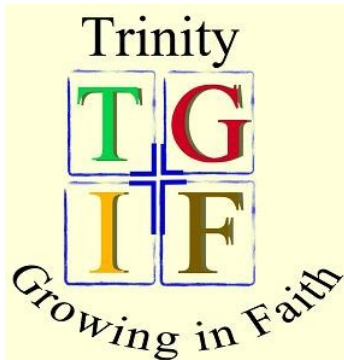


Trinity Happenings

Our Mission

*We are here to:
Worship God,
Walk with Jesus,
Change lives,
and Serve the
community, through the
power of the Holy Spirit.*



New to Trinity?



We welcome all visitors and new comers who have come to join us as we pray and give thanks, praise and worship, and learn about the word of God here at Trinity.

Feel free to meet us downstairs in the auditorium after the service for coffee.



ALL SAINTS DAY

While the church has set aside certain days during the year to remember well-known saints, there is a whole company of martyrs and faithful believers who do not have a designated day in the church calendar. Therefore today, on ALL SAINTS DAY, we celebrate all those who have kept the faith and entered into God's eternal kingdom.

All Saints is a time for us to remember the heavenly glory that God has prepared for his people. We are reminded in the scriptures that in heaven God "will wipe away every tear from their eyes and death shall be no more". (Rev. 21:4)

All Saints day is also a time for us to give thanks for the loved ones we have known in whom the light and presence of God shone. We pray that the Lord will comfort us and strengthen us in the midst of the grief we feel at their passing from us.

It is also a time for us to pray that we will be faithful followers of Jesus in our own day. With the author of Hebrews we pray, that, "since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight and sin which clings so closely and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated on the right hand of the throne of God". (Heb. 12:1) All Saints Day is full of meaning for God's people as we cast our gaze heavenwards.



PILGRIMS PROGRESS

This morning Bob Garrett will be sharing a few reflections on his recent experience of being a pilgrim on the route to Santiago, Spain. Santiago is thought to be the burial place of St. James and is the third oldest pilgrimage route (after Jerusalem and Rome) and has been in use for over 1000 years. There are different routes to Santiago all of different lengths; Bob used the most common of the routes beginning in France and continuing for over 700 km to Santiago. It took Bob and his son Patrick about thirty days of walking to complete this pilgrimage.

BIBLE REFLECTION

The theme of pilgrimage runs through the whole of the Bible. Jewish people often recite Deut. 26:5 "A wandering Aramean (Abraham) was my father". This is a reminder that God led Abraham and his family; that God led Moses and the Hebrews out of Egypt; and that God used Ezra and Nehemiah to bring the people back from Exile in Babylon. In our gospel reading from Matthew 8 we see that Jesus travelled throughout the land teaching the crowds and that he had no home of his own. In Hebrews 11 it is stressed that we are on a journey to a heavenly city, the new Jerusalem.

We all have a tendency to put down roots. We want to be established and secure. The call of the Lord is to journey forward in faith. We take new steps of faith forward as we follow the voice of our Master in this life, and finally we follow him through the resurrection into heavenly glory.

As we celebrate All Saints Day and as Bob Garrett shares from his recent pilgrimage experience, it is a good opportunity for us to consider what it means for us to be a Christian pilgrim.

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY - Nov.1st "All Saints"

8:00 a.m. - Quiet Communion
 9:05 a.m. - "Nooma" Study in Naz. Rm.
 10:00 a.m. - Family Communion
 Children in Aud..
 Jr. Youth in Upper Room
 Nursery in Undercroft (ages 0-4yr.)

MONDAY

6:30 p.m. - Dinner in Aud.
 7:30 p.m. - "Challenging Issues in Aud."
 "Alpha" in Upper Rm.
 7:00 p.m. - CWT Practice in Sanctuary

TUESDAY

12:45 p.m. - "Beth Moore" in Upper Rm.
 7:00 p.m. - "Beth Moore" in Nazareth Rm.

WEDNESDAY

7:30 a.m. - Men's Breakfast at Simcoe Hotel
 10:30 a.m. - Holy Communion Service in Sanctuary
 12:00 p.m. - "Hebrews" Study in Upper Rm.
 7:00 p.m. - "Hebrews" Study in Upper Rm.
 7:00 p.m. - Trinity Rocks Practice in Sanctuary

THURSDAY

7:00 p.m. - Sr. Choir Practice in Sanctuary
 6:30 p.m. - Venturers in Lower Hall

FRIDAY

10:30 a.m. - "Nooma" in Naz. Rm.

SUNDAY - Nov.7th "Remembrance Sun."

Guest: The Right Rev. George Elliott
 8:00 a.m. - Quiet Communion
 9:05 a.m. - "Nooma" Study in Naz. Rm.
 10:00 a.m. - Family Communion
 Children begin in Church
 Jr. Youth in Upper Room
 Nursery in Undercroft (ages 0-4yr.)

BITS AND PIECES

*Congregation attending Trinity last Week, Oct. 25 , was:
 8:00 a.m.= 34 , 10:00 a.m. = 115, for a total of 149,
 including 12 children & teachers.

