# St. Aidan Roman Catholic Church SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT MASS INTENTIONS DECEMBER 6, 2020

# **Saturday December 5:**

- + Rosa Bruney & John Georges
- + Cesar Domitita
- + Maria Belinda Lacurom
- + Sandra Morello
- + Iluminada Reyes
  Holy Souls in Purgatory
  Emmanuel Mascoll
  Birthday Blessings for Theresa Thomas

## **Sunday December 6:**

Pro - Populo

# **Monday December 7:**

Souls in Purgatory

## **Tuesday December 8:**

+ Rev. Fr. Joseph Fenech

### Wednesday December 9:

+ Sebastiao Braganza

### **Thursday December 10:**

+ Glenda Alary Crocco

### **Friday December 11:**

+ Rosemarie Zupan

#### SANCTUARY LAMP

Holy Souls in Purgatory



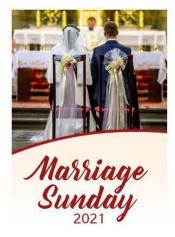
# This is Bundle Up Weekend, December 5/6

Please support this St. Vincent de Paul program by bringing in your gently used clothes and household linens. Please tie your donation bags for easier handling. **DO NOT** put furniture, electrical appliances, books or mattresses in the container. The container will be in the parking lot on the above dates.



#### **Weeks of Confessions**

During this time when churches are closed, in addition to hearing confessions every Saturday from 4:00 to 6:00 pm in the back sacristy behind the altar, Fr. Steven will also be available for confessions this Wednesday, December 9th, Friday, December 11th, and also on Wednesday, December 16th and Friday, December 18th in the evening from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm.



# **Marriage Sunday**

Cardinal Collins has designated the weekend of February 13/14, 2021 as Marriage Sunday in the Archdiocese of Toronto. To celebrate the tremendous contributions of married couples who continue to strengthen our faith community, our parish is participating in a program to offer a personalized, special blessing certificate signed by Cardinal Thomas Collins to married couples celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, or 60+ wedding anniversary in 2021. To request a special blessing certificate milestone for wedding anniversaries in 2021, please contact Fr. Steven.



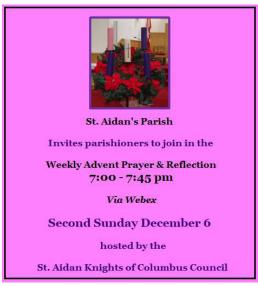
# **Question and Answer Session On December 15th**

Fr. Steven will be teaming up with one of our parishioners, Aggie Gomez, to discuss our Journeying to Bethlehem. This Advent reflection will be available on our parish website on **Tuesday, December 15th.** 



# **Church Open For Private Prayer**

Please visit our website for times when the church is accessible. Please note that we altered our prayer times based on how many people were coming to visit the church. The church is open every morning except Wednesdays from 9:00 am to 12:30 pm, in the evenings only Wednesday and Friday from 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm, and on Saturday afternoons from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm, which will also be confession time. You can only stay in the church for a maximum of 45 minutes, so as to give others a chance (the exception would be if there are less than ten people present).



# St. Aidan's Weekly Advent Prayer and Reflection

This will take place every Sunday evening during Advent from **7:00 to around 7:45** through an online format. Various Parish groups will take turns leading these sessions. Please see our website for information on how to access the link.



# **Chalice Gift Giving Ideas**

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# **Christmas Gift Giving Idea**

The greatest gift we can give is the gift of Faith! Are there people in your family or among relatives and friends who are struggling with faith issues or are away from the Church? Why not commit to praying for them during this Advent Season. It could be a hidden secret gift that might eventually bring about their conversion and eternal salvation. On January 19, 2021, we will be starting an online Alpha program. As we get closer to that date, you may consider inviting those you have been praying for to consider participating in Alpha, which answers many of the most common questions people have about faith and life in general.

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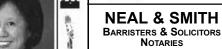
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