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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: 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.

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.

MARRIAGE

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

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Secondary Schools

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

Brebeuf College School 416-393-5508



MASSES OF THE WEEK

Monday, October 5 Special Intention	8:00 am
Tuesday, October 6 Catherine & Dan Sheehy, (Deceased) <i>Requested by the family</i>	8:00 am
Wednesday, October 7 OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY Anna & Rae De Pape (Special Intention) <i>63 Wedding Anniversary</i>	8:00 am
Thursday, October 8 Susana Maria (Deceased) <i>Requested by Joao & Maria Silvina Cabral</i>	8:00 am
Friday, October 9 Frank & Marie Pritchard (Deceased) <i>Requested by the family</i>	8:00 am
Saturday, October 10 Stephen Leung (Deceased) <i>Requested by the Leung family</i>	9:00 am



Baptism

We welcome to our Parish through the Sacrament of Baptism

**Alyssa Distefano, Isabella Summer Sun,
Oliver Mun-Hon Castillo Chan**



Catholic Women's League

FASHION SHOW
Tuesday, October 20th
7:00 pm in the Parish Hall

Presented by Paris Boutique, Unionville, and will be featuring fashions by Joseph Ribkoff, Jones New York, etc. The tickets are \$20 and will be sold following the Masses. Refreshments (wine, sandwiches, coffee, and dessert) will be served. There will be prizes. All the ladies of the parish and friends are cordially invited. For further information please call Shirley BurakRegan at 416-498-5033 or Gisele Hall at 416-223-7826.

Knights of Columbus



Executive Meeting:
Monday, October 5th at 7:30 pm.

Italian Night: Saturday, October 17th – Annual fundraiser in the parish hall – dinner/dance, auction, door prizes, etc. Tickets are \$35 per person – to order please call - Rocco De Miglio 416-225-7673, Ron Forbes 416-441-1406, Paul Bar 905-764-9086, Jan Nowakowski 905-763-7670.



Society of
St. Vincent de Paul

Bundle Up Week-End
October 17-18, 2009

The collection of gently used boots, coats, children's wear, baby clothes, men's and ladies wear, shoes, household goods, drapes, books, toys, accessories for the needy is scheduled for **Saturday, October 17th and Sunday, October 18th**. **Please separate and tag any bags with children's winter coats, boots, hats and gloves** and bring your donations to the truck in the church parking lot before and after the Masses that weekend. The truck will be open on Saturday at 3:30 pm – 6:00 pm and Sunday 8:30 am – 2:00 pm. Please tie all bags – please do not drop off bags in the church in advance of these dates.



Theresians – The next meeting will be held in the parish hall on **Wednesday, October 7th at 11:30 am.**

There will be a day trip to Buffalo, N.Y. on Saturday, October 24th. Please call Lena Cusimano at 905-886-6229 for more information.

YOUNG ADULT CATHOLICS

Sunday, October 18th

The next meeting of the Blessed Trinity Young Adult Catholics will be held on **Sunday, October 18th, 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm in the St. Joseph Room.** All young adults between 18-40 years are invited. Please note that there will be **no regular meeting on October 11th.**

CHOIR NEWS

Blessed Trinity Choir

You are invited to a 'Heavenly Musical Harvest' to meet, mix and join in for some soulful singing **on Sunday, October 18th in Blessed Trinity Church, at 3:00 pm.** An afternoon tea will follow in the parish hall. There is no charge.



THANKSGIVING DAY

Parishioners are invited to bring non-perishable food items for the **Good Shepherd Thanksgiving Food Drive October 10-11 weekend** and leave in the parish hall for the needy. Good Shepherd could not feed the growing number of hungry in Toronto without the support of our community; thank you for your generosity.

Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick Workshop

Blessed Trinity Eucharistic Ministers to the sick are asked to attend a workshop on **Sunday, October 18th at 2:30 pm in the Trinity Room.**

Tai Chi Exercise Class – takes place every Monday from 7:00 – 9:00 pm in the parish hall. A registration fee of \$10 will apply. All parishioners are welcome.

