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OFFICE HOURS

Mon. - Thu. 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

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

Saturday: 3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

WEEKEND SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.
12:15 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday thru Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday: 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 9:45 - 10:30 a.m.

4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 6:30 - 7:00 p.m.

ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Friday of the month
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

BAPTISM

2nd and 4th Sundays at 2:00 p.m.
by appointment.

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Saturdays, 9:30 a.m.

MARRIAGE

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

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OUR PARISH SCHOOLS

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Blessed Trinity School 416-393-5289

St. Agnes School 416-393-5345

Secondary Schools

St. Joseph's Morrow Park 416-393-5516

Brebeuf College School 416-393-5508

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASSES OF THE WEEK

- Monday, January 16** 8:00 am
Special Intention
- Tuesday, January 17** 8:00 am
ST. ANTHONY, Abbot
Bill Whatcott (Deceased)
Ileen & Frank Kennedy
- Wednesday, January 18** 8:00 am
Bozena Zapletal (Deceased)
Requested by the family
- Thursday, January 19** 8:00 am
Bee Bee Dizon (Deceased)
Requested by Rosalina & Lily
- Friday, January 20** 8:00 am
Special Intention
Requested by Ferreira family
- Saturday, January 21** 9:00 am
ST. AGNES, Virgin, Martyr
Floare Maxian (Deceased)
Requested by Timachy family



Knights of Columbus

General Meeting:
Mon, January 16th at 7:30 pm

Executive Meeting:
Monday, February 6th at 7:30 pm

Retreat for Knights: Saturday, February 18th
Full day retreat commencing at 9:00 am at Blessed Trinity. A special program is being designed by Msgr. Sheehy and Fr. Eric for this day. A light lunch will be served. Please confirm attendance by February 7th. For more details please contact Grand Knight Ron Forbes at 416-441-1406.

General Meeting: Wednesday, February 22nd, 7:30 pm
Note: The Membership Drive scheduled for February 5th has been cancelled.

Parent Meetings – Parish Hall

First Reconciliation/First Communion

For parents of students to receive the Sacrament of First Communion at Blessed Trinity Church this year from Blessed Trinity School, St. Agnes School, private schools and Saturday classes.

Meeting: Tuesday, January 24th at 7:00 pm

Confirmation

For parents of students to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at Blessed Trinity Church this year from Blessed Trinity School, St. Agnes School, private schools and Saturday classes.

Meeting: Wednesday, January 25th at 7:00 pm



We welcome to our Parish through the Sacrament of Baptism

Kailyn Jaime Fang Yen



Catholic Women's League

Saturday, January 28, 2012
Annual Dinner Dance – 'Winter Gala'

Tickets (\$50.00 per person) are now available and will be sold after Masses on the week-ends of **January 7/8, 14/15, 21/22**. The evening will include a delicious catered prime rib dinner and many door and raffle prizes. You are cordially invited to come and join your fellow parishioners for a fun evening of socializing and dancing to a fabulous mix of music by Nth Degree. If you would like to donate a prize, please contact Arlene Steger at 905-889-6959, and for tickets you may contact Velma Letterio at 416-226-0590.

Membership Fee for 2012 (\$30.00) is now due. You may renew your membership or join the league after the Masses beginning January 7/8. Also, an envelope with your name, etc. can be left in the CWL mailbox at the church office. For more information, please contact Gisele Hall at 416-223-7826.

Many thanks to all parishioners who generously supported the CWL Poinsettia Sale.

Attention all Confirmation Candidates

Msgr. Sheehy, Fr. Eric Mah, Ms. Maria Agovino will be conducting **five Saturday mornings** for the candidates from **all** schools on the following dates:

- Place: Blessed Trinity Parish Hall
- Time: 10:00 am – 12:00 noon
- Dates: January 21, February 4, February 11, February 25, March 3, 2012

These mornings are an extremely important part of preparation for the Sacrament.

Young Adults Dinner - The Blessed Trinity Young Adults group is organizing a dinner event on **January 21 at 7:00** to be held at Spring Rolls, which is located at Yonge and Sheppard. This is a great opportunity to meet other young Catholics from the parish.

If you are interested in coming, please send your RSVP to Margaret at mh.mcdermott@gmail.com by January 17. Each person is expected to pay for his or her own meal.

