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## PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Xavier De Pinto ..... Pastor

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Fr. Joseph Moncada ..... In Residence

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday: .....CLOSED

Tuesday ..... 9:30 am - 3:30 pm

Wednesday: .....CLOSED

Thursday ..... 9:30 am - 3:30 pm

Friday: ..... CLOSED

Saturday:.....9:00 am - 6:30 pm

Sunday:.....8:30 am - 1:30 pm

## CONFESSIONS

Wednesdays: .....6 pm to 6:45 pm

Saturday: ..... at 4:00 pm

First Friday: .....at 6:00 pm

Or by appointment

## MASS TIMES

Saturday:.....5:00 pm

Sunday: .....8:30 am — 10 am — 12 noon

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. & Sat: .....8:00 am

Wednesday: .....7:00 pm

1st Friday:..... 8:00 am & 7:00 pm

## DEVOTIONS

Holy Rosary .....Mon. to Sat. 7:30 am

St. Joseph Devotion .....Sat. 8:00 am

St. Pio of Pietrelcina .....Mon. 8:00 am

The Precious Blood/ Holy Hour...Wed 6:00 pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion.....Wed. 7:00 pm

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus/Holy Hour

followed by Mass, Healing Prayer & Anointing

of the Sick.....1st. Fri. 6:00 pm

## BAPTISM, MARRIAGE AND SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE - TEL.: 416 751 2661

## NEW PARISHIONERS WELCOME - PLEASE REGISTER AT THE CHURCH OFFICE

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Precious Blood.....Cheryliane Gomes (principal).....416-393-5258

St. Kevin..... Colleen Hayward (principal) .....416-393-5300

St. Catherine..... Philip Gahunia (principal).....416-393-5316

**Gluten Free Hosts:** If anyone has the need to receive a Gluten Free Host, please come to the Sacristy before Mass to arrange.

The church needs your help to continue its' work of evangelization. Pre-Authorized Giving is now available! For more information or to register, please come to the church office.

## SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

### Mass Intentions

**December 7 – December 14, 2019**

- Sat. 5:00 pm** Thanksgiving for Living & Deceased Family Members  
Req. Annemarie
- Sun. 8:30 am** +Josephine & Soosaipillai Mariathan  
Req. Amalathan Family
- 10:00 am** + Jacqueline & Howard Bryce  
Req. Victoria Valdez
- 12 noon** The Precious Blood Community
- Mon. 8:00 am** The Precious Blood Community
- Tues. 8:00 am** The Precious Blood Community
- Wed. 7:00 pm** + Josefina Bella Ola  
Req. Janet & USC  
+ Lise Andre & Jean Pierre  
Req. Ng Yan Woon  
+ Tamburri Family  
Req. Victor & Mary Meile
- Thurs. 8:00 am** John Marquez (Living)  
Req. Marquez Family
- Fri. 8:00 am** + Victoria Padilla  
Req. Mila Vergara
- Sat. 8:00 am** + Mercedes, Philip & Kevin Slaney  
Req. Slaney Family



Please pray for the sick  
Robert Bentley

### Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico - March 17 – 22, 2020



There will be a pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe next year, **March 17 to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2020**, in celebration of Father Xavier's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of ordination.

If interested, please pick up a form at the entrances of the Church or the Church office.

### Good Shepherd Casserole Trays

On the weekend of **December 7-8, 2019**, you may pick up a casserole tray with a macaroni and beef recipe inside to be cooked and donated to serve as a meal to those at the Good Shepherd. We kindly ask that you bring back the trays frozen on the weekend of **January 25-26, 2020**. Thank you for your generosity.



### Catholic Women's League

#### **1. Mary Matthews Public Speaking Contest**

Eligibility: Grade 7 and 8 students

#### **2. Mary Dobell Pro-Life Essay and Poetry Contest**

This contest supports and encourages an awareness and positive attitude towards a broad range of pro-life issues – from stages of conceptions, through childhood, adolescence, adulthood and senior years, to the new stage after death.

