St. Aidan Roman Catholic Church FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT **MASS INTENTIONS DECEMBER 20, 2020**

Saturday December 19:

- + Percy de Gannes
- + Stan Zupan
- + Susana & Aloysius Ng
- + Jose Tadatada

Deceased Members of Patterson and **Nugara Families**

In Honour of St. Michael the Archangel Jennifer Lahey Arends In Thanksgiving of Clarinda Manlapat 50th Wedding Anniversary of Adolf and Amrith D'Souza

Sunday December 20:

Pro – Populo

Monday December 21:

+ Asuncion Jara

Tuesday December 22:

+ Anna Lau

Wednesday December 23:

In Thanksgiving of Brenda and Clifford Fernandez

Thursday December 24:

Christmas Eve

Friday December 25:

Christmas Day



St. Aidan's Parish

Invites parishioners to join in the

Weekly Advent Prayer & Reflection 7:00 - 7:45 pm

Via Zoom

Fourth Sunday December 20

hosted by the

St. Aidan St. Vincent de Paul

St. Aidan's Weekly Online **Advent Prayer and Reflection**

This Sunday evening will be the last Advent Prayer and Reflection. It will be from 7:00 pm to around 7:45 pm. Please see our website for information on how to access the link.



Chalice Gift Giving Ideas

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ALPHA IS STARTING ON Tuesday, Jan 19, 2021 at 7pm Online St. Aldan's Parish, Scarborough www.st.aidanssc.archtoronto.org

St. Aidan's Online Alpha Program

On January 19 we will be starting an online Alpha program. It will run for 11 weeks, every Tuesday evening. This Program is intended primarily for those who have questions about the Faith, who are not practicing their faith or who simply do not believe. Perhaps you know of someone who may benefit by this program. You may wish to accompany them on their journey by participating in this program yourself. We also need some volunteers to help facilitate this program and to pray for all the participants.



Church Open For Private Prayer

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. Saturday afternoons from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm, which will be confession time also. 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). Please note the changes to the Schedule during Christmas and New Year's.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

We THANK YOU for your unceasing support in helping us to serve our neighbours-in-need in our parish. On behalf of the many families you have helped throughout the year, we thank you for your prayers, for providing Thunder & Lightning casseroles for the Good Shepherd Food Centre, for your donations to the Poor Boxes, and donations given to the SVP container in the parking lot. We wish you and your loved ones a CHRISTMAS FILLED WITH LOVE, PEACE AND JOY FROM OUR LORD JESUS!

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"I will honor Christmas in my heart, and try to keep it all the year." (Charles Dickens)



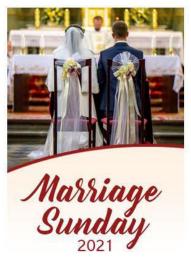
A big 'THANK YOU' from the CWL

The CWL St-Aidan Council Executive Committee would like to thank CWL members and parishioners who generously supported our fundraising efforts – the CWL online auction, CWL Coins for Charity, and through gift card purchases and donations. We recognize that 2020 has been a challenging year for many people, and we appreciate the extra effort you made to help us. Thanks to you we are able to continue to support charities that depend on our CWL donations each year.



<u>Christmas Holy Communion Services</u> <u>but no public Masses</u>

Our Cardinal has fought very hard to allow us to have public Masses for Christmas but it was not permitted. Instead, we have permission to conduct Communion Services. These will place every half hour starting Christmas Eve, December 24 from 6:00 to 9:00 pm, and Christmas Day from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Please remember that only 10 people allowed in the church at a time. Remember to sign in once you arrive. You will not be permitted to stay for prayer, since we need to make room for those coming to the next Communion Service. If there are a lot of people coming all at once, Fr. Steven will do Communion services back-to-back.



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 continue to strengthen our 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 milestone certificate for wedding anniversaries in 2021, please contact Fr. Steven.

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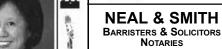
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