



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 16th, 2016
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,

Congratulations to Dan Lemire on receiving the order of Acolyte this weekend at all masses. This is another step closer to his Ordination to the Diaconate in November 2017.

Let us also keep in our prayers his wife Carol and the entire Lemire family as they support him on a daily basis in his discernment and preparations.

On September 29th, over one hundred volunteers from various ministries in the parish attended the Volunteer Appreciation Night. The Mass was filled with the Holy Spirit and the evening was filled with good conversations, friendship, and fellowship. Thank you to all the parishioners who help the many ministry programs! We are truly blessed at Most Precious Blood to have such a large group of dedicated volunteers!

THANK YOU to all the parishioners for their donations for this years' Thanksgiving Appeal.

Along with your weekly donations, these gifts help fund the work and upkeep of your parish, including ministries, capital projects, maintenance, and many more services.

On a personal note, thank you everyone for your prayers and best wishes as I celebrated my 54th birthday on Wednesday. It is a special honor and assignment by God to be your Pastor ☺

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.**



MASSSES OF THE WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS

October 17th – October 21st

- Monday - No Mass
- Tuesday 7 PM – Pietro & Maria Drigani – *A. Pez*
 - Margaret Alexander – *Carol*
 - Arnita Dunn – *Carol*
 - Kathleen Levack – *Parish*
 - Stephen Ducharme - *Family*
- Wed. 8:30 AM - Geraldine Mailloux Thomas – 2019
Diaconate Formation
 - Cecil & Kathleen Lane – *Family*
 - Catherine MacLennan – *Mary Joudry*
- Thurs. 8:30 AM -Toni Maceyovski – *Arline Bailey*
 -Tanya Pollington – *Mary Grizan*
 -Marie Gilland – *Mary Grizan*
- Friday 8:30 AM - Olga Bryk - *Chittle Family*
 - Galiano & Maria Drigani – *A. Pez*
 - Mark Pflanzner – *Mom & Dad*



- Mon. Oct. 17th - 6:15 PM Confirmation Small Gr.
- Tues. Oct. 18th - 6:30 PM Holy Face Devotion
 -1 PM Senior Cards
- Wed. Oct. 19th - 1 PM Intercessory Prayers
 - 2 PM Coffee House
 - 7 PM RCIA
 - 7:30 PM Prayer Group
 - K of C Gen. Mtg.
- Thurs. Oct. 20th - 1 PM Quilting
 - 6 PM Choir
 - 6 PM Baptism Prep.
- Fri. Oct. 21st - 1 PM Rosary Unborn
 -7 PM Youth Dance

“Anyone or anything that does not help you become the-best-version-of-yourself is too small for you.”

Matthew Kelly

Youth Ministry Update

The next two Monday’s our youth leaders will be working hard planning and preparing for the year. Please keep checking the bulletin for updates and news.

Our annual Halloween Dance for students in grades 5 through 8 will be taking place on Friday, Oct. 21st from 7-10pm. Admission at the door is \$5. Snacks are extra. Costumes are encouraged.

Confirmation News

The first small group session is this Monday, Oct. 17th from 6:15-8:30pm here at the church. Please continue to pray for the confirmation candidates and their families. If you would like to pray for a certain confirmation candidate there are names with a prayer on the youth board in the narthex. Just take the name you want, put it somewhere where you won’t forget and pray for them. Come Holy Spirit!

Youth Ministry Charity Bingo Fundraiser

There are only 75 tickets left to purchase for our Bingo on Thursday, Oct. 20th @7:45pm (Bingo starts at 8pm). Tickets are \$15(\$30 value). You will redeem your ticket at Breakaway that night for you “ALL In” bingo package (double of everything). Limit one ticket per person. Must be 18 yrs. or older to play. Tickets are available in the office or after all the masses on the weekend.

“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 28th at 7pm until Saturday, Oct. 29th 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.

The Role and Function of the Parish Pastoral Council

The primary responsibility of the PPC is pastoral planning. The pastoral planning process is an ongoing, cyclical process which is always mission-motivated. Pastoral Planning involves discernment, consensus, prioritizing goals and objective, implementation, and evaluation. The PPC meets regularly on the second Thursday of each month (no meetings during July & Aug.). Occasionally, council members may be asked to part of an ad hoc committee. Key qualities needed in council members are the abilities to consider, reflect and recommend sound conclusions. If you feel or know someone who would like to be a part of PPC, please consider putting this name forward during our nomination weekend (at the end of the month.)

SOCKS, SOCKS, SOCKS

There will be a basket in the narthex if you would like to donate any new socks to the Downtown Mission. The basket will be in the Narthex until October 23rd.

CHURCH CHUCKLE

Our youth basketball team is back in action Wednesday at 8 PM in the recreation hall. Come out and watch us kill Christ the King.

Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It's a chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Bring your husbands.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was	\$4,647.00
Direct Deposit(avg. per week)	\$ 1,306.25
Total Collection	\$5,953.25

NET Canada Update from Jaclyn

Jaclyn and her team are still in the Toronto Diocese. This past week they led 3 retreats to high school students. This coming week they will be leading more confirmation retreats and high school retreats. The team had the opportunity to go to the Martyr's Shrine this past weekend. Please continue to pray for her and her team. Jaclyn and her team will be coming to the London Diocese soon to lead retreats too.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

This year World Mission Sunday will be observed on October 23rd. Each year at this time, we are called to focus our attention on the great needs of the Church in the Developing World. This year's theme, "Church, Family, Let Us Be Merciful" reminds all baptized Catholics of their responsibility to share in the missionary work of the Church.

In times of tragedy, natural disaster, war, and persecution, many peoples look to the Church and her missionaries for hope. World Mission Sunday celebrates our unity as a human family and provides an opportunity to support the life-giving presence of missionaries and of the Church among the suffering and the poor.

The attached envelope can be placed in next weeks offertory basket if you are able to contribute, if not prayers are always welcome.

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