

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
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This week at Blessed Trinity

Mon, Dec 09 – 8:00 am: † Ann Martindale

Tues, Dec 10-8:00 am: † Dr. Gordon J. Fimio & Oskar Schack

9:45 am Prayer Group – Trinity
 1:30 pm Exercise Class - Hall
 6:00 pm Junior Choir - Church

Weds, Dec 11 - 8:00 am: † Kenneth AuYeung

Thurs Dec 12 – 8:00 am: † Forgotten Souls

10:00 am Bible Study - Trinity7:00 pm Senior Choir - Church

Friday, Dec 13 - 8:00 am: † Tracy Batol

12:30 pm BT School rehearsal - Church

Sat, Dec 14 – 8:00 am: (S.I.) BT Parishioners, (S.I.) Fr. Ed

Murphy, † Lucy Chahine Moutran & Family,

† George Maugeri, † George Xuereb,

† Francisca Ong Kwie Lian

- 4:30 pm: † Pasquale Folino

4:30 pm BT Ministries - Hall

Sun, Dec 15 – 8:00 am: Thanksgiving of the Seetaram Family

- 9:30 am: † Janet Moffatt, † Michael, Mary,
 Michael Paul, Augustine & Carolyn Cosentino and John Regina

- 11:50 am: † Thomas Shui Ching Tsang

-7:00 pm: † Dawn Sauer

8:00 am The Pauline Books & Media

9:00 am LWC (Liturgy of the Word for Children) - Trinity9:00 am CGS (Catechesis of the Good Shepherd) - Trinity

1:00 pm BT Advent Retreat – Church / Hall



For the spirit of reverence, wonder and awe at God's love for us, for the spiritual and physical well-being of all the sick in our parish.



Please pray for the repose of the souls of

Li Tang Chuen Tai Marianna R. Nadda

SAVE THE DATE

Blessed Trinity Advent Retreat	Dec 15
The Pauline Books & Media Centre Sale	Dec 15
BT "Simbang Gabi" Novena Masses	Dec 16-24
BT New Year's Eve Party	Dec. 31

Christmas & New Year's Mass Schedule



December 24th Mass Times

6:00 am (Simbang Gabi) 8:00 am

Christmas Eve – The Nativity of the Lord

December 24th – 4:00 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

New Year's Eve ~ Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God December 31st ~ 4:30 pm

New Year's Day - Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

January $1^{st} - 9:30$ am, 11:15 am



The **Simbang Gabi Novena**, a Philippine tradition, is a devotional, nine-day series of Masses that begins on **December 16**th and concludes on the **24**th. The tradition celebrates Mass at the first light of dawn. Here at Blessed Trinity, the

Mass will be at **6:00** am each day. All parishioners are invited to join in this spiritual preparation for Christ. Join us for a potluck breakfast each day in the hall after Mass. Coffee and tea will be served.



The Rosary Apostolate will be selling religious items this weekend. All proceeds will support the program in teaching the children how to pray the rosary. *Thank you for your support.*

Good Shepherd Christmas Food Drive



Blessed Trinity Parish is accepting donations for the Good Shepherd Christmas Food Drive. Donations can be placed in the Parish Hall on the stage. The last day of collection is Sunday, December 29th. Please see the poster on the bulletin board for most needed items.

Thank you for your support.

BT Music Ministry Christmas Concert December 8, 2:00 pm



Get into the Christmas spirit with the annual Christmas Concert presented by the Blessed Trinity Music Ministry. Hear seasonal favourites and join in for our singalong carols. The concert is

presented by the Blessed Trinity senior choir, Funeral choir, Children's choir, and Youth choir and band, so this is a wonderful opportunity to experience all of the music our Church has to offer. The concert is at 2:00 pm on Sunday, Dec. 8th, and will be followed by a reception in the Parish Hall. An 'ask it basket' will be at the door.

We hope to see you all there!



First Holy Communion Rite of Enrollment

At the 4:30 p.m. and 9:30 a.m. Masses on the weekend of **December 7th**, we will celebrate the Rite of Enrollment for our First Holy Communion candidates and their families.

Please take a prayer card home with you on this day and pray for the child listed on the card they prepare to meet the Merciful Father in reconciliation and the Loving Son in Holy Communion.

<u>Announcement</u>

The parking lot construction is still ongoing. Parking is available behind Blessed Trinity school on weekends - please cross with the traffic lights.

Remember – NO PARKING AT ST. LUKE'S CHURCH OR BAYVIEW ARENA.

Please pick-up your 2025 Offertory Envelopes in the parish hall. They are arranged numerically.

Blessed Trinity Advent Retreat



Do you struggle with distraction or motivation in prayer? Do you look at people who talk about 'hearing Jesus' and kind of wish he would speak to you too? You're not alone. But the good news is - Jesus is speaking to you. And you can learn how to hear and recognize his voice.

Join us on **December 15th from 1pm to 3:30pm** for our Advent Retreat led by Sr. Orianne Pietra René, a young, faithfilled, dynamic sister of the Daughters of St. Paul. This retreat is free and open to everyone of all ages.

Register today through our website or by visiting: https://form.jotform.com/243294486563265.



The Pauline Books & Media Centre is bringing a mini - Book Centre to Blessed Trinity! Join the Daughters of St. Paul in the foyer after the 8am, 9:30am, and 11:15am Sunday Masses on December 15th to choose from an excellent

selection of Catholic books for children, youth, and adults. An opportunity to gift yourselves, loved ones and friends with wonderful reading resources as we approach the Christmas Season and the New Year 2025. Visit our webstore at https://paulinestore.ca/



Poinsettia Pick-Up – December 7

Your poinsettias are ready for pick this Saturday, from 2:00 -5:30 p.m. in the parish hall. There are few pots for sale for those who missed the deadline to order.

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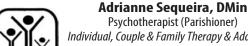
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