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OFFICE HOURS

9:00 a.m 7:00 p.m.
9:00 a.m 4:30 p.m.
3:00 p.m 5:30 p.m.
9:00 a.m 1:30 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 9:45 4:00 Sunday: 6:30

9:45 - 10:30 a.m. 4:00 - 4:30 p.m. 6:30 - 7:00 p.m.

BAPTISM

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

MARRIAGE

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

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.

ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT

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

NOVENA - ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX Saturdays, 9:30 a.m.

VOCATIONS Fr. Hansoo Park, Director Vocations 416-968-0997 www.serrahouse.ca www.vocations.ca

OUR PARISH SCHOOLS

Elementary Schools

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



Monday, October 24 In Thanksgiving for 60 th Wedding Anniversa of Raymond & Anna De Pape	8:00 am ary
<u>Tuesday, October 25</u> Elizabeth Cunningham (Deceased) <i>Requested by Leo Cunningham</i>	8:00 am
<u>Wednesday, October 26</u> Special Intention Requested by Teresa Lam	8:00 am
<u>Thursday, October 27</u> Alice Michals (Deceased) Requested by Dossy Coury	8:00 am
Friday, October 28 ST. SIMON & ST. JUDE, Apostles Colleen Pierria (Deceased) Requested by Theresa Lo	8:00 am
<u>Saturday, October 29</u> Anthony Calderone (Deceased)	9:00 am



Requested by the family

Knights of Columbus

Membership Drive: Sunday, October 30th, after all am Masses.

Executive Meeting – Monday, November 7th **Children's Christmas Party** – Sunday, November 20th after the 12:15 Mass in the parish hall. Mark this date on your calendar; more details will follow.

General Meeting – Monday, November 21st



Catholic Women's League

<u>Membership for 2012</u>: New membership and renewals will be available after the Masses on the week-ends of Oct. 22-23 and

29-30. Memberships will be available at the General Meeting on October 18^{th} . There is a slight increase in fees - \$30/yr). For further information contact Gisele Hall 416-223-7826 or Velma Letterio 416-226-0590.



North York Retired Men's Club

The next meeting will be held on *Tuesday, October 25th at 2:00 pm* in the Blessed Trinity Parish Hall. The guest speaker will be Joseph S. Moore, Emergency Management Ontario on the topic of "How the Province **Prepares for Major Calamities and Emergencies.**" All retired men and spouses are cordially invited to attend.



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 *Wednesday, November*

9th **at 7:30 pm.** 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.

Twenty First Annual Mass of Memory

Sunday October 30th 2011 at St. Paul's Basilica, 83 Power Street, (one block East of Parliament on Queen street East) at 3.00pm - main Celebrant Bishop M. Pearse Lacey, Homilist Fr. Patrick Fitzpatrick. Just prior to the Mass at 2.30 pm there will be a 20 minute selection of Sacred Choral Music sung by the Dunmore Church Choir who are visiting from Dunmore, Co. Galway, Ireland. They will also lead the congregation in song during the Mass. Reception to follow in Basilica Hall sponsored by I.C.S.T. For information call Norita at 905-881-5012 noritasbb@rogers.com

'International Dinner' - Saturday, October 29th

The International Dinner organizing committee would like to thank the parish for their support of this event. Tickets have now been sold out.

Our <u>frozen</u> pans of **Chili** for the **Good Shepherd Refuge** are due in the parish hall by **next Sunday**. The deadline is always the last Sunday of the month, after the last Mass (7:00 pm). We thank all our loyal chili cooks, and invite anyone who is willing to help us feed the hungry to pick up a pan and recipe from the parish office. The recipe is easy and delicious and makes enough to fill the Good Shepherd pan, with leftovers for your family's dinner.

<u>Right to Life Christmas Cards</u> – The Knights of Columbus will be selling Right to Life Christmas cards after all the Masses this week-end. Please support the pro-life work of Toronto Right to Life by sending their beautiful greeting cards to family and friends this Christmas!

