

PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH

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PASTORAL TEAM
Pastor: Fr. Xavier De Pinto
In residence: Fr. Joseph Moncada
Deacon: Kevin Daudlin

OFFICE HOURS

Saturdays.....12:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Sundays..... 8:00 am - 1:00 pm
Monday to Friday..... Closed

CONFESSIONS

Wednesdays.....6:00 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
Sunday8:30 am, 10 am & 12 noon

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday,
Friday & Saturday.....8:00 am
Wednesday7:00 pm

1st Friday8:00 am & 7:00 pm

DEVOTIONS

Holy RosaryMon. to Sat. 7:30 am
St. Joseph Devotion Sat. 8:00 am
St. Pio of Pietrelcina..... Fri. 8:00 am
Precious Blood/ Holy Hour..... Wed 6:00 pm

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

First Friday.....all day Adoration, Healing Prayer
& Anointing of the Sick from 8:00 am to 7:00 pm

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NEW PARISHIONERS WELCOME - PLEASE REGISTER AT THE CHURCH OFFICE

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.



**PRECIOUS BLOOD CHURCH LENTEN MISSION
FEBRUARY 10 – 14, 2024**



Lenten Mission Speaker: Fr. Thomas Rosica, CSB, a member of the Congregation of St. Basil (Basilian Fathers), a biblical scholar, lecturer, author, and retreat director. National Director and CEO of World Youth Day 2002 in Canada and the founding CEO of the Salt and Light Catholic Media Foundation in Canada (2003-2019). He was English language Media Attaché at five Synods of Bishops at the Vatican (2008, 2012, 2014, 2015 and 2018) and was also the Assistant to the Director of the Holy See Press Office during the historic Papal Transition of 2013. Fr. Rosica worked with the Holy See Press Office during the first years of Pope Francis' Petrine Ministry.

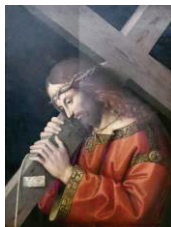
THEME: "LET US GO UP TO JERUSALEM WITH THE LORD"

- **Saturday, February 10, 2024**, after 5:00pm mass
- **Sunday, February 11, 2024**, will be preaching in all Masses: 8:30 am, 10:00 am and 12:00 noon
- **Monday, February 12, 2024**, at 7:00pm - *Marks' Gospel as an extended Passion Narrative* (6pm Vesper Evening Prayer)
- **Tuesday, February 13, 2024**, at 7:00pm - *The Temptations of Jesus and our Temptations* (6pm Vesper Evening Prayer)
- **Ash Wednesday, February 14, 2024**, Mass presider at 7:00pm and Talk after the mass "Living Lent through the lenses of Mark's Gospel"



STATIONS OF THE CROSS - 2024

To prepare ourselves this Lenten season, please come and join the Stations of the Cross prayers every Friday after the 7pm mass bringing our intentions at the foot of the Cross of Jesus.



Friday, February 16	Stations of the Cross 7:30 PM after the Holy Mass	CWL
Friday, February 23		KofC & St. Vincent de Paul
Friday, March 1		Lector/EM
Friday, March 8		Legion of Mary / Sacristans / Children's Liturgy
Friday, March 15		Prayer Group
Friday, March 22		PB Adult Choir
Friday, March 29	Good Friday, Stations of the Cross at 7:00 PM	Youth Group



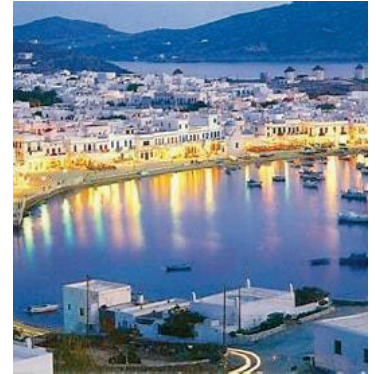
ASH WEDNESDAY – FEBRUARY 14

There will be two (2) masses: 8am and 7pm which is the last night of the Lenten Mission.

WONDERS OF GREECE & TURKEY

July 22 to 29, 2024

Join Fr. Xavier, celebrating his 30th anniversary of ordination, in visiting enchanted places in Greece and Turkey.



This journey will take you to places we hear about in our Bible readings, like the island of Patmos, where the Apostle John recorded the Book of Revelation, or the city of Corinth, visited by St. Paul 2000 years ago, and to whose inhabitants the "Letters to Corinthians" were addressed. You will also visit Athens, embark on a cruise ship to visit the breathtaking islands in the Aegean Sea where culture, history, and pristine beaches blend together, and more...

