

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKDAY

Monday to Friday 9 AM

WEEKEND

Saturday 9 AM | 4:30 PM Sunday 9 AM | 11 AM

FIRST FRIDAY 6:30 PM

EXPOSITION AND ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT First Friday 3PM to 6:15PM

SPANISH MASS 3rd Sunday of the Month 4 PM

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

TUESDAY to FRIDAY 8:30 – 8:50 AM SATURDAY

9:30 - 10:30 AM | 5:30 - 6:30 PM Or by Appointment

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM PREP CLASS

1st Saturday of the month 1-3 PM

BAPTISM

2nd and 4th Sundays – 1 PM

Contact Parish Office to register. Adults – Please enroll in RCIA or contact Parish Office for more information.

MARRIAGE

Please do not finalize wedding plans prior to initial meeting with Fr. Rey Usman. A minimum of six months advance notice is needed.

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact parish office or if after office hours, email Fr. Rey at pastor@pbparish.ca.



The Ascension of the Lord Year B, 12th May 2024

'Go out to the whole world!'

I come to pray the texts for the feast of the Ascension and ask the Lord for a deeper understanding of this mystery of Christ. Throughout the Eastertide readings, we have watched the disciples grow and mature in faith – I wish to do the same.

The **First Reading** from the Acts of the Apostles marks the end of Jesus's earthly ministry as he returns to the Father and promises to send the Holy Spirit.

The **Psalm** is a joyful prayer of praise and an acclamation of Christ's victory. He is Lord of all people, of the universe.

St Paul describes the meaning of the Ascension – the Father has raised Jesus above all powers and made him Lord of creation. The gifts of the Spirit are given for the good of all, to lead us to full maturity in Christ. (Second Reading)

In the **Gospel**, Jesus ascends to heaven and continues to work with his disciples as they preach the Good News. The signs he works confirm their message.

This week, we might want to pray for the opportunity to proclaim the Good News to as many people as possible.

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PRECIOUS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (PREP)

Every Wednesdays at 6:30 -7:45 pm

Rency Soliven - prep@pbparish.ca

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION for ADULTS (RCIA)

Every Thursdays at 6:30 -8 pm

Pat Bradley - bernaandpat@shaw.ca

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Every Saturdays at 10 - 11:30am

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Food Dist. Program every Tue 10-11 am

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ST. THERESA'S CIRCLE

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In his intention for May 2024, Pope Francis prays: For the formation of religious and seminarians.

We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the gospel.

The sick & shut in; Norman Jansen, Debbie Davis, David Thiele, Leandro Rodino Jr., Delorus Lee, Dawn Epaarachchi, Gracie Formby, Jim O'Brien, Velma Cronin, Silvia Gallagher, Helen Gaska, Bernadette Leclair, Dario Dira, Carol Armstrong, Rejeanne Lajoie, Ley, Lily Gallant, Lucy Gallant, Carol LeBlanc, Corry Van Den Brand, Roy Gregory, Jenna

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Parish Schedule

Monday, May 13, 2024 @ 01:00 pm

CWL meeting at the Cenacle Room

Tuesday, May 14th, 2024

SSVP meeting @ 12:00 pm at the Cenacle Room PEC meeting @ 07:00 pm at the Cenacle Room

Friday, May 17th, 2024 @ 10:00 am

Moms & Tots meeting at the Columbus Room

Saturday, May 18th, 2024 @ 02:00 pm

Youth meeting at the Columbus Room

Sunday, May 19th, 2024 @ 04:00 pm

Spanish Mass followed by fellowship at the Columbus Room

MASS INTENTIONS

May Mon. 13th 09:00 am - Intentions of Precious Blood Parishioners

Tue. 14th NO MASS - Intentions of Tricia Bowden

Wed. 15th NO MASS - Navneet †

Thu. 16th NO MASS - Intentions of Jackie family

Fri. 17th 06:30 pm - Brenda Tria †

(No Mass at 9am)

