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WEEKEND SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:30 p.m.

8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. Sunday Masses

12:15 p.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 12:15 pm 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

By appointment

SCHOOLS

Blessed Trinity School	416-393-5289
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Every Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

245 Fairview Mall Drive 416-222-0048

Mass Intentions

Monday, Jan 11

8:00 am Mass – † Anne Lizola Rocha

Tuesday, Jan 12

8:00 am Mass - † Kay Marks

Wednesday, Jan 13

8:00 am Mass - † Tracy Batol

Thursday, Jan 14

8:00 am Mass - S.I. Norma Rozal

Friday, Jan 15

8:00 am Mass – † Giuseppe D'Alesio & Ermanno Ciera

Saturday, Jan 16

8:00 am Mass – Special Intention, for the repose of the souls of: Celina Soares, Salvatore Scala, Helen Stynes, Lydia West, and Mary Wong 4:30 pm Mass – † Sarah Condie

Sunday, 17

7:00 am Mass – Special Intention

8:30 am Mass – † Antonio Sperduti

10:30 am Mass – † Sarah Condie

12:15 pm Mass – † Lydia West

7:00 pm Mass – S.I. Blessed Trinity Parishioners



For the spirit of reverence, wonder and awe at God's love for us; for the spiritual and physical well-being of all parishioners especially: Jonathan Chin, Maria Cristina De Muzio, Jonathon Da Silva



ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM O LORD...

Lydia West Taking Wong Mary Wong

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- We live stream our Weekday Masses (Mon to Sat at 8am) and Sunday Mass (at 10:30am). Please go to our website at: https://blessedtrinityto.archtoronto.org/ Click on the silver button that says "Live Streaming". Video starts approximately 20 minutes before each mass. Click on the speaker icon on the bottom left corner of the video to enable the sound to play. Adjust the volume using your device.
- Beginning this weekend Saturday January 9th from 3:00 pm to 5:45 p.m. and Sunday January 10th from 7:00 am to 11:45 a.m. we will be celebrating Communion Services every fifteen minutes please visit the website to register. For those who do not have internet access please register by calling the Parish office Monday mornings by 11a.m. and leave a message. Please note there will be no Communion Services on Sundays between 10a.m. and 11:15a.m. in order for our livestream mass to continue.
- Due to lockdown, the Parish Office is closed at this time. For any requests, please <u>email</u> us at: <u>blessed_trinity@rogers.com</u>

Gospel Reflection: The Baptism of Jesus

Living out our Baptismal Mission

On this feast day we are invited to reflect on the meaning and importance of our own baptism as well. St. Gregory of Nazianzus beautifully expresses that "Baptism is God's most beautiful and magnificent gift." But why is baptism so important?

The Catechism states that "Holy Baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life, the gateway to life in the Spirit and the door which gives access to the other sacraments. Through Baptism we are freed from sin and reborn as sons of God; we become members of Christ, are incorporated into the Church and made sharers in her mission" (CCC 1213). Baptism gives us our identity as beloved children of God as well as anoints us for mission.

As stewards, we are called to gratefully recognize that our time and talents are gifts from God and then strive to generously offer them back to Christ within our parish community. Let us recommit to our baptismal call of stewardship and joyfully serve Christ and His Church. The attached is The Visiting Ministry Annual Newsletter that is shared with our CWL sisters and parishioners:

In our ministry every member contributes in their own special way, there is an ease of caring, thoughtfulness, generosity, kindness and humility; that excels and exudes from each member.

I would be remiss if I did not mention a special person who is instrumental and responsible for the beautiful layout of this newsletter. Sueli, is a true disciple and steward of the Visiting Ministry; who shares her talent, time and treasure, and does not hesitate to do so. This year we are grateful for Margarette's editorial skills ''Thank you very much''.

Everyone helps in our ministry, this year because of Covid we will not be distributing gifts instead we will be giving everyone at Carefree Lodge and Extendicare a greeting card with a friendly message.

Wishing everyone a Blessed and Holy Christmas and a Healthy and Prosperous 2021.

Love and Blessings, Kay Booker Coordinator of the Visiting Ministry Communion to the Sick and Homebound Blessed Trinity Parish

St. Augustine's Seminary Lay Formation Program: The Songs of the Angels in the Book of Revelation

January 23, 2021 9:30 am to 1:00 pm A VIRTUAL EVENT OFFERED BY ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY

After a brief introduction to the Book of Revelation, this talk will explore the hymns of the Apocalypse, their role and function, and St. John's message of hope in a time of crisis. Presented by: Monsignor A. Robert Nusca.

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REGISTER: https://bit.ly/HymnsoftheAngels CONTACT: St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto

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Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (January 18-25, 2021)

The Annual Week of Prayer Service for the Greater Toronto Area will be held virtually on **Sunday January 24, 2021 at 4.00 p.m.** The link on Facebook is:

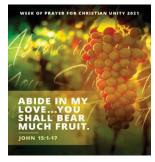
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Join His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins, the Sisters of Life and wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus for the Church. Our host this year is the Salvation Army. The homilist is David Wells (General Superintendent of The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada).

This event is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Toronto's Office for Promoting Christian Unity and Religious Relations with Judaism and the Greater Toronto Area of Council of Christian Churches.

Friars' Student Writing Contest 2021

In Celebration of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity



Contest Rules: All submissions will be read by a panel including professional journalists and the Director of the Office for Promoting Christian Unity, Archdiocese of Toronto, and judged on overall merit. Contestants must be 14-18 years of age, and currently enrolled in an

Ontario secondary school or equivalent program. Essay must be between 450 to 500 words in length and submitted on or before the contest closing date of Feb. 15, 2021. Entries must include contestant's full name, email address, phone number and name of your school on the front page of your essay. Submission Deadline: Monday, February 15, 2021 Submit essays by E-mail: Re: "Friars' Contest" to editor@catholicregister.org

For information:

416-934-3400 (x 527) or 1-855-441-4077 (x 401)

For contest details & resources please visit - www.catholicregister.org/writingaward

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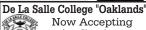
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