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## OFFICE HOURS

Mon. - Thu. 9:00 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

First Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Saturday: 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.

3:45 p.m. - 4:25 p.m.

Sunday: 6:00 p.m. - 6:40 p.m.

## BAPTISM

Last Sunday of the month at 2:00 p.m.  
by appointment.

## MARRIAGE

Please contact the rectory one Year  
in advance of desired date.

## VOCATIONS

Vocations Office: 416-968-0997

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## WEEKEND SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.

12:15 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday thru Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

(Our Lady of Perpetual Help)

Saturday: 9:00 a.m.

First Friday of the month 7:00 p.m.

## ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Friday of the month

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

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Saturdays: 9:30 a.m.

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# THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

## *This Week at Blessed Trinity*



## Knights of Columbus

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### Monday, January 12

8:00 a.m. + Mass Veronica Tam Chun Tang

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
8:30 a.m.	Craft Group	Trinity Room
7:00 p.m.	Pre-Marriage Course	Parish Hall

### Tuesday, January 13

8:00 a.m. Mass + Edwin D'Souza

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
1:30 pm	Spiritual Growth in Second Half of Life	Parish Hall
6:30 p.m.	Legion of Mary	Trinity Room
6:30 p.m.	Children's Choir	Parish Hall

### Wednesday, January 14

8:00 a.m. Mass + Keunyong Lee

#### Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion

7:00 p.m. Mass + Joseph Ignatius Gonsalves

7:00 p.m. Mass + Anna Beatriz Lopez

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
Noon	CSJ Prayer Group	Atrium Room
7:30 p.m.	Family of Faith	Parish Hall
7:45 p.m.	BT Prayer Group	Trinity Room

### Thursday, January 15

8:00 a.m. Mass + Beatrice Orlando

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
12:30 p.m.	Willow Seniors	Parish Hall
7:00 p.m.	Senior Choir	Parish Hall
7:15 p.m.	RCIA	Trinity Room

### Friday, January 16

8:00 a.m. Mass for Peace in the Middle East

### Saturday, January 17

9:00 a.m. Mass + Souls in Purgatory

4:30 p.m. Mass + John Youngsoon Kim

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
9:00/10:00	First Communion Classes	Parish Hall
11:00 a.m.	Confirmation Classes	Parish Hall
9:30 a.m.	Catechist of Good Shepherd	SJ Atrium

### Sunday, January 18

10:30 a.m. Mass Special Intention

12:15 p.m. Mass + Boguslaw Furmanek

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
12:00 pm	Chinese RCIA	Atrium/Board & Trinity Rooms

**St. John Paul II Youth Group** – "BT Has Got Talent" show will be rescheduled for the Spring of 2015. Details will be posted in future bulletins.

**Free Throw Basket Ball District Playoff:** Tuesday, January 13, 9:30 a.m. St. Anthony (Thornhill)

**General Meeting:** Monday, January 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the Trinity Room.

### Spiritual Growth in the Second Half of Life

Men and women in the second half of life are invited to attend a gathering to explore the spiritual growth potential of our retirement years. Sister Mary Rose Marrin, CSJ will present a new vision for this phase of life. Sister Mary Rose has certification in Spiritual Gerontology and Lifelong Faith Development from the Johnson Institute in St. Louis MO and has spent the last eight years in this ministry. The presentation will be held on **Tuesday, January 13, 2015 from 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. in the parish hall.** All "maturing adults" are invited to attend.

### Communion of the Sick and Infirm

There will be four training sessions for Extraordinary Ministers of Communion at Blessed Trinity. This **four-session series will help to develop the formation of Extraordinary Ministers of Communion that have been entrusted with ministry of Communion of the sick and infirm.** Participants must be approved by the pastor and be willing to take part in the volunteer screening process, which includes a police check. If you are interested in participating, please contact the parish office.

**Dates:** Thursday, January 22, 29, February 5, 12

**Time:** 7 – 9:00 p.m.

**Location:** Parish Hall

### Movie Night at Blessed Trinity

On **Friday, January 30 at 7:00 pm in the parish hall,** we will be showing the movie – "**The Story of Jacob and Joseph**" – a dramatic portrayal of envy and greed among brothers. Follow the descendants of Abraham as they enter into the land of Egypt. Bring your family and friends! Don't miss this opportunity to gather for fellowship, entertainment, refreshments. Admission is a donation. All proceeds are used to help fund a Registered Education Savings Plan for children living in poverty in our parish. Everyone is welcome to attend. For more information please contact Bob Ossowski at 416-453-1494 or email bob.ossowski@gmail.com.

