



BLESSED TRINITY PARISH

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WEEKEND SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:30 p.m.
Sunday Masses 8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.
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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Open to the public at two locations:

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

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Mass Intentions

Monday, Jan 18

8:00 am Mass – S.I. Clare Dashney

Tuesday, Jan 19

8:00 am Mass – S.I. Connie & John Orr

Wednesday, Jan 20

8:00 am Mass – † Robert Shortt

Thursday, Jan 21

8:00 am Mass – S.I. Tricia & Jeff Kavanagh & family

Friday, Jan 22

8:00 am Mass – † Ryan Chang

Saturday, Jan 23

8:00 am Mass – Special Intention,

Thanksgiving of: Marie Louise Chang, Au Family

For the repose of the souls of: Winston Haley, Felice Capozzi, Therese Fournier

4:30 pm Mass – † Sarah Condie

Sunday, 24

7:00 am Mass – Special Intention

8:30 am Mass – † Sonia Lara

10:30 am Mass – † Mary Margaret Shuck

12:15 pm Mass – Thanksgiving to St. Anthony

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

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.
- **Communion services** are celebrated on Saturdays from 3:00 pm to 5:45 p.m. and Sundays from 7:00 am to 11:45 a.m. We will be celebrating communion 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. Online registration opens at 1:00 pm on Mondays. 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. Please register for only ONE SERVICE so that others may have the opportunity to receive the Holy Eucharist.
- Due to lockdown, the **Parish Office is closed** at this time. For any requests, please **email** us at: blessed.trinity@rogers.com. Email messages will be returned daily and **phone messages** will be returned on Tuesdays and Fridays only.

SCAM ALERT!

Attention Parishioners, please be advised that scammers have created email accounts in various pastors' names and are continuing to email people asking for iTunes gift cards for a sick friend in the hospital. The people being targeted are parish staff or parishioners. One scammer has created a Gmail account in Fr. Ed's name and is emailing people asking for three \$100 iTunes gift cards for a sick friend in the hospital. If you receive this email, do not open the link, do not respond and please help us by forwarding the message directly to the Help Desk at the Archdiocese at:

helpdesk@archtoronto.org.



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: Denise Lee, Rodney Birjah



**ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM
O LORD...**

**Marilyn Birjah
Donald O'Connell
Edna Widdifield
Ronald Nevins Selvadurai**

**Chili for the Good Shepherd
due on Sunday, January 31st**

Chili pans will be placed on a table outside by the front doors next Sunday, January 24th between 9:00 am – to 12 noon.

Due to lockdown measures, if possible please bring the chili to the parish on Sunday, January 31st between 9:00 a.m. -12 noon and place it on the table that will be outside by the front doors.

Gospel Reflection
The First Disciples of Jesus

Heeding the Call of Christ

“Come and see.” These are the words of invitation that Jesus says to His first disciples and that He still says to us 2000 years later. This is the call of the steward, to come and see the goodness of the Lord. Let us reflect more deeply on the figure of St. Andrew in this episode and seek ways to imitate him.

Firstly, when Jesus invited him, it says that Andrew obeyed and “came and saw.” He readily and wholeheartedly heeded the call of Christ. After his encounter with Christ, his life was profoundly changed and he left everything to follow Him. Once we encounter the love and goodness of God we too can no longer hold onto our past lives. Let us strive to continue to journey with God, going ever more deeper into His love. If we have not yet personally encountered Christ, let us remember that Christ longs for us to be with Him so it is never too late to turn to Him.

Moreover, upon meeting Christ, Andrew did not keep his new found joy to himself but instead runs to tell his brother Simon. He brings Simon to Jesus which leads to Simon’s call to follow Christ and is where he receives the name Peter. True stewardship leads to evangelization. Once we’ve experienced the joy of the Gospel, we too should seek to bring others into this joy. Perhaps one act we can do this week is invite a friend to Mass or a parish event so that they too can begin to “come and see” the Lord.



Thank you for your wonderful support of the meal program at Good Shepherd Ministries in 2020. Your kindness helped to feed the hungry and shelter the homeless.

Wishing all of you a happy and healthy 2021!



Confirmation preparation for 2021 will be starting at the end of January with an information zoom meeting on Thursday January 28th at 7pm. If you want to register your child for confirmation **please email** our Youth Minister and Sacramental Preparation Co-ordinator James Sullivan at **blessedtrinityyouth@gmail.com** or download the form and parent letter from the parish website.

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:
<https://www.facebook.com/agincourtcommunitychurch>

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.

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