

# PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH

## MARCH 18-19, 2023

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### OFFICE HOURS:

Saturdays.....12:00 pm – 6:00 pm  
 Sundays.....8:00 am – 1:00 pm

### PASTORAL TEAM:

Pastor: Fr. Xavier De Pinto  
 In residence: Archbishop Larry Saldanha  
 In residence: Fr. Joseph Moncada  
 Deacon: Kevin Daudlin

### MASS TIMES:

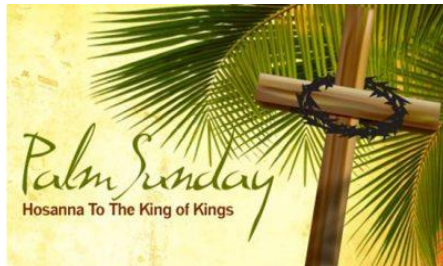
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday - 8:00 am  
 Wednesday and 1<sup>st</sup> Friday – 7:00 pm  
 Saturday – 8:00 am | 5:00 pm  
 Sunday – 8:30 am | 10 am | 12 pm

### Stations of the Cross after the 7pm mass

Date	Led by
Friday, March 24, 2023	Prayer Group
Friday, March 31, 2023	CWL
Friday, April 7, 2023	Youth Ministry

### Palm Sunday, Sunday, April 2, 2023

Commemorates the entrance of Christ into Jerusalem, when palm branches were placed in his path, before his arrest on Holy Thursday and his crucifixion on Good Friday. It thus marks the beginning of Holy Week, the final week of Lent.



### Mass schedule:

Saturday 5pm  
 Sunday 8:30 am, 10:00 am & 12 noon

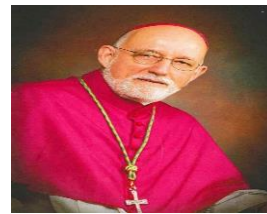
### Holy Week Schedule

April 1, 2023	Saturday	Holy Mass	5:00 PM
April 2, 2023	Palm Sunday	Holy Mass	8:30AM
			10:00 AM
			12:00 noon
April 6, 2023	Holy Thursday	Washing of the Feet and Last Supper of Jesus Christ with the Apostles	8:00 PM
April 7, 2023	Good Friday	Liturgy of the Lord's Passion	12:00 noon
		Divine Mercy Novena	3:00 PM
		Stations of the Cross	7:00 PM
April 8, 2023	Saturday Easter Vigil	Divine Mercy Novena	3:00 PM
		Easter Vigil	8:00 PM
April 9, 2023	Easter Sunday	Holy Mass	8:30AM
			10:00 AM
			12:00 noon
			Divine Mercy Novena
April 16, 2023	Divine Mercy Sunday	Chaplet of Divine Mercy before mass	8:30AM
			10:00 AM
			12:00 noon

### DAY OF CONFESSIONS



The Archdiocese of Toronto has designated a week of "Day of Confessions" throughout our Archdiocese. Here at Precious Blood, we will have an opportunity for Confessions on Wednesday, April 5, 2023 from 6:00 PM to 6:45 PM and then again from 7:30 PM. to 9:00 PM. Please take advantage of this opportunity to prepare your hearts for Easter!



*Precious Blood Church*  
**LENTEN MISSION**  
 with  
*Bishop John Corriveau,*  
**March 20-22, 2023**  
 after 7 pm Mass

Experience the word and love of God on the following topics:

#### 1. MONDAY, MARCH 20

THE CALL TO CONVERSION – LIVING OUR BAPTISM

#### 2. TUESDAY, MARCH 21

THE CROSS: MYSTERY OF COMPASSIONATE LOVE

#### 3. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22

THE CHURCH: THE INSPIRED WORD (homily)

OUR MISSION: TRANSFORMING LOVE (before final blessing)

### CHILDREN'S STATION OF THE CROSS



The Children's Liturgy Ministry would like to invite all the children in our parish to join the CHILDREN'S STATION OF THE CROSS, on March 26, 2023 between 11:15 AM and 11:45 AM (after 10:00 Mass and before 12:00 Mass) in the church.

We are looking for 14 children to lead the 14 Stations. If your child is comfortable in reading, speaking and using the microphone, please register by texting to Jennifer Singco at 647-829-9223.



