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#### Monday, February 28

8:00 am

Special Intention

Tuesday, March 1

8:00 am

Special Intention

In Thanksgiving for St. Joseph the Worker

Requested by the Tate Family

Wednesday, March 2

8:00 am

Special Intention

In Thanksgiving for Wilfreda Silang

Thursday, March 3

8:00 am

Michael Tuns (Special Intention) Requested by Rosemary Lavelle

Friday, March 4

8:00 am

Martinha Fernandes

Requested by the Ferreira family

Saturday, March 5

9:00 am

Maggie Chew Special Intention



#### **Catholic Women's League**

World Day of Prayer - Friday, March 11th St. John's Anglican Church.

**Day of Recollection** - Tuesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am -2:00 pm at Blessed Trinity. Come and enjoy a day of prayer and reflection with Rev. Msgr. Expedito Joano. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be celebrated. Tickets are \$18.00 and include a catered lunch. Tickets will be sold after all Masses on the weekends of February 26/27. March 5/6 and March 12/13. All women of the parish are cordially invited and encouraged to bring a friend. For further information please call Ileen Kennedy at 416-221-2786 or Camila Nowakowski at 905-763-7670.



#### **Knights of Columbus** Communion/Fraternal Breakfast:

Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> after the 9:00 am Mass. All Knights are invited to attend.

**Executive Meeting**: Monday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm. **General Meeting**: Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:30 pm St. Patrick's Dinner/Dance: Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm in the parish hall. This is an annual event which will be held on March 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. Prime rib roast is the feature of this event and all members and parishioners are invited to attend. Tickets will be \$45 per person and will be sold after the Masses. The Knights of Columbus

thank all those who supported the event last year and look

forward to your support this year. Proceeds are for

distribution to various charities.

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#### 40 Days for Life

On **Sunday, March 6**<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm at St. Charles Borromeo Parish, the 'Kick Off Rally of 40 Days for Life' begins with a Mass celebrated by Archbishop Thomas

Collins, followed by a reception and light refreshments in the hall. 40 Days for Life runs from Ash Wednesday, March 9th to Palm Sunday, April 17th and is a pro-life international campaign to end abortion. It consists of prayer, fasting, a peaceful vigil at an abortion facility and community outreach. The Toronto 40 Day Vigil will be held daily from 8:00 am - 8:00 pm, at "The Women's Care Clinic", 960 Lawrence Ave. W., (near Dufferin). Participants will pray across the street from the medical building (same side as the Villa Columbo). For more information and to sign up for vigil hours, visit www.40daysforlife.com/toronto or phone Nicole Campbell at 416-204-9749. All are welcome.

#### **Blessed Trinity Chinese Outreach**

Part I: Introduction to the Catholic faith and the Bible: suitable for non-Catholics who would like to know more about our faith. A new class will start whenever there is a sufficient number of enquirers.

Part II: An in-depth exploration of the Catechism of the Catholic Church and the Bible. This year-round lectionary-based program is suitable for non-Catholics preparing for Baptism, as well as Catholics who would like to deepen their understanding of our faith. Parishioners are welcome to drop-in any Sunday. No classes on long weekends.

Both programs will be conducted in Cantonese and in Mandarin on Sundays at 12 noon. A program. conducted in English, for children of participants of the Chinese Outreach Program runs at the same time. In order to continue to reach out to the Chinese community in North York, we need more Mandarin and Cantonese speaking catechists and sponsors. For more information on the program or to volunteer, please contact Marie Kwok 416-494-2987 at or email btchinesercia@gmail.com.

#### 聖三堂華語外展計劃

慕道初班:簡介天主教信仰及聖經。適合有意探討天主教信仰的人士。有 足夠人數即隨時開班。

慕道進修班:深入探索天主教教理及聖經。這根據主日讀經的長年課程, 適合正在預備領洗的望教徒,及有興趣加強自己對信仰的理解的教友。堂 區教友歡迎隨到參加。

以上課程,都以國語及粵語分組講解教理,並教授英文聖經及禮儀經文 上課時間:每星期日12時正。逢長週末放假。同時有英語兒童班,尊爲慕 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 陪同員。



The Theresians - The Theresians will meet at St. Luke's Church on Thursday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at noon (change from Wednesday) for a joint meeting. They will

start with lunch, followed by a guest speaker and general monthly meeting.

