



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 25th, 2015
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 of Most Precious Blood Parish,

In today's Gospel, Bartimaeus caused a stir. Normally he sat by the side of the road being a "good blind beggar." But one day Jesus passed nearby. Bartimaeus jumped up and called out to Jesus. We can imagine him turning toward the direction of the commotion and noise. Bartimaeus probably had his arms outstretched as he shouted out to the son of David.

The people who knew him were embarrassed by his outburst. They tried to hush him up and get him to sit back down by the roadside. Their actions spoke volumes: "Bartimaeus, you're not fit for Jesus." But it was okay for them and other "sighted" people to follow Jesus. In today's readings, we learn that true blindness is not a condition of our eyes but of our hearts.

God Bless the many parishioners who took a few moments following the masses last weekend to sign the action card for Development and Peace. Thank you for your kind active of service. Working together and in supporting our Holy Father, Pope Francis, we can make a difference with the present issues and concerns we face with climate change.

A Few famous quotes from Pope Francis:

"The Earth, our home, is beginning to look more and more like an immense pile of filth. In many parts of the planet, the elderly lament that once beautiful landscapes are now covered with rubbish."

"Never have we so hurt and mistreated our common home as we have in the last 200 years."

"We are not God. The Earth was here before us and was given to us."
Pope Francis

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 26th – October 30th

- Monday - No Mass
- Tuesday 7 PM - Margaret Alexander - *Carol*
- Arnita Dunn - *Carol*
- Deceased members Ule & Ocepek Families
- Wed. 8:30 AM - Doug MacDonald - *Zalka Pirih*
- Archie Gillies - *Murdock Gillies*
- Intentions of Cindy
- Thurs. 8:30 AM - Intentions of Alex Colautti - *Family*
- Viola Collins - *Isidore & Irene Girard*
- Betty Gillies - *Mary Ha*
- Friday 8:30 AM - Jean & Eugene Blahitka - *Helen*
- Carlos Mallare - *Family*
- Don Thibeault & Joe Simiana - *Joanne*



- Mon. Oct. 26th - 6:30 PM Confirmation Small Group
- Tues. Oct. 27th - 1 PM Knit for Missions
- 5 PM Social Justice
- Wed. Oct. 28th - 1 PM Intercessory Prayer
- 7:00 PM RCIA
- 7:30 PM Prayer Group
- Thurs. Oct 29th - 1 PM Quilters
- 6 PM Choir
- Fri. Oct. 30th - 1 PM Rosary Unborn
- 7 PM Youth Halloween Dance

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!

Youth Group News

Here are all the fun events that will be taking place. Make sure to mark your calendars.

- Friday, October 30th from 7-10pm all youth in grades 5 through 8 are invited to our Halloween Youth Dance. The cost is \$5 and there will be snacks to purchase at \$1 each. We are encouraging everyone to dress up in their Halloween costume as we will be having a contest for the best and maybe “worst” costume. We are asking everyone to bring an extra \$1 to help a family in need. More details at the dance.
- Monday, November 2nd, All Souls Day, we will be heading to Heavenly Rest. We will be leaving the church at 6:15pm and will return back at 8:15pm. Mary Heath will take us on a tour and we will be having a candle lit service. A snack will be provided. Permission forms are available on the youth board and/ or in the church office. The forms are due on Friday, October 30th at the dance. We need some parents to help drive... please let Christine know if you are able to drive.
- Mini Bible Camp Day on the PD Day, November 20th from 9am-3:30pm. This camp day is open to anyone between the ages of 6-13 years of age. The cost is \$25 for the whole day. More information will be given out in next week’s bulletin.

Homeless in a Box Update

Last Friday evening approximately 60 youth, teens and a group of adults participated in our 4th Homeless in a Box Youth Event. The night was a success, cold, but a success. The young people left with a deeper appreciation for what they have at home and to not take what they have for granted. We also heard from Mr. Joe Roberts, who was actually living on the streets of Vancouver from the age of 15-22 years of age. He is now a successful business man who will be pushing a shopping cart from one end of Canada to the other in 520 days. He will be coming through Windsor, so we are hoping to meet up with him. The money that we raised this evening will go to the Homeless Coalition of Windsor Essex County, who will send to Joe for his campaign, “The Push for Change”. We also collected over 35 bags of used clothing to be donated to our St. Vincent de Paul Store on Chilver and a huge bin of canned goods that will go to our St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank. It was an amazing event and thank you so much to the ladies of the CWL who made and served the soup for our mock, “soup kitchen” and to Gilles Comtois and grandson for being our security for the night. We are blessed with such generous people!!

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 will take place each Thursday night starting November 5th from 7-9 pm. at Most Precious Blood Hall. Parishioners are welcome to attend one or all of the presentations. Week 1 will examine foundations of Catholic Ethics, Moral life and 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.

Offertory Families

A schedule for the offertory family will be ready for pick up the weekend of Oct. 31st and Nov. 1st in the narthex. With this schedule will be a info sheet on the importance of this ministry. Please email Christine if your family would like to be added to the schedule.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was	\$4,967.00
Direct Deposit(avg. per week)	\$1,228.75
Total Collection	\$6,195.75

**Building fund collection last week was
\$3,105.50**

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE
**Building fund collection year to date is
\$32,610.00**
**Building fund year to date paid is
\$45,000.00**

Trunk n' Treat

Do to the lack of interest, Trunk n' Treat is cancelled for this year.

HARVEST DANCE

Towne & Country Band invites all parishioners to a Harvest Dance on Saturday, November 7th here in the Hall following the 5pm Mass. The evening will be showered with 60's, 70's and 80's favorites. There will be Polka, Country, and much more to get you up on the dance floor! If you do not like to dance, then just come out and have fun hearing a variety of your old favorites! Tickets on sale after all masses on the weekend and in the office during the week.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

What is it? Want a closer relationship with the Lord. Come join us every Wednesday beginning November 4th through to December 16th from 7:30 – 9 pm in Most Precious Blood Church. Please register by contacting Rose at 519-945-1272 or Carol at 519-977-8070 by October 28th.

Youth Commission

We are looking for 4 new members for our youth commission team. We meet approximately every 6 weeks (summers off) Also, this is a 3 year commitment. If you are 16 years or older and think you would like to be a part of this group that keeps our young people engaged, please contact Christine by email.

Rake n' Run News

Are you unable to rake your lawn and would like some of our Confirmation candidates and the Knight of Columbus to come out and help rake your yard? On Saturday, November 7th (beginning at 9am-noon) they will be joining forces to rake lawns for the elderly and/ or disabled. Please contact the office (519)948-4133 by Friday, November 6th to let the office know that you need your lawn raked. All you have to supply are the bags.


Parish Pastoral Council Nomination

This weekend following all the masses, Parish Pastoral Council Members, will be in the narthex with nomination forms to be filled out and returned either during office hours by Tuesday, November 3rd or please return in the collection basket on the weekend of Oct. 31st/ Nov. 1st. We need 4 new members on our PPC. If you or someone you know would be a great fit to our PPC and would like to be a part of decision making and discernment then please fill out a nomination form. All those who fill out the form or those who have been nominated will be contacted with further instruction. Thank you.

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