### FEAST OF ANNUNCIATION

Saturday, March 25, 2023

**The angel Gabriel appeared to Mary to proclaim that she is to be the Mother of God.**

On the feast day, after 5 pm Mass, join us, as we pray to our Blessed Mother and join the novena, March 16-24 @ 8pm, via zoom meeting.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81263206187?pwd=dnZCWHdhSkxMZXI2TWpnNFBjQXN2Zz09>

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday, March 18 – Saturday, March 25

**SATURDAY March 18, 2023**

8:00am 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Thanksgiving for Trent & Ester Dulay  
5:00pm + Anjelina & Dominic Fernandes

**SUNDAY March 19, 2023**

8:30 am + Mercia Larcina  
10:00 am Peter Proctor (For Healing)  
12:00 pm The Precious Blood Community

**MONDAY March 20, 2023**

8:00 am Luis Fu-an

**TUESDAY March 21, 2023**

8:00 am + Brigida Yumul Salas

**WEDNESDAY March 22, 2023**

7:00 pm + Emerlinda Andalis  
+ Victorino Amar Pagsuguiro  
Belen Manankil  
Carmelia Pelima

**THURSDAY March 23, 2023**

8:00am + Angela Ann Martija

**FRIDAY March 24, 2023**

8:00 am + Clifton and Dulice La Plant

**SATURDAY March 25, 2023**

8:00am Arlindo, Linda, Jason, Darren Viegas  
5:00pm + Landino and Aurora Cruz

**LENTEN FISH & CHIPS EVENT**

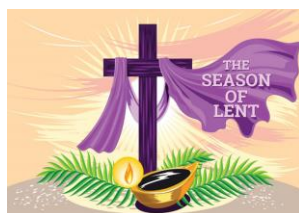
Please come and enjoy an evening with your fellow parishioners.

When: Saturday March 25, 2023

Where: Parish Hall

Time: 6:00 pm

Cost: 2 pieces Fish & Chips - \$10  
1 piece Fish & Chips - \$5.



**SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL**



Turning Concern into Action - Around Our Community and Around the World

We are seeking new members – parishioners who are looking for the opportunity to put their faith into action in service to their neighbours in need.

This weekend March 18/19 a member of the society will give a short talk at each mass. If you are looking for a meaningful form of service please take this opportunity to speak to one of our team members after the mass.

**SHARELIFE**

**Live the Gospel by helping our vulnerable brothers and sisters**

ShareLife Sunday is March 26 and we once again ask you to give generously to support Catholic agencies, who in turn care for the most vulnerable in our communities. As a parish, this is our opportunity to live the Gospel!

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [www.sharelife.org/donate](http://www.sharelife.org/donate)



**Devotions and Prayers**

First Friday	Whole day Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	8:30 AM
	Holy Sacrifice of the Mass	7:00 PM
	Anointing of the Holy Oil after the mass	
Mon to Sat	Recitation of the Holy Rosary	7:20 AM
Monday	Prayer to St. Padre Pio	8:00 AM
Wednesday	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	6:00 PM
	Holy Hour Vespers	
	Holy Sacrifice of the Mass	7:00 PM
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena		
Saturday	St. Joseph Novena	8:00 AM
	Recitation of the Holy Rosary & Chaplet of the Divine Mercy	8:30 AM

**THE SERRA TRAVELLING VOCATION CHALICE**



To all the families who faithfully accept the vocation chalice at Precious Blood Church and pray for vocations, a thanksgiving Mass has been offered for your intentions. The Mass is scheduled for March 25, 2023 and will be celebrated by His Eminence, Archbishop Thomas Cardinal Collins who is also the Episcopal Advisor to Serra International.

This Mass may be viewed at anytime after March 25th, at: <https://serracanada.com/support-serra/mass-cards/>

**RELIGIOUS ROSARIES FOR SALE!**



We are now offering rosaries for sale, at a very reasonable price, from the parish office. Please see the parish office staff during regular office hours, to purchase one. Father Xavier is happy to bless them for you. Praying the rosary is one of the Church's



foundational devotional practices!

**THE ALPHA COURSE IS COMING!**



The Alpha Course is Coming!

“Are you feeling confused about the purpose of your life?”

We invite you, your family and friends to join our 11 weekly Monday evening Alpha Course starting on April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023 in the parish hall. This is your opportunity to discover a deeper relationship with Jesus, experience the Holy Spirit and grow in your faith. There will be a simple dinner starting at 6:30 pm, followed by a 30 minute video and then 30 minutes of discussion and sharing in small groups. There is no fee to take this course.

The Alpha Course changes lives. Sign up sheets will be available after all the masses on the weekend of March 25/26<sup>th</sup> and April 1/2nd. If you have any questions, please contact Sandy Bassett at [bassettsandy@gmail.com](mailto:bassettsandy@gmail.com) or by phone at 416-320-2349.

Thanks to the dedicated group of volunteers who are assisting Sandy in this important work to enhance the faith experience of our parish community.