda – *Friend*  
 - Silvio & Silvana DeCecco – *Zanini Family*

Friday 8:30 AM - Don Thibeault(24<sup>th</sup> Ann.) - *Joanne*  
 - Sergio Truant – *Mary Pavacic*  
 - John & Elizabeth Stasik – *Family*  
 - Doug MacDonald(5<sup>th</sup> Ann.) – *Anne & Family*



Mon. Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> - 6:15 PM Confirmation Small Gr.

Tues. Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> - 6:30 PM Holy Face Devotion  
 - 1 PM Knit for Missions

Wed. Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> - 1 PM Intercessory Prayers  
 - 7 PM RCIA  
 - 7:30 PM Prayer Group

Thurs. Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> - 1 PM Quilting  
 - 6 PM Choir

Fri. Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> - 1 PM Rosary Unborn

*“We are not human beings having a spiritual experience. We are spiritual beings having a human experience.”*

Pierre Teilhard De Chardin

**Youth Ministry News**

Leader training and planning will take place this Monday, Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> from 7-8:30pm. Youth group will resume on Monday, November 7<sup>th</sup> for grades 5 through 8 from 6:30-8pm.

**Confirmation Update**

Our next small group session will be on Monday, Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> from 6:15-8:30pm. Thank you to all who took a Confirmation Family name from the youth bulletin board to pray for them and this important step in their faith journey.

**Youth Ministry Charity Bingo Update**

Thank you so much to all the people who bought tickets to the Bingo last Thursday. It was a tremendous success and a lot of fun. Youth Ministry made approximately over \$1000!!

**“Build Your Kingdom Here”  
Fall High school Retreat**

This Diocesan overnight retreat is open to all High School Students. The retreat runs from Friday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at 7pm until Saturday, Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> at 8pm. It will be held at the Kenesserie Camp in Ridgetown, ON. The cost is \$40. Please contact Christine if you would like to register your high school aged teen to attend this awesome retreat! [ccoyle@dol.ca](mailto:ccoyle@dol.ca).

### KNIT FOR MISSIONS

We are looking for knitters, crocheters and sewers to help make articles for the poor. You may join us at 1pm on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month for supplies and stay for tea and fellowship or you can work from home. Our next meeting is Tuesday, October 25<sup>th</sup> at 1pm.

### CWL BAZAAR SATURADAY, NOVEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup> 9AM – 4PM

Ladies we are looking for items for our bazaar. Jewelry items can be brought into the office anytime now.

Grannys Attic – gently used articles and books. No clothing, electronics, or large furniture. **Please do not bring these articles before Wednesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>.**

Baked goods – items can be dropped off Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup> from 9am – 3pm

Come and enjoy the day and find some unique gifts and baked goods.

Light lunch is available for purchase.

### CHURCH CHUCKLE

Father had arranged all the vegetables in front of the Altar. He asked the children if they could name them. The replies were potatoes, cabbage, carrots, broccoli. So he asked if they could use one word to cover them all. A little boy held his hand up and replied " Gravy"

### OFFERTORY GIFTS

**Last week the collection was       \$4,871.00**

**Direct Deposit(avg. per week)   \$ 1,306.25**

**Total Collection                   \$6,177.25**

### Parish Pastoral Council Nominations are coming soon!!

The selection process for new members of the Parish Pastoral Council is participatory. 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 next weekend. A Parish Pastoral Council member will be speaking at each mass next weekend on the discernment/ nomination process. Members will be available after all the mass and nomination forms will be made available. All nomination forms/ names will be due by Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>. You can drop your form off in the offertory basket or at the parish office. You can submit a name by email at [mpbwin@dol.ca](mailto:mpbwin@dol.ca).

### NET Canada Update from Jaclyn

The NET encounter team 1 just wrapped up their retreats in the Toronto Diocese and are now in the London Diocese. The team will be visiting Tecumseh, Ingersoll, Amherstburg, Simcoe, Woodstock, Belle River and Ridgetown. Some of our parishioners will be hosting the team for an overnight as they travel through town. Jaclyn has been approved to do her Confirmation talk and has done so with success. Please continue to pray for the NET Canada teams, especially Encounter Team 1 as they reach young people and lead them closer to Christ.

### Youth Commission Members Needed

The youth commission is looking for 3 new members. The youth commission meetings approximately every 6 weeks to do the following:

- Be an advocate for youth in our parish community.
- Help Christine Coyle discern new opportunities for youth and/ or support current efforts.
- Pray for our youth


If you think you would like to put your name forward to be a new member on the youth commission, please forward your name to [mpbwin@dol.ca](mailto:mpbwin@dol.ca).

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