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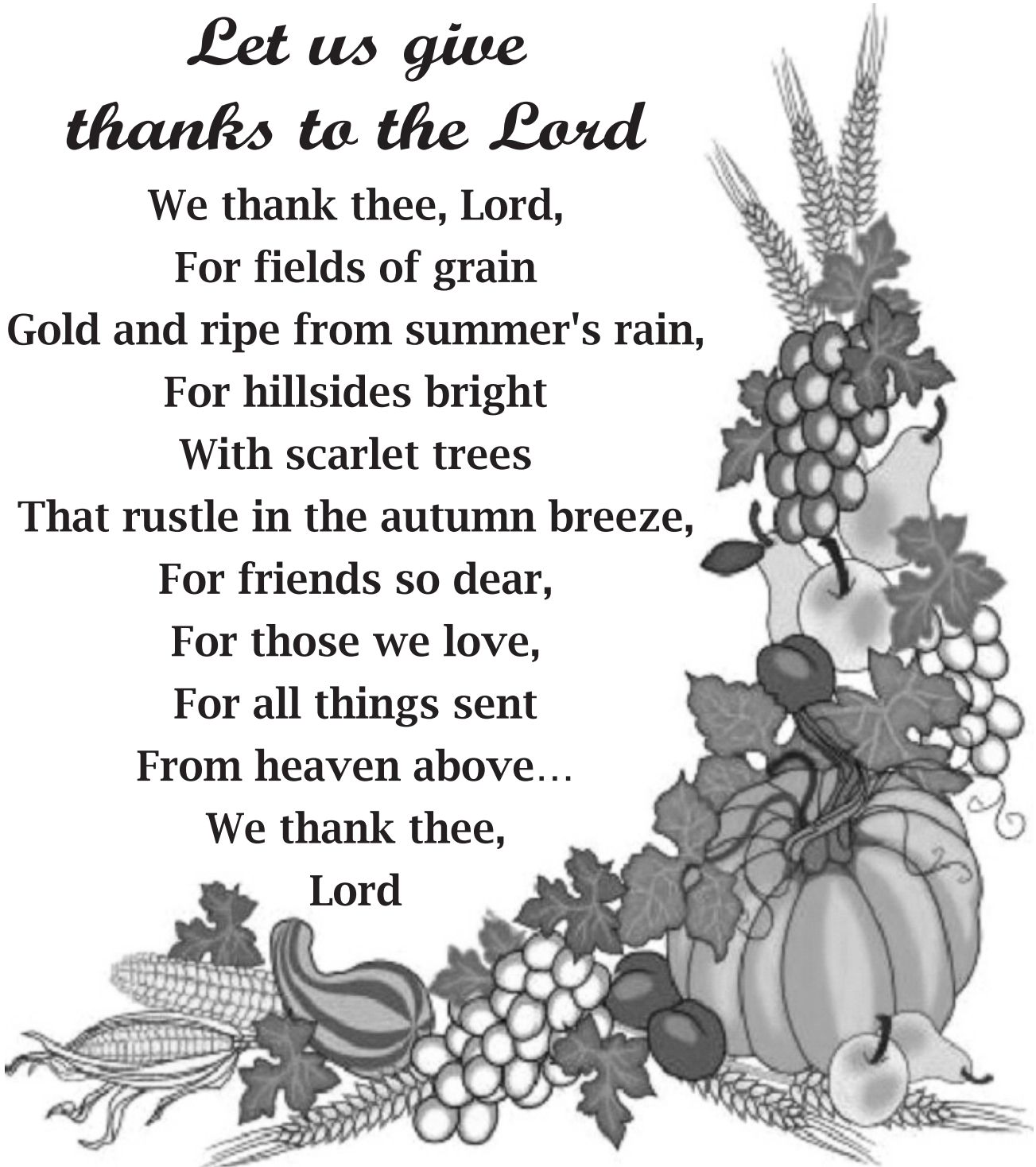
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Pastor: Fr. John-Mark Missio

