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Monday, April 7 Special Intention	8:00 am
Tuesday, April 8 Wenceslau Garcia (Deceased) Requested by the family	8:00 am
Wednesday, April 9 Michael Antao (Deceased) Requested by the family	8:00 am
Thursday, April 10 Margaret Kennedy (Deceased) Requested by Karen Maki & Trish Mann	8:00 am
Friday, April 11 Yvonne Houston (Deceased) Requested by Marguerite Passafiume	8:00 am
Alfredo & Dorina Riggio (Deceased) Requested by the family	7:30 pm



Saturday, April 12

Requested by Wan family

In Thanksgiving

#### **SEASON OF LENT**

9:00 am

#### **Daily Mass**:

8:00 a.m. (Saturday 9:00 a.m.)

#### Friday Evenings March 7 – April 11

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross 7:30 p.m. Mass

#### **Lenten Reconciliation**

Wednesday, April 9	10:00 a.m 11:30 a.m.
	7:00 p.m 8:30 p.m.
Thursday, April 10	7:00 p.m 8:30 p.m.
Saturday, April 12	9:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.



We welcome to our Parish through the Sacrament of Baptism

#### Ellianna and Madison Spencer McGregor



#### Catholic Women's League

The March 18<sup>th</sup> Day of Recollection, an eventful "Walking with Christ" day with our dynamic speaker, Fr. Fred Mazzarella, was

well-attended by parishioners, their friends and women from a number of other parishes. CWL wish to thank the Holy Spirit and everyone who co-operated in making this happen ... one more step in our Lenten journey.



## **Knights of Columbus Blessed Trinity Council**

Follow them on twitter @kofc11681

Breakfast at Pickle Barrel: Saturday,

April 12, following 9 a.m. Mass. All Knights are invited.

#### **Note Meeting Changes for April**

**Executive Meeting**: Monday, April 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the Knights Room.

**General Meeting**: Tuesday, April 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the St. Joseph Room

#### **EASTER TRIDUUM**

#### Thursday, April 17

#### Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper

Mass (only one Mass today)

Celebration of the Eucharist, washing of feet

Reposition of Blessed Sacrament in the Church

Adoration until 12 midnight

#### Friday, April 18

#### **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, April 19

#### Holy Saturday Easter Vigil

8:00 pm

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

#### **EASTER SUNDAY**

Sunday, April 20

#### **Resurrection of the Lord**

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

#### **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

#### Sunday, April 27

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.

North York Retirees Club - The next meeting will be held on *Tuesday, April 8, 2 p.m.* - 3 *p.m.* in the Blessed Trinity parish hall. The guest speaker will be Cathy McWatters, "North York Astronomical Association" (NYAA). All retirees are cordially invited to attend.

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR OUR YOUTH: THE CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD OPENING THIS FALL AT BLESSED TRINITY

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) is an approach to the religious formation and development of children from birth through adolescence that originated in Rome in 1954. Integral to the CGS is the Atrium, a prepared environment where the children have access to catechetical materials specially designed to foster a contemplative response to God's Word. It is rooted in the Bible, in the liturgy of the Church, and in the educational principles of Maria Montessori.

Blessed Trinity will be opening an atrium for the level 1 program of the CGS, serving children ages 3-6, in October 2014. The sessions will run weekly from October to May. We ask those interested in registering their children to pick up a *registration form from the church office, and submit before May 1, 2014.* Spaces are limited. If you are looking for more information on the CGS, please visit blog <a href="http://catechesisofthegoodshepherd.wordpress.com">http://catechesisofthegoodshepherd.wordpress.com</a> where you will find answers to FAQ, and an electronic copy of the registration form.