Sat. 18th 09:00 am - Intentions of Michael Longanilla

04:30 pm - Ernesto Rafael †

Sun. 19th 09:00 am - Maria Secker †

11:00 am - Intentions of Katie Ventura

Around the Parish & Archdiocese

Weekly Calendar

May 12, 2024

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Pastor's Message

Dear Parishioners,

Today we celebrate Ascension Sunday. Based on the Acts of the Apostles, the Church holds that Jesus ascended into heaven 40 days after His resurrection on Easter Sunday. St. Augustine, who lived in the fifth century offers us a good reflection on this feast based on the words of St. Paul in his letter to the Colossians (Col. 3:1-4):

"Today our Lord Jesus Christ ascended into heaven; let our hearts ascend with him. Listen to the words of the Apostle: If you have risen with Christ, set your hearts on the things that are above where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God; seek the things that are above, not the things that are on earth. For just as he remained with us even after his ascension, so we too are already in heaven with him, even though what is promised us has not yet been fulfilled in our bodies." Through his resurrection and ascension, Christ is here with us on earth by His divinity, and we are in Heaven with Him by His love (source: Hollow)

We also celebrate today Mother's Day. Mother's Day is celebrated internationally on the second Sunday in May. Mother's Day first took place in the USA in 1908. It was founded by Anna Marie Jarvis, to honour her mother. It became an official holiday in West Virginia in 1910 on the second Sunday of May. In 1915, International Mother's Day became an official holiday in Canada, and people have celebrated it ever since.

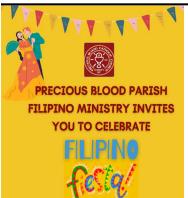
Although we're not all mothers, we all have mothers: biological and adoptive, God-mothers or spiritual mothers, room moms and dorm moms, moms by choice and moms by accident, stay-at-home moms and working moms. This is a day to also remember mothers who have died. We pray for their eternal rest in God's kingdom.

Have a blessed week!

Father Rev

Join Us for an Exciting Youth Ministry Event on May 18th!

"We are thrilled to invite you back to our vibrant community for a special YOUTH EVENT on Saturday, May 18th, at 2 p.m. at the Precious Blood Parish, Columbus Room. We cannot wait to reunite with each and every one of you."



When: Sunday June 23, 2024 after the 11:00 am mass

Where: Precious Blood Parish, Jubilee Auditorium (Gym)

Contact: Shielvin Soriano pbfilipinoministry@gmail.com

Admission: FREE

Feel free to showcase your favourite authentic dish from the island of Luzon, Visayas, or Mindanao to share with everyone



Building our Parish Community

Your support of Project Advance will help grow our parish and expand the reach of Christ's love to those who need it most. Tax-deductible donations can be made in person at the parish or online. Legacy gifts are also appreciated. Learn more and donate at projectadvance.ca.

PRAY & PLAY - Moms & Tots Gathering

May 17th & May 21st @10:00 am at the Columbus Room, Parish Centre

For more details, please check the parish Bulletin Board or contact Lisa Price @ 778-549-4240



Help us feed the next hungry child

When: May 27, 2024 @ 7 pm Where: Precious Blood Parish Contact: Cheryl Hosein chosein@cloverdalecatholicschool.ca

Admission by Donation Proceeds to Mary's Meals

Baby Bottle Campaign

Advokate's Baby Bottle Campaign 2024 is starting this Sunday. This year's campaign will run from Mother's Day (May 12th) to Father's Day (June 16th). Help support vulnerable women and families facing unplanned pregnancies by picking

up a baby bottle after one the Masses on Mother's Day or donate online at babybottles.ca. If you have any questions please contact **Vera Elbers at elbersv@telus.net.** See the Pro-Life bulletin board for more details.



The CCS Kids Swap Meet & Uniform Sale returns on Sunday, **June 9th from 10am - 2pm**. If you would like to sell your new or gently used items, registration is now open! Small businesses are also welcome. **Table Rental is \$20**.

To register or learn more check out: https://forms.gle/qh7ngc27mFwmzScW9 If you have items you would like to donate to the swap, PFG donation bins will be set up outside of the Parish Centre from Tuesday to Friday between 9am - 4pm starting Tuesday May 7th.



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