In residence: Fr. Joseph Moncada, Fr. Joaper Geraneo, Fr. Binyam Kebede

Let us give thanks to the Lord

We thank thee, Lord,
For fields of grain
Gold and ripe from summer's rain,
For hillsides bright
With scarlet trees
That rustle in the autumn breeze,
For friends so dear,
For those we love,
For all things sent
From heaven above...
We thank thee,
Lord



THANKSGIVING DAY PRAYER

Lord, we thank you for the goodness of our people and for the spirit of justice that fills this nation. We thank you for the beauty and fullness of the land and the challenge of the cities. We thank you for our work and our rest, for one another, and for our homes. We thank you, Lord: accept our thanksgiving on this day. We pray and give thanks through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

On behalf of Fr. John-Mark Missio, we wish you and your loved ones a blessed Thanksgiving filled with joy, peace, and gratitude for God's abundant blessings.

**THIS WEEKEND IS TOONIE SUNDAY
IN SUPPORT OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**



The St. Vincent de Paul Society is dedicated to helping individuals and families in our community who are experiencing hardship and need a helping hand. Every donation can make a meaningful difference.

Please consider dropping a Toonie, or two, in the St. Vincent de Paul Collection Box this weekend before or after Masses. Your generosity helps provide much-needed support to our neighbours in need and reminds them that they are not alone.

**FIRST RECONCILIATION, FIRST HOLY
COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION:
REGISTRATION PACKAGES ARE READY!**

Precious Blood Parish offers preparation for the following Sacraments: **First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion, and Confirmation**, helping children and young people understand the meaning of each sacrament and prepare prayerfully to receive them.

All Sacramental Preparation Packages are now available and can be found under the **Sacraments** tab of our **new website** at: www.preciousblood.archtoronto.org.

Each package includes program details, important class dates, registration forms, and enrollment Mass details. Visit our website to access your respective package.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR PARENTS	
First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion <u>Enrollment Ceremony</u>	Sunday, November 1 Masses: 10:00 am & 12 Noon
Confirmation <u>Meeting & Registration</u>	Tuesday, November 3 6:30 pm in the Church Hall

NEW PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH WEBSITE

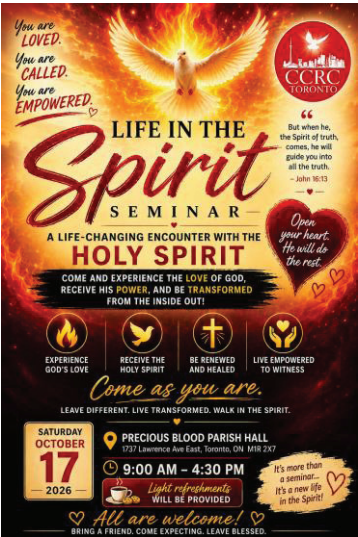
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We are happy to announce that we have transitioned our former Precious Blood website to the **Archdiocesan-branded website**: preciousblood.archtoronto.org

Our new website makes it easier for parishioners and visitors to find important parish information, including Mass times, sacraments, parish events, past bulletins, ministries and more. We invite you to take a moment to visit our new website at: preciousblood.archtoronto.org Explore the different sections and bookmark it for easy access.

We look forward to continuing to keep our Parish community connected and informed through our new online home!

**LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR
A LIFE-CHANGING ENCOUNTER WITH THE
HOLY SPIRIT: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17**



Have you ever felt called to go deeper in your faith, experience God's love in a new way, and open your heart more fully to the power of the Holy Spirit?

Join us for a Life in the Spirit Seminar on **Saturday, October 17 at the Precious Blood Parish Church Hall starting at 9:00 am to 4:30 pm!** This will be a special day of prayer, teaching, fellowship and

renewal as we discover what it means to live life empowered by the Holy Spirit.

