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## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

Two Baptism classes for parents are required.  
Classes held the first Tuesday evenings  
each month.

## SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

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

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.  
3:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.  
or by appointment

## WEEKEND SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:30 p.m.  
Sunday Masses 8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.  
12:15 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday 8:00 a.m.  
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.  
(Our Lady of Perpetual Help)  
Saturdays & Holidays 9:00 a.m.  
First Friday of the month 7:00 p.m.

## ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Friday of the Month  
8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.  
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

## NOVENA - ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

Saturday, immediately following  
the 9:00 a.m. Mass

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday Closed  
Tuesday - Thursday 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.  
5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Closed for lunch daily 12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.

## EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

### *This Week at Blessed Trinity*

#### **Monday, January 9 *Baptism of the Lord***

8:00 am Mass + Paul Chow

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
8:30 am	Craft Group	Trinity Room
9:00 am	Meeting	Atrium Room
2:00 pm	Life Story Writing Group	Atrium Room
6:30 pm	Knights of Columbus	Trinity Room
7:00 pm	Exercise Class	Parish Hall

#### **Tuesday, January 10**

8:00 am Mass + Virginia & Amato Miéle

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
6:30 pm	Confirmation Registration	Church Foyer
7:00 pm	Confirmation – Meeting	Church
6:00 pm	Jr. Choir Rehearsal	Parish Hall
6:30 pm	Legion of Mary	Trinity Room
7:45 pm	EDGE Meeting	Board Room

#### **Wednesday, January 11**

8:00 am Mass Special Intention

In thanksgiving to the Infant Jesus of Prague

7:00 pm Mass + Phyllis Valverde; + Albert Selim Sharawy;  
+ Paul Ricciuti; + Joseph Ignatius Gonsalves;  
+ Mr. Ho Lam Hui

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
7:00 pm	Choir Meeting	Board Room
7:45 pm	BT Prayer Group	Trinity Room

#### **Thursday, January 12**

***St. Marguerite Bourgeoys, Virgin***

8:00 am Mass + Ahn, Gye Chang

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
11:00 am	Mass	Gibson House
12:30 pm	Willow Seniors	Parish Hall
2:30 pm	Meeting	Board Room
7:00 pm	Senior Choir Rehearsal	Parish Hall

#### **Friday, January 13**

8:00 am Mass + Tracy Batol

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
10:30 am	Mass	Carefree Lodge
10:30 am	Meeting	Atrium Room
7:00 pm	EDGE Meeting	Parish Hall

#### **Saturday, January 14**

9:00 am Mass + Margaret Goudy

4:30 pm Mass + Cassiano D'Souza

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
10:00 am	Catechesis of Good Shepherd	S.J. Atrium
	CWL ticket sales for 'Day of Recollection'	Foyer

#### **Sunday, January 15**

8:30 am Mass + Mabel & Joseph Murphy

10:30 am Mass + Marnie Maki

12:15 pm Mass + Alberto DeGuzman

7:00 pm Mass S.I. Susan Nicholson

Time	Event/Meeting	Location
10:30 am	Installation of new CWL Executive	Church
10:30 am	Children's Liturgy	Trinity Room
11:30 am	Chinese RCIA	Trinity, Atrium & Board Rooms
5:30 pm	Youth Choir Rehearsal	Church
	CWL ticket sales for 'Day of Recollection'	Foyer



#### **Knights of Columbus**

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**Executive Meeting:** Monday, January 9, 6:30 p.m.

**Basketball Free Throw:**

Wednesday, January 11, 9:30 a.m.

**General Meeting:** Monday, January 23, 6:30 p.m.

**Fourth Degree Assembly Meeting:**

Thursday, January 26, 7:30 p.m. at Blessed Trinity



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

**'Day of Recollection'**

**Tuesday, January 17, 2017**

**9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

***Fr. Francis Ching*** will be leading the Day of Recollection in the parish hall. Tickets will be on sale in the foyer weekends of January 7/8 and 14/15 at \$20 each (includes lunch).



#### **Association of Hebrew Catholics**

The AHC presents Fr. Seamus Hogan, assistant professor of history at St. Augustine's Seminary, where he also teaches priestly spirituality and assists with formation. This day he will share a dynamic and interactive PowerPoint on the development of early Church called, ***"From Jerusalem to the ends of the World"*** – the unbelievable story of Christianity's rise from Jewish sect to the Church of the nations – **Tuesday, January 17, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.** All are welcome.