**“Could you not watch one hour with me?”
(Mark 14:37)**

LIFE CHAIN is a powerful and prayerful way to be a witness to the Truth and to Life. Over 30,000 people participated in ‘Life Chain’ across Canada last year holding signs for one hour in peaceful demonstration. The signs say: “Life, the First Human Right”, “Abortion hurts Women”, and “Jesus forgives and heals”. And as you stand, you can pray quietly for our nation.

Sunday, October 4, 2009 – 2:00 to 3:00 pm
(Bayview and Finch)

“The Love of Christ urges us on” to radically respond to His call to follow Him whole-heartily. Jesus is inviting to “Come and See” and spend time with Him so that you may discover His call to the priesthood.

November 6th – 8th, 2009
St. Augustine’s Seminary

There will be an opportunity for young men of 18 years or older to spend a weekend for time of prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming a Christ’s disciple through the Catholic priesthood. During this gracious year for priests consider the call to the priesthood.

If God is calling you, say yes...and Come and See

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Married couples: You deserve a weekend to celebrate being together; to rediscover each other and focus on ways to make your relationship even better. **Upcoming Weekend Date: October 2-4, 2009.** For further information or registration please contact: Cora & Mike Bryce at 905-896-2958 or cora-mikebryce@sympatico.ca

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd – This is a program offered at St. Mary Immaculate Church in Richmond Hill for children ages 3-7 years. If you think your child will benefit from a ‘hands-on’ approach, this program may be of interest to you. It is a Montessori approach to learning and experiencing our faith. **Sessions begin in late October - Wednesday or alternate Saturday mornings.** For information and to register please call Anita at 905-508-9275.

CWL Members - Women’s Weekend Retreat

October 30 - November 1, 2009 at Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre, Mississauga – “*Women of Peace and Hope*”. For further information or to register, please call Anne at 905-278-5229

Banns for Diaconate - **Jeremy Kelvin Tyrell** has petitioned to be ordained as a deacon. Bishop Ronald P. Fabbro, C.S.B. has accepted his petition and intends to ordain Jeremy Tyrell to the diaconate on November 7, 2009 at St. Peter’s Cathedral Basilica. If you are aware of anything which would prevent this Candidate from proceeding toward ordination on November 7, 2009, you are obligated to make this know to the appropriate authorities. Please continue to pray for Jeremy Tyrell as he prepares for ordination.



Our Lady of the Rosary

Wednesday, October 7, 2009

“...To be apostles of the Rosary, however, it is necessary to experience personally the beauty and depth of this prayer which is simple and accessible to

everyone. It is first of all necessary to let the Blessed Virgin take one by the hand to contemplate the Face of Christ: a joyful, luminous, sorrowful and glorious Face. Those who, like Mary and with her, cherish and ponder the mysteries of Jesus assiduously, increasingly assimilate his sentiments and are conformed to him. In this regard, I would like to quote a beautiful thought of Bl. Bartolo Longo: “Just as two friends, frequently in each other’s company, tend to develop similar habits”, he wrote, “so too, by holding familiar converse with Jesus and the Blessed Virgin, by meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary and by living the same life in Holy Communion, we can become, to the extent of our lowliness, similar to them and can learn from these supreme models a life of humility, poverty, hiddenness, patience and perfection”

....”The Rosary is a school of contemplation and silence. At first glance, it could seem a prayer that accumulates words, therefore difficult to reconcile with the silence that is rightly recommended for meditation and contemplation. In fact, this cadent repetition of the *Hail Mary* does not disturb inner silence but indeed both demands and nourishes it. Similarly to what happens for the Psalms when one prays the Liturgy of the Hours, the silence surfaces through the words and sentences, not as emptiness, but rather as the presence of an ultimate meaning that transcends the words themselves and through them speaks to the heart. Thus, in reciting the *Hail Mary*, we must be careful that our voices do not “cover” the voice of God who always speaks through the silence like the “still small voice” of a gentle breeze (1 Kgs 19: 12).”

“Recitation of the Holy Rosary”

Meditation of His Holiness Benedict XVI

Sunday, October 19, 2008

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