Light refreshments will be provided. Come as you are. Bring a friend. Come expecting. Leave blessed. Leave different. Live transformed. Walk in the Spirit.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2026

A municipal election will be held on Monday, October 26. Parishioners are encouraged to exercise their democratic right to vote and learn more about the candidates for Catholic School Board Trustee. With Cardinal Leo's permission, candidates or their volunteers may distribute information after weekend Masses until October 24 & 25. **We encourage you to take the opportunity to learn more about those seeking this important role.**

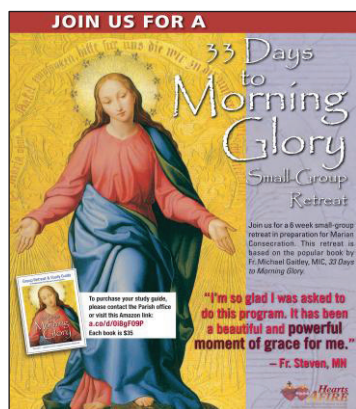
CWL FUNDRAISER ~ HAWAIIAN LUAU SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24 - 6:30 PM



The CWL will be having its Annual Dinner and Dance Fundraiser on **Saturday, October 24 starting at 6:30 pm** in the Church Hall!

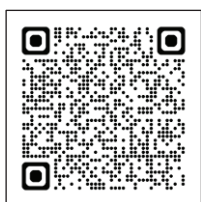
Tickets are on sale **NOW** after all Masses. Don't Delay! Come out for a wonderful evening of food, fellowship, dancing, prizes, and fun while supporting the wonderful work of our CWL!

THURSDAY EVENING FAITH FORMATION STARTING ON OCTOBER 29 - 7:00 PM



Join us every Thursday evening from 7:00 to 8:30 pm, beginning **October 29**, in the Church Hall for a six-week program of prayer, reflection and preparation for Marian Consecration. Deepen your relationship with Jesus through Mary and journey with us toward this beautiful act

of devotion. The program concludes on **Tuesday, December 8** on the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. Mass will be celebrated at 7:00 pm.



Please scan the QR Code to register for this program. For information on how to purchase your study guide, please contact the Parish office, or refer to our printed poster, social media pages, and website.

SERRA CLUB'S VOCATION SEEDS

How has Jesus touched you and made you whole? Ask Him how He would like you to respond. Could Jesus be calling you to follow Him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you, please contact **Fr. David Twaddle**, Director of Vocations, at the Archdiocese of Toronto. T: (416) 968-0997 E: vocations@archtoronto.org

If you are interested in supporting vocations, please visit: www.serracanada.com Your donation to the Serra Foundation of Canada supports not only vocation discerners, but countless lives touched by priests, religious, and deacons through baptism, marriage, forgiveness, nourishment, and compassionate ministry.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10

8:30 am: +Bridget Kalva
5:00 pm: +Giovanni & Marianna Salines

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11

8:30 am: For all Parishioners (Pro Populo)
10:00 am: +Rose D'Souza
12:00 pm: +Tatay Vino Abenoja

MONDAY, OCTOBER 12

8:00 am: +Herman Naus & Paco Garcia

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13

8:00 am: +Margarita Tumalinan, Rodolfo Leanillo, and Maria Corazon Tangan

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14

7:00 pm: +Marie Joy Gonzales Flores
+Remedios Manankil
+Albertha Albert
For all the Blessings Received (Agnes)
Daniel Wagner (Special Blessing)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15

8:00 am: Jacob & Jurhan Nithi (In Thanksgiving)

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16

8:00 am: Abandoned Souls

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17

8:30 am: For all Parishioners (Pro Populo)
5:00 pm: +Massina Agostini

CATHOLIC SPONSORS NEEDED FOR THOSE ENROLLED IN THE RCIA PROGRAM

Precious Blood Parish is seeking practicing Catholic parishioners to serve as sponsors for adults journeying through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).

Sponsors provide faith and support to those preparing to enter or complete their journey in the Catholic Church. Sponsors must be fully initiated, practicing Catholics in good standing and 16 years of age or older. If you feel called to serve, please contact the Parish Office for more information: office@preciousblood.ca

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, October 24 CWL DINNER & DANCE	6:30 pm – 9:30 pm Church Hall
Saturday & Sunday November 7 & 8 MINISTRIES FAIR	After all Masses Church Hall
Saturday, December 5 CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY	11:00 am – 2:00 pm Church Hall



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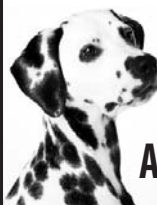
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