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Totus Tuus is a unique and fun-filled program featuring a team of 4 college-age students who will engage our youth with a week-long program focusing on the Catholic faith. The week is packed with skits, songs, and inspiring teaching.

DAY CAMP

Students entering grades 1-6 Monday-Friday from 9am - 2:30pm Daily Mass Bring your own lunch Outdoor break at midday

EVENING PROGRAM

Students entering grades 7-12 Sunday-Thursday from 7-9pm Adoration & Confession Thursday night student social Come out & bring a friend

COMING TO YOUR PARISH THIS SUMMER

visit totustuustoronto.ca for more information

Totus Tuus Blessed Trinity will take place from July 12 to July 17, 2015 Day Camp Registration Suggested Donation: \$50 per child Evening Program Suggested Donation: \$20 per person Registration will take place after all Masses on the weekends of April 12 and 19.

This Week at Blessed Trinity

Monday, April 13 8 am Mass + Edwin D'Souza

| Time | Event/Meeting | Location |
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| 8:30 am | Craft Group | Trinity Room |
| 7:00 pm | Exercise Group | Parish Hall |
| 7:30 pm | Knights of Columbus | Trinity Room |

Tuesday, April 14 8:00 am Mass + Yvonne Houston

| Time | Event/Meeting | Location |
|---------|---------------------|--------------|
| 2:00 pm | North York Retirees | Parish Hall |
| 6:30 pm | Children's Choir | Parish Hall |
| 6:30 pm | Legion of Mary | Trinity Room |

<u>Wednesday, April 15</u>

8:00 am Mass Persecuted Christians

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion

7:00 pm Mass + Bishop Lacey

| Time | Event/Meeting | Location |
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| Noon | Sister Mary Carol | Atrium Room |
| 7:45 pm | BT Prayer Group | Trinity Room |

<u>Thursday, April 16</u>

8:00 pm Mass + Bennedette Tsu

| Time | Event/Meeting | Location |
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| 12:30 pm | Willow Seniors | Parish Hall |
| 7:00 pm | Sr. Choir Rehearsal | Parish Hall |
| 7:15 pm | RCIA | Trinity Room |

Friday, April 17

8:00 am Mass + Mario Brunato

| Time | Event/Meeting | Location |
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| 9:30 am | Spiritual Accompaniment | Atrium Room |
| 7:00 pm | SVDP Movie Night | Parish Hall |
| 7:30 pm | Widows & Widowers | Atrium Room |

Saturday, April 18

9:00 am Mass + Jose Xavier Fernandes 4:30 pm Mass S.I. Cathy Shanahan

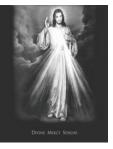
| Time | Event/Meeting | Location |
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| 10:00 am | 1 st Communion Rehearsal | Church/Hall |
| 11:00 am | Confirmation Rehearsal | Church/Hall |
| Evening | Annual Parent FNE Youth Banquet | Parish Hall |
| 5:00 pm | Pro-Life Cupcake Sale | Church Foyer |

Sunday, April 19 - Divine Mercy Sunday

10:30 am Mass + Joan Rouse

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| Time | Event/Meeting | Location |
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| 10:30 am | Children's Liturgy | Trinity Room |
| Noon | Chinese RCIA | Trinity, Atrium & Board Rooms |
| 1:30 pm | Talent Show Rehearsal | Parish Hall |
| 9 am – 1:30 | Pro-Life Cupcake Sale | Church Foyer |



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY Sunday April 12, 2015

The Resurrection of Jesus on Easter is our joy – Jesus is the Merciful One who shows mercy to us in our weakness. We wish to join Him one day in the joy of heaven. We need His mercy to bring us to that

unending happiness. When Jesus spoke to St. Faustina, He asked that we make the Sunday following Easter a day to rejoice in God's great mercy on each one of us. Pope John Paul II gave this day the special title *Mercy Sunday*. Let us fill the Church on this afternoon of graces for ourselves, our families and friends. The schedule is as follows:

1:15 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Private and congregational prayers

3:00 pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy

"I offer my heart felt appreciation to all whose toil and participation made our Holy Week and Easter Triduum celebrations such beautiful, meaningful and joy-filled events. Let us pray and hope with confidence that God's grace will move the hearts of our occasional visitors to come to know the strength and power of celebrating Eucharist with us each Sunday!

