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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 a.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.

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

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MASSES OF THE WEEK

Monday, October 21	8:00 am
Gabriel Da Costa (Deceased) <i>Requested by the family</i>	
Tuesday, October 22	8:00 am
Salvatore & Francesca Fasone (Deceased) <i>Requested by the Lo Bianco family</i>	
Wednesday, October 23	8:00 am
Christopher Superville (Deceased) <i>Requested by his parents</i>	
Thursday, October 24	8:00 am
Betty Cunningham (Deceased) <i>Requested by Leo Cunningham</i>	
Friday, October 25	8:00 am
Anthony Calderone (Deceased) <i>Requested by the family</i>	
Saturday, October 26	9:00 am
Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus	



Knights of Columbus

General Meeting: Monday, October 21, 7:30 p.m. in the Trinity Room.

Right to Life Christmas Cards: During the weekends of October 19/20, cards will be sold after all Masses. All proceeds will go to the Toronto Right to Life Association.

North York Retirees Club - The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, October 22, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.** in the **Trinity Room**. The guest speaker will be Debbie Spring on the topic of “A writer’s perspective on finding a story.” All retirees are cordially invited to attend.



Our frozen pans of **Chili** for the **Good Shepherd Refuge** are due in the parish hall by **next Sunday**. This Provide-A-Meal program not only is a cost-effective program, but provides homeless and disadvantaged individuals with tasty meals of a higher nutritional value, since casseroles are prepared individually in a home environment rather than in an institutional setting. If you would like to join our efforts, please pick up an aluminum casserole container and recipe from the parish office.

Fitness Exercises – Starting October 21 the Fitness Exercise Class will resume every **Monday from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. in the parish hall**. A registration fee of \$10.00 will apply. All parishioners are welcome.



Parish Memorial Mass

Our Annual Mass for the deceased, whose funerals were celebrated here at Blessed Trinity during the past year, will take place on **Tuesday, November 5, at 7:30 p.m.** A candle bearing the name of the deceased will be on a table in the foyer. These will be lit just after the homily and one or two members of the family are asked to bring it up to the altar. There will be refreshments in the parish hall afterward.



"BE MY WITNESSES"

JOIN the Kolbe Eucharistic Apostolate's KNOW YOUR FAITH SERIES course "**BE MY WITNESSES**". Challenge your lifestyle. Reflect on Pope Francis' Letter "*The Light of Faith*". Discuss what the "New Evangelization" means and learn what Church documents say about it. Watch inspiring DVDs and consider how to respond to Christ's personal call to YOU in today's culture! Registration (\$25.00) includes 7 week course, text, and handouts. Join them at **Holy Cross Parish on Tuesday, October 15, 7 – 9 p.m. or at Blessed Trinity Church on Saturday, October 19, 9:45 am – noon**. For more information visit www.kolbeapostolate.com.



The Theresians - A trip to Buffalo, NY

is planned for **Saturday, November 23**, leaving Blessed Trinity Church at 7:30 a.m. The cost is \$85.00 per person. For more information please call Camila at 905-763-7670 or Claudette at 416-223-4684.

'23rd Annual Mass of Memory'
(Dedicated to memory of our Irish ancestors)
Sunday, October 27, 2:30 p.m.
St. Paul's Basilica (83 Power St. Toronto)

- ❖ Music by The Irish Choral Society
- ❖ Mass of Memory begins at 3:00 pm
- ❖ Principal celebrant, Fr. Jerry Scott
- ❖ Homeliest, Fr. Patrick Fitzpatrick
- ❖ Reception to follow in the Basilica hall

New Beginnings – Catholic Family Services

A ministry dedicated to helping people who have suffered the loss of a loved one through death, separation or divorce. On **Saturday, November 2, 2013, 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. day of retreat and lunch** will be held at St. Louis-de-France Parish in the hall (1415 Don Mills Rd., south of York Mills Rd.). The topic will be Faith – Positive Psychology – Powerful Partners for Healing as we Journey through the Grief Process, speaker Fr. Fred Scinto, C.R. This event is free of charge. Pre-registration is required. To register, please contact Angela at 416-921-1163 ext. 2236 or agamelo@cfstoronto.com by Monday, October 28.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY POPE FRANCIS

