



NORTH CENTRAL WINDSOR *Catholic Family of Parishes*

February 19, 2023

Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

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

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1947 Meldrum Road
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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 San Juan Diego
(at Guadalupe Church)

Daily Mass

Tuesday 7:00 PM St. Theresa
Wednesday 9:30 AM Guadalupe
Thursday 8:30 AM MPB
Friday 8:30 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

St. Theresa
Tuesday 6:30 PM
Our Lady of Guadalupe
Friday 9:30 AM
Most Precious Blood
Saturday 11:00 AM

FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN for Sunday, February 19th, 2023

Ready your hearts for Lent 2023

Lent begins this coming Wednesday and is celebrated for 40 days. With the celebration of Mass/Services we receive blessed Ashes on our foreheads. Ash Wednesday is a solemn reminder of human mortality and the need for reconciliation with God and marks the beginning of the penitential season.

What is Fasting?

Simply put, it means you stop eating completely for a certain stretch of time. A fast usually lasts from 12 to 24 hours, but some types continue for days at a time. In some cases, you may be allowed water, tea, and coffee or even a small amount of food.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Friday's during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. For members of the Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 to 59. Ash Wednesday's Mass Schedule and Blessed Ash Services are printed in today's bulletin.

Stations of the Cross will be celebrated throughout Lent and throughout our Family of Parishes. Please see the days, times and Churches in today's bulletin.

Ready your hearts for Lent 2023.

As mentioned last year, my idea was to dedicate the new Sunday Friends Room in our new build at Our Lady of Guadalupe to one of our former pastors, +Father Dennis Wilhelm. This will take place on Sunday, February 26th following the 10 a.m. Mass with all the children and catechist from Our Lady of Guadalupe Sunday Friends. Following the Liturgy and Dedication a light snack will be served in the hall.

I have reached out to Father Dennis's family and they have accepted my invitation to be part of the celebrations.

International Priest Welcome Committee

Bishop Fabbro is asking me to mentor a priest for 6 months from Guatemala, who will eventually be working in the Diocese. I am looking for volunteers to assist me in obtaining Social Insurance numbers, health cards, driver's license and helping the new priest to get to know the region. If you are interested, please email me at gbonin@dol.ca

God Bless! Father Greg

Our Pastoral Team

Father Greg Bonin, Father Pedro Zuniga, Father Innocent Ibeh
Deacon Gary Coyle, Deacon Reg Quesnel, Deacon Dan Lemire

Baptism: Please call Fr. Greg Bonin ext. 222.

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

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February 21st - February 24th

Tues. Feb. 21st - St. Theresa 7:00pm

- + Tom Bellmore (7th Ann.) (Mark Bellmore)
- + Anna Berthiaume (Mary Anne Whelan)
- + Living & Deceased Relatives & Friends of
E. Renaud & E. Bellaire Families
- Intentions of Marnie Kennedy (Rick)

Wed. Feb. 22nd - Our Lady of Guadalupe 9:30am

- + Felix Wagner (Betty & Jerry Grossi)
- + Joseph Prantera (Cynthia & Robert Straky)
- + Ted Symonds (Maureen Hagg)
- Intentions of Rachelle
- Intentions of Trudy Bischoff (Maureen Hagg)

Thurs. Feb. 23rd - Most Precious Blood 8:30am

- + Pearl Walsh (Bob & Karen Martyniuk)
- + Maria Mazzorini (Daniela Pittana)
- + Henry Agnew (Family)
- + Sheila Carriere (Carriere & Cote Families)
- + Natalie Meier (Estok Family)
- Intentions of Mary Hart (Andy & Lucy Schmidt)

Fri. Feb. 24th - Most Precious Blood 8:30am

- + Regina Martinello (Renata Pontoni)
- + Brian Renaud (Jo-Anne Cedar)
- + Geraldine Lanoue (Bill & Bonnie Bailey)
- + Joseph Makse (Makse Family)
- + Paul Joseph Roberts (3rd Ann.) (Good Friend)
- + Josip Bezjak (Mirjana & Mary Bezjak)

