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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.

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MASSES OF THE WEEK

- Monday, September 24** 8:00 am
Special Intention
- Tuesday, September 25** 8:00 am
Robert Scull (Deceased)
Requested by his wife Pamela
- Wednesday, September 26** 8:00 am
ST. JOHN DE BRÉBEUF and ST. ISAAC JOGUES, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs
John O (Deceased)
Requested by the family
- Thursday, September 27** 8:00 am
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, Priest
Clara Calabrese (Deceased)
Requested by the Whitfield family
- Friday, September 28** 8:00 am
Deceased members of the Hayden family
Requested by the family
- Saturday, September 29** 9:00 am
ST. MICHAEL, ST. GABRIEL, ST. RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS
Raymond Y.C. Wong (Deceased)
Requested by Teresa Lam



Knights of Columbus

Italian Night – Dinner/Dance (parish hall)
Saturday, September 29, 2012 at 6:30 pm

There will be fine Italian cuisine and a DJ to provide excellent dance music for all ages. **Tickets (\$35 per person) will be available in the church foyer this weekend after all the Masses.** This has proven to be a very popular annual event and tickets sell out quickly; you are encouraged to purchase your tickets early. Proceeds will be given to charities supported by the Knights of Columbus.



LIFE CHAIN
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2012

Life Chain is usually held the first Sunday in October; however, as October 7th is Thanksgiving weekend, the date for Life Chain 2012 has been moved to **Sunday, September 30 from 2:30 – 3:30 pm.** Life Chain is a prayerful, peaceful witness to the evil of abortion and to the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception, and is held for **one hour on one day of the year.** Please come and join in on witnessing to the sanctity of life at the intersection of **Bayview and Finch.**



Fellowship of St. Joseph - The Association of Hebrew Catholics Toronto meetings will once again resume with the next presentation on **Tuesday, September 25, 2012, 7:00-9:00 pm** in the parish hall – Yom Kippur – the day of atonement of Israel, fulfilled in the re-presentation of the Crucifixion of the Messiah Yeshua. Everyone is welcome.



40 DAYS FOR LIFE

On **Tuesday, September 25th at 7:00 pm, the Kick-Off Rally takes place at St. Charles Borromeo Church Hall** (811 Lawrence Ave. W., Toronto). The **40 Days for life Campaign** is a peaceful vigil to end abortion in North America and around the world. In Toronto the silent vigil takes place across from the abortion mill at 960 Lawrence Ave. W. (near Lawrence & Dufferin) **September 26 – November 4, 2012.**

Sunday, October 14, 2012, 10:00 am – 6:00 pm is the designated Sunday for Blessed Trinity organizations to be responsible for one hour. All parishioners are encouraged to come out and pray for a transformation in our city.

Visit www.40daysforlife.com/toronto or call 647-638-5433.



POPE BENEDICT'S
'YEAR OF FAITH'

Saturday, October 13, 2012
Parish Hall 9:45 am – Noon

"renewed conversion and rediscovery of faith" Deepen your personal relationship with Christ on:

Saturday mornings during the 8 week course
OUR WALK WITH CHRIST: "HEART TO HEART".

Rediscover the treasures of our Catholic Faith; learn about Pope Benedict's Apostolic Letter for the Year of Faith; deepen your prayer life by reflecting on Christian prayer; examine various means of strengthening your faith and responding to the 'call to holiness'; explore the importance of, and ways to undergo, a renewed conversion and faith experience. Challenge your present lifestyle for a renewed conversion and personal encounter with the Lord.

North York Retirees Club - The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, September 25th 2:00 – 3:00 pm** in the Blessed Trinity parish hall. The guest speaker will be **Elizabeth Shamehorn** on the topic of **"Orillia, a Historical Perspective."** All retirees are cordially invited to attend.

3rd Annual Mass to End Woman Abuse

Catholic Family Services of Toronto invites you to attend the Annual Mass to End Woman Abuse - **Tuesday, October 16, 2012 at 6:00 pm** at Blessed Trinity Church. A reception will follow in the parish hall.