Eligibility: Intermediate level – Grades 7, 8 & 9  
Senior level – Grades 10, 11 & 12

#### **3. Jean McCann Youth Service Award**

This Youth award recognizes and affirms the role played in our Parishes by our confirmed Catholic youth through service to others

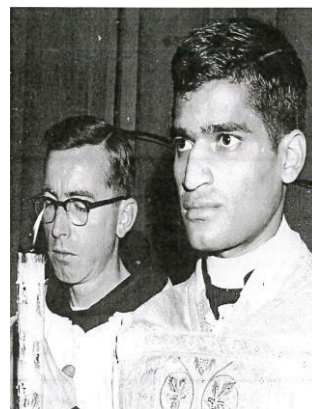
Eligibility: Youth ages 15 to 18

For more details, please visit the Catholic Women's League Toronto website or contact Sandy Bassett at 416-320-2349 or Vicki del Prado at 416-829-9554.

### Priestly Diamond Jubilee 1960-2020

Rev. Lawrence Saldanha

*"For All Things Give Thanks to God" – 1 Thess: 5*



I cordially invite you to a Eucharistic Celebration on the occasion of my Priestly Diamond Jubilee at **Precious Blood Church 1737 Lawrence Ave., East on Sunday, January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 12:00 noon**

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

**Sat. Dec. 7 – Sat. Dec. 14, 2019**

**Saturday December 7**

- 10:00 am – Student Study Group
- 1:00 pm – God's Little Angels Dance Group
- 3:00 pm – Children's Choir Practice
- 5:00 pm – Confirmation Enrollment Ceremony
- 6:30 pm – Youth Choir Practice

**Sunday December 1**

- 10:00 am – Children's Liturgy
- 10:00 am – Confirmation Enrollment Ceremony
- 12:00 pm – Children's Liturgy
- 12:00 pm – Confirmation Enrollment Ceremony
- 1:30 pm – RCIA

**Monday December 2**

- 7:00 pm – Jr. Curia Legion of Mary
- 7:30 pm – Knights of Columbus Honour Guard Practice

**Tuesday December 3**

- 11:30 am – Exercise Class

**Wednesday December 4**

- 7:30 pm – USC Christmas Get-Together

**Thursday December 5**

- 9:00 am – Jean Vanier Retreat
- 11:30 am – Exercise Class
- 3:00 pm – Mother & Child
- 7:30 pm – Adult Choir Practice

**Friday December 6**

- 6:00 pm – Light Up for Christ
- 6:00 pm – Knights of Columbus Ladies Night
- 7:00 pm – Youth Group

**Saturday December 7**

- 8:30 am – FNE Explorers
- 10:00 am – Children's Christmas Party
- 3:00 pm – Children's Choir Practice
- 4:00 pm – Prayer Group Christmas Party
- 6:30 pm – Youth Choir Practice

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**God's Little Angels**

Our next dance rehearsal will be on  
**December 14<sup>th</sup> from 12:30 pm – 3:00 pm.**  
We hope to see you there!

**Angels Among Us**



During Advent we have a small cut-out of angels available near the Christmas Tree. You can write messages or the names of your loved living and loved deceased relatives and friends on the angels and then place them on the Christmas Tree in the Sanctuary. This will be our prayer and a reminder that those who have gone before us remain part of our Christian family

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**Mother-and-Child**  
**Come and See**

**When:** Thursday, December 12th from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

**Where:** Parish Hall

**Contact:** Fr. George at 647-209-4839

Hope to see you there!

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**Christmas Giving Tree**



This year, the CWL will be supporting the moms and babies living at Rosalie Hall. All parishioners are being asked to take a leaf off one of the two trees at the back and front of the church, and then return the unwrapped gift and place in front of the altar by **Sunday December 15<sup>th</sup>.**

The donated gifts will then be delivered to Rosalie Hall in time for their Christmas parties later that week. God Bless & thank you for your support of the worthy cause.

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**Our Lady of Fatima Visitation**



The 2020 sign-up sheet for Our Lady of Fatima's visitation for a week in your home is now available in the binder at the back of the church. Instruction prayer on her arrival and departure is included in the prayer bag.

Let us pray to Our Blessed Mother for protection, guidance, peace in our family and the whole world.  
**You will receive and return her on Saturday at the 5pm mass**



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