St. Aidan Roman Catholic Church FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT MASS INTENTIONS February 21, 2021

Saturday February 20:

- + Carl Branco
- + Maria Olga de Souza
 Deceased Members of Patterson
 and Nugara Families
 Dave & Bonnie Weir
 Neil & Donna Stephens
 Special Intention of Myla and
 Christopher Family
 Birthday Blessings for Aris
 Dometita

Sunday February 21:

Pro - Populo

Monday February 22:

+ Carmelle Harrison

Tuesday February 23:

+ Doris, Virginia & Wendy

Wednesday February 24:

+ Ben Dante Mino & Maria-Colombe (Baril) Mino

Thursday February 25:

+ Maggie Braganza Alphonso

Friday February 26:

In Thanksgiving of Ylagan and McCleod Families



Bundle-up Weekend

March 6th and 7th: Please support the SVP Program by bringing in your gently used clothes and household linens. The SVP truck will be in the parking lot on the above dates. Thank you for your support.





Your Offertory and SVP Income tax receipts for 2020 are ready

Please come to the church during our prayer time schedule to pick up your receipts (check schedule on our website). We will not mail them all out since most people don't pick up their receipts. Please ask Rose, our secretary or Amable, our custodian, to retrieve your receipts. The SVP receipts can be picked up at the same time.



Sunday Communion Services will Continue

It is possible that we may soon be able to have public Mass again. Check our website Note that for Sunday to keep posted. Masses you will need to preregister on our parish website. For the time being our Communion Services will continue on Sundays from 9:00 am to 12:30 pm. No need to pre-register, just print your name and contact info when you arrive. Note only ten people allowed in the church building at any given time, which means you will have to wait outside the church building until enough people have exited. Please maintain social distancing. If it is cold or there is a long line, you may need to stay in your cars to stay warm.



St. Aidan's Church is open for private prayer

The church will continue to be 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). Note that Sundays 9:00 am to 12:30 pm will be for Communion Services only. Note also the schedule for Ash Wednesday and the following three days. There will be no prayer time when Ashes are distributed.



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Bible Study at St. Aidan's

Starting on Sunday, February 21; every Sunday from 1:30 pm to 2:40 pm. We will be examining Scott Hahn's Journey through Scripture, with a focus on the scriptural connections to the Mass. Time permitting, we will also begin studying the Jeff Cavin's Bible Timeline. For more information or to register, please contact the Bible Study Facilitator:

Maurino Alphonso (416-564-6471)

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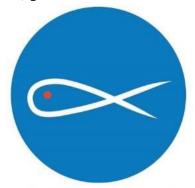
Looking for new Finance Council Members

The terms for the existing Finance Council members will come to an end and so we need to transition by taking on more new members. We are looking for someone who knowledge and experience has finances. Individuals who have knowledge of properties and legal matters could also be beneficial Council. to the Finance Membership is for 3 years, though it can be renewed. Meetings are usually once a month. If you are interested, please speak to Fr. Steven.



Looking for Volunteer Counters

Although we have a good number of volunteer counters to help count the weekly donations, we are looking for more volunteers. Some of our counters have not been able to participate in the weekly counting due to concerns about the spread of the virus, especially if they have elderly family members at home. If you are willing to help with the counting process at this time, please contact Fr. Steven.



St. Vincent de Paul

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

We have now entered the season of Lent. During Lent, we are called to intensify our prayer-life, practice self-denial and apply ourselves more zealously to alms-giving.

Please remember the **POOR BOX** on your way out of the Church. Due to your kind generosity, we are able to help the less fortunate of our Parish.

The SVP tax receipts for <u>2020</u> are available for pick up at the gift shop.

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Stations of the Cross During Lent

One great way to deepen our spiritual life during Lent is praying the Stations of The Cross and Rosary every day. To help us, the following groups have organized these at our parish every Friday at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom; please note time on Good Friday (April 2nd).

- **February 19** Parish Youths
- **February 26** Catholic Women's League
- March 5 Knights of Columbus
- March 12 St. Vincent de Paul
- March 19 Legion of Mary: Living Rosary (Day of Solemnity - no Way of The Cross)
- March 26 Legion of Mary: Way of The Cross
- April 2 (Good Friday) Way of The Cross at <u>6:00 pm</u>, followed by Scriptural Rosary

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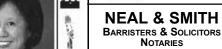
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