#### **The Epiphany of the Lord – January 8, 2017**

God asks us to give our lives. What treasures have been given to you to share with others in Christ's name? If God is calling you to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

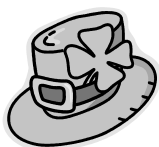
### **Parent Meeting - Sacrament of Confirmation**

On **Tuesday, January 10, 2017**, there will be a parent meeting for children in Grade 7 who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation in May 2017. **Registration takes place in the church foyer at 6:30 p.m., followed by the meeting in the church at 7:00 pm.** It is mandatory that copy of the child's Baptism Certificate be presented at registration. If the certificate is not in English, a translation is required.

### ● SACRED PAUSES ●

**Saturday, February 11, 2017**  
**Blessed Trinity Parish Hall**  
**9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

You are invited to take time out in your busy day to break for and receive blessings. Simple practices introduced at Sacred Pauses retreat will help you live out your day more mindfully. Our facilitator, Trena Finnegan, is a graduate from Regis College in spiritual direction. Please register at the parish office before February 3, 2017. The registration fee is \$15.00 per person and includes lunch. All are invited.



### **St. Patrick's Day Pub Night**

Blessed Trinity will be hosting a St. Patrick's Day Pub Night on **Saturday, March 11, at 6:30 p.m. in the parish**

**hall.** Join us for an evening of fun that will include plenty of pub-style food and drink, Irish dance caller, raffle, auction, door-prize, and more! Tickets are only \$20 and will be available early in the new year. All proceeds will go toward supporting the Blessed Trinity Youth Ministry.

### **Retrouvaille Toronto: A Catholic Lifeline to Help Troubled Marriages. Friday, January 27 to Sunday, January 29.**

Retrouvaille is a program to help married couples through troubled times in their marriages. They may be experiencing difficulty or deep misery in their marriages. Retrouvaille is designed to provide the tools to help get marriages back on track and gives the opportunity to rediscover one another and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. Please contact them for further information on the program.

Web: [www.torontoretrouvaille.com](http://www.torontoretrouvaille.com) Phone: 416-281-6007  
Poster: <http://bit.ly/jan2017retrouvaille>

The baby's heart begins to beat between 18 and 24 days after conception! If a heartbeat means life, what do TWO heartbeats mean?

*"O God, who on this day revealed your Only Begotten Son to the nations by the guidance of a star, grant us in your mercy that we, who know you already by faith, may be brought to behold your sublime glory."*

### **Collect prayer for the Solemnity of the Epiphany**

Thank you to all who made the Feast of Christmas such a memorable celebration! Thank you to all members of our ministries and volunteers for your support and service all year round. Also, thank you for your generous gifts for our priests and staff. Last, but not least, thank you to each and every one of you, the parishioners of Blessed Trinity, who came out in great numbers and with great faith to share with one another the mysterious and wonderful truth: **God out of love became one of us in Jesus, so that we can be closer to Him.**

A peaceful and blessed New Year to all!

*Fr. Ed*

**World Day for Consecrated Life** – On Thursday, February 2, the Church celebrates the World Day for Consecrated Life. In the Archdiocese of Toronto, we are blessed to have living and serving among us more than 900 religious men and women of 100 different religious congregations. This World Day for Consecrated Life is a wonderful opportunity for us to thank God for the gifts of these religious sisters, brothers and priests, and to pray for God's blessing upon them in their efforts to faithfully live the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience. Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick will preside at a **special Mass on Sunday, January 29 at 3:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Basilica, Toronto,** in celebration of the vocation and witness of these special men and women religious who are such a vital and important part of the life and ministry of the Church in our Archdiocese. All are welcome to attend.



➤ **CWL Dinner Dance** – Parish Hall  
Saturday, February 25, 2017

➤ **St. Patrick's Day Pub Night** –  
Parish Hall, Saturday, March 11, 2017

➤ **Lenten Mission** – Church  
Saturday, March 18 – Wednesday, March 22, 2017

➤ **Confirmation – Grade 7** – Church  
Thursday, May 4, 2017

➤ **First Holy Communion – Grade 2** - Church  
Saturday, May 6, 2017



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