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PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Fr. John-Mark Missio
In residence: Fr. Joseph Moncada
Deacon: Kevin Daudlin

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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

Sunday	8:30 am, 10 am &12 noor	1
Monday, Tuesday, 1	Thursday &	
Friday	8:00 an	n
Wednesday	7:00 pn	n
Saturday	8:30 am	า

1st Friday8:00 am & 7:00 pm

Saturday......5:00 pm

DEVOTIONS

The Rosary for Life	Mon. 7:30 am
Daily RosaryTue, Thu.,	Fri., Sat. 7:30 am
St. Pio of Pietrelcina	Fri. 8:00 am
St. Joseph Devotion	Sat. 8:00 am

Precious Blood/ Holy HourWed 6:00 pm Our Lady of Perpetual Help Wed. 7:00 pm First Friday...Exposition & Confessions....6:00 pm

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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.



<u>RCIA</u>



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings, prayer life, and experience of the Catholic Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season.

Beginning on September 18, 2025, we will meet on Thursday evenings from 7 pm to 8:30 pm in the parish hall.

For further information and to register, contact: Paul Wood, cell: 647-782-1944, email: pmw102@yahoo.com

HARVEST DINNER

Saturday, September 13, 2025

Dinner is served at 7:00 PM:

- Corn on the cob,
- sausage on a bun,
- potato salad,
- · green salad,
- dessert
- Coffee, tea, pop and water

Adults - \$ 35.00 Children under 16 - \$ 15.00 Pre school-children - Free



FOR TICKETS CALL:

- Grand Knight MARC TALBOT @416-997-4324, or
- Deputy Grand Knight ROBERT BENTLEY @416-200-1001

Pick up your tickets at the church after mass from a knight at the front door.

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS



The Lord is calling people from the East and West and from North and South as priests, deacons, sisters and brothers. Are you one of them?

If God is calling you contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations,

Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

vocations@archtoronto.org - www.vocationstoronto.ca

A BEAUTIFUL SUMMER



With the bulletin reappearing, you know it is late summer, but keep enjoying the blessings of summer while you can. I hope that all your summer activities were delightful.

The bulletin will soon have news of upcoming events, but for now, let's just enjoy the blessings of the season. Let us give thanks to God for all the beautiful things around us in this glorious time of the year.

-- Fr. John-Mark.

GODSPEED, DEACON KEVIN



Deacon Kevin Daudlin will take up his next assignment as a Permanent Deacon at Holy Rosary Parish, Toronto, starting September 1st.

We will hold a parish farewell for Deacon Kevin at the Masses on September 20 & 21.

We are sorry to see Deacon Kevin go, since he has been an amazing pastoral presence at Precious Blood for 3 years. He will be missed, but we wish him many blessings in his new assignment.

GET TOGETHER



The Legion of Mary, Our Lady Seat of Wisdom Praesidium at Precious Blood is inviting its auxiliary members to celebrate the Birth of Virgin Mary on Saturday, September 6, 2025, from 12 noon to 3pm at Fatima room. Guest Speaker will be Fr. John Mark Missio. See you.

Saint Augustine connects Mary's birth with Jesus' saving work. He tells the earth to rejoice and shine forth in the light of her birth. "She is the flower of the field from whom bloomed the precious lily of the valley".

FROM THE PARISH COUNCIL

Welcome back from summer break to all our Parishioners. I hope that you had a chance to take some time off from your regular schedule and relax.

Looking forward to working with you again. Stay tuned to hear about what is being planned for the next few months.

A safe return to school for our students and teachers.

Till then enjoy the last few weeks of Summer.

CONSIDER PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN (PAG)



The Pre-Authorized Giving Plan, authorized and supported by the Archdiocese of Toronto, is a direct debit program allowing you to support our Parish through an automatic monthly withdrawal from your bank account.

Now you can lend us your support in the same manner that you currently pay many of your current financial obligations without writing cheques or searching your wallet for cash every Sunday. PAG brochures and sign-up forms are available at the back of the Church and in the parish office. The form is also available on our website for download: https://tinyurl.com/5n6hhwa7

To enroll in this convenient program, simply fill out the form, attach a void cheque and drop it into the weekly collection basket or mail it to the Parish Office. For additional information on PAG please contact the parish office. A tax receipt will be issued to you for the donations you contribute for that year.

LIFE CHAIN

Sunday, October 5, 2025 —from 2 to 3 pm at Victoria Park & Lawrence intersection.

Life Chain resources can be found at lifechain@campaignlifecoalition.com

As Our Lord asked of His disciples: "Could you not watch one hour with me?" (Mk 14:37)

Life Chain is an annual prayerful, pro-life event that raises



awareness about the injustice of abortion and the inherent dignity of every human being. It is a peaceful witness to the sanctity of human life and the evil of abortion. Canadians across this nation will

gather at 350+ locations to peacefully raise awareness about the truth of abortion during the 35th annual nation-wide Life Chain. Participants pray and hold non-graphic signs with messages such as "Life, the first inalienable right" and "Abortion kills children" at hundreds of locations across North America for one hour. This is a unique family-friendly event advocating for innocent pre-born children. As Christ reminds us in **Matthew 25:40**: "As you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me."

Proverbs 31:8 gives us courage in our convictions to "speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves, for the rights of all who are destitute." Take part in Christ's great commission! Please join us on Sunday, October 5, 2025 —from 2 to 3 pm to participate in Life Chain, at the intersection of Victoria Park and Lawrence - demanding an end to the killing of the preborn in Canada.

Be a voice for the voiceless!

MEMORIAL PLAQUE

Remembering a loved one: The name of a beloved family member can be engraved on one of the memorial plaques at the entrance of the church.

Would you like to have this remembrance of someone in your family? Just contact the office.

DONATING SECURITIES TO YOUR PARISH COMMUNITY



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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.

DID YOU KNOW?...

Five names, suggesting faraway lands or cities, are mentioned in today's first reading:

- Tarshish is widely believed to be a distant maritime region, often identified with Tartessos in southern Spain.
- Put is generally associated with ancient Libya, located to the west of Egypt.
- Lud is typically identified with Lydia, an ancient kingdom in western Anatolia (modern-day Turkey).
- Tubal refers to a region in Anatolia, possibly near the Taurus Mountains.
- Javan is consistently identified with Ionia or Greece, representing the Greek world.



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