The Year of Faith is occurring fifty years after the beginning of the Second Vatican Council. The Second Vatican Council emphasized in a special way how the missionary task: that of broadening the boundaries of faith, belongs to every baptized person and all Christian communities since "the people of God lives in communities, especially in dioceses and parishes, and becomes somehow visible in them, it is up to these go witness Christ before the nations" (*Ad Gentes*, 37). Each community is therefore questioned and invited to make its own, the mandate entrusted by Jesus to the Apostles, to be His "witnesses in Jerusalem, throughout Judea and Samaria and to the ends of the earth" (Acts 1:8) and this, not as a secondary aspect of Christian life, but as its essential aspect: we are all invited to walk the streets of the world with one's brothers and sisters, proclaiming and witnessing our faith in Christ and making ourselves heralds of his Gospel. I invite Bishops, Priests, and the Presbyteral and Pastoral Councils and each person and group responsible in the church to give a prominent position to this missionary dimension in formation and pastoral programmes, in the understanding that their apostolic commitment is not complete unless it contains the intention of bearing witness to Christ before the nations and before all peoples.

Daily Mass – You can watch daily Mass from the Archdiocese of Toronto on YouTube at <http://bit.ly/DailyMass>. Daily Mass is produced by the National Catholic Broadcasting Council.

Pre-Authorized Giving Plan – Did you have to scramble for a pen to write your cheque before coming to church today? Perhaps you had to check your wallet for cash when the collections started. You can now avoid these hassles by making your donation through a pre-authorized giving plan. Brochures are available at the back of the church and at the parish office. To participate please complete the authorization form. Forms may be returned in the collection basket or mailed to the parish office.

Vocations – God will answer the prayers of those who cry out. Ask for men and women to respond to the call to service as priests and religious. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Hansoo Park 416-968-0997
Email: vocations@vocations.ca
Website: www.vocationstoronto.ca

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

TWO SENSES OF SCRIPTURE: LITERAL AND SPIRITUAL

(source: *Catechism of the Catholic Church* #115-117)

According to an ancient tradition, one can distinguish between two senses of Scripture: the literal and the spiritual, the latter being subdivided into the allegorical, moral and anagogical senses. The profound concordance of the four senses guarantees all its richness to the living reading of Scripture in the Church.

The *literal* sense is the meaning conveyed by the words of Scripture and discovered by exegesis, following the rules of sound interpretation: "All other senses of Sacred Scripture are based on the literal" (St. Thomas Aquinas, S Th I, 1, 10, ad I).

The *spiritual* sense. Thanks to the unity of God's plan, not only the text of Scripture but also the realities and events about which it speaks can be signs.

1. The *allegorical* sense. We can acquire a more profound understanding of events by recognizing their significance in Christ; thus the crossing of the Red Sea is a sign or type of Christ's victory and also of Christian Baptism (cf. 1 Cor 10:2).
2. The *moral* sense. The events reported in Scripture ought to lead us to act justly. As St. Paul says, they were written "for our instruction" (1 Cor 10:11).
3. The *anagogical* sense (Greek: *anagoge*, "leading"). We can view realities and events in terms of their eternal significance, leading us toward our true homeland: thus the Church on earth is a sign of the heavenly Jerusalem (cf. Rev 21:1)



To Our Lady of the Rosary

"O Virgin Mary, grant that the recitation of thy Rosary may be for me each day, in the midst of my manifold duties, a bond of unity in my actions, a tribute of filial piety, a sweet refreshment, an encouragement to walk joyfully along the path of duty. Grant, above all, O Virgin Mary, that the study of thy fifteen mysteries may form in my soul, little by little, a luminous atmosphere, pure, strengthening, and fragrant, which may penetrate my understanding, my will, my heart, my memory, my imagination, my whole being. So shall I acquire the habit of praying while I work, without the aid of formal prayers, by interior acts of admiration and of supplication, or by aspirations of love. I ask this of thee, O Queen of the Holy Rosary, through Saint Dominic, thy son of predilection, the renowned preacher of thy mysteries, and the faithful imitator of thy virtues." Amen.

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