- Our Lady of Guadalupe 9:00am

- + Patrick McKeon (Bill & Bonnie Slogan)

Offertory Gifts February 11/12

Most Precious Blood Parish

Sunday Offertory:	\$ 2,794.45
Initial:	\$ 25.00
Total:	\$ 2,819.45

Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish

Sunday Offertory:	\$ 3,695.00
Initial:	\$ 70.00
SSVD:	\$ 500.00
Building Fund:	\$ 169.00
Total:	\$ 4,434.00

St. Theresa Parish

Sunday Offertory:	\$ 2,097.00
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Sts. Cyril and Methodius Parish

Sunday Offertory:	\$ 610.00
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San Juan Diego Community

Sunday Offertory:	\$ 609.33
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GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Help and encouragement after the death of a loved one. GriefShare is a special weekly seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life. We know it hurts, and we want to help.

Meetings are on Thursdays from 1:30—3:30pm or 7—9pm. Starting February 23rd and ending on May 25th.

Contact Us Today!

Meetings are held at Most Precious Blood Church Hall at 1947 Meldrum Road. Please call the office at 519-948-4133 and leave your name and phone number and we will return your call.

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WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2023



"I Have Heard About Your Faith"

- Friday, March 3rd at 2pm, St. John Vianney Parish. Please join us for World Day of Prayer, a prayer movement that invites us to enrich our faith experience

with the experience of Christians from other countries and cultures and to bring hope to women touched by injustice. The service was written by the World Day of Prayer Committee of Taiwan.

Journey through Lent with Madonna House!

On Monday evenings from 6-8pm beginning February 27th we will be offering a time of reflection and preparation for the great Feast of Easter. After a bowl of hearty soup we will share our Madonna House traditions and reflections through the eyes of the Sunday Gospels. For more information and to sign up please phone 519-252-9236

ASH WEDNESDAY

MASSES/SERVICES

February 22, 2023

8:30am	Most Precious Blood (Mass)
9:30am	Our Lady of Guadalupe (Corpus Christi Middle School) (Mass)
9:30am	Brennan High School (No Mass) - Deacon Led with Ashes
10:45am	Most Precious Blood (Mass) St. Theresa School (Private school only)
11:30am	St. Anne School (No Mass) - Deacon Led with Ashes
1:00pm	St. Rose School (No Mass) - Deacon Led with Ashes
1:00pm	St. Theresa (WJ Langlois School) (Mass)
7:00pm	Most Precious Blood (Mass)
7:00pm	Our Lady of Guadalupe (Mass)

SALMON DINNER

Once again the MPB Catholic Women's League will be hosting their annual Salmon Dinner. Save The Date: Friday, March 24th at 5:30pm at Most Precious Blood Church Hall. More details in next week's bulletin.

Stations of the Cross 2023 during the Season of Lent

St. Theresa: 6:30pm

Tuesday, February 28

Tuesday, March 7

Tuesday, March 14

Tuesday, March 21

Tuesday, March 28

Tuesday, April 4

Sts. Cyril & Methodius: 10:30am (in Slovak)

Thursday, February 23

Thursday, March 2

Thursday, March 9

Thursday, March 16

Thursday, March 23

Thursday, March 30

Thursday, April 6



(in Spanish)

Our Lady of Guadalupe: 9:30am

Friday, February 24

Friday, March 3

Friday, March 10

Friday, March 17

Friday, March 24

Friday, March 31

Most Precious Blood: 6:30pm

Friday, February 24

Friday, March 3

Friday, March 10

Friday, March 17

Friday, March 24

Friday, March 31

San Juan Diego: 7pm

Friday, February 24

Friday, March 3

Friday, March 10

Friday, March 17

Friday, March 24

Friday, March 31



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