

**Most Holy Trinity** 

I SMILE WHEN Trinity reflections begin with how hard it is to explain the Trinity and then try to do just that. I promise not to do that... well, maybe just a little bit.

I see today's readings being about my relationships with others, with God and with my own self. For me, this feast is about healthy relationships. Relationships God sees as healthy are not always what I recognize as healthy. God is in the cloud of my unknowing, merciful and gracious. God is in my moments of love and peace, in right relationship. And yes, God's promise to us of eternal life is made real in the clouds and the relationships.

How will I remember in moments of doubt and unknowing, and moments of peace and right relationship, that God is present? How do I draw my inner source of self from the core – from God – and reach out to those around me? Daily prayer, including the Eucharist, community and outreach are elements that help me to remember, and to re-direct my focus on relationships with those around me. I trust I am not alone on my spiritual journey, and maybe my journey may help others on theirs.

This week, may the moments that challenge and the ones that console help us recognize God in our midst. That could be the hardest part of all.

(Reflection of Sr. Susan Kidd, CND, from Living with Christ)

### TCDSB Staff Arts presents" Into the Woods"

The Toronto Catholic District School Board Staff Arts, will present "Into the Woods". Stephen Sondheim's renowned Tony Award winning musical.

Thursday, June 15 – 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 17 – 7:30 p.m. Cardinal Carter Academy for the Arts 36 Greenfield Ave., North York Tickets: \$ 25:00 Phone: 416-222-8282 ext. 2787 Web: www.tcdsb.org/staffarts Poster: http://bit.ly/TCDSBintothewoods



Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017 7:30 a.m. + Alice Reilly & Bernard McConville

Tuesday, June 13th, 20177:30 a.m.Birthday Wishes for Theresa Kim

Wednesday, June 14th, 2017 Multi-intention7:30 a.m.+ Cristofal PozoBirthday Wishes for Connie Choi

Thursday, June 15th, 20177:30 a.m.For All Souls in Purgatory

<u>Friday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2017</u> 7:30 a.m. + Lily Gomes

Saturday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2017 4:30 p.m. + Vincenzo & Anna Saracino

Sunday, June 18th, 2017

8:00 a.m.	+ Peter & Hope McDermott
9:30 a.m.	+ Eugenio Girimonte
11:00 a.m.	+ Pietro Mazzitelli

#### **EDGE Youth Ministry**

All students in grades 6, 7, and 8 are invited to our upcoming EDGE Night! When? June 9, 2017 from 7:00-9:00pm Where? St. Edward's Church (Parish Hall) What? Happy Birthday Church A catechesis night on Pentecost

For more information, please contact Kimberly Go at: stedwardyouthministry@gmail.com

#### **Catholic Women's League**

Thank you to all who ensured a great response to last weekend's Communion Breakfast hosted by the CWL.

#### **Poor Box**

Don't forget the poor. The St. Vincent de Paul poor box is located in the lobby. Please be generous. The St. Vincent de Paul of our parish works faithfully to serve the needs of the less fortunate. Thank you for opening your heart. Dear Parishioners:

Happy 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary! I am delighted to share in this great and historic moment in the history of our parish.

It is a great honour, as well, to welcome His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins, the Archbishop of Toronto, for this special Anniversary Mass. As well, I welcome former pastors, Associate Pastors, and visiting priests, and Religious Sisters.

In a special way, we also welcome three priests who were ordained from this parish: Fr. John Vetere, Fr. Bob O'Brien and Fr. Edward Murphy.

I welcome all parishioners both present and past members of this parish, as we celebrate this joyous occasion.

I thank the social committee that was formed to ensure a wonderful reception following the Mass, as well as those who worked on the banners, historic picture galleries, and the outside tent and events for families.

#### Fr. Pat

## **Construction Update**

The initial paving of the parking lot will commence this week. Despite the many rainy days, and other set-backs, we are making great progress. The new sidewalks to the emergency exit doors on each side of the church are also to be done shortly, as well as the re-curbing of the whole parking lot. New light posts have been ordered and will be installed within a few weeks (there is currently temporary lighting in the parking lot). As work progresses, we thank all parishioners for their support and patience.

Daily Mass, Monday to Friday, will continue to be held at St. Cyril School, at 7:30 a.m., 18 Kempford Blvd.

## **Vocations**

"God so loved the world that he gave his only-begotten Son..." How can you best serve God in a response to that love? If God is calling you to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 email: vocations@archtoronto.org

# **Pivotal Players**

A DVD presentation and discussion of key figures in the history of Christianity will be given in the parish hall on Mondays from 7:00 p. m. - 8:30 p.m.

Monday, June 19 – St. Thomas Aquinas Monday, June 26 – St. Catherine of Siena Monday, July 3 – No Presentation (Canada Day) Monday, July 10 – G. K. Chesterton Monday, July 17 - Michelangelo

This series will be led by seminarian John Sutka and is free and open to all.

## Bundle Up for St. Vincent de Paul! <u>New date – July 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup></u>

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is collecting clothing; all seasons (men, women and children) to be given to those in need or to be sold to help support Special Works in the community. Please bring your donation on the weekend of July 8<sup>th</sup>/9th, to share with others in the community. A SVDP truck will be parked in the parking lot. Thank you for your continued support.

## **Totus Tuus Summer Camp**

Registration for Totus Tuus (July 23-28, 2017) is now open! Totus Tuus is a unique and fun-filled program featuring a team of four college-age students who will engage our youth with a week-long program focusing on the Catholic faith. **Day Camp (students entering grades 1-6)** is Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Bring your own lunch. Registration fee is \$75.00 per child. The **Evening Program (students entering grades 7-12)** is Sunday to Thursday, 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Registration fee is \$25.00 per person. Registration forms available on the table in the lobby.

For more information contact: Kimberly Go at: stedwardyouthministry@gmail.com or call St. Edward's Parish at 416-221-9131.

#### MILK BAG COLLECTION

We are very grateful to all those who continue to bring in their "clean, dry" milk bags. NOW! We are looking for someone who is willing to pick up donated bags here at the church, and drop them off at the recycling depot at the corner of Green Lane and Bayview, once a week. Please contact the office if you are interested.