

## Most Precious Blood Roman Catholic Parish

#### Parish Office

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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, September 16<sup>th</sup> 2018 24<sup>th</sup> 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,

#### Relief Efforts for Kerala, India.

People in the province of Kerala, India, are suffering of a calamitous monsoon displacing 1.5 million people. Entire communities have been destroyed as waters in some places reached a depth of 25 to 30 feet, resulting in many deaths. Bishop Fabbro has asked us to help. If you wish to help the survivors in Kerala, donations should be made out Most Precious Blood Parish and placed in an envelope earmarked "Kerala". All donations will be sent to Save A Family Plan who has set up a Natural Disaster Fund. Please feel free to pick up a copy of Bishop Fabbro's letter found in the Narthex.

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is a sacramental process in which inquirers can come to learn more about our faith, and candidates are fully initiated into the Catholic Church. We begin meeting on Wednesday evenings this fall from 7-9 p.m. at Most Precious Blood Church. For more information, please contact Father David at 519-948-4133 extension 7.

Congratulations to Sr. Florian (60 years), Sr. Jacqueline (50 years) and Sr. Linda (50 years) who are celebrating their Jubilee this coming Friday with Mass at 6 p.m. at Our Lady of Guadalupe. In lieu of gifts, please bring a non-perishable food item to the Mass. These three dedicated woman of faith and service has served our parishes well. Ad multos annos! Father Greg

#### Earish 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

#### September 17th - September 21st

Monday

- No Mass

Tues. 7 PM

- Zalka Pirih - Joe & Vicki

- Carmella Keletgian - Ed & Family

- Gene Renaud - Betty & Family

- Aldo Laino - Lillian & Lucy Buccella

Wed. 8:30 AM

- Theresa Rozek - Gilda Chippior

- Mike Kvolek Jr. - Mike Kvolek

- Illumination of Conscience - Gilles &

Colette

- Aurora Bumanlag - Yu Family

Thurs. 8:30 AM

- Intentions of Bill & Jane Fase

- Buzz McCarrell – *Mary & Pat Kennedy* 

- Clarence McIntyre - Marie Anne Knapp

- Marija Avbelj-Klobucar - Katarina Avbelj & Irene Hurait

Friday 8:30 AM

- Intentions of Pat Kennedy - Mary

- Bryce Staples - Wife Helen

- Walter Youngblutt(1st Ann.) - Marilyn

- Mary Kiss - Katie Kiss



Mon. Sept. 17th

- 6:15 PM Youth Disciple **Training** 

- 7:30 PM Alpha Team

Tues. Sept. 18th

- 1 PM Senior Cards

- 6 PM St. Vincent de Paul

Wed. Sept. 19th

- 4:30 – 7:30PM Confirmation Open House

- 7 PM K of C Gen. Mtg.

- 7:30 PM Prayer Group

Thurs. Sept. 20th

- 1 PM Quilters

- 6 PM Choir

- 6 PM Baptism Prep.

Fri. Sept. 21st

- 1 PM Rosary Preborn

"The world needs an invasion of love & this depends on each one of us."

#### **Chiara Lubich**

#### YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS "KEEP CONNECTED"

"Keep Connected" is a new program our Diocese Youth & Family Office is offering parishes. It is for tweens/ younger teens and their parents. Its main focus is on how to keeping the lines of communication open between parents & their This program is being held growing children. here on Monday nights, from October 15 -November 19, 6:15-8:15 each evening. It begins with a meal for your whole family. After dinner the younger children will go into the child care The 10-14 year olds and parents will separate into their portion of the night where they will discuss one of the Developmental Assets that this program is based on. After some time apart the parents and youth will come together and have a facilitated time to review what they learned and plan for implementation in their unique situations. If you would like to sign up for these session please go to www.dol.ca/keepconnected. The session cost per family is \$25. There is a limit of 20 families for this program, so sign up soon. If you have more questions, please contact Christine at ccoyle@dol.ca.

#### The Sacrament of Confirmation

If your child is in grade 8 or older and would like to prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation here at Most Precious Blood, mark your calendar for our Confirmation "Open House" on Wed. Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> from 4:30-7:30pm. Stop by in the hall anytime during that time frame for some fun, information and registration. Parents Candidates are encouraged to attend together to this Open House.

#### Youth Disciples/ Leadership

If you have a teen that needs community service hours or would like to be a part of a Catholic faith group for teens & young adults please tell them about our upcoming Disciples for Jesus training on Monday, Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> from 6:15-7:30pm. If you have questions please contact Christine at ccoyle@dol.ca.

#### **COME CELEBRATE JUBILARIANS**

Sister Linda Parent and Sister Jacqueline Janisse with 50 Years and Sister Florian Atkinson with 60 Years. Join them on Friday, September 21<sup>st</sup> for Mass at 6pm at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. Followed by fellowship in the church hall.

#### **Sunday Friends Fall Start Up**

Sunday Friends has started up again this past Sunday. Please note: This program is structured for children between the ages of 4-7 years. Parents can drop their child off in the church hall before mass begins. The children will no longer be called forward. Thank you for your corporation with this change.

#### **Offertory Families Needed**

If your family would like to bring up the gifts during mass, please check the schedule in the narthex. We keep the schedule blank, so that you can choose the date that is best for you & your family.

#### 81st WINDSOR SPARKS

The 81<sup>st</sup> Windsor Spark Unit of Girl Guides of Canada would like to invite all girls in SK and grade 1 to join us for fun, friendship, field trips and much more. Call Cathy Lamoureux at 519-790-9340 or register at www.girlguides.ca.

#### **BUNDLE DRIVE**

The St. Vincent de Paul truck will be in our parking lot the weekend of September 22/23. Please bring your gently used clothing to any of the Masses that weekend.

#### OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was \$6,342.00
Direct Deposit(avg. per week) \$1,290.00
Total Collection \$7,632.00

Thank you for your generosity.

## Alpha Team Meeting for the Fall Session

We will be having an Alpha team meeting on Monday, September 17<sup>th</sup> from 7:30-8:30pm. If you have taken the Alpha course and feel like being on the team and this would be something you are interested in please come to the gathering on the 17<sup>th</sup>. If you have questions please contact Christine.

#### **Teens for Christ Retreat**

There is a youth camp for young people ages 12-21 years of age the weekend of Sept. 21-23<sup>rd</sup> in Merlin, Ontario. The weekend will consist of talks, sharing and fun-filled activities utilizing the talents and skills of the participants. If you would like your teen/ young adult to attend this retreat please let Christine know. Forms are available in the office, or you can email her at ccoyle@dol.ca.

#### **CWL BAZAAR**

Thinking of a Fall cleanup? The Catholic Women's League will be holding their Bazaar on November 3 and would appreciate any items you have for all the booths. For Grannies Attic, the articles must be clean and very gently used. We cannot accept furniture, electric appliances, clothes or shoes, purses, etc. The Golden Hands booth would appreciate handmade articles only. Please do not bring items to the church before November 1 as storage is limited. We thank you for your participation in this fundraiser for our charities.

#### **PARISH PICNIC**

A huge thank you to all those who helped out at our parish picnic last weekend. It was a great success and it could not of happened without some fantastic parishioners. Specifically, thank you to the Knights of Columbus for providing and serving all the yummy food, to Laurie Dufour and the ladies craft for preparing and leading the children in different craft stations, to Tina & Treena for "Minute-to-win-it" enthusiasm and to everyone who helped in setting up, bringing Legos from home playing games with the little ones. Thank you!

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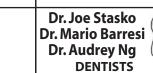
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