

BLESSED TRINITY PARISH

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WEEKEND SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:30 p.m.

Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m.,

11:15 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday 8:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

By appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Last Sunday of the month at the 11:15 a.m. Mass by appointment.

Baptism class for parents is required.
Class is held on the first Tuesday evening of each month.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please contact the Parish Office one year in advance of desired date.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Tuesday 9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Friday 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Saturday CLOSED

Sunday 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Closed for lunch Daily 12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.

SCHOOLS

 Blessed Trinity School
 416-393-5289

 St. Agnes School
 416-393-5345

 Brebeuf College School
 416-393-5508

 St. Joseph Morrow Park
 416-393 5516

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Every Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

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A Project of the Catholic Charities / Archdiocese of Toronto Palliative Care Project Operated by the Saint Elizabeth Foundation. Journey Home Hospice Direct Number: 416-619-5700.



This week at Blessed Trinity

Mon, Dec. 12 - 8:00 am: † Renato de Souza

8:30am: Craft Group - Trinity

7:00 pm: B.T. Advent Day of Confession - Church

Tues, Dec. 13 – 8:00 am: † Tracy Batol

9:00 am: Theresians – Hall 9:45 am: Prayer Group – Trinity 1:30 pm: Exercise Class - Hall 6:00 pm: Children's Choir - Church

Weds, Dec. 14 - 8:00 am: † Zdene Vizintin

10:00 am: Theresians - Hall

Thurs, Dec. 15 – 8:00 am: Thanksgiving of Sutaram Family

10:00 am: Bible Study - Trinity 7:00 pm: BT Choir - Church

Fri, Dec. 16 – 8:00 am: † Rocco & Cesaria Gargano

Sat, Dec. 17 - 8:00 am: † Stanley Namo, † Giuseppa

Donato, † Sheila McGivney,

† Daad Zakher

4:30 pm: † Eleanor Roberts

Sun, Dec. 18 – 8:00 am: † Severino Tedesco

9:30 am: † Victor D' Souza

11:15 am: † Graciano & Felicidad Manalo

7:00 pm: † Lydia West

8:30 am: B.T. Christmas Party - Hall

(After all morning masses)

9:30 am: Liturgy of the Word for Children - Trinity

9:30 am: CGS Level 1 – St. Joseph's 10:30 am: CGS Level 2&3 - Trinity



For the spirit of reverence, wonder and awe at God's love for us, for the spiritual and physical well-being of David Lam, Adora Uniforme and all those who are sick.



Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

James Mahoney Fr. Wilhelm Jan Rozmyslowski



Important Reminder

2023 Offertory Envelopes are ready for pick-up in the parish hall – they are arranged numerically.

Donations for 2022 must be received by <u>December 31st at 5:00 p.m.</u> Donations received in the 2022 envelopes by the weekend of <u>January 7/8</u> will be credited to that year.

There will be no Parish Bulletin on the weekends of Dec. 24/25 and Dec. 31/Jan. 01.





Be sure to come to the Parish Hall for our Christmas Party after all morning masses on December 18th and get a picture taken with Santa, decorate a gingerbread cookie, paint an ornament, and eat some treats! We encourage everyone, young and older to come and join the fun!



Our Children's Christmas Eve Mass December 24, 4:30 pm

Christmas Eve is a special time for children; it holds the promise of expectation and anticipation of hope for the future. Our preparations during Advent reach a

culmination on this most Holy Night. Help your children understand the true meaning of Christmas by joining us at **4:30pm** for an extraordinary **Children's Christmas Eve Mass**, as we invite the youngest members of our parish family to welcome the baby Jesus into our midst. They will have a special role to play in many aspects of this liturgy. Come celebrate with your family and share in the joy of a truly blessed Christmas!

We're asking each child to bring a non-perishable food item for the offertory procession.



Christmas Eve - The Nativity of the Lord

December 24th - 4:30 pm, 7:00 pm, 10:00 pm

Christmas Day - The Nativity of the Lord

December 25th - 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:15 am 9:30 am will be livestreamed

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

December 31st - 4:30 pm

January 1st – 8 am, 9:30 am, 11:15 am, 7 pm 9:30 am will be livestreamed





Chili for the Good Shepherd is due next December 17/18. Chili pans are available for pick-up from the foyer this weekend. Thank you for your support.



Pick-up of Poinsettia orders will be on Saturday, Dec. 10th from 3:00 to 5:30 pm in the parish hall.

<u>Carpet update</u> - Due to supply chain issues, we are looking at the carpet being installed sometime in the New Year. Updates will follow.



Blessed Trinity Catholic School is looking for a Nutrition Program Coordinator. Hours are Monday to Friday from 8:30 am to 10:30 am. If you would like more information, or are interested in the

position, please contact the school office at 416-393-5289 or email <u>Tania.Strazzella@tcdsb.org</u>.



Blessed Trinity Craft Group would like to thank everyone who so generously contributed again this year to the success of our bake sale and bazaar. The

proceeds of the sale will go to local charities.

The winners of the raffle were:

- 1 prize Swarovski ornaments Henry Tang
- 2 prize Christmas Hamper Carol G Archer
- 3 prize Swarovski 8bgb & pen Hillary Chang
- 4 prize The Bay \$50-dollar gift voucher Desiree
- 5 Prize Nativity set Fernando Sancke
- 6 Prize Chinese tea set Mary Grenier



This Christmas, Mustard Seed, a downtown drop in, run by the Sisters of St. Joseph is expecting a large number of patrons. If you would like

to help with the increase in volume of meals required during the Christmas season, would you consider making a batch or two of healthy muffins and place them in the Parish Kitchen Freezer, individually wrapped, by December 18th? We thank you, in advance for your generosity. If you have any questions or would like a sample recipe, send an email to btcatechesis@gmail.com



Sunday, February 12, 2023 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica 65 Bond Street, Toronto

As part of Marriage Sunday 2023 celebrations, Bishop Vincent Nguyen will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, especially those celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2023. The Mass is open to all, but due to space restrictions those wishing to attend are asked to register online. Milestone anniversary celebrants will be assured of reserved seating. All other seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Livestream Mass here:

https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/

The broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m.

Registration opens on December 9, 2022. Please visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage to register and to access resources for parishes and couples.

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