# **BLESSED TRINITY PARISH**

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# PARISH STAFF

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Rev. Eric Gregory Mah	Associate Pastor
Mrs. Maria Agovino-Chaves	Catechist
Mrs. Gail Bailey	Secretary
Mr. John Arruda	Custodian
Mr. Dan Christante	Property Manager

# **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.
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# SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

# BAPTISM

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 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:	8:30 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 29	8:00 am
Special Intention	
<u>Tuesday, October 30</u> Alice Michael (Deceased) <i>Requested by Charmaine Michae</i>	8:00 am I
<u>Wednesday, October 31</u> Christopher Superville (Deceased Requested by his mother & father	
Thursday, November 1 SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS Special Intention	8:00 am
Friday, November 2 COMMEMORATION OF ALL TH FAITHFUL DEPARTED (ALL SO Deceased Members of F.O.S.S. A Requested by Teresa Lam	ULS' DAY)
Evening Mass	7:00 pm
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT	8:00 AM – NOON

Saturday, November 3 9:00 am Michelina & Francesco Carino (Deceased) Requested by the family



# Knights of Columbus

Executive Meeting: Monday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 pm, Trinity Room

<u>General Meeting</u>: Monday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 pm in the Trinity Room.

<u>Jesus Birthday Party:</u> There will be a children's party to celebrate the birth of Jesus on Sunday, November 25<sup>th</sup> from 1:30 – 4:30 pm in the parish hall.



# Catholic Women's League

#### <u>Membership Drive</u>

The Membership Drive for 2013 has now begun. To facilitate payment, a blue envelope (Catholic Women's League Membership Renewal) has been included in your parish donation box. Please place your membership dues in the envelope and put in the collection basket at Mass, or leave at the parish office. When the dues are paid, you may receive your membership card at the CWL meeting.



The Fellowship of St Joseph of the Association of Hebrew Catholics invites everyone to monthly Tuesday night meetings. <u>Tuesday</u> <u>October 30</u> we will view a PowerPoint on "The Mass of the Early Believers" using documents from the early Church

Fathers and other *early* Catholic literature regarding the Sacrifice of the Mass. Come and learn what the early Church believed and practised in their worship and how it is so similar to what we believe and practise today. The continuity over two thousand years is testimony that the Holy Spirit is "alive and well" in the Roman Catholic Church.

<u>**Tuesday November 20**</u>: Messianic Prophesy part I. Advent will be upon us and we will examine Old Testament prophesies concerning the coming of the Messiah. This will be continued on <u>Tuesday December 11</u> with part 2.

All meetings begin at 7:00 pm in the parish hall and end at approximately 9:00 pm. Refreshments will be served.



**The Theresians** – A trip is planned for **Saturday, November 24**<sup>th</sup>, leaving Blessed Trinity at 8:00 am. All parishioners are welcome. They will start with Mass at Our

Lady of Fatima Church in Buffalo, followed by shopping at the fashion outlets. This will be followed by dinner at the famous Salvatore's Italian Gardens Restaurant (choice of prime rib, salmon or chicken). The trip will end with the Festival of Lights in Niagara Falls. For more information, call Claudette 416-223-4684 or Camila 905-763-7670.



# 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 *Tuesday, November* 6<sup>th</sup> 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.

#### Jr. Legion of Mary - Lending Library Opening

Beginning the *first Sunday in Advent*, the Junior Legion of Mary will display new and used Catholic books in the church foyer. Books will be displayed every first Sunday of the month, following the 10:30 am Mass. All are invited to borrow, without charge, and without borrower's card.

come and see - browse and borrow read and learn about our glorious faith

**Kolbe Eucharistic Mini-Retreat** – Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2 – 4:30 pm at St. Brigid's Church, 300 Wolverleigh Blvd, Toronto; speaker Fr. Charles Anang. For more information - www.kolbeapostolate.com.

