

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, September 17th, 2017 24th 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,

<u>Please note:</u> Mass this Tuesday will be celebrated at 6:00 p.m. We will celebrate our annual St. Anne's parent(s) meet the teacher evening in our Parish Hall following Mass

Thank you to Mrs. Ardra Kepran for her 6 yrs. plus in her role as our Pastoral Parish Council Secretary. Please know how much you have been appreciated by the entire parish and all the council members that you have served. Thank you! A warm welcome to Melanie Mills who has accepted this new position. Once again our parish has been blessed!

<u>Please note:</u> Our monthly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be moving from every first Friday of the month to every 1st Wednesday of the month effective Wednesday, November 1st. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will begin following the Wednesday morning 8:30 a.m. and will end with Benediction at 6:45 p.m. We, your Parish Team feels this will draw more parishioners, school children, and members of our Parish Prayer Group to spend some quiet time with Jesus in prayer and reflection. Thank you to the many parishioners for their suggestions and ideas.

It is no surprise to tell you all that I lost the "balloon toss" If you were present you would know why! © God Bless, 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.



MASS INTENTIONS September 18th – September 22th

Monday - No Mass

Tues. 6 PM - Bruno Bianchini - Dania & Family

- Timothy DeGuire - Roger & Dot

- Margaret Jobin – Roger & Dot DeGuire

- Jackie Lucier – Ray & Veronica Tremblay

- George Chernawski – Ray & Veronica

Wed. 8:30 AM - Ray Ouellette - Oncea Family

-Jim Robinson – Rita Mulyrne

- Jacque Lafleur - MPB Quilters

Thurs. 8:30 AM - Tarcisio Zuech - Wife & Family

- Margaret Jobin - Nick & Carole Spoiala

-Elena, Peter & Fr. Joe Bagatto - Family

Friday 8:30 AM - Anthony Grizan - Anna & Mary Grizan

- Genofa & Joseph Zeps - Anna & Mary

- Niedra Family - Anna & Mary

- Intentions of Helen Unsworth - Friends



Mon. Sept. 18th - 6:30 PM Youth Group

Tues. Sept. 19th - 5:30 PM Holy Face Devotion

- 6:30 PM St. Vincent de Paul

- 1 PM Senior Cards

Wed. Sept. 20th - 1:30 PM Coffee House

- 6 PM Intercessory Prayers

-7:30 PM Prayer Group

Thurs. Sept. 21st - 1 PM Quilters

-6 PM Choir

- 6 PM Baptism Prep.

Fri. Sept. 22nd - 1 PM Rosary Unborn

-3 PM Youth Leader Training

"When God calls us to speak, we can either be silent & safe or be Saints, but we don't get to be both."

-Chris Stefanick

Teen Disciples Wanted

All teens that want to learn and grow to become one of Christ's disciples in the Youth Ministry program here at Most Precious Blood are welcome to come out to our first gathering on Monday, September 18th from 6:30-8pm. During this discipleship opportunity all teens will learn more about their Catholic faith, grow in their leadership skills, have fun making new friendships and will work on completing their service hours for High School. If you would like more information please contact Christine Coyle at ccoyle@dol.ca.

Offertory Family & Friends Sign Up (Sept-Nov)

There is a new sign-up sheet for families or friends to bring up the offertory gifts during the mass they attend. The sheet is located in the narthex on the board towards the right of the narthex. If you and your family would like to bring up the gifts, please print your name in the time slot of the weekend you are able. Please remember only to sign up once during the time period. If you have any questions please contact Christine at ccoyle@dol.ca.

Sacrament of Confirmation News

It's that time of year again!! We are excited for this year's confirmation program and to get to know your teen and families. The Sacrament is open to teens in grade 8 or older. Registration takes please after the masses the weekends of Sept. 16/17 & Sept. 23/24. Forms will be given out at St. Anne French Immersion and Corpus Christi Middle School. If your teen attends a different school, forms will be available on-line or at the time of registration. Please contact Christie if you have any questions.

LADIES DAY OF REFLECTION

Ladies join us on Saturday, October 14th from 9am – 2pm for a day of reflection Inspired by the Spirit Women Respond To God's Call. Facilitator is Maureen Ray and registration starts at 9am. The is \$10 and please call the office to register 519-948-4133.

81st Spark Unit

The 81st Windsor Spark Unit will be selling chocolate mint cookies after all Masses next weekend.

Our Lady of LaSalette Feast Day

Come join us on Tuesday, September 19th for devotions at 5:30pm and Mass at 7pm at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish. Join us for this beautiful evening of prayers.

Sunday Friends Update

The new Sunday's friends program has arrived! The team of teachers are so excited to look through and get ready for the children at the 11:15am mass. To make sure the team is ready and comfortable with the new program we will be having a late start for Sunday Friends. The first Sunday back will be on Sept. 24th at the 11:15am mass. Sorry for any inconvenience this may have caused. Please note that Sunday Friends is geared for children ages 4-7 years of age. Please contact Christine if you have any questions at ccoyle@dol.ca.

Marriage Chuckle:

On the first night of their honeymoon, the husband isn't sure how to tell his bride about his stinky feet and smelly socks, while the wife is wondering how to break the news to him about her awful breath, which so far, she's been able to cover up. After some soulsearching, the husband gathers his nerve and says, I have a confession. She draws closer, peers into his eyes, and says, Darling, so do I. Recoiling, he says, Don't tell me you've eaten my socks.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was \$5,934.33
Direct Deposit(avg. per week) \$1,383.75
Total Collection \$7,318.08

VOICES IN HARMONY

"Voices in Harmony" choir members from St. Vincent de Paul Parish, Corpus Christi Church and Most Precious Blood Parish are pleased and excited to present a one-hour concert on Saturday, September 30th at 7pm here at Most Precious Blood Church. A free will offering will be taken up to help families in need. Please come and enjoy an evening of entertainment.

Jeremiah Day Soccer Challenge

The Jeremiah Day Soccer Challenge is a day for young men (grades 8-12) to grow closer to God and to visit St. Peter's Seminary. This day is taking place on Saturday, Sept. 23rd from 10am-3pm at St Peters Seminary, London. Activities include a tour of the seminary, Mass of Ministries, lunch, soccer tips from Bishop Dabrowski and a soccer game with our seminarians in the afternoon. If you would like to attend this event please contact Christine no later than Wednesday, Sept. 20th at ccoyle@dol.ca.

Parish Picnic Thank You

A big shout out to the many people who made our parish picnic a success. To the committee who planned all the events; Maria LeBlanc, Laney McViety, Jeannette Negrich, Michelle Cronin, Colleen & Ryan Solcz. Thank you so much for all your great ideas and help that day.

Thank you to our Knights of Columbus for their tremendous help with the BBQ & food. As always the food was amazing and everyone left full and happy!:)

Lastly, thank you to our CWL ladies who helped serve and clean up. Your commitment to our parish functions is amazing.

It was a beautiful day.

Senior Gatherings

Card players will gather on the 3rd Tuesday of the month and the Knit for the Missions group will begin on the 4th Tuesday of the month. We hope that you will be able to join us for fun and fellowship.

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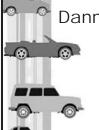
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