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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: 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: 9:45 - 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.

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

Brebeuf College School 416-393-5508

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT



MASSES OF THE WEEK

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| Monday, March 11 Special Intention | 8:00 am |
| Tuesday, March 12 Angela & Candida Victor (Deceased) <i>Requested by Maria Dias</i> | 8:00 am |
| Wednesday, March 13 Maria Sung III Moon Shin (Deceased) <i>Requested by the family</i> | 8:00 am |
| Thursday, March 14 Celso Castellarin (Deceased) <i>Requested by the Castellarin family</i> | 8:00 am |
| Friday, March 15 Alice Michael (Deceased) <i>Requested by Charmaine Michael</i> | 8:00 am |
| Peter Lynch (Special Intention) <i>Requested by Ann Lynch</i> | 7:30 pm |
| Saturday, March 16 Nicholson Family (Special Intention) <i>Requested by Susan Nicholson</i> | 9:00 am |



SEASON OF LENT

Daily Mass:
8:00 am (Saturday 9:00 am)

Friday evenings in Lent
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross
7:30 pm Mass

Lenten Reconciliation
Wednesday, March 20 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm
Thursday, March 21 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm
Saturday, March 23 9:30 am – 11:30 am



Knights of Columbus

General Meeting: Monday, March 18th at
7:30 pm in the Trinity Room.

North York Retirees Club - The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, March 12, 2013, 2:00 – 3:00 pm** in the Blessed Trinity Parish Hall. The guest speaker will be Jim Salmon on the topic of **“Wind Power.”** All retirees are cordially invited to attend.

*If the preborn child isn't a human person
at conception, then when?*

EASTER TRIDUUM

Thursday, March 28

Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper

Mass (only one Mass today) 7:30 pm
Celebration of the Eucharist, washing of feet
Reposition of Blessed Sacrament in the Church
Adoration until 12 midnight

Friday, March 29

Good Friday

(No Mass today) Liturgical Service 3:00 pm
Veneration of the Cross, Communion
Stations of the Cross 7:00 pm
(Divine Mercy Novena begins)

Saturday, March 30

Holy Saturday Easter Vigil 8:00 pm

(Only one Mass and fulfils Sunday obligation)
Easter celebration in parish hall

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday, March 31

Resurrection of the Lord

Masses 8:30 am 10:30 am
12:15 noon (No 7:00 pm)

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Sunday, April 7

This inspired devotion of St. Faustina will begin after the Stations of the Cross on Good Friday evening. Each day during Easter week the novena to be prayed. On Divine Mercy Sunday we will have **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, homily, prayers and Benediction from 1:15pm – 3:00 pm.**

Blessed Trinity Parish

**Personal Spiritual Renewal Day
(Church and Parish Hall)**

Saturday, March 16, 2013

Conducted by Father Paul McDonald

Lunch included

Cost - \$10.00 at the door

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| Holy Mass | 9:00 am |
| First Conference | 10:00 am |
| Second Conference | 11:00 am |
| Angelus and Lunch | 12:15 pm |
| Third Conference | 1:30 pm |
| Holy Hour – Benediction | 2:30 – 3:30 pm |

Those planning to participate, please sign form in the parish hall to assist the committee planning luncheon

A Musical Meditation on the Passion of Christ

'WERE YOU THERE'

**Sunday, March 24, 2013 at 3:00 pm
Blessed Trinity Church**

**Featuring a selection of meditative
compositions inspired by the Passion of Christ
Blessed Trinity Choir
Matthew Otto, conductor**

**Tickets: \$15.00
\$10.00 (under 21)**

**Tickets may be purchased after all Sunday liturgies or
from choir members. For more information contact
Jeff Horodyski at 416-733-0210 or
BTconcerts@gmail.com.**



Catholic Women's League

'Day of Recollection'

The Catholic Women's League will hold a 'Day of Recollection' on **Tuesday, March 19, 2013 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm**. The Spiritual Leader will be Fr. Pierre Farrugia, OFM. The day of prayer and reflection will include the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and a catered lunch. Tickets are \$20 and will be on sale after all Masses on March 9, 10, 16 and 17. All ladies of the parish are welcome. For more information, please contact Helen Truman at 416-250-8742.



**The Fellowship of St. Joseph
(Assoc. of Hebrew Catholics)**

Upcoming Events

Tues. March 19 & Tues. April 16:
Messianic Prophecy Parts 3 and 4: *"The*

Suffering Servant Songs of Isaiah."

Presentations take place in the parish hall, 7 – 9 pm

New Beginnings – Retreat Weekend

Jesus says: *"Come to me all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens and I will give you rest."* **Friday, April 12, 7:00 pm to Sunday, April 14, 4:00 pm** at Scarboro Missions, Toronto. Enquiries: Mary Benincasa at 416-921-1163 ext. 2235 or email James at jshaughn@cfstoronto.com.

Kolbe Eucharistic Apostolate - Study the Saints and challenge your faith more deeply at the Kolbe Know Your Faith Series: "Models of Holiness" – a six week Spring course, **Tuesdays 7–9 pm, starting March 12 or Saturdays 10–12 noon at Holy Cross Church; 416-421-5225, www.kolbeapostolate.com** for more information.



**Working wonders for people
with special needs**

"I was a rebel," the now 22 year old said, adding he often broke the cardinal rule at the Silent Voice Sign Language Summer Camp by speaking rather than signing. "Looking back, it was disrespectful." It wasn't until Tyler was too old to attend the day camp for deaf children that he realized what he'd learned at Silent Voice was a priceless gift. He began to understand his language skill was in high demand and that becoming an interpreter was a career he wanted to pursue. So, after graduating from high school, Tyler enrolled in the American Sign Language program at Toronto's George Brown College. Determined to right the wrongs of his youth, he also signed up to be a counselor at the SLSP camp. One of the most important lessons for him was that people and attitudes can change. "It made me appreciate the good intentions of people who helped me grow up," Tyler said. "It's a good feeling knowing someone cared about me so much. I appreciate it now. It really helped me see the best in people." Now he's passing it forward. ShareLife-funded agencies in our region assisted more than 22,500 people with special needs last year, affirming their value to our society and making us all stronger as a result.

**Next Sunday, March 17, 2013 is ShareLife Sunday
Please give generously, You can work WONDERS!**



**CLOTHED BY THE
FATHER OF MERCIES**

"No matter how weak you are, do not think that what you need to do in order to enjoy his redemption is impossible or so difficult that you

have to despair of obtaining it. It is enough for you to direct a heartfelt sigh to God, with sorrow for having offended such a Father and with the intention of amendment. Make known your sins to a priest who can absolve you. For your greater consolation, even your ears of flesh will hear the sentence of your trial in what is said to you: "I absolve you from all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit."

Even if it seems to you that your sorrow is not as perfect as it ought to be, and or for this reason you lose heart, do not be discouraged. **So great are the Lord's desires that you be saved that he supplies what we lack** with the privilege he gave to his sacrament of making one who is without sorrow to be contrite. [...] **call upon the heavenly Father. Ask him, through Jesus Christ, his Son, to help you** to be sorry for your past life to propose amendment for the future, to confess well, and finally, for whatever else may be necessary. **He is such that there is no reason to expect from his hands anything other than every kind of tenderness and help.** Since he is the one who gives pardon, he inspires the disposition for it. [...] do not be discouraged or abandon what you have begun."

St. John of Avila

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