

# NORTH CENTRAL WINDSOR *Catholic Family of Parishes*

February 27, 2022

Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time

North Central Windsor  
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*Most Precious Blood  
Our Lady of Guadalupe  
San Juan Diego of Guadalupe  
St. Theresa  
Sts. Cyril & Methodius*

Family of Parishes' Office  
1947 Meldrum Road  
Windsor, ON N8W 4E3

#### Office Hours

Tuesday - Friday  
9:00 AM - 12 Noon  
12:30 PM - 4:00 PM

#### Mass Schedule

##### Saturday

5:00 PM Most Precious Blood  
5:00 PM Our Lady of Guadalupe  
5:00 PM St. Theresa

##### Sunday

9:00 AM St. Theresa  
10:00 AM Our Lady of Guadalupe  
11:00 AM Most Precious Blood  
- American Sign Language Available  
11:30 AM Sts. Cyril & Methodius  
12:30 PM St. Juan Diego  
(at Guadalupe Church)

##### Daily Mass

Tuesday 7:00 PM St. Theresa  
Wednesday 9:00 AM Guadalupe  
Thursday 9:00 AM MPB  
Friday 9:00 AM MPB  
Friday 9:00 AM Guadalupe

##### Adoration

Our Lady of Guadalupe  
Wednesdays 10:30 AM - 3:00 PM  
Most Precious Blood  
Thursdays 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
Benediction at 3:00 PM

##### Reconciliation

Most Precious Blood  
Saturday 11:00 AM

#### FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN for Sunday, February 27th, 2022

Dear Parishioners,

#### Ash Wednesday is this Wednesday, March 2nd.

**Please note:** You will need to register if you plan on attending an Ash Wednesday Mass by contacting the office at 519-948-4133.  
Please remember: Our Parish Office is closed on Mondays.

#### Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule

##### Morning Masses

9:00 a.m. Mass – Our Lady of Guadalupe Church.  
10:00 a.m. Mass – Most Precious Blood Church. (This Mass will be live-streamed for all 5 of our schools and parishioners.)  
11:00 a.m. Mass – St. Theresa's Church

##### Evening Masses

7:00 p.m. Mass – Our Lady of Guadalupe Church (This Mass will be bilingual in Spanish and English and will be live-streamed for parishioners)  
7:00 p.m. Mass – Most Precious Blood Church  
7:00 p.m. Mass – St. Theresa's Church

#### Do you know of someone who feels called to the Diaconate?

For more information about becoming a Permanent Deacon in the Diocese of London, and to register as an "inquirer", go to <http://deacons.space/admissions>. The deadline for registration as an inquirer is June 10, 2022.

#### March 2nd to April 10th – 40 DAYS FOR LIFE Spring Campaign.

Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000 plus volunteers!

Time – 7 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. daily.

Place – Metropolitan Hospital. -only on Tecumseh road sidewalk on either side of the street between Byng and Kildare Roads.

No one is allowed on Lens Avenue.

For more information, please contact Laurie Eberhardt, [laurie.eberhardt@gmail.com](mailto:laurie.eberhardt@gmail.com)

Opening Mass for 40 Days for Life will take place Monday, March 7th, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Peter's Maronite Catholic Church

166 Tecumseh Road West.

Celebrants: Father John Shiha & Father Michael Dwyer.

**Many thanks to Christine Coyle** and to the many donors for prizes and those who assisted her to make our Valentine's Bingo a huge success. I am so amazed how the restrictions and protocols have not stopped us from celebrating our Family of Parishes life and faith, especially with all our children, and have the fun and laughs we can have during a pandemic!

God Bless,  
Father Greg

#### Our Pastoral Team

Father Greg Bonin, Father Pedro Zuniga, Father Vargees Devas  
Deacon Gary Coyle, Deacon Reg Quesnel, Deacon Dan Lemire  
Family Life & Faith Coordinator: Christine Coyle

**Baptism:** Please call Christine Coyle ext. 227.

**Marriage:** Contact one of our clergy one year in advance to book an appointment.

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## March 1st - March 4th

### Tues. Mar. 1st - St. Theresa 7pm

+ Allina Parisotto (Marietta Costello)

### Wed. Mar. 2nd - Our Lady of Guadalupe 9am

+ Dr. Marcel & Mrs. Theresa Picard

+ Corinne Jensen (Barb Brazier)

+ Italo Cusinato

Intentions of Cathy & Marty Babekas  
(MaryBeth Chitruk)

### Thurs. Mar. 3rd - Most Precious Blood 9am

+ Harvey Reaume (Mary Kowalski)

+ Jean Bernard Dumas (Wife Irene & Family)

Intentions of the McLarty Family &  
Granddaughter Janey (Bill & Bonnie Bailey)

### Fri. Mar. 4th - Our Lady of Guadalupe 9am

+ Janet Quirke (Noella McCandless)