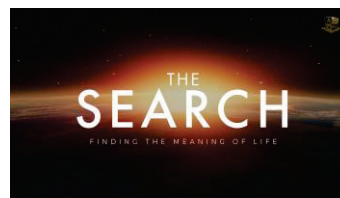
For a complete list of destinations, visit <https://www.preciousblood.ca/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/Greece-Turkey.pdf>

To register and for more information please contact:



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SPRING COURSE- THE SEARCH



We will be holding a 7 week, in person, course starting Thursday April 25, 2024, in the parish hall from 7-8:30 pm.

If you are searching for a deeper relationship with Jesus and want to discuss some of life's biggest questions, then this course is for you! The Search is a new video series from the Augustine Institute and was developed for the Catholic community. It is very similar to the Alpha Course that we held last spring. If the Holy Spirit is moving your heart to join us, please answer the call and join us. There is no cost to participate.

Registration for the course will take place in early April; however, if you want more information, please contact Sandy Bassett @ bassettsandy@gmail.com.

A big thank you to the parishioners who volunteered to help run this parish program.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 3 – Saturday, February 10

SATURDAY February 3, 2024

8:00 am + Celedonia Ramos
5:00pm + Clara Marinas

SUNDAY February 4, 2024

8:30 am Archie & Vivianne Cabral (50th Wedding Anniversary)
10:00 am + Joan Trillanes
12:00 pm + Theresa Serant

MONDAY February 5, 2024

8:00 am + Frederick Rosales

TUESDAY February 6, 2024

8:00 am + Fr. Eladio Neira O.P.

WEDNESDAY February 7, 2024

7:00 pm + Bridget Pinto
Thanksgiving for Anthony D'Souza
+ Estrellita Naval Papag
+ Giovanna & Carlo Zuzek

THURSDAY February 8, 2024

8:00 am + Landino & Aurora Cruz

FRIDAY February 9, 2024

8:00am + Eliza Santos

SATURDAY February 10, 2024

8:00 am + Bonny D'Souza
5:00 pm + Richard Sequeira

TAX RECEIPTS



All the tax receipts for have been mailed this week.

THANK YOU for your 2023 contribution towards the upkeep of our parish

COLLECTION ENVELOPES



Dear Parishioners, for the first few weeks of the year please write on your collection envelopes your **name, address, and telephone number.**

PANCAKE SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 11, 2024



Come and meet your fellow Parishioners as you enjoy breakfast with them in the parish hall.

Pancakes, Sausages, Tea/Coffee will be served after the 8:30am, 10:00am and 12 noon Masses.

Cost: Children 10 years and under - \$3.00
All others - \$5.00

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE 2024 YOUTH AWARDS CONTEST

Apply on or before February 16, 2024

The Catholic Women's League (CWL) Precious Blood Council invites you to participate in the **2023 Youth Awards Contests** sponsored by CWL Toronto Diocesan Council.

1. Mary Dobell Pro-Life Essay and Poetry Contest
Deadline of application: February 16, 2024

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 life stage after death.

Eligibility:

- a. Intermediate level - Grades 7, 8 & 9
- b. Senior level - Grades 10, 11 & 12

2. Mary Matthews Public Speaking Contest (Prepared Speech and Impromptu Speech)
Deadline of application: February 16, 2024

Eligibility: Grade 7 and 8 students

3. Jean McCann Youth Service Award
Deadline of application: February 16, 2024

This award is a tribute to Jean McCann, an inspirational CWL Life Member and recognizes and affirms the role played in our Parishes by or confirmed Catholic youth through service to others.

Eligibility: Youth ages 15 to 18

Please email the Service chairperson, Lindsay Pawson (pawsonl@yahoo.ca) who shall be glad to assist you in your application.

LEGION OF MARY - ROUND TABLE COFFEE SUNDAY

February 25, 2024, Sunday after all masses: 8:30, 10 am & 12 noon.



The Legion of Mary at Precious Blood Church is looking for **New Members!**

Operating at Precious Blood Church for over 40 years, the Legion's objective is to increase the holiness of its members as well as saving souls through personal contact and evangelization. With the Pastor's guidance, our work is done for Jesus through our Blessed Mother.

See you at Parish Hall after each mass. A **sign-up sheet** is available while our active Legion of Mary members are present to assist for queries you may have.

**** Information Meeting** will be held on Monday, February 26, 2024, at 7:00 pm at Precious Blood Parish Hall****

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