**The Fellowship of St. Joseph** - The Fellowship of St. Joseph (AHC) presents **"The Jewish Roots of the Faith as viewed through the Liturgy"** – Eliseo Zompanti. This is a lively, interactive and fascinating presentation on the Jewish background to our faith; Eliseo cohosts a radio program called "The Merciful Redeemer of Love" on AM 590. The presentation takes place in the parish hall on **Tuesday, January 20, 2015, 7 – 9 p.m.**

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**St. Vincent de Paul** – We recently had a request to provide a St. Vincent de Paul clothing box in the church parking lot. Unfortunately, after checking into the possibility through the head office, we have been informed that this has not been successful in the past and was not continued.

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**An Afternoon at the Opera - St. Paul's Basilica**

On **Sunday, February 8, 2015 at 2:30 p.m.**, there will be a benefit concert at St. Paul's Basilica, 83 Power St., Toronto. The tickets are \$30, with all proceeds being donated to St. Michael's Foundation, organized by parishioners, Sandra & Henry Tang, as a way to honour St. Michael's Hospital in celebrating their 40<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary. The Opera features all-time favourite opera arias from Madam Butterfly, The Merry Widow, Turandot and more. For further details, please see the poster on the bulletin board in the church foyer or visit <http://anafternoonattheopera.eventbrite.ca>.

To purchase your tickets please contact:  
Sandra at [SandraTang@Tanglnc.com](mailto:SandraTang@Tanglnc.com) (416-223-8060 or [HenryTang@Tanglnc.com](mailto:HenryTang@Tanglnc.com) (416-464-8215).

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**"God Knows Who You Are – But Do You!"**

Knowing who you are, your true self enables you to develop a personal relationship of Love with Jesus and to carry the crosses of life towards Healing and New Life. The Blessed Trinity Intercessory Prayer Group is happy to sponsor **Dr. Ken Fung**, MD, MB, FRCS on **Wednesday, January 28, 2015 at 7:45 pm, in the Trinity Room**. All are welcome.

Dr. Fung, retired after 53 years of medical practice, initially a surgeon, devoted his last 33 years as a Christian family Physician and Psychotherapist.

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**Four-Day Spiritual Journey – Quebec**

Join Fr. Daren Bryk, CC to St. Joseph's Oratory – Montreal; Cap de la Madeleine – Trois-Rivieres; St. Anne de Beaupre and Quebec City) - leaving from Blessed Trinity Parish & pick up at St. Timothy's Church, Don Mills.

**Saturday, June 20 – Tuesday, June 23, 2015**

The **Early Bird Discount available now at \$299 until January 31, 2015**. After that date the cost is \$349. For more information, please contact Mary at 416-497-7059 or visit [www.blessedtrinity.ca](http://www.blessedtrinity.ca).

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**Good Shepherd Refuge Clothing Drive**

**Next week-end** Blessed Trinity will be undertaking a clothing drive for the men at The Good Shepherd Centre. The following items for men would be most appreciated: **new or clean, gently used coats, hats, gloves, sweaters, t-shirts, socks, new long underwear**. These items will be picked up at the parish on Monday, January 19 by The Good Shepherd Centre truck. Please bring your items to the parish hall next week-end. Thank you for your generosity in helping those in need!

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**Moving or Change of Address** - If you are moving out of the parish or have a change of address, please contact the parish office at 416-226-0262 so that we can update our records. Thank you for your assistance.

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**Sleeping Mats for Families in Haiti** – Can you assist the Sisters of St. Joseph with their new endeavor to help the families of Haiti by providing sleeping mats? We are asking for clean used milk bags (the outer bags that contain three 1 litre smaller bags). The bags can be used to create waterproof, almost indestructible sleeping mats, which can accommodate two adults or three children and will then be sent to Haiti. If you can assist, please bring the bags to the parish hall where they will be collected and sent to the Sisters of St. Joseph.

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**Mass for the World Day of Migrants & Refugees**  
**Sunday, January 18, 2014 – 11 a.m.**  
**Our Lady of Mount Carmel (202 St. Patrick St., Toronto)**

Catholics can be proud that 160 parishes in the Archdiocese of Toronto are involved in sponsoring refugees to resettle in Canada. A Mass will be celebrated for the many individuals and families who have escaped turmoil to resettle in Canada and to pray for those still seeking to leave areas of war and strife. Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto, will preside. Mass is hosted by the Chinese Pastoral Council at Our Lady of Mount Carmel parish, with a reception to follow. A special invitation is extended to those who have been involved in refugee sponsorship across the archdiocese. For more information, visit [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org). All are welcome.

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**Widows & Widowers Sessions**

Six Friday evening Sessions at Blessed Trinity **begin on March 13**. Details will follow in future bulletins.

**Lenten Reflections with Fr. Charles Nam**

Our Lenten Reflections begin on **Monday, March 23 with Mass at 7:00 pm** and continue each evening through the week until Friday, March 27. Please see future bulletins for further details.

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