



PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH

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PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Fr. John-Mark Missio
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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 &
Friday8:00 am
Wednesday7:00 pm
Saturday8:30 am
1st Friday8:00 am & 7:00 pm

DEVOTIONS

The Rosary for LifeMon. 7:30 am
Daily RosaryTue, Thu., Fri., Sat. 7:30 am
St. Pio of PietrelcinaFri. 8:00 am
St. Joseph DevotionSat. 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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CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE
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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.



TOTUS TUUS IS COMING! – AMAZING SUMMER EVENT FOR YOUTH OF PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH.



Totus Tuus Toronto

The **children and youth** of the parish are invited to join us for **Totus Tuus** (Latin for Totally Yours) this summer from **August 9 to August 14**.

Totus Tuus is an Archdiocesan program whereby seminarians and young adults travel to different parishes, spreading the Good News of our Lord through catechesis, Mass, confession, songs and games!

The grade school program, for children entering grades 1-6, runs Monday-Friday from 9am – 2:30pm. The Intermediate/High School program for Grades 7-12 runs Sunday-Thursday from 6–9pm.

To register or for more information, please contact totus@preciousblood.ca. More information about the program is also available at www.totustuustoronto.ca

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE, HOLY INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE, OUR LADY OF CZESTOCHOWA, SHRINE OF DIVINE MERCY, ETC.

October 18-29, 2026, Fr. Egbert Dumali, Spiritual Director



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of Our Blessed Mother from the visionaries. The Vatican has approved the Medjugorje devotion. Come and join as we continue our historic pilgrimage to these holy sites.

Do not delay, please secure your spot by making a deposit. For further inquiry and details – see the flyer at tinyurl.com/mvekpeuk and call/email Rio Panado at 416-615-0155, riopanadoms@gmail.com.



CONFIRMATION CLASSES INFORMATION

- Classes will be held from 9:45 AM to 11:30 AM.
- Please bring a notebook, pen, water bottle and a light snack to each class session.
- Dates (all Saturdays):
 - March 21 ➤ April 11
 - May 9 ➤ May 30



SAVE THE DATE: Confirmation Mass will take place on May 31 at 3:00pm (Candidates and Sponsors must arrive by 2:10pm.)

MASSES DURING LENTEN SEASON



Regular Mass schedule will continue with the addition of a 7:00 pm Mass each Friday **except March 6**.

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations will be celebrated on Fridays during Lent following the 7:00 PM Mass lead by different ministries using different forms of the Way of the Cross:



Date	Led by
Friday, March 13	Prayer Group
Friday, March 20	Knights of Columbus
Friday, March 27	CWL
Friday, April 3	Youth Ministry

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS



Peter, James and John had a mountaintop experience with Jesus by witnessing His transfiguration. We too can have a mountaintop experience when we open our minds and hearts to following God's Will for our life.

If God is calling you to serve him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

vocations@archtoronto.org - www.vocationstoronto.ca

NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH, MARCH 10-18, 2026
Feast Day – Thursday, March 19, 2026

Always held on March 19th, the feast honors Joseph, husband to the Virgin Mary and earthly father to Jesus.



Symbols associated with Joseph include the **carpenter's square** and **lily**. The **carpenter's square** not only symbolizes Joseph's trade but also the concept of truth. The **lilies** symbolize integrity and indicate that Saint Joseph was the earthly spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, whose purity is represented by the chaste white lily. **Three flowers are used to represent the Blessed Trinity.**

Join us in praying to **St. Joseph** who is the Patron Saint of home, family and protector of the Church.

Novena will be recited every morning on weekdays after the rosary and Sunday before all masses.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2026

8:30 am TBA
5:00 pm + Massina Agostini

SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2026

8:30 am All Parishioners ("Pro Populo")
10:00 am + Reynando Quesa
12:00 pm Eva & Alex Padua (Thanksgiving)

MONDAY, MARCH 9, 2026

8:00 am Landino & Aurora Cruz

TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2026

8:00 am Antonio Ramos (Birthday)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 2026

7:00 pm + Dominic Larosa
+ Gerlie Mendoza (Req. by Aida A. Araullo)
+ Carolle Hurst (3rd Year Death Anniversary, req. sister Iselyn & Famly)
+ Juanito P. Dalago

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 2026

8:00 am TBA

FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 2026

8:00 am + Giovanni & Marianna Salines
7:00 pm TBA

SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 2026

8:30 am Angel, Marivic Angelica Herrera (Thanksgiving Mass)
5:00 pm + Marie Joy Gonzales Flores

SAVE THE DATE- SPRING BIBLE STUDY COURSE



This spring we will be holding a bible study course entitled The Bible and the Virgin Mary. It will be held on Monday evenings in the Parish Hall from 7-9 pm. It will start on Monday April 13th and finish on Monday June 22nd. There is no charge to attend the program.

This year we are registering participants using the attached link, QR code or via email to Sandy Bassett. All are welcome to join us, especially those parishioners who have not yet attended one of our spring courses. It is a fun, social evening while learning about our faith, We are doing this course on the Virgin Mary because that is what last spring's participants suggested. This course is available on FORMED so if you are not able to attend all 10 sessions, you can watch the one you missed on FORMED.

Please register now by emailing bassettsandy@gmail.com or simply click on the link or scan the QR code. Hope to see you at the course!

Please access the registration form through the following link: <https://forms.gle/9Z7gYJSBbeipYjBh7> or scan the QR code:



LENTEN PARISH DRIVE

March 14 & 15 and March 21 & 22



During this season of Lent, the Precious Blood Catholic Women's League (CWL) invites parishioners to help the Sisters of Life. One of the Sisters of Life missions, includes serving women who are vulnerable to abortion, giving them the support and resources to choose life for themselves and their children.

ITEMS IN NEED:

- Diapers - Size Newborn, 1, 4, 5 & 6, no cloth diapers please.
- Wipes
- Newborn - Onesies NEW not used, for boys & girls.
- Onesies & outfits - for up to 12 months, NEW not used for boys & girls.
- Snowsuits 0 - 6 months.
- Baby booties - boys or girls.
- Strollers - single or double, bassinets, NEW or slightly used.
- Carseats - manufacturer date under 5 years.
- Baby bottles - NEW
- Shampoo/toiletries - mothers & babies.
- Receiving blankets, scratch mittens, diaper cream, teethers.

Parishioners can place these items at the designated space by the altar area on the weekends of: **March 14 & 15 and March 21 & 22.**

Sister Consolata from the Sisters of Life thanks you for your generosity. The CWL thanks you for your ongoing support in making this Lenten Parish drive successful.

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>

FORMED CONTINUES AT PRECIOUS BLOOD!



All parishioners have access to the best free Catholic streaming service, FORMED.org.

You can watch entertaining and uplifting movies about the Saints, inspiring dramas, great music, and lots of content for children. Learn about the Bible and the way of Jesus from a solidly Catholic perspective. Your free access has been made possible thanks to a donation from a generous parish family. Thank you! Look under "Upcoming Events" at preciousblood.ca for signup instructions.



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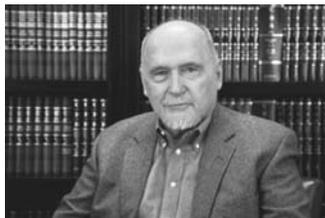


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