

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FROM: YOU CAT
Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church

MASS INTENTIONS

I Believe in Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God

91. But why did Jesus work miracles?

The miracles that Jesus worked were signs that the kingdom of God was beginning. They expressed his love for mankind and reaffirmed his mission. [547-550]

Jesus' miracles were not self-aggrandizing displays of magic. He was filled with the power of God's healing love. Through his miracles he showed that he is the Messiah and that the kingdom of God begins in him. Thus it became possible to experience the dawn of the new world: he freed people from hunger (Jn 6:5-15), injustice (Lk 19:8), sickness, and death (Mt 11:5). By driving out demons, he began his victorious advance against the "ruler of this world" (meaning Satan; see Jn 12:31). Nevertheless, Jesus did not remove all misfortune and evil from the world. He directed his attention principally to freeing man from the slavery of sin. His central concern was faith, which he also elicited through miracles. 241-242

92. Why did Jesus call apostles?

Jesus had a large circle of disciples around him, both men and women. From this circle he selected twelve men whom he called Apostles (Lk 6:12-16). The apostles were specially trained by him and entrusted with various commissions: "he sent them out to preach the kingdom of God and to heal" (Lk 9:2). Jesus took only these twelve apostles with him to the Last Supper, where he gave them the command, "Do this in remembrance of me" (Lk 22:19b). [551-553, 567]

The Apostles became witnesses of Jesus' Resurrection and guarantors of the truth about him. They continued Jesus' mission after his death. They chose successors for their ministry: the bishops. To this day, the successors of the apostles exercise the authority conferred by Jesus: they govern and teach and celebrate the liturgy. The cohesiveness of the apostles became the foundation for the unity of the CHURCH (Apostolic Succession). Preeminent once again among the Twelve was Peter, on whom Jesus bestowed special authority: "You are Peter, and on this rock I will build my Church" (Mt 16:18). From Peter's special role among the apostles developed the papal ministry. 137

"VOCATION SEEDS"

"Who do people say that I am?" Who do you think Jesus is? The depth of our faith is rooted in our answer. Is God calling you to be a priest, religious, or deacon? If you think you are being called to a Church vocation,

call Fr. Hansoo 416 968 0997

email: vocations@vocations.ca www.vocationstoronto.ca

Saturday September 15:

5:00 pm +Hilda Crasto
+Bibiana Pereira
+Ken D'Souza
+John Salvador Gomes
+Eduardo Melanes & Relatives
+Frank Pezdir
+Fabian & Maria Bato
+Anthony Joseph Gonsalves
+Quirico Galang
+Manuel Tan Sr.

Sunday September 16:

9:00 am In Thanksgiving - 45th Wedding Anniversary of Jim & Anita Busby

10:30 am +Pua Huy King

12:00 pm Pro - Populo

Monday September 17:

9:00 am +John Mous & Relatives

Tuesday September 18:

9:00 am +Tony Denhoudyker & Relatives

Wednesday September 19:

7:30 pm +Catherine Georges

Thursday September 20:

9:00 am Intention of Ylagan & McLeod Families

Friday September 21:

9:30 am NO MASS

7:30 pm In Thanksgiving of Mr. & Mrs. Alcantara

Saturday September 22:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intention

WEDDING BANNES

There is a promise of marriage between:
Rocco Figliomeni Jr. & Jacqueline Campos

**NO 9:30 AM MASS OR
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
ON FRIDAYS DURING THE MONTH
OF SEPTEMBER
MASS AND ADORATION WILL
RESUME ON
FRIDAY OCTOBER 5, 2012**

September 16, 2012

The Icon of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be Visiting St. Aidan Parish

Wednesday September 19 - Tuesday September 25, 2012

Our Lady of Guadalupe is the Patroness of
the Knights of Columbus

Please join the 7-days Novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe

Wednesday: September 19 - after the 7:30 pm Mass

Thursday: September 20 - after the 9:00 am Mass

Friday: September 21 - after the 7:30 pm Mass

Saturday: September 22 - after the 9:00 am Mass

Sunday: September 23 - after the 12:00 pm Mass

Monday: September 24 - after the 9:00 am Mass

Tuesday: September 25 - after the 9:00 am Mass

Hope to see you all and Thank you for your support!

LIFE CHAIN

On Sunday September 30, 2012 from 2pm to 3pm St. Aidan will be participating in the Annual Life Chain at the corners of Warden and Finch. We will be witnessing to the Sanctity of Life to save the lives of the unborn babies from Abortion.

It's only for one hour. Please plan to attend.

MARIAN EVENING

Our Lady of the Cape is coming to St. Aidan Parish on Monday October 1, 2012.

The Rosary will be said at 6:30 pm. Celebration of the Mass will be at 7:00 pm followed by a Candle Light Procession and Crowning of the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady.

ECUMENICAL BIBLE STUDY SERIES

Topic: Making Sense of the Old Testament

Date: 8 weeks - Thursdays - September 13 - November 1

Time: 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Annunciation R.C. Church

Fee: \$3.00 a session or \$24.00 a semester

Registration at session

Course Pre-requisites: A Bible and the desire to know and love it better

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Helping our less fortunate brethren is the "gift of sharing" we can experience and have contentment. Your contribution to the **POOR BOX** every Sunday, is a gift of your concern and generosity.

If you are aware of a neighbour in our parish who is in **urgent need of assistance**, please feel free to call the number above and leave a message. We will be more than happy to help.

Bundle-up this weekend: September 15th & 16th: The SVP truck will be in the parking lot.

Thank You for your support.

YEAR OF FAITH 2012-2013

The Year of Faith is almost upon us and the Office of Formation for Discipleship, Archdiocese of Toronto has provided us list of various formation sessions available to our parishioners. These sessions will help people to understand our Catholic faith more clearly and live it more eagerly.

Pre-registration is required. Registration form available at www.archtoronto.org/discipleship or call Brenda Voisin at 416-934-3400, ext. 523

Sessions –Location & Dates

1. Basic Teachings of the Catholic Church
St. Bartholomew Parish - 59 Heather Rd. Scarborough
6 Thursday afternoons; 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm
September 13 - October 18
2. Catholicism: Journey Around the World and Deep Into Faith
Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish
3 Combermere Drive, Toronto
10 Wednesday evenings; 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm
September 19 - November 21
3. Catholic Social Teaching
Precious Blood Parish - 1737 Lawrence Ave. E., Scar.
6 Monday evenings; 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
September 24—November 5 (excludes October 8)
4. The Ministry of Hospitality: Called to Service
St. Patrick Parish - 5633 Highway #7, Markham
Thursday evening; 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm
September 27 (no registration required)
5. Biblical Spirituality: The Beatitudes
Precious Blood Parish - 1737 Lawrence Ave. E. Scar.
4 Wednesday afternoons; 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm
October 17 - November 7
6. The Ministry of the Word: Proclaiming God's Deeds of Power
St. Thomas The Apostle Parish - 14 Highgate Dr.
Markham
Thursday evening; 7:15 pm - 9:30 pm
November 15 (no registration required)

WELCOME BACK
FR. JOSEPH SULTANA

Reminder: The 2012 Marriage Preparation Program at St. Aidan will commence on Saturday September 22, 2012. Please contact Aggie Gomez at 416 292 5707 for details