God is Pro-Life

**Defund Abortion Campaign 2012** - In Ontario, all abortion services are paid for using taxpayer dollars. About 30 million dollars of taxpayer money funds elective abortion surgery in Ontario.

Come to Queen's Park on *Tuesday, October 30, 2012, 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm* and tell Ontario legislator to <u>Defund</u> <u>Abortion.</u>

For more information visit website: CAMPAIGNLIFECOALITION.COM/DEFUND

**New Beginnings** – (for those who have lost a loved one through death, separation or divorce) – Come and join an informative evening with Dr. Ken Fung M.D. His topic is **"Spiritual Stress and Clinical Depression"**. The presentation will take place on **Tuesday, November 6, 2012, 7:30 – 9:00 pm at the Catholic Pastoral Centre,** 1155 Yonge St., 4<sup>th</sup> floor (north east corner of Yonge and Shaftesbury Ave.). Free underground parking off Shaftesbury and beside the Summerhill Subway Station. No registration required.

Please call Deacon James at 416-921-1163, ext. 2227 or Email: jshaughn@cfstoronto.com.



**Blessed Trinity Craft Group** – The Craft Group will hold their Annual Craft and Bake Sale on **Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am & Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup>**, after all Masses in the parish hall. All proceeds from this sale are donated to local charities. Your generous donation of baked goods and preserves would be greatly

appreciated. Please call Margaret at 416-512-2735 for further information.

# Brebeuf College School – Open House

Brebeuf College is holding an Open House for students who are entering high school. It will be held on -

#### Thursday, November 8, 2012 at 7:00 pm

Parents/Guardians and students are cordially invited to attend. Join them at 211 Steeles Avenue East, just west of Bayview on the south side of Steeles. For more information, please call 416-393-5508.

<u>Second Chance Ministry</u> – If you helped someone to have an abortion or have had one yourself, and feel depressed and guilty, help is available. Please contact Rev. Vince Heffernan at Second Chance Ministry at -416-261-7135, ext. 279 or email <u>info@secondchanceministry.ca</u>.

**Vocations** - If you feel God is offering you the grace of a Church vocation; call Fr. Hansoo at 416-968-0997 Email <u>vocations@vocations.ca</u> <u>www.vocationstoronto.ca</u>

# CHEERFULNESS AS A SIGN OF GENEROSITY AND MORIFICATION

Cheerfulness is a sign of a generous and mortified person who forgetting all things, even herself, tries to please her God in all she does for souls. Cheerfulness is often a cloak which hides a life of sacrifice, continual union of God, fervor and generosity. A person who has this gift of cheerfulness very often reaches a great height of perfection. For God loves a cheerful giver...

#### - Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta



#### SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS IN HEAVEN THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>

Holy Mother Church, always solicitous and anxious for our salvation, exults today with

exceeding joy as she contemplates the glory of her children who, having reached their heavenly fatherland, are safe for all eternity, forever delivered from the snares of the evil one, and now numbered everlastingly among the elect, the people of God. Like mother, proud of the triumph of her children, she presents them to the whole Christian world, inviting all the faithful to share her maternal joy: "Let us all rejoice in the Lord celebrating a feast in honour of all the saints, at whose solemnity of the angels rejoice and give praise to the Son of God"

# ALL SOULS DAY FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup>

"Oh, my Lord and Saviour, support me in that hour in the strong arms of the sacraments, and by the fresh fragrance of thy consolations. Let the absolving words be said over me, and the holy oil sign and seal me, and thy own Body by my food, and thy Blood my sprinkling; and let my sweet Mother, Mary, breathe on me, and my angel whisper peace to me, and my glorious saints ... smile upon me; that in them all, and through them all, I may receive the gift of perseverance, and die, as I desire to live, in thy faith, in thy church, in thy service, and in thy love." Amen.

Blessed John Cardinal Newman

On Friday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> - All Souls Day Mass at 8:00 am and 7:00 pm

