

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 4th, 2016 23rd 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,

Welcome Back to School.

We welcome back our students, teachers, support staff and administrators to the 2016-2017 school year! I hope you all had a great summer and that the students and their families are ready to return to the business of learning. May we all have a safe and amazing school year, building on the success and accomplishments of last year.

<u>Please keep my family and I in your prayers.</u> This Wednesday we will be heading to Chicago to celebrate the wedding of my nephew. I will be away from the office from September 7th – September 13th.

We welcome Father Capitano as he will be celebrating the weekday and weekend Masses September $7^{th} - 11^{th}$.

You are welcome to Journey with us through the RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is a sacramental process for people who are interested in becoming a member of the Roman Catholic Church. If anyone is interested or you know someone who is thinking about entering into full communion in the Catholic Church, please contact myself at 519-948-4133 ext. 3.

We will be praying for anyone who may be discerning this journey.

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 5th – September 9th

Monday - No Mass

Tuesday 7 PM – Ivan Bucik – *Lascak Family*

-Don Momney – Shirley Charron

- George Conelly - Urban MacDonald

- Caterina Grammatico - Grandchildren

Wed. 8:30 AM - Angelina Pizzano - Rita Palazzi

-Geraldine Maillouz-Thomas - 2019 Diaconate Formation

- Yvonne Lafleur - Betty & Doug Hoard

Thurs. 6 PM -Intentions of Lascak & Vogrig Failies

- Intentions of Alex Colautti - Family

-Anita Dodd – Doreen Magone

Friday 8:30 AM - Toni Maceyovski - Ministry of Sharers of the World

- Luigi & Fiorina Piccinin – Bortolin Family

- Rose Ouellette - Gene & Barb Adam



- 6:30 PM Holy Face Devotion Tues. Sept. 6th

- 7:30 PM CWL

Wed. Sept. 7th - 1 PM Intercessory Prayers

- 6:30 PM Youth Commission

- 7:30 PM Prayer Group

- K of C Ex. Mtg.

Thurs. Sept. 8th -1 PM Quilters

Fri. Sept. 9th - 1 PM Rosary Unborn

"Dear young friends, don't be ashamed to bring everything to the Lord in confession, especially your weaknesses, your struggles and your sins. He will surprise you with his forgiveness and his peace. Don't be afraid to say "yes" to him with all your heart, to respond generously and to follow him! Don't let your soul grow numb, but aim or the goal of a beautiful love which also demands sacrifice. Say a firm "no" to the narcotic of success at any cost and the sedative of worrying only about yourself an your own comfort."

Pope Francis (World Youth Day 2016)

Youth Ministry Update

The Youth Ministry Team is looking for teens, young adults and adults who have a passion for their faith, are comfortable around young people, and who would love to be a part of a ministry that is exciting and busy. Teens who come out to help will get community service hours. Each person who wants to help is required to get a police clearance too. We are having an information night on Monday, September 12th at 6:30-7:30pm. Please mark your calendar and if you have any Christine questions contact Covle ccoyle@dol.ca.

Sacrament of Confirmation Registration

If your child is in grade 8 or high school and is ready to start preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation please register them for our program after one of the masses during the weekends of Sept. 17/18 and/ or Sept. 24/25. Mass times are Saturday at 5pm & Sunday at 9:30/ 11:15am. Our first Confirmation family gathering is on Wednesday, Sept. 28th from 6:15-7:30pm. Parents and the child who is to be confirmed needs to attend this meeting. We will be giving you all the information, and dates. Please contact Christine if you have any question at ccoyle@dol.ca.

Registration for First Reconciliation & First Eucharist

Registration for these two sacraments will be taking place in January 2017. Keep checking the bulletin!

REACH Bible Camp/ Sports Camp

During the week of August 8-12, the parish had over 80 children and over 30 leaders at our REACH Bible Camp and Sports Camp. The week was full of all sorts of activities, from science experiments, a dance routine, games, crafts, yummy lunches, water games and so much more. A special thank you to all those amazing people who gave of their time and helped at the camp this summer. Without these amazing people the camp would not be possible. Thank you also to the parents who signed their child up to the camp. Many of the children learned more about their faith and made some new friendships.

CHURCH CHUCKLE

A dad was listening to his child say his prayers "Dear Harold".

At this, dad interrupted and said, "Wait a minute. How come you called God, 'Harold'"?

The little boy looked up and said, "That's what they call him in church. You know the prayer we say, "Our Father, who are in Heaven, Harold be Thy name."

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was \$4,059.00

Direct Deposit(aug. per week) \$1,154.75 Total Collection \$5,213.75

"Reboot" with Chris Stefanick

There are only 25 tickets left here at Most Precious Blood for the amazing evening with Chris Stefanick. Reboot will encourage and enliven each person's faith, wherever they are at in their faith journey...young or old. I have heard Chris speak personally and he has to be one of the most engaging Catholic speakers I have heard!! Tickets are only \$25. Please see Christine if you would like a ticket.

Sunday Friends Volunteers

We are looking for more Sunday Friend's volunteers! If you happen to be someone who like to teach others about the Catholic Faith, is creative and is comfortable around children please contact Christine first and then come to the info night on Tuesday, September 13th. We will meet at the 7pm mass and then have our information gathering to follow. You can contact Christine at ccoyle@dol.ca.

FEAST DAY CELEBRATION FOR OUR LADY OF LA SALETTE

Monday, September 19th at Our Lady of Guadalupe 834 Raymo Road. Prayers and Devotions at 5 pm, Mass at 6 pm. Rev. Larry Brunett and Deacon Reg Quesnel. For more information please call Carol Antonelli at 519-944-4678.

GIRL GUIDES OF CANADA 81ST SPARK UNIT

The 81st Windsor Spark Unit, Girl Guides of Canada, are looking for girls that are in S.K. and grade 1 that are interested in fun, friendship, field trips, crafts etc. We meet in the MPB church hall Saturday mornings from 10 to 11:30 am.

You can call Cathy Lamoureux for more information 519-790-9340 or register on the Girl Guide website www.girlguides.ca

First meeting is on Saturday September 10th.

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