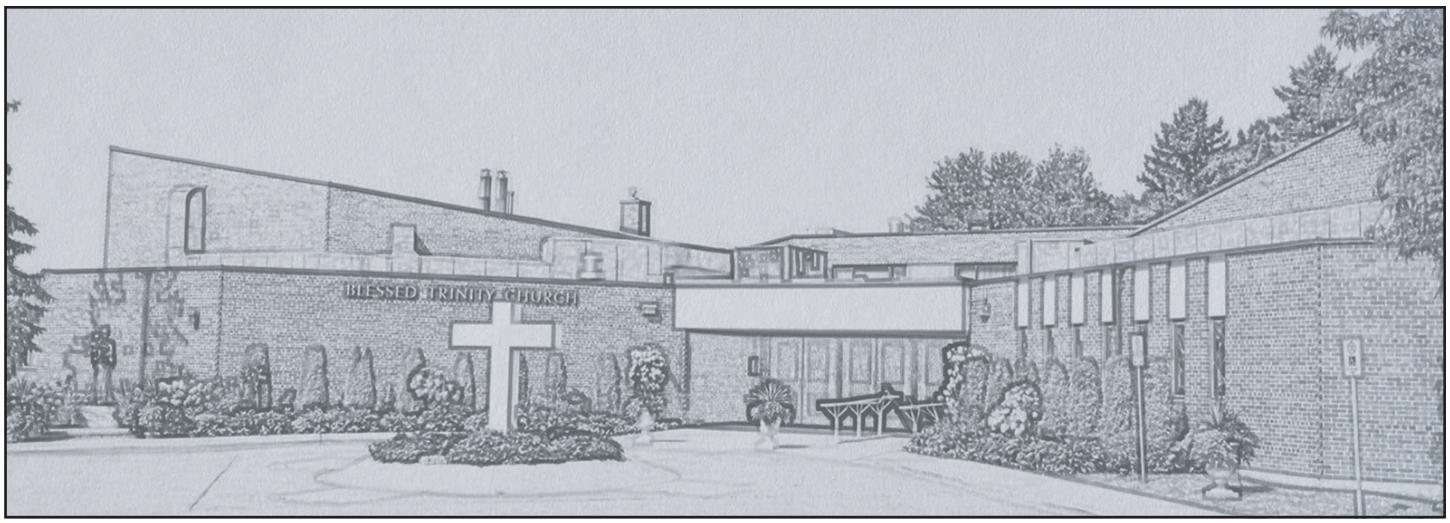


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WEEKEND SUNDAY MASSES

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

Saturday 3:30 p.m. – 4:10 p.m. or by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Last Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m.

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.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, 9 November
8:00 am + Harold & Mary Chard

Tuesday, 10 November
8:00 am + Franca & Vito Agueci

Wednesday, 11 November
8:00 am + Della Fox

Thursday, 12 November
8:00 am + Louis Xavier

Friday, 13 November
8:00 am + Tracy Batol

Saturday, 14 November

8:00 am + Frank & Patricia Bar
S.I. Cliff Granshaw
S.I. Thelma & Bryan Johnson

4:30 pm + Murray Joseph Keating

Sunday, 15 November
8:00 am + Deceased members of the DeSouza & Almeida Families
9:30 am Intentions of Robert & Maria Liu

11:15 am S.I. of Remiel Rozal

7:00 pm S.I. BT Parishioners

PAG UPDATE

We invite everybody to consider Pre-authorized Giving Plan in your donation. It is easy, convenient and provides continuous support to the parish when you are away. This also allows the parish to budget better and reduces paperwork. You can always make changes to it as your budget allows. Please contact the office to enroll for Pre-authorized Giving.

WORLD YOUTH DAY MASS
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7:00PM
NOV. 21, 2026

YOUTH NIGHT



Students in **Grades 7–10** are invited to come hang out, make new friends, have fun, and grow in faith! Join us **every other Thursday** from **7-8:30 pm at Blessed Trinity Parish** for engaging talks, games, great food, and meaningful conversations led by Hopestone Formation. Dates are **November 12 & 26; and December 10**. **Youth in Grades 11+ are also invited to become Youth Leaders**, beginning at **6:30pm**. **No cost to attend**. Visit our website for registration or here: https://form.jotform.com/262526277633260



FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY'S ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CARD SALE

Support Blessed Trinity's Family Life Ministry at its annual **Christmas Card & Mistletoe Market**! Discover a wonderful selection of handcrafted, one-of-a-kind cards, beautiful Christmas decorations, knitted hats, bracelets, and more on November 14th and 15th. There's so much to see and enjoy - don't miss it! All proceeds support programming for children, families, and seniors in our parish.