2010 Church Calendars for sale in the Church Office for \$5.00. This year's theme: "The house of God...the gate of heaven" (Genesis 28:17)

FROM THE MAIL

*To My Trinity Family,

I just want to say a big THANK YOU for the beautiful flowers and cards I received on my 90th birthday. I was so thrilled to see so many of my friends from Trinity. It was a very exciting day. Thank you again.

With Love and Blessings,
 Nellie Seal

If writing to Trinity, please remember that our address is P.O. Box 641, Barrie, ON, L4M 4V1

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED

My name is Ian Caunce and for over 3 years I have been a volunteer driver for the Canadian Cancer Society. Most of the time I drive to Toronto two days a week. I pick up patients at their homes, take them to the major Toronto hospitals for treatment and then bring them home again. There are also drivers who take patients to R.V.H.

The Society is currently experiencing a shortage of drivers and I would urge anyone who has a reliable vehicle and can spare one or two days per week to call the Canadian Cancer Society at 726-8032 and volunteer, or call me, Ian Caunce at 735-1122. I find the courage of my passengers who are coping with this disease to be spiritually uplifting.

CANADIAN TIRE COUPONS

The Trinity Youth Group has a jar at the back of the Church for any Canadian Tire Coupons that you would like to donate. This will help the Youth buy any needed sports equipment.

KING EDWARD CHOIR

We are presenting "The Armed Man" once again by popular request. This is a very moving work for remembrance day written by Karl Jenkins. Not to be missed.

Wednesday November 11th @7.30 pm at Collier St United Church. Tickets \$20 or \$70 for the 4 concert series which includes Messiah on November 27th at St Marys, Mozart's great mass April 10th && Spring Sing May 8th both at collier. Tickets available from Susan Reiechenbacher or any KEC member

HANDSHAKES

It has been decided that during the H1N1 'flu season it would be prudent not to shake hands during the Peace. Some churches have already instituted this. A verbal greeting or a smile & nod of the head is sufficient. The participation of the chalice should be an individual choice. Nobody should feel obliged to drink from the common cup if it makes them feel uncomfortable. We hope this idea will meet with approval in these uncertain times.

Your parish nurses Beth & Susan

USED STAMPS FOR THE LEPROSY MISSION, CANADA

Our grateful thanks to all who save these stamps. The stamps are sold to stamp dealers and the money raised is used for the cure and care for Leprosy Patients in India (\$12,000.00 in 2006). Please be sure to leave at least ¼ inch of paper around the stamp.
 Ida Tonks, on behalf of the Barrie Auxiliary, 735-1813.

Parish Info and Updates

CHRISTMAS CHILDREN'S SHOEBOXES

Our thanks to all those who brought in Children's Christmas Shoeboxes last Sunday. About 80 of these boxes have now been shipped out. They will be delivered to children in desperate circumstances around the world. This is a wonderful outreach initiative and will be greatly appreciated by each of the children.

CITY HALL PRAYER -- This Wednesday at 12:00 noon.

The first Wednesday of every month the churches of Barrie join together for prayer in the Council chambers at City Hall at 12:00 noon. It is a unique opportunity to pray for this city and for our nation. It is important that we pray for our elected officials that they will be guided in the decisions they make and that this will be a nation of peace and justice. Join us this Wednesday Nov. 4th at 12:00 noon. If this is the middle of the work day for you it is quite ok to bring a bag lunch. Canon Brian will be leading the City Hall prayers this month.

TREASURE HOUSE

There will be a special sale at Treasure House bookstore on Nov. 5-7th. Included in the special items are Veggie Tales DVD's plus music CD's and books. Treasure House is located south of Mapleview on Bryne Drive, next to Williams Coffee. They also have a wonderful selection of modern language Bibles and gift Bibles for all ages.

BISHOP GEORGE ELLIOTT

Bishop George Elliott and his wife Linda will be with us next Sunday. We are pleased to welcome them back to Trinity.

90TH BIRTHDAY! -- Harry Young

What a wonderful milestone -- Harry Young had his 90th birthday last week!

WORSHIP CONFERENCE

This weekend Fr. Andrew, Mary Lem and Deborah Marshall are attending a Worship Conference in Toronto. It is a very unique event in that it is being held in conjunction with the "Dead Sea Scrolls Exhibit" at the Royal Ontario Museum and the conference will be using the new concert hall at the Faculty of Music. Our objective is to continue to utilize all of our music resources in our worship at Trinity and to gain new ideas and insights. Our thanks to Andrew, Mary and Deborah for taking the time for this conference in the midst of busy lives.

COMBATting A.I.D.S. IN UGANDA -- Doug Willoughby

Doug Willoughby is now in northern Uganda in the town of Lira. He will be speaking to those who are HIV positive to give them hope and encouragement and outline ways to strengthen their immune system. The donation we provided will assist in supplying some food and medical resources. Doug will assess the local needs and plans to return with even more medical assistance. Please continue to hold Doug in prayer support.