The Association for Hebrew Catholics Toronto Branch, Present

The Jewish Background to the Mass with Mark and Sue Neugebauer

Tuesday evenings in the parish hall: 7:00 - 9:00 pm

Part One: October 18 - November 15, 2011 Part Two: February 28 - March 20, 2012

The Kolbe Eucharistic Apostolate's "Know your Faith Series - The Holy Mass" Saturday, October 15, 2011

This year the *Kolbe Eucharistic Apostolate's* <u>Know Your</u> <u>Faith Series</u> is offering "THE HOLY MASS", a special eight week course in the parish hall:

Saturdays, 9:45 am – Noon, October 15 – December 10

Scarboro Missions Centre 2685 Kingston Road (corner of Kingston/Brimley)

Wednesday, October 26th, 7:00 – 9:00 pm

The Power of Good – a gripping documentary film on the story of one man's courage and how he saved 669 Jewish children from the Nazis.

For enquiries, please call 416-261-7135.

Regional Arts Program – St. Elizabeth H.S.

Interested students and parents are invited to attend the Annual Information Evening on *Wednesday, November 9th at 7:00 pm* at St. Elizabeth Catholic High School, 525 New Westminster Drive in Thornhill. Artistically talented students will be able to obtain information about the audition/portfolio requirements. The Regional Arts Program focuses on Dance, Drama, Visual Arts, Instrumental Music, and Vocal Music. For more information, call 905-882-1460.

Project Rachel – Retreat October 28-30, 2011

Project Rachel invites all whose lives have been affected by abortion to a journey of healing and reconciliation; a private and confidential experience, which lets you speak with someone who understands and cares. Together you can make a new beginning. Take the first step. For information, please call 416-629-8264 email <u>info@stmarysrefuge.org</u>.

New Beginnings is a program for widowed, separated and divorced persons. It is a ministry dedicated to helping people who have suffered the loss of a loved one through death, separation or divorce – make a *New Beginning* in life. They host Live-In Retreat Weekends, monthly Mini-Renewal meetings, Bereavement groups and Days of Renewal. For more information please call -Family Services of Toronto at 416-921-1163 Email: <u>jshaughn@cfstoronto.com</u> Website: <u>www.cfstoronto.com</u>

<u>Vocations</u> – "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind." Live in that love in consecrated life or priesthood. Contact Fr. Hansoo Park at 416-968-0997 Email <u>vocations@vocations.ca</u>



World Mission Sunday – October 23, 2011

Today is World Mission Sunday. Today, every Catholic community and parish throughout the world takes part in World Mission Sunday. It is a global effort to bring spiritual and material help to our brother and sisters who struggle in the most impoverished of places. Your kind support will help support churches, hospitals, schools and vocations, and will help Catholic Communities throughout the world become self-sufficient and flourish. Please be generous in your support of this important work.

Did you know that 26 of the 70 dioceses in Canada are considered Missionary Dioceses? This weekend of October 23rd, you will be able to learn more about these dioceses when we are visited by one missionary bishop, an Oblate of Mary Immaculate, the Most Rev. Vincent Cadieux. Bishop Cadieux was born in Alfred, Ontario in 1940, and was ordained to the priesthood at Vankleek Hill in 1966. He worked 25 years among the First Nations peoples. In 1991 he was named Bishop of the Diocese of Moosonee, and in 1997 he was elected the Bishop of the Diocese of Hearst, both located in Northern Ontario. As such, he represents two very needy mission dioceses located in our very own backyard! (Bishop Cadieux will speak at all Masses this weekend, except the 7:30 p.m. Mass on Sunday evening.)

GENEROSITY

Am I determined to give myself entirely to the Lord and not to put any limit on my generosity?

Do I observe as best as I can the first Commandment: Love God with your whole heart and your whole strength?

Do I express this love especially in a personal dedication to Christ, in an entire devotedness in His service?

Do I desire, in all circumstances, to please Him?

Do I go beyond the minimum required, and do I strive after perfection?

Have I a large heart, or a heart full of petty preoccupations?

Am I not selfish? Do I not allow myself to seek my comforts and personal advantages?

Does my generosity manifest itself by my prompt charity towards my neighbour?

Do I renew my generosity every morning during Mass, by a total offering of myself united to the Saviour's offering?