January 15, 2012
World Day of Migrants and Refugees

"If the dream of a peaceful world is shared by all, if the refugees' and migrants' contribution is properly evaluated, then humanity can become more and more of a universal family and our earth a true common home."

Pope John Paul II (2004)

Marguerite Bourgeys Family Centre

You are invited to join in celebrating a Mass of Thanksgiving for the Feast of St. Marguerite Bourgeys on **Tuesday, January 17, 2012 at St. Brigid's Parish, at 7:00 pm**, 300 Wolverleigh Blvd., Toronto. There will be a reception to follow in the parish hall. RSVP 416-465-2868 or email: info@fertilitycare.ca.

Liturgical Latin Symposium – Introduction to Liturgical Latin Part 2 – This course develops a student's understanding of the basic concepts of ecclesiastical Latin with particular focus on the vocabulary, conventions and syntax of liturgical Latin. Classes will be taught at St. Mary Immaculate Parish, Richmond Hill on Wednesdays. For further information, please call 905-884-1784 or email liturgical.latin@live.ca

Vocations – A good vocation prayer to say every day – from the time we are young until we are in our golden years – is found in today's first Scripture reading: "Speak Lord, for your servant is listening". Just try it with sincerity, starting today and, if you think that God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Hansoo at 416-968-0997. Email vocations@vocations.ca
Website www.vocationstoronto.ca

'Lift Jesus Higher Rally'
Saturday, March 3, 2012, 9:00 am – 5:30 pm
Metro Toronto Convention Centre (North Bldg.)
255 Front Street W., Lower Level

The 20th Annual Catholic Renewal Ministries Event gives thanks, heals, and restores your hope! This is an uplifting day with powerful talks, videos from Missions Eucharistic Healing Procession, Divine Mercy celebration and high Mass. For tickets or information call 416-251-4255 or 905-270-2510 or website www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.org

Pro-Lifers are
"the abolitionists of the 20th Century!"
(Cardinal O'Connor)

Message of His Holiness Pope Benedict XVI
For the World Day of Migrants & Refugees (2012)

".....Blessed John Paul II invited us to "nurish ourselves with the word in order to be 'servants of the word' in the work of evangelization ... [in] a situation which is becoming increasingly diversified and demanding, in the context of 'globalization' and of the consequent new and uncertain mingling of peoples and cultures" Internal or international migration, in fact, as an opening in search of better living conditions or to flee from the threat of persecution, war, violence, hunger or natural disasters, has led to an unprecedented mingling of individuals and peoples, with new problems not only from the human standpoint but also from ethical, religious and spiritual ones. The current and obvious consequences of secularization, the emergence of new sectarian movements, widespread insensitivity to the Christian faith and a marked tendency to fragmentation are obstacles to focusing on a unifying reference that would encourage the formation of "one family of brothers and sisters in societies that are becoming ever more multiethnic and intercultural, where also people of various religions are urged to take part in dialogue, so that a serene and fruitful coexistence with respect for legitimate differences may be found". Our time is marked by endeavours to efface God and the Church's teaching from the horizon of life, while doubt, scepticism and indifference are creeping in, seeking to eliminate all the social and symbolic visibility of the Christian faith.

.....The phenomenon of migration today is also a providential opportunity for the proclamation of the Gospel in the contemporary world. Men and women from various regions of the earth who have not yet encountered Jesus Christ or know him only partially, ask to be received in countries with an ancient Christian tradition. It is necessary to find adequate ways for them to meet and to become acquainted with Jesus Christ and to experience the invaluable gift of salvation which, for everyone, is a source of "life in abundance" (cf. *Jn* 10:10); migrants themselves have a special role in this regard because they in turn can become "heralds of God's word and witnesses to the Risen Jesus, the hope of the world"

.....Priests, men and women religious, lay people, and most of all young men and women are to be sensitive in offering support to their many sisters and brothers who, having fled from violence, have to face new lifestyles and the difficulty of integration. The proclamation of salvation in Jesus Christ will be a source of relief, hope and "full joy" (cf. *Jn* 15:11).

..... Dear friends, let us invoke the intercession of Mary, "*Our Lady of the Way*", so that the joyful proclamation of salvation in Jesus Christ may bring hope to the hearts of those who are on the move on the roads of the world. To one and all I assure my prayers and impart my Apostolic Blessing."

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