WYCLIFFE COLLEGE -- Bible Trivia Night

You are invited to Wycliffe College for an evening of conversation, refreshments and Bible Trivia. Each parish is invited to enter a team. It will be held on the evening of Thursday November 19th at 7pm. Wycliffe College is located on Hoskin Ave. just south of the Royal Ontario Museum. Cost will be \$40 per person. Please speak to Canon Brian or register with Wycliffe.

TRINITY WOMEN

Meets Nov. 13 at 9:30 a.m. in the Upper Room. Our Speaker this month is the Rev. George Sandilands. All Women are welcome. Please bring a mug. Contact Mary at 726-4589.

"Focus on Parenting" Seminar -- Sat. Nov. 14th

I want to commend to you the upcoming Parenting Seminar by "Focus on the Family". It will be held at Emmanuel Church in south Barrie on Saturday November 14th. You need to register on line at: <http://www.ccn.tv/focusonparenting/> Several of us attended their marriage seminar last winter and it was excellent. -- Canon Brian.

Perhaps one of Christianity's biggest challenges is the fact that the majority of children are abandoning their Christian faith upon entering college and adulthood. Parents invest countless hours and energy towards the physical and emotional health of their children. But, what about their spiritual health? Join thousands of parents all across the country as we look at parenting through the eyes of God, the benefits of God's design for your family and learn how to help your children and family thrive.

With "Focus on Parenting", you will receive wisdom, encouragement and practical everyday tools from leading parenting experts such as, Dr. Kevin Leman, Elisa Morgan - MOPS, Larry Fowler - Awana, Mark Holmen, Ron Luce, Phil Vischer, Dr. Juli Slattery and Bob Waliszewski all of whom have a passion for seeing kids thrive -- specifically yours!

Expect to receive...

- A unique spiritual perspective you won't find at any other parenting conference
- Instilling Christ like character in your children to know and serve God
- Powerful and practical everyday tools to help your child thrive

Don't hesitate, join the journey today.

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COMBATTING A.I.D.S. IN UGANDA

On Thursday morning we received the following email from DOUG WILLOUGHBY in Uganda:

Good Morning Brian; I arrived in Kampala, Uganada last Sunday afternoon and was met at the airport by a driver from the Namirembe guest House. I got settled in my room and then went to the dining terrace. This was really a God appointment. I met a Ugandan Pastor, Pastor Ruth and she began sharing her story with me. She had been diagnosed HIV+ in 1991 and was dying, she was desperately sick but went for prayer, then locked herself in her room and began calling on God. It wasn't instantaneous, but slowly the vomiting and diarrhea stopped as well as the night sweats. She began putting on weight and went back to the doctor and asked for another HIV test, the test came back negative. I sat and wept as I listened to her, I had always believed God could do this, but wanted to meet someone who actually had had both a positive and then a negative test. What a time!

On Monday we had a long tiring drive to Lira, seven and a half hours in length. Tuesday Pastor Charles let me rest and then Wednesday I met with the leaders of the group called 'The Grace of God'. There were 11 leaders plus two pastors and a girl to interpret for me. We met all morning then into the church for an hour prayer meeting, followed by lunch then again we met all afternoon til 5pm. I took a notebook and wrote down all their names and as much of their stories as I could. We were able to provide lunch for them yesterday and again today we will also provide lunch.

I will keep both of you updated on this wonderful mission. My health is good and I thank God for the privilege of being here. Please pass on my greetings to the saints at Trinity Barrie, thank them for their prayers and encourage them to keep praying for me.
Every Blessing, Doug

Financial Update: Deficit Widens as Stewardship Campaign Launched

Trinity's year to-date deficit through September stands at \$21,100 as total income (especially envelope givings) has fallen behind Budget. Without rental income from the Busby Centre, the deficit would be double this amount. We have kept expenses close to Budget with the main challenge being our gas utility bill which is well above Budget due to an unforeseen rate hike. As our Stewardship Campaign launches, we call on everyone to: 1. pray for your church leaders as they consider the 2010 Budget, 2. return their pledge forms with a "tithing in mind" response and 3. consider giving two or three week's extra offering this year to help us close the deficit. *Please consider how the Lord has blessed you and respond accordingly.* In Christ, The Finance Committee.

Jan-Sept 2009

Income:	Actual	Budget	2008	Act vs. Budget	Act vs 08
Envelopes	133.7	151.9	143.7	-12%	-7%
EFT	111.5	110.6	107.2	1%	4%
Other Income	48.3	34.3	39.1	41%	24%
Total Income	293.5	296.8	290	-1%	1%
Expenses:					
Operating	68.7	73.1	73.8	-6%	-7%
Utilities	27.1	20.7	18.9	31%	43%
Staff	206.4	209.6	203.5	-2%	1%
Program (net)	2.7	3.5	1.9	-23%	42%
Total Expenses	304.9	306.9	298.1	-1%	2%
Total before Transfers	-11.4	-10.1	-8.1	13%	41%
Transfers (net)	-9.7	-8.3	-21.8	17%	-56%
Surplus (Deficit)	-21.1	-18.5	-29.9	14%	-29%

Summary

- Deficit has widened vs. Budget since last summary; now +\$2.6k deeper
- Utilities (gas) continues to be main contributing expense factor
- Busby Centre rent/other income has mostly offset offering shortfall