#### 29<sup>th</sup> Pilgrimage to Canadian Shrines June 21 – June 24, 2014

Shrine of St. Kateri Tekakwitha in Montreal (new for 2014) St. Joseph's Oratory in Montreal

Shrine of Our Blessed Mother at Cap-de-La Madeleine Chapel of Blessed Fr Frederic & Museum in Trois-Rivieres Basilica of St. Anne de Beaupre & old Quebec City Round trip coach fare, 3 night's accommodation,

- 1 breakfast and 1 dinner, entrance fees, some tours
- 3 persons in room \$330 per person
- 2 persons in room \$355 per person

Register and pay in full before April 30, 2014 and save \$20 per person; non refundable deposit of \$50 per person; limited space; register early.

For further information, please contact Mary at 416-497-7059 or visit website www.blessedtrinity.ca.

Regis College Book Sale — You are invited to be part of Regis College Book Sale by donating gently used or new books of all categories: spiritual, fiction, non-fiction, history, biography, etc. no text books, magazines, encyclopedias. These books may be dropped off at Good Shepherd Church hall, 21 Simonston Blvd., beginning the week of April 5 — 11, during the hours of Mass or 9 a.m. — 4:30 p.m. Proceeds will be directed to education of young Jesuits studying for the priesthood. For more information, please call 905-889-3786.

JOHN PAUL II – On April 27, EWTN will feature LIVE coverage from the Vatican of the canonization of two beloved leaders of the modern-day Church: Popes John XXIII and John Paul II. Visit <a href="www.ewtn.com">www.ewtn.com</a> to watch online and for specials and series on their lives.

"Growing Together"
Spring Dinner Dance
Presented by the Blessed Trinity Parish
Catholic Women's League and
Knights of Columbus

Saturday, April 26, 2014 6:30 p.m. – 12:00 a.m. in the parish hall Tickets \$25.00 (will be available following Masses week-ends of April 5/6, April 12/13)

Contact: Paul Bar 905-764-9086 or Helen Truman 416-250-8742

Association of Christian Therapists – 30<sup>th</sup>
Annual Canadian Conference "Pathways Towards
Spiritual and Clinical Health and Wellness" –
Thursday, April 24 – Sunday, April 27, 2014. St. Francis
Centre, 208501 Highway #9, Caledon, Ontario. For more information, visit website <a href="https://www.stfranciscentre.org">www.actrheals.org</a> or call Vince Kirton at 416-492-9593.

#### "Open Doors" Event - Friday, April 25, 2014

This is a wonderful opportunity to tour Loretto Abbey School (101 Mason Blvd, Toronto) Friday, April 25, at 7 p.m. The evening will conclude with wine and cheese and raffle. Tickets (\$40 p/p) are limited and may be purchased at school office during school hours. For more information, visit website <a href="www.tcdsb.org/Lorettoabbey">www.tcdsb.org/Lorettoabbey</a>, scroll to "Our Parents", click on "Friends of Loretto".

#### **COMPUNCTION**

#### (My Daily Bread - Confraternity of the Precious Blood)

Compunction is a deep lasting sorrow for your sins. It is not a gloomy nor depressing sorrow, but an intelligent admission of your sins and a sincere determination to do something about them. Since compunction comes from a realization of how you have failed so good a God, it brings with it a readiness to accept anything from [God's] Hand.

Compunction opens the way to many blessings and precious graces. When compunction fills your soul, the world will lose its magic attraction and will become more distasteful to you. Compunction will help you realize how quickly earthly joys pass away, while eternity goes on forever. You will see clearly that your sins have offended [God]. One who has genuine compunction is honest enough to admit his sins, and is truly sorry for them. His sorrow is proved by his sincere efforts to be rid of his faults...

By compunction a man begins to attack his faults and to practice the opposite virtues. I can be sure of my sincere sorrow only when I have begun to do something about my faults. Compunction is a lasting sorrow because it is not an emotion, but rather an intelligent admission of facts. It shows me my faults, God's goodness, and my own need to change for the better. Then it helps me undertake the daily task of abandoning my faults and acquiring the opposite virtues.

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