PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH 1737 Lawrence Avenue East, Toronto, Ontario M1R 2X7 PHONE: 416-751-2661 | FAX: 416-751-2662 www.preciousblood.ca | email: office@preciousblood.ca





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	

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

PASTORAL TEAM

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

MASS TIMES

Saturday	5:00 pm
Sunday	
Monday, Tuesda	ay, Thursday,
Friday & Saturd	ay8:00 am
Wednesday	7:00 pm

1st Friday8:00 am & 7:00 pm

DEVOTIONS

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

BAPTISM, MARRIAGE AND SACRAMENT OF THE SICK CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE 416 751 2661

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Precious Blood	416-393-5258
St. Kevin	416-393-5300
St. Catherine	416-393-5316

If you are in search of locating hospice palliative care resources and services in your community, call the **HopeLine at 416-619-5700** - leave your name, phone number, and the name of the community in which you live and we will return your call as soon as possible. Please note - this service is an information line and is not an emergency or crisis line - in case of an emergency please call 911.

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.

This weekend, June 23, 2024

DESPEDIDA COFFEE SUNDAY

After 8:30am, 10:00am and 12 noon mass for

FR. XAVIER DE PINTO Inviting you to come down the Hall and give him your best wishes....



With Gratitude for Your

Thank you, Father.

PRIEST, DEACON AND ALTAR SERVERS APPRECIATION NIGHT DINNER

Hosted by the Knight of Columbus Council # 9143

This weekend, Saturday, June 22 with tickets on sale at all Masses starting on the 1 June.



Please come and thank them all for their service to our Church.

Enjoy a great Dinner of Fish, Chicken, Vegetables, Potatoes, Salad, Desert, Pop, Coffee, and Tea.

Price for the event:

- \$ 30 Adults,
- \$20 ages 14 and under
- pre school free.

DONATING SECURITIES TO YOUR PARISH COMMUNITY



A donation of securities is one of the easiest and smartest ways to donate in Canada. When you donate securities to the Archdiocese of Toronto, you put stock in knowing that you are creating the greatest impact on the church and those we serve.

Consider making a gift of

securities to your parish or any one of our archdiocesan charities. With a gift of securities, you can receive an immediate donation receipt for the fair market value of the security. In addition, there is no capital gains tax applied to any benefit received from the sale of these securities. Listed securities include stocks, bonds and mutual funds.

To donate listed securities, you can obtain our form, the letter of direction, by visiting this link: https://bit.ly/GiftofSecurities. For further information, contact the Development Office at: 416-934-3400 ext. 561/519 or development@archtoronto.org.

Dear Parishioners,

It has been an honour and privilege to be your pastor for these past 8 years.

Precious Blood church is a caring and welcoming community. I witnessed first hand the evangelical and outreach spirit of this amazing community.

June 22-23, 2024 will be my last weekend here at Precious Blood, and I hope to see you all at the Knights of Columbus priest and Altar Server appreciation dinner on the night of June 22 in our church hall. Also, on Sunday, June 23, there will be a Coffee Sunday where I hope to see you all, as well.

I will take up my new appointment as Pastor of Sts. Martha and Mary Parish in Mississauga on June 26, 2024.

Please join me in welcoming Fr. John-Mark Missio, your new Pastor who comes from St. John's Parish in Toronto.

You will all be in my prayers as I continue my mission in my new parish and please keep me in your prayers.

God Bless Fr. Xavier De Pinto



Do you or does a loved one experience same-sex attraction? Courage & EnCourage provide spiritual support and pastoral guidance in full accordance with authentic Catholic teaching on homosexuality and chastity. For more information on our meetings and events, see contact info below:

Courage:

Spiritual support for adults who experience same-sex attraction and who desire to develop a life of interior chastity in union with Christ.

Chaplain: Fr Michael Simoes Phone: 905-278-2058 x802 Email: couragetoronto@yahoo.ca

EnCourage:

Spiritual support for family and friends of those who experience same-sex attraction; faithful to Church teaching on chastity.

Chaplain: Fr Eric Rodrigues Phone: 416-928-5094 Email: encouragetoronto@yahoo.com

All inquiries are kept confidential

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 22 - Saturday, June 29

SATURDAY, J	UNE 22, 2024
8:00 am	Precious Blood Community
5:00 pm	+ Teresa Salines
SUNDAY, JUN	
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8:30 am	+ Estrella Fernandez
10:00 am	+ Leopolde, Lydia & Celso Ladrazo
12:00 pm	+ Ian Kennedy

MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2024 8:00 am Natividad Lumapas (Birthday)

TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 20248:00 amPrecious Blood Community

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2024

7:00 pm Gabriel Sena (Gift of Life) + Jerome Raymond Lumapas + Anton Sirk (Req. by Mary Sirk)

THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 2024 8:00 am + Catalina & Rosario Moldes (Death Anniversary)

FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 2024 8:00 am Ludovic D'Souza & Family

SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2024

8:00 am Abelardo & Nieves Paulite (Thanksgiving for 50th Wedding Anniversary)
5:00 pm + Lilly Viegas

CHANGE IN MAILING ADDRESS



If your mailing address has been changed kindly call the parish office at 416-751-2661 or email: office @preciousblood.ca to update our records.

REMEMBERING THE PARISH IN YOUR WILL



A bequest is a beautiful way to express your faith and your gratitude for a lifetime of blessings! A gift to the parish or any of our diocesan charities in your will creates a lasting legacy that will help the church continue its

heritage of service and pastoral care to the faith community. When making your will, please consider a bequest to our parish.

To learn more about making a bequest, please call the parish office or the Development Office of the Archdiocese at 416-934-3411 ext. 519 or visit www.archtoronto.org/development.

DID YOU KNOW?...

The Book of Revelation, the last book of the Bible, is also called the "Apocalypse" in some translations of the Bible.

The word apocalypse comes from the Greek word "apokalyptein" which means "to uncover, to reveal". The book reveals the victory of good over evil, and so, the end of the world, as we know it. For that reason, the word "Apocalypse" has been also used to indicate the end of the world.

Another word, indicating the end times, is "Armageddon". This word has developed from the Hebrew "Har Megiddo", meaning "Mount Megiddo" (a hill located 30 km south-east of Haifa, Israel), which is the place where the battle between good and evil will take place, according to Revelation 16:16.

The vestments worn by the ministers during Mass originated in the late Roman Empire, when the normal clothing of a man was a long tunic tied at the waste (precursor of the alb and cincture) and a large serape-like over garment (precursor of the chasuble).

Garments changed throughout history, but the clergy maintained the use of the original ones during liturgy. In time, significance was attached to each of these garments.

Priests wear the alb, chasuble and the stole. The stole is a narrow band of cloth worn around the neck and hanging down the front. This is the sign of their authority, having its roots in similar pieces worn by roman officials as a sign of their office.

In addition to the priest's vestments, bishops wear a mitre, the pointed hat that symbolizes their office of ruling, similar to a crown.

INTERNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

September 8-15, 2024 Join the Archdiocese of Toronto Delegation!



Traditionally every four years, the Holy Father invites pilgrims from around the world to join in an International Eucharistic Congress. This year's event will take place in Quito, Ecuador from September 8-15, 2024.

Limited spaces are available

for pilgrims from the Archdiocese of Toronto to join with other Canadian delegates to travel to Ecuador. To learn more about the pilgrimage, visit <u>www.archtoronto.org/iec</u>. Registration deadline is June 6 with early bird pricing available until May 6, 2024.

For more information or to register please visit <u>https://shorturl.at/vEFP8</u>

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