BISHOP'S ALTAR SERVER AWARDS

The Bishop's Altar Server Award is an award that acknowledges and our youth's constant willingness to serve both the Lord and our parish community in a reverent and faith-filled manner. We would like to recognize and thank our five altar servers who received this year's award. A big congratulations goes out to: ***Lucas Leung, Gabriel Agovino, Catherine Agovino, Luke Agovino, and Issac Lee.*** Our Altar Server ministry continues to flourish. If you have received the sacrament of First Holy Communion, we would love to have you join our ministry. If you are interested, please contact the parish office.

RESTORING OUR SPIRITUAL HOME CAMPAIGN

A friendly reminder to parishioners who made a pledge to the Restoring Our Spiritual Home campaign to make sure that your payments are up to date. We continue to gratefully accept pledges.

REFLECTION

Last week we looked at the inadequateness of the **Penal Substitute** in our understanding of Jesus' Passion. The **Penal Substitute** basically says that Christ came among us so that He could take the punishments for our sins upon Himself on the Cross. He became a Penal Substitute on our behalf. He "hurled Himself in front of the oncoming train" of the Father's fury and bore the full brunt of it so that you and I don't have to. Jesus interposed Himself between the wrath of God and the world of sinners, so that God could vent his dreadful anger without harm to those who take refuge behind Jesus.

If Jesus was not enduring the punishments of the Father as our Substitute, then what was He doing on the Cross?

Jesus was loving the Father and fallen humanity. Jesus was paying the debt that sin incurred with God. Instead of being a Penal Substitute, He accomplished a **vicarious satisfaction.** To explain, look at it this way. All of God's ways were instituted for a common purpose: to teach God's people how to love. *"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, and mind. This is the first and great commandment. And a second is, You shall love your neighbor as yourself. These two commandments depend on all the law and prophets."* (Mt 22:36-40). Every commandment, every precept was ordered in some way to love God and our neighbour. That's the positive side but on the negative side, every sin is a refusal and a failure to love. Every sin creates a debt of love that is owed to God and others. Human history has racked up a universe of debt against God and neighbour. In our fallen state, we simply do not have enough love to make up for what is lacking. The principle balance of love's debt is unpayable for sinners.

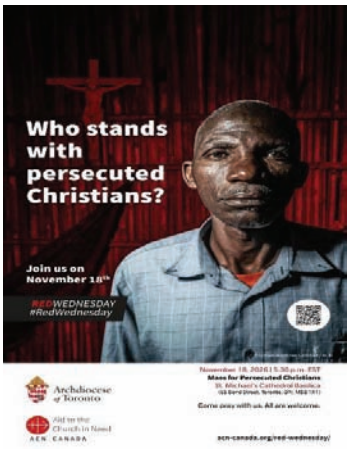
This is the reason why God sent His Son into the world: to fulfill a mission of love. Jesus came to do for us what we could not do for ourselves. Jesus as man, acted in our name and on our behalf; as true God His actions were infinitely efficacious.

(*The above was taken from "Love Extravagant: Jesus on the Cross" by Curtis Mitch).*

The Shepherds' Trust
Caring for those who always cared for us

There will be a second collection on **November 14/15** for The Shepherd's Trust. The mission of the Shepherd's Trust is to ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support in this important work.

Pray and Act for Persecuted Christians on Red Wednesday



On **Wednesday, November 18, 2026**, Red Wednesday will be marked across Canada and around the world. In Toronto, a Mass will be celebrated at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond Street, Toronto).

Red Wednesday shines a light on the persecution of Christians and calls everyone to defend the human right to religious freedom. Parishes, schools, and communities can participate by praying, wearing red, hosting events, lighting churches, and buildings, sharing online, and fundraising to strengthen ACN's support for those who suffer. For more information please visit:

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