

# BLESSED TRINITY PARISH

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WEEKEND SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:30 p.m. Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m., 11:15 a.m.

4:30 p.m. 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

# WALK-IN COUNSELLING CLINIC

Catholic Family Service Open to the public: Every Tuesday 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. 1155 Yonge Street, Ste. 101 416-921-1163

# PALLIATIVE CARE HOPELINE

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, Mar 10 - 8:00 am: + Carole Pitcher

<b>Tue, Mar 11 -</b> 1:30 pm 6:00 pm	Exercise C	
Wed, Mar 12 - 9:30 am		† Maria Sung III Moon Shin noir - Hall
<b>Thurs, Mar 13</b> 7:00 pm		† Tracy Batol bir - Church
	– 7:00 pm	: (S.I.) Fr. Ed Murphy : † Maria & Pasquale Lo Bianco f the Cross followed by Mass
Sat, Mar 15 –	8:00 am:	(S.I.) BT Parishioners, (S.I.) John Orr, † Sr. Anne Lemire, † Robespierre Echavez,

+ Alan Davidson
 8:30 am Visiting Ministry Meeting - Hall
 -4:30 pm: (S.I.) Anthony Gonsalves
 Sun, Mar 16 - 8:00 am: + Della Fox Sr.
 -9:30 am: + George Maugeri
 -11:15 am: + Julia Mercuriano

# -7:00 pm: † Fred Scholes

8:30 am Coffee Sunday - Hall

#### PRAY FOR THE SICK

PRAYER REQUEST

Mario Lo Bianco

#### PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS



Terry Tanco Julie Chan Ruth Borsook

# STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Join us for the "Stations of the Cross" every Friday during Lent, at 7:00 pm, followed by Mass.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Mar 16	Coffee Sunday	
Mar 29	BT Lenten Retreat	
Apr 5-6	Theresians Bake Sale & One-of-a-Kind	
Apr 6	BT Lenten Day of Confessions	
Apr 12/13	Palm Sunday	
Apr 17	Holy Thursday	
Apr 18	Good Friday	
Apr 19	Easter Vigil	
Apr 20	Easter Sunday	
Apr 26/27	Confirmation Mass	
May 3	Pilgrims of Hope with Fr. Larry Leger	
May 24/25	First Holy Communion Mass	

#### **BT INFORMATION SESSION**

Please join us in the Parish Hall after all Sunday Masses this weekend, March 8/9, for an information session regarding our upcoming renovations. Dan Christante, our Property Manager, will be presenting and answering questions.

#### BT LENTEN RETREAT – March 29



#### YOU CAN'T BE OPTIMISTIC WITH A MISTY OPTIC

Lent is a time to look forward with a renewed vision, and in this year of Hope, Pope Francis reminds us, "We must

fan the flame of hope that has been given to us and help everyone obtain new strength and certainty by looking to the future with an open spirit, a trusting heart, and farsighted vision."

Please join us for the Lenten retreat in the parish hall led by Deacon Robert Kinghorn on Saturday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 a.m. after morning mass.

LENTEN DAY OF CONFESSIONS



Blessed Trinity Lenten Day of Confessions Sunday, April 6<sup>th</sup> immediately following the 11:15 am Mass.

#### WHEELCHAIR PROGRAM – March 8/9



On behalf of the Canadian Wheelchair Foundation, the Knights of Columbus will again fundraise this year for purchase of wheelchairs for persons in need around the globe and in Canada. The Knights will put up an "Ask-it Basket" together with one of

the wheelchairs in the foyer this weekend. Cheques can be made payable to "Canadian Wheelchair Foundation" and a tax-receipt will be provided by the Foundation for donations of \$ 20.00 or more.

#### MEN'S LENTEN RETREAT



On Saturday, March 15, the Knights of Columbus from our District are sponsoring a Men's Lenten Retreat at St. Luke's Catholic Church in Thornhill. Father Martin Hilbert

from the Oratory of Saint Philip Neri will lead the retreat. The event is no charge and lunch will be served. You don't have to be a member of the Knights of Columbus to come, and you don't have to join afterwards either. Registration is required to attend. Please see the brochure at the back of the Church for more information.

#### SECURITIES AS CHARITABLE GIFT OPTION

One of the most financially sound ways to support Blessed Trinity Parish is a gift of securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds). When you donate stocks, mutual funds and other publicly traded securities to your parish, you pay no capital gains tax and receive a tax receipt for the full amount of the gift. It means a great tax break for you and more significant support of your Parish and various archdiocesan charities.

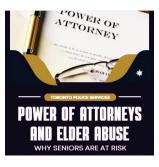
To donate securities, follow this link: Archdiocese of Toronto - Gift of Securities (archtoronto.org) and download the **"How to Gift Securities Info Sheet"** and the "Letter of Direction." For more information, contact our office at <u>development@archtoronto.org</u>.

#### SPIRITUAL MOTHERHOOD OF PRIESTS



The Theresians' Spiritual Motherhood of Priests Movement (SMOP) is having its 11th anniversary celebration with a Reaffirmation of Commitment right after the 8:00 am mass this Saturday, March 8<sup>th</sup> followed by a simple breakfast in the hall. Everyone attending the mass is invited to join us.

#### POWER OF ATTORNEYS AND ELDER ABUSE TALK



Join the Toronto Police Services in the Parish Hall on March 27th from 11am to 12pm and learn the signs and how to stop power of attorney elder abuse before it has lasting consequences. This free event is open to all but

we do ask that you register through our website -<u>www.blessedtrinityparish.ca</u> or using this link -<u>https://form.jotform.com/250624330353245</u>.

#### ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY LENTEN RETREAT



Finding Living Water on our Desert Journey Saturday, March 22, 2025

9:00am – 4:00pm St. Augustine's Seminary 2661 Kingston Rd, Scarborough

ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY INSTITUTE OF THEOLOGY

Retreat Leader: Archbishop Emeritus Thomas Cardinal Collins

Cost: \$45 - Includes warm pastries, coffee and tea on arrival, as well as lunch. Mass, Confession and Adoration will also be offered.

To register, visit our website <u>staugustines.on.ca/events</u> If you have any questions, please contact our Event Coordinator, Chère MacLean at: chere.maclean@utoronto.ca. **Liturgical Publications** 3171 LENWORTH DR. #4 MISSISSAUGA, ON L4X 2G6 905-624-4422



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