+ Don Fairley (Noella McCandless)

Intentions of Baby T-2

### - Most Precious Blood 9am

+ Rose Ann Wudwud (20th Ann.) (Carol &  
Roseanna Guimond)

+ Jean Bernard Dumas (Irene Dumas)

+ Ron Brown (Mary Kowalski)

## Offertory February 19/20

### Most Precious Blood Parish

Sunday Offertory:	\$	1,997.05
New Years:	\$	20.00
Initial:	\$	10.00
Total:	\$	2,027.05

### Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish

Sunday Offertory:	\$	3,060.00
Building Fund:	\$	280.00
Total:	\$	3,340.00

### St. Theresa Parish

Sunday Offertory:	\$	1,362.00
Diocesan Assessment:	\$	250.00
Total:	\$	1,612.00

### Sts. Cyril and Methodius Parish

Sunday Offertory:	\$	410.00
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### San Juan Diego Community

Sunday Offertory:	\$	565.00
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## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us Fridays during lent at 6:30pm starting March 4th for the Stations of the Cross at Most Precious Blood Church. We will be using The Way of the Cross by Thomas Wickert booklet. All are welcome.

## VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are needed to bring Eucharist and lead a Communion Service at two Senior Residents within our Family of Parishes. These services are Wednesday mornings normally following the Wednesday morning Mass at 9am and completed by noon. For more information please contact Deacon Gary at 519-948-4133 ext. 231 or my email gcoyle@dol.ca. God Bless

## WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2022



Bea Taylor is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting for World Day of Prayer 2022 on March 4 at 1:30 pm. The theme is "I know the plans I have for You" based on Jeremiah 28:1-14. This year the service is from England, Wales and Northern Ireland and can be seen on the wicc.org web page. Please call Bea Taylor at 519-948-0273 for information on how to join the meeting.

## The Sacrament of Confirmation Spring Session "SEVEN"2022

If you have a teen in grade 8 or higher and would like to start the process and preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation, please go to our web-site to view our application process. There are a few steps we have added, so please be sure to read all the information. If you have any other questions, feel free to contact Christine Coyle at 519-948-4133 ext 227 or ccoyle@dol.ca.

## FEBRUARY THANK YOU'S & UPDATE

A huge thank you to all who participated in our Family Bingo Night and Family Skate. Both events were a success and it was so wonderful to have some fun and see many smiling faces. Also, last weekend we had a Youth & Family Ministry Appeal during the long weekend to help raise funds for our continued efforts in reaching out to youth and their families. We raised approximately \$1050! We are so blessed to have such generous parishes.

We also have started a Youth Alpha Course and have had a great number of teens coming out to these sessions. Please pray for them that Jesus will touch their hearts in a powerful way. We are looking forward to more events in the coming months. Keep checking our bulletin & Facebook page.

## WECDSD Kindergarten Registration



Kindergarten registration is from Tuesday, February 22 to Friday, March 4, 2022.

Junior Kindergarten: children must be 4 years of age by December 31, 2022

Senior Kindergarten: children must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2022

## SOCIETY OF

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conferences at St. Theresa, Most Precious Blood and Our Lady of Guadalupe Churches have continued in 2022 to service the people in need in our community with food and vouchers for furniture and clothing.

So far this year, St. Theresa has provided food for 11 families, Most Precious Blood 42 families and Our Lady of Guadalupe 48 families. The need has continued to increase. Together at OLOG and MPB our average number of deliveries per week in 2020 was 8, in 2021 9.6 and 2022 so far 13.

A number of parishioners have asked when they can bring canned foods to church again and we are pleased to announce that SSVP boxes will be placed at the churches' entrances beginning the weekend of March 5th and 6th.

We ask that you consider donating according to the following guidelines:

Week 1	Peanut Butter & Jam
Week 2	Canned Fish/Meat
Week 3	Cereal and Canned Fruit
Week 4	Soup, Canned Vegetables, Spaghetti Sauce

Feel free to donate whatever food and drop off at one of our three Churches.

Thank you so much for your generosity.

## Church Chuckle

A mother wanted to teach her daughter a moral lesson. She gave the girl a quarter and a dollar for church. "Put whichever one you want in the collection plate and keep the other for yourself," she told the girl.

Sunday, when they were coming out of the church, the mother asked her daughter which amount she had given. "Well," said the little girl, "I was going to give the dollar, but just before the collection the preacher said that God loves a cheerful giver. I knew I'd be a lot more cheerful if I gave the quarter, so that's what I did."

## FAMILY OF PARISHES TEAM MEMBERS

Business Manager: Donna Marcotte

Secretary/Bookkeeper: Liz Desmarais

Secretary/Receptionist: Jeanette Carey-Polachok

Custodian & Maintenance/Most Precious Blood: Carol Lemire

Custodian/Our Lady of Guadalupe & St. Theresa: John Nantais



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