

# FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

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**Welfare and Justice for All**  
**ECONOMIC LIFE**

## 183. What is the role of groups, unions, foundations, and associations?

There are non-profit institutions, founded and run by private individuals, that pursue goals that are of general interest: sports clubs, regional associations, environmental protection groups, religious associations etc. These are forms of cooperative activity that have their roots in civil society. They create solidarity and are very important for society. They should be fostered and protected by the State in its laws and taxation policies.

## 184. What is a business?

A business is a unit of production that requires equipment, premises, money, etc., and a society of persons (John Paul II, CA 43). A business should supply people with goods that are truly good and with services that really serve. Founding a business often demands unusual daring, innovative creativity, and a heightened sense of responsibility.

## 185. What human qualities does a good business foster?

“When managed well, businesses actively enhance the dignity of employees and the development of virtues, such as solidarity, practical wisdom, justice, discipline, and many others. While a family is the first school of society, businesses, like many others social institutions, continue to educate people in virtue” ( Pontifical Council for Justice and Peace, “The Vocation of the Business Leader”, 3).

### ‘VOCATION SEEDS’

Like the forgiving father of Luke’s Gospel, God welcomes us home in spite of our sinfulness, and calls us to a life of holiness. Where are you at home? Are you being called to a life as an ordained or a consecrated person? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon,

**contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director,**  
**Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997**  
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### FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral Mass for Anthony Gomes will be on Tuesday Apr 2, at 10:30 am, here at St. Aidan’s. Visitation will be at the Highland Funeral Home, (3280 Shephard Ave. E.) on Monday April 1, from 2-4 pm and 6-8 pm.

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Saturday March 30:

5:00 pm +Paul Fernandes  
+Beverly Ngan  
+Anne Lily Jayaraja  
+Godwin Perumal  
+Bibiana Cadigal  
Amina Bokhaey  
Birthday Blessings for Irene Remedios  
Birthday Blessings for Carmela Baylosis

#### Sunday March 31:

9:00 am In Honour of St. Anthony  
  
10:30 am Wedding Anniversary of Liberty & Maria Estela Yap  
  
12:00 pm Pro - Populo

#### Monday April 1:

9:00 am Amanda Fernandes

#### Tuesday April 2:

9:00 am Deceased Members of Mendes Family  
  
7:30 pm St. Anthony Novena Mass

#### Wednesday April 3:

7:30 pm +Rev. Fr. Kieran Kavanaugh

#### Thursday April 4:

9:00 am +Felicidad & Irenea

#### Friday April 5:

9:30 am Celebrant’s Intention  
  
7:30 pm In Thanksgiving of Ferrao Family

#### Saturday April 6:

9:00 am Celebrant’s Intention

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Fridays**  
Due to lack of adorers on Friday afternoons, we will only have adoration from 9:30 am Mass until 12:30 pm, and then 6:00 pm till the evening Mass.

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

**Every Friday in Lent, there will be Stations of the Cross after the 7: 30 pm Mass.**

**2018 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS**  
**are available for pick up after all weekend**  
**Masses in the gift shop.**

# March 31, 2019

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## WEEK OF CONFESSION

March 31 - April 6, 2019

St. Aidan's Confessions, Thursday April 6, 10:30 am - 11:30 am and 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm. Visiting priest will be available in the evening.

## EDGE MEETING for GRADE 6 to 8 STUDENTS

The next Edge meeting will be on Saturday April 13, from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at St. Aidan's church hall. Pizza will be served. Join us for a fun-filled evening.

## FAITH SHARING GROUP

Next meeting is on Saturday April 6, right after the morning Mass in Meeting Room 1.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OPEN HOUSE

Monday April 1st, at 7:00 pm, in the parish hall, the Knights of Columbus will have an Open House for any and all interested men. Please consider coming out for this event to learn more about the **Knights, what they do and how they benefit you.**

## KNEELERS IN FRONT OF THE ALTAR

It was discussed at our Parish Council meeting that it would be good to use kneelers to assist those who wish to kneel when receiving Holy Communion. This is one of the legitimate ways of manifesting our humility, devotion, reverence and adoration to Our Lord truly present in the Eucharist.

## SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

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"God allows us to give rise to the practice of two beautiful virtues: perseverance, which leads us to attain the goal, and constancy, which helps us to overcome difficulties."  
(St. Vincent de Paul)

Just a friendly reminder: Those preparing the Thunder & Lightning casseroles for the Good Shephard Centre, to please fill-in **ALL** details as requested on the label. Anonymous casseroles are not accepted. These will be discarded. Please **DO NOT** use the SVP containers to put food other than the Thunder & Lightning casseroles. Would appreciate your utmost co-operation. Thank you for your continued support to the POOR BOX each week, which helps the SVP to serve the poor in our parish, our neighbor-in-need.

**My whole strength lies in prayer and sacrifice, which can move hearts far better than words.**

- St. Therese of the Child Jesus -

## SHARELIFE

### Living the Gospel locally and around the world

"It is important that we continue to support the ShareLife appeal, to provide for the needs of the marginalized both here in our communities and around the world. Sometimes the results are obvious and sometimes they're invisible, but always they make a tangible difference in the lives of the people we are helping. **Please prayerfully consider how you can be supportive today on ShareLife Sunday.**" - Cardinal Thomas Collins

Today is ShareLife Sunday.  
Thank you for your generosity.

### EXITING PARKING LOT OR DROPPING PEOPLE OFF

Please try to exit though the school or **turn right only**, when driving out of the parking lot. If you are dropping someone off or picking them up, please don't block the flow of traffic, especially in the church driveway.

### PARISH MOVIE NIGHT

On Saturday April 6th, at 6:15 pm in the parish hall, we will be showing the award winning movie, "The Miracle of Marcelino". It is about a young boy left on the doorstep of a monastery as an infant. He is raised by the monks but gets into all kinds of mischief. After showing kindness to a poor, suffering, emaciated man, Marcelino is granted the gift he had always longed for. The movie is free, pizza and pop will be available for \$5.00. Fr. Steven will lead a discussion during half time and after the movie. Please notify the CWL in the gift shop, so they would know how much pizza to order.

### COINS FOR LIFE

Consider taking a box home and placing your loose change into it, to help support Campaign Life Coalition in their prolife initiatives. This can be a good way to make small sacrifices and support a good cause (things we should be doing especially during Lent).

**O my God, teach me to be generous, to serve you as you deserve to be served, to give without counting the cost, to fight without fear of being wounded, to work without seeking rest, and to spend myself without expecting any reward, but the knowledge that I am doing your holy will.**

- St. Ignatius of Loyola -