CABARET
'Some Enchanted Evening'
Saturday, October 20, 6:30 pm

Blessed Trinity Parish Hall Tickets: \$25.00

This exclusive fundraising event supports the Blessed Trinity Choir. Guests will be transported to a jazz nightclub savouring exquisite tastes, music and ambiance. As you dine, you will be treated to the sounds of jazz and swing standards, skillfully performed by members of our multi-talented Music Ministry. Truly an enchanting evening!

Tickets are available after all weekend liturgies. For more information: (416) 733-0210 or BTconcerts@gmail.com



Needs of the Church of Canada

Since its foundation in 1943, the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) has played an important role in helping the Church be present and involved, nationally and internationally. The CCCB is the

country's national assembly of Catholic Bishops, including the Bishops of the Eastern Catholic Churches. It supports the Bishops in their pastoral ministry in the fields of catechesis, ecumenism, interfaith relations, social justice, liturgy, doctrine, relations with Indigenous peoples, international aid and family life. ***There will be a collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada on September 29 and 30, 2012.*** Through your contribution to the Collection, you too can collaborate with the Bishops in their ministry to teach, sanctify and govern.



Our frozen 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.

Dr. Scott Hahn in Toronto – Saturday, Oct 20, 2012 at 50 Gervais Drive, Toronto (Don Mills & Eglinton). Catholic Chapter House is hosting an all day event with three talks by renowned apologist and theologian Dr. Scott Hahn. The theme of the event is ***"The New Evangelization"***. For more information and to order tickets, visit www.CatholicChapterHouse.com/events or info@catholicchapterhouse.com or 1-888-522-2070.

St. Augustine's Seminary – November 2 – 4

"The Love of Christ urges us on" to radically respond to His call to follow Him whole-heartily. Jesus is inviting you to spend time with Him so that you may discover His call. This is an opportunity for young men of 18 years or older to spend a weekend of prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples through the Catholic Priesthood.

Wednesday, September 26, 2012
FEAST OF ST. CHARLES GARNIER

The Hurons nicknamed Fr. Garnier *Ouracha* (Or *rain-giver*), because a drought-ending rainfall followed his arrival. Thus he was almost always welcomed in a Huron village. He was greatly influenced by Fr. Jean de Brébeuf, and was known as the "lamb" to Brébeuf's "lion". Garnier was a person of gentleness, innocence and purity with a strong devotion to Our Lady. At the same time he was fearless refusing to escape from an Iroquois attack on Etharita, his village, on December 7, 1649. Along with many of the Huron families, he was killed by musket fire in the attack. He had often thought of his brother Jesuits who were martyred in the previous year and he knew that he could be next. Yet, he did not look for a place to hide or flee. He had continued his missionary work among the defenceless people and calmly awaited his turn, no doubt at peace over all that was to happen as he prepared to give his life for the people he loved and served. Just a few months before his martyrdom, he wrote, "How happy I should be to die with this little flock of the Master. Just as three of our fathers died for Him in the past year."

Fr. Charles Garnier was canonized on June 29, 1930 and is celebrated by the Church with the other Jesuit Martyrs of North America in Canada on September 26. St. Charles Garnier, pray for us, that we may share in your faith and strength!

"Everything is a direct effect of our Father's love.....difficulties, contradictions, humiliations, all the soul's miseries, her burdens.....her needs.....everything because through them, she learns humility and realizes her weakness. Everything is grace because everything is God's gift. Whatever be the character of life or its unexpected events, to the heart that loves, all is well."

St. Therese of Lisieux

St. Padre Pio's Prayer after Holy Communion

Stay with me, Lord, for it is necessary to have You present so that I do not forget You. You know how easily I abandon You.

Stay with me, Lord, because I am weak and I need Your strength, that I may not fall so often.

Stay with me, Lord, for You are my life and without You I am without fervour.

Stay with me, Lord, for You are my light and without You I am in darkness.

Stay with me, Lord, to show me Your will.

Stay with me, Lord, so that I hear Your voice and follow You.

Stay with me, Lord, for I desire to love You very much and always be in Your company.

Stay with me, Lord, if You wish me to be faithful to You.

Stay with me, Lord, for as poor as my soul is I want it to be a place of consolation for You, a nest of Love.

Amen

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