Special thanks to Father Joseph, Marie Kwok and their R.C.I.A. teams for their work over the past year preparing our newest family members who were received into the Church at the Easter Vigil. We pray that many people will continue to find Blessed Trinity Parish a welcoming community!

If you are new to the parish, please introduce yourself to Fr. Joseph, Fr. Nicholas or myself...we welcome the chance to get to know you!

May the Risen Lord continue to bless our lives and the life of our parish family!"

Fr. Ed



First Communion & Confirmation

Please pray for our students who will be receiving the Sacrament First Holy Communion on Saturday, April 25 at 1:00

pm and the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday, April 23 at 7:00 pm.



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The Knight of Columbus

(follow the Council on Twitter @kofc11681)

Monday, April 20 – General Meeting at 7:30 pm in the Trinity Room.



NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE Ottawa – Thursday, May 14, 2015

Calling all Canadians to assemble on Parliament Hill and march through

downtown Ottawa to draw attention to the injustice of abortion, the gravest human rights violation of our day. Blessed Trinity Church will have a bus leaving for Ottawa at 7:00 am and returning around 8:30 pm. The cost will be \$40 per person. <u>Please register and pay</u> <u>at the parish office.</u>



Working wonders in our community

"ShareLife supports a large family of catholic agencies that truly do feed,

clothe and shelter people, care for the sick and frail, and befriend the isolated and lonely. Reflecting Catholic charity, they protect the vulnerable, guide and counsel the troubled, visit people in prison and give a voice to the voiceless. Regardless of their religious beliefs or personal background, ShareLife agencies meet people where they are, treating them with the dignity and respect we all deserve."

Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto

Today is ShareLife Sunday

Please give generously. You can work wonders!

聖三堂華語外展計劃

華語慕道班 (成人聖經教理班)

將於四月底開始新組,為有意探討的人士,宣講天主教信仰。每星期日12時正上課。逢長週末放假。

課程以國語及粵語分組講解,並教授英文聖經及禮儀經 文。同時有英語兒童班,尊為慕道學員子女而設。

爲了進一步向北約克華人社區福傳,我們需要更多的國語 及粵語傳道員及陪談員。

查詢報名,請致電聖三堂堂區辦事處416-226-0262 (英語接線)

,留下姓名、電話、電郵地址,或電郵btchinesercia@gmail.c om,或致電416-494-2987(話語接綫)與郭盧永堅Marie Kwok聯絡。

TOTUS TUUS

Blessed Trinity children and youth are invited to join us this summer for TOTUS TUUS (Latin for TOTALLY YOURS). TOTUS TUUS is an Archdiocesan program whereby seminarians and university students travel to different parishes throughout the summer, spreading the Good News through catechetical instruction, Mass, Confession, songs and games!

The program for children entering grades 1-6 runs Monday to Friday, July 13th to 17th, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

The junior high/ high school program runs Sunday, July 12th to Thursday, July 16th, from 7-9:00 p.m.

The suggested registration donation for the whole week is \$50 for the day program and \$20 for the evening.

Children are asked to bring their own lunches and one box of cookies/crackers to share. <u>Registration will take</u> <u>place after all Masses during the weekends of April</u> <u>11/12 and April 18/19</u>. For more information, please visit the

TOTUS TUUS website at <u>www.totustuustoronto.ca</u>

Spiritual Growth in the Second Half of Life

As we mature, our potential for spiritual growth increases. This four part program explores aging as an opportunity for unparalleled inner growth. It will be held on **Friday mornings from 10:00 - 11:30 am in the parish hall.** Topics and dates for the series are:

- May 29 A new Vision for the Retirement Years
- June 5 The Primacy of connection
- June 12 The Central Spiritual Task of Maturing Years
- June 19 Understanding Feelings

The facilitator for the program will be Mary Rose Marrin CSJ. Sister Mary Rose holds certificates in Spiritual Gerontology and Lifelong Faith development from the Johnson Institute in St. Louis MO. Registration is appreciated, but walk-ins are welcome. To register, please contact Sister Mary Rose at mrmarrin@csj-to.ca or call her at 416-462-1331, Ext. 4224.



BT's Got Talent Show The St. John Paul II Youth Club members invite everyone to join them and give support to their second annual BT's

Got Talent Show on **Sunday**, April 26, 2015 at 3:00 pm in the parish hall. This is a <u>free family show</u> and the performers, our young people, will be sharing with you all, their God given talents. Come and have FUN. There will be popcorn, pops and other goodies.