<u>Tai Chi Exercise</u> — Starting Monday, March 7<sup>th</sup> the Tai Chi and Exercise class will resume every Monday from 7:00 — 9:00 pm in the parish hall. A registration fee of \$10.00 will apply. All parishioners are welcome.



Our <u>frozen</u> pans of **Chili** for the **Good Shepherd Refuge** are due in the parish hall by **this Sunday**. The deadline is always the last Sunday of the month, after the last Mass

(7:00 pm). We thank all our loyal chili cooks, and invite anyone who is willing to help us feed the hungry to pick up a pan and recipe from the parish office.

Blessed Trinity Young Adult - The next meeting will be on Sunday, February 27<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm in the St. Joseph's Room.The group will also be having a Social on Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm in the Trinity Room. There will be an admission fee of \$5.00 per person. RSVP by Feb. 28<sup>th</sup> - (lobochristina@hotmail.com) or (lobochantelle@hotmail.com).

#### The First Line of Defense... Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm A St. Joseph Day Conference for All Men

Holy Redeemer Catholic Church, Pickering, (registration begins at 1:15 pm), with Doug Barry (EWTN – Life on the Rock). A duty of a man in today's world is to lead and defend his family. Men are by nature warriors. Unfortunately many men are fighting the wrong battles and leaving too many casualties on the battlefield. You will be entertained, moved and challenged. All tickets are \$15.00. For more information and to purchase tickets, visit <a href="https://www.FirstLineofDefense.eventbright.com">www.FirstLineofDefense.eventbright.com</a> Chris at 905-509-8500.

### The Passion of Christ by Radix Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm <u>Holy Redeemer Catholic Church, Pickering</u>

For the first time in Toronto...a magnificent concert, a spectacular one-man performance, brings to life the single greatest act of love in the history of mankind. A rare opportunity to experience Doug Barry accompanied by accomplished Toronto musician Eric Genuis perform Doug's presentation of 'The Passion of Christ'. This is a must see for all audiences! Tickets: \$15, students \$10, and children under 10 years are free. For tickets visit thepassion.eventbright.com, for information contact Chris at 905-509-8500 or email Radix.redeemer@gmail.com.

#### **Youth for Jesus Convention – Wed, March 16**

From 9:00 am - 6:00 pm, at Pope John Paul II Polish Cultural Centre (4300 Cawthra Rd., Mississauga), for high school students in Grade 10 and above, college and university students, as well as other young men and women. Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen, youngest bishop in Canada, Fr. Michael Payyapilly, V.C., Fr. Joby Kachapilly, V.C., and Fr. Shane Varghese, CSsR will be the speakers for the day.

For tickets and information, please call 905-896-2854.

## 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual St. Patrick Mass Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 pm

Bishop William McGrattan, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto, will celebrate Mass in honour of St. Patrick at **St. Cecilia's Church, 161 Annette Street, Toronto**. The parish of St. Cecilia was founded in 1895 by Irish Missionary Priests who had followed the post-famine immigrants from Ireland. Since that time, St. Cecilia has been home to people from many lands. For information please call 416-769-8163.



# St. Joseph Husband of Mary The Gentle Joseph

"Out of the silence, deep and holy, the gentle Joseph comes; and every movement, every step, even his carriage, speaks of courage, understanding and of

love. He is not old, but young and vital, tall, sparse, with hair as soft as silk and dark as night. His eyes are blue, reflecting a glory that is rarely seen, for it has been given to him to father the Son of God without fathering, the only man to whom the Father would entrust His Son.

The bride, the church, knows him well. It is at Joseph's feet that nightly she lays her burdens, for who better than he, who cradled in his arms the flesh of God, to deal with his Mystical Body? And her children bring to him thousands of broken dreams, sorrows, and hearts that are wounded. Who better than the man who believed the impossible, the craftsman of silence and faith, to answer the prayers of children who walk in darkness alone?

Yet, notwithstanding his glory, his beauty, his light, he is still Joseph the unknown; for silent and humble, he always stands on the side, letting the mother and child go ahead of him, for they are his only delight.

St. Joseph, spouse of the Virgin Mary and patron of the bride of Christ, we need you! How timely your coming, O Joseph, foster father of God and of us."

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