



Most Precious Blood

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Centred in Christ, we are a welcoming community sharing our talents and goodness, joyfully celebrating and reaching out to all.

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor:

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SUPPORT STAFF

Secretary: Liz Desmarais

Custodian: Carol Lemire

Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Weekend Masses:

Saturday Vigil - 5:00 PM

Sunday - 9:30 AM, 11:15 AM

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday 7:00 PM

Wednesday 8:30 AM

Thursday 8:30 AM

Friday 8:30 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 11AM - 12 NOON

Weddings: the couple is to contact the parish priest at least 9 months in advance of a desired wedding date.

Baptism: Contact the parish office

Dear Parishioners of Most Precious Blood,

Most Precious Blood Parish is a vibrant community that welcomes the participation and contribution of people from all walks of life. We have between 150 and 200 volunteers helping out at any given time and there is always many volunteer opportunities for people to join regardless of schedule, backgrounds, or skill sets. The way to get more involved here at Most Precious Blood is to simply attend our

Ministry Fair taking place the weekend of September 20th and 21st in our parish hall. The best way to find out where we currently need the most help is to check out the ministry stations on this weekend. At each station there will be a representative from the ministry and will be available to answer any questions one may have. There will be sign up sheets at each station. Once you sign up, you will be called and invited to a training and information session. Please consider jumping in to volunteer. Make sure you grab a hot dog and a drink at the fair!

One of my favorite acronyms is TEAM!
T-E-A-M!

Together Everyone Accomplishes More.

Let us keep in our daily prayers the intentions of all our staff, students, and support staff who have returned to another new school year. God, give them wisdom and knowledge to their minds as they search for understanding; and peace and zeal to their hearts.

Oh! And speaking of teachers, I almost forgot! Happy 65th Birthday this coming Wednesday Deacon Frank!



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS

September 8th – September 12th

- Monday - No Mass
- Tuesday 7 PM - Intentions of Vogrig & Lascak Families
-Gabe Charron (4th Ann.) - *Wife & Family*
- Olga Renaud - *J. Cedar*
- Wed. 8:30 AM -John Stasik - *Family*
-In Thanksgiving - *Portillo Family*
- Mr. & Mrs. Bedronillo Marquez
- Thurs. 8:30 AM - Intentions of Alex Colautti - *Family*
- Loni Noll - *Fred & Theresa Smith*
- Roger Miron - *Gilles & Colette Comtois*
- Friday 8:30 AM - Paul Bocan - *Ted & Mary Kowalski*
- Kathleen Lane - *Your Parish Family*
- Intentions of Jossua & Jessa



- Mon. Sept. 8th - 7:00 PM Youth Leaders
- Tues. Sept. 9th - 7:30 PM Communication
- Wed. Sept. 10th - 1 PM Intercessory Prayer
-7:30 PM Prayer Group
- Thurs. Sept. 11th - 10 AM Quilters
-6PM Choir Practice
- Fri. Sept. 12th - 1 PM Rosary Unborn

CHRISTINE'S YOUTH CORNER

Youth Leadership Opportunities

This new year of Youth Ministry is in need of some dedicated adults and teens to give of their time to our young people to build relationships and to share faith with one another. This may seem scary to some, please know there will be training and support throughout this whole process. During my retreat/conference a couple of weeks ago, one of the statements that were repeated was that young people/ teens WANT adult mentors. I cannot do this ministry alone that is impossible. If you or your teen would like to be a part of youth ministry leadership please join us at our youth leadership information gathering on Monday, Sept. 8th at 7pm in the church hall. If you have any questions please call or email me.

Children's Church & Precious Ones

Children's Church & Precious One's leaders are having a gathering on Tuesday, September 9th at 7pm to celebrate mass together and to plan this upcoming year. If you think you would like to help out with our children's church or precious ones' program please come out to this gathering. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Children's Church will be starting up this Sunday, September 7th at our 11:15am mass.

Confirmation, First Reconciliation & First Communion Registration Information

Registration for these 3 Sacraments will be taking place after all the masses in the hall during the weekends of Sept. 27/ 28 and Oct. 4/5. There will be forms available for families to fill out. I will need a copy of their baptismal certificate only if your child was baptized at another parish. MPB has the records for children baptized at: Most Precious Blood, St. Joseph the worker, St. Anne Walkerville & Holy Rosary Parishes.

When does my child start preparing for these Sacraments?

- Confirmation- Grade 8
- First Reconciliation & First Communion- Grade 2

You may be asking yourself...

How do I contact Christine?

Phone: (519) 948-4133 or email:

ccoyle@dol.ca

THE GRIEF RECOVERY METHOD

Open Seminar

On Monday, September 8th at 6:30 pm, Windsor Chapel Funeral Homes Ltd. is proud to sponsor an open seminar on recovery from significant emotional loss. This seminar will be held at our Banwell Location. (11677 Tecumseh Rd. E.)

The speaker for this 1 ½ hour presentation will be Scott R. Lockwood, Certified Grief Recovery Specialist, Licensed Funeral Director, and Ordained Minister.

Scott will be addressing many of the feelings that are experienced as a consequence of the death of a loved one or other significant emotional loss. This action program meets weekly for 8 weeks and is designed to assist people in completing the pain caused by loss.

We feel privileged to bring this program to our community. If you or any of your family members are still finding it difficult to cope with a significant emotional loss, please feel free to attend. This seminar is available to all at no cost.



Crystal Byerley, Velma Lefebvre, Toni Maceyovski, Theresa Latouf, Rose Ouellette

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Last week the collection was	\$ 4,830.00
Direct Deposit (avg. per week)	\$ 1,016.00
Total Collection	\$5,846.00

**Building fund collection last week was
115.00**

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

**Building fund collection year to date is
\$20,439.10**

RIGHT TO LIFE WALK-A-THON

Pledges will be collected after all Masses next weekend September, 13/14.

CHOIR PRACTICE

Choir practice resumes on Thursday, September 11 at 6 pm. If you are interested in joining our music ministry, please join us on Thursday evenings for practice.

EAT, DRINK & BE MERRY

Fr. Greg will take on the difficult question on faith at Assumption University's event, "Eat, Drink, & Be Merry." Please join us at the Walkerville Brewery on September 19th from 7-9 pm for food, drinks, fellowship, and great conversations. Fr. Greg will be specifically speaking on the importance of faith, as well as answering any questions about the Catholic Church. Please RSVP by emailing Thomas Dula at tdula@assumptionu.ca

Rite of Christian Initiation for Children (RCIC)

If you have a child between the ages of 7-13 years of age that is in need of baptism please contact Christine to get more information about the RCIC program at MPB.

THOUGHTS ON AGING

Maybe it's true that life begins at fifty. But everything else starts to wear out, fall out, or spread out.

*Please pray for our Priests, Deacons and
for Vocations.*

Sun. Sept. 14th	Rev. R. Remark
Mon. Sept. 15th	Ms. L. Mullins
Tues. Sept. 16th	Rev. D. Vere
Wed. Sept. 17th	Rev. M. Michon
Thurs. Sept. 18th	Deacon H. Kling
Fri. Sept. 19th	Rev. J. Morawski
Sat. Sept. 20th	Rev. P. D'Oria

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