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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: 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.

Saturday: 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 9:40 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

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

Sunday: 6:15 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT

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

BAPTISM

Last Sunday of the month 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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416-968-0997

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

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MASSES OF THE WEEK

Monday, January 20 8:00 am
Special Intention

Tuesday, January 21 8:00 am
ST. AGNES, Virgin, Martyr
Agnello D'Souza and family
(Special Intention)
Requested by the Estrelon family

Wednesday, January 22 8:00 am
Mary Rita Sheehy (Deceased)
Requested by the family

Thursday, January 23 8:00 am
Joanna Hongin Paeck Song (Deceased)
Requested by the Shin family

Friday, January 24 8:00 am
ST. FRANCIS DE SALES, Bishop, Doctor
Barbara Hanssen (Deceased)
Requested by the Noworolski family

Saturday, January 25 9:00 am
THE CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE
Hope & Peter McDermott (Deceased)
Requested by the family



Knights of Columbus

General Meeting: Monday, January 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the Trinity Room.

Executive Meeting: Monday, February 3, at 7:30 p.m. in the Trinity Room.

Breakfast at Pickle Barrel: Saturday, February 8, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass. All Knights are invited.

General Meeting: Monday, February 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Trinity Room. (Note: Delayed a week due to Family Day).



Theresians of Blessed Trinity

The Theresians will be hosting a **Dinner and Dance and Evening of Music on Saturday, January 25, 2014**. The cost is \$20 per person. Tickets will be sold after the Masses on January 18/19. Proceeds will go to the various outreaches of the Theresians, namely; the St. Clare's Residence, Missionary Sisters of Charity, St. Francis Table, Sisters of Life, The Rosary Apostolate, St. Kateri Tekakwitha Centre, Catholic Family Services, Serra House, Aid to Women and Canada Mission.

DISCERNING A POTENTIAL CALL TO THE DIOCESAN PRIESTHOOD

For all young men of 18 years or older who are **discerning a potential call to the diocesan priesthood**, you may wish to come out for a discernment weekend of prayer and reflection. This will be held at **St. Augustine's Seminary** (2661 Kingston Road, Scarborough) during the **weekend of Friday, January 31 to Sunday, February 2, 2014**.

To register, please contact, before Sunday, January 26, 2014, one of the following:

Office of Vocations: 416-968-0997
Email: vocations@vocations.ca
Rev. Eric Mah: 416-226-0262



Fellowship of St. Joseph

The Fellowship of St Joseph of the AHC welcomes Fr. Dominic Borg, ocd, who will be speaking on **"Saints in Scripture" – Get to know Who is Who in the Bible**, on **Tuesday, January 21, 2014** in the parish hall at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome.

Blessed Trinity Craft Group – The Craft Group is back after the Christmas break and will be busy preparing for their Annual Bazaar in November. The group meet every Monday morning after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. New members are welcome. For more information, please contact Margaret Meehan at 416-512-2735.

**Mass for the World Day of Migrants & Refugees
Sunday, January 19, 2014 – 3 p.m.
St. Paul's Basilica (83 Power Street, Toronto)**

There will be a Mass to celebrate 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 McGrattan will preside. Mass is hosted by the Mission of the Vietnamese Martyrs. A special invitation is extended to those who have been involved in refugee sponsorship across the archdiocese.

Hawthorn School – **Saturday, February 1, 2014**, 7:00 p.m., at 252 Bloor St. W., Room G162, Hawthorn School and Primary Educators present - **"Dare to Be a Better Parent!"**, a parenting conference with keynote speaker Dr. Meg Meeker, American pediatrician, mother and best selling author of six books; leading authority on parenting, teen and children's health in the U.S. Tickets are \$30 per person and are available online at www.hawthornschool.com or directly from Hawthorn School (101 Scarsdale Road, Toronto). For inquiries, call 416-444-3054 or e-mail charactereducation@hawthornschool.com.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Come and join in prayer with His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins, Anglican Archbishop Colin Johnson, Slovak Catholic Bishop John Puzak, Anglican Bishop Mark MacDonald and other city-wide religious leaders on: **Sunday, January 26, 2014 at 3:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Basilica**, 83 Power Street (1 block east of Queen and Parliament Streets). Homilist: Anglican Bishop Right Rev. Mark MacDonald (Canada's first National Indigenous bishop). Parking is available, refreshments to follow in parish hall. For further information, please contact the Office of Ecumenical and Interfaith Affairs at 416-934-3400, ext. 344 or ext. 527 or ukwok@archtoronto.org.

St. Augustine Seminary, 2661 Kingston Road

On **Saturday, January 25, 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.**, Dr. Patricia Murphy, assistant Professor of Moral theology at St. Augustine's Seminary, leads participants in an exploration of current bioethical issues and the Church teachings surrounding these issues. Topics to be covered include: what the church teaches about recent developments in new reproductive technologies, how Catholics should respond to the call for physician-assisted suicide, and what truly compassionate and dignified "end of life" care involves. Cost is \$40 and includes lunch. To register, please call 416-261-7207, ext. 235 or email ioftsas@rogers.com. Lay people most welcome.

Northmount School – Northmount Independent Catholic Boys Elementary School, JK – 8 (100% EQAO); Advanced Sciences/Math, Enriched Curriculum, Nationally Recognized Athletics, 1:1 Advisory and Character Education Program, Dynamic Fine Arts, Catholic Chaplaincy. ***Language Arts and Literacy Showcase Saturday, February 22, 2014. Open Houses*** every Wednesday 1 – 4 p.m. For more information please call 416-449-8823, ext. 112 or visit website www.northmount.com.

Intercessory Prayer Group - 'Come & See'

You are invited to join the Blessed Trinity Prayer Group **every Thursday evening, 7:30 – 9:30 p.m.** for scripture, song, intercessory prayer and fellowship with other parishioners. For more information, call Mary at 416-497-7059.

Vocations – St. Paul tells us that we have been sanctified in Christ Jesus and called to be a holy people. Could it be that you or someone in your family is being called to consider priesthood or religious life? If God is calling you to the priesthood, contact Fr. Hansoo Park at 416-968-0997, email vocations@vocations.ca.

THE FIVE PRECEPTS OF THE CHURCH ***(Catechism of the Catholic Church #2041-2043)***

The precepts of the Church are set in the context of a moral life bound to and nourished by liturgical life. The obligatory character of these positive laws decreed by the pastoral authorities is meant to guarantee to the faithful the indispensable minimum in the spirit of prayer and moral effort, in the growth in love of God and neighbor.

The first precept ("You shall attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation.") requires the faithful to participate in the Eucharistic celebration when the Christian community gathers together on the day commemorating the Resurrection of the Lord (cf. CIC, cann. 1246-1248).

The second precept ("You shall confess your sins at least once a year.") ensures preparation for the Eucharist by the reception of the sacrament of reconciliation, which continues Baptism's work of conversion and forgiveness (cf. CIC, can. 989).

The third precept ("You shall humbly receive your Creator in Holy Communion at least during the Easter season.") guarantees as a minimum the reception of the Lord's Body and Blood in connection with the Paschal feasts, the origin and center of the Christian liturgy (cf. CIC, can. 920).

The fourth precept ("You shall keep holy the holy days of obligation.") completes the Sunday observance by participation in the principal liturgical feasts which honor the mysteries of the Lord, the Virgin Mary, and the saints (cf. CIC, can. 1246).

The fifth precept ("You shall observe the prescribed days of fasting and abstinence.") ensures the times of asceticism and penance which prepare us for the liturgical feasts; they help us acquire mastery over our instincts and freedom of heart (CIC, cann. 1249-1251).

The faithful also have the duty of providing for the material needs of the Church, each according to his abilities (cf. CIC, can. 222).

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