

**St. Aidan Roman Catholic Church**

**TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY**

**IN ORDINARY TIME**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**SEPTEMBER 5, 2021**



**Register  
for Mass**

**Pre-registration  
for Sunday  
Masses**

**Saturday September 4:**

5:00 pm: In Thanksgiving of Timothy Vasquez  
In Thanksgiving of Shaline and  
Marko Franjic  
Ravi Joseph  
+ Alejandra & Justino Lanoy  
+ S.K. Chin  
+ Fr. John Fernandes  
+ Leila Edward  
+ James George  
Holy Souls in Purgatory

**Sunday September 5:**

9:00 am: Celebrant's Intention

10:30 am: Celebrant's Intention

12:00 pm: Pro-Populo

**Monday September 6:**

9:00 am: + Neville Pereira

**Tuesday September 7:**

9:00 am: + Patrick Edward Henry Harrison,  
Lucette Cloutier & Isobel Harrison Brown

**Wednesday September 8:**

9:00 am: Our Lady's Intentions

7:30 pm: + Manuel Sr. & Felisa Tan

**Thursday September 9:**

9:00 am: In Honour of Blessed Frederic  
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**Friday September 10:**

9:30 am Celebrant Intentions

7:30 pm: + Virginia & Francisco Tan

**Saturday September 11:**

9:00 am: Celebrant's Intention

Due to the need for social distancing our church capacity is limited. **For Sunday Masses you need to pre-register.** Online registrations begin Tuesday morning at 6:00 am for the coming Sunday Masses. We can also use the Hall for Sunday Masses. Pre-registration for the Hall will only begin once almost all the spaces are filled for the Church. For Weekday Masses just show up and sign in when you arrive. If for some reason you can't make it for the Sunday Mass you signed up for, please be considerate enough to indicate the change, and make your spot available for others. Instructions are provided on the website on how to do this. You can only sign up for yourself and your immediate family living with you. After Sunday Masses, if you can help sanitize the pews as well as the chairs in the Hall, it would be very much appreciated.



**Donations to  
be placed into  
the large  
wooden box  
on your way in.**

**Please continue to practice all safety protocols including the wearing of face masks.**

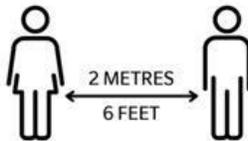


## Confessions

**Confessions will be heard in Fr. Steven's Office for roughly 20 minutes before each Mass; as well as Saturdays from 4:00 to 4:55 pm. Please note that confessions end 5 minutes before Mass is to begin.** Fr. Steven will sanitize the kneeler after each penitent.



## Wearing of Face Masks and Social Distancing



Just a reminder that we still need to wear face masks and to maintain social distancing. There have been complaints about people not wearing their masks properly. ***The face mask should be covering your mouth and nose.***



## Spiritus Via Event for Youth

Spiritus Via invites young adults (ages 19-35) from local parishes in the Eastern Region of the Archdiocese of Toronto to come together to learn and grow in faith, build community and belonging, and give back. We are holding our Social Kick Off this **Wednesday September 8th at 7pm at St. Lawrence Parish.**

Join us for some fun, fellowship and food at our outdoor social! A small meal and beverage will be provided at St. Lawrence Parish. Then we will walk over to McGregor Park for some friendly competitive games, for those who are interested. Registration is required - <https://bit.ly/2WISarm>.

**Contact Ronald Perinpanayagam at 647-960-6719 for more information.**



## Knights of Columbus 50-50 Draw



## Collection for the Holy Land

The Knights of Columbus is holding a province wide 50-50 Online Raffle supporting the Ontario KofC Charities Foundation, with a portion coming back to support our local Council. The current estimated prize is just over \$26,000 (as of August 31)! **Draws are held every quarter, with the next draw happening September 30, 2021**. Please consider supporting the Knights and getting a chance to win some prizes. Use the link below to buy tickets and have them associated with our local Council:

<https://ontariokofcraffle.5050central.com/?olc=11332>. You must be 18 years of age or older to participate.

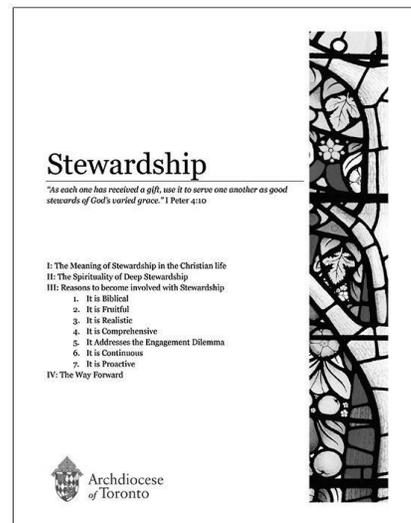


Rite of Christian Initiation  
for Adults

## Interested in becoming Catholic?

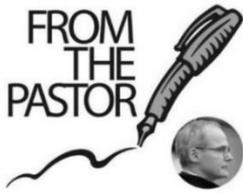
If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic, contact our parish. Classes for RCIA (the Right of Christian Initiation for Adults) will begin at the beginning of October. Classes will be primarily online, though we hope to be able to meet in person occasionally. You can find our [RCIA Application Form](#) on our parish website.

Due to increased need, on account of the pandemic, we will be having another special collection for the needs of the Holy Land. **This will take place on the weekend of September 11/12**. Envelopes can be picked up this weekend. Place donations into the large box at the entrance of the church. Thank you for your generosity.



## Stewardship Sunday

Cardinal Thomas Collins has announced the institution of Stewardship Sunday as an annual occurrence across the entire Archdiocese on the 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time. **Stewardship Sunday will be on September 19 this year**. The Cardinal has prepared [a homily for Stewardship Sunday 2021](#) and asks that it be made available to parishioners.



## Update Regarding New Petition Regarding the Tabernacle

We have contacted three different liturgical companies to get a rough estimate of moving the tabernacle, and also enhancing the sanctuary area if the tabernacle were to be moved. We are still waiting for their proposals. Once we have this information and review it, we will make it available, along with some of the pros and cons of moving the tabernacle to the centre or keeping it where it is. We will then have a new petition for moving the tabernacle or keeping it where it is. **Those who have signed our previous petitions will need to sign again. *If more people want the tabernacle moved, we will still need to have approval from the Archdiocese.***



## Receiving Holy Communion and bringing Communion to the Sick

**The safety protocols still require that the recipient of Holy Communion steps 6 feet to the side to receive Holy Communion. It is essential that the communicant receives Communion in such a way that it is clear to the Minister of Communion that the Sacred Host has been consumed.** We have asked our Ushers to help monitor this for Sunday Masses. Satanists want to steal consecrated Hosts from Catholic Churches in order to blaspheme and abuse Our Lord truly present in the Eucharist.

Some people at Mass are slipping the Host under their masks or walking away with the Host. **This is not appropriate. Receive in such a way that it is clear that you have consumed the Sacred Host.** Those who wish to bring Communion to their sick loved one, **must speak to Fr. Steven first** and should **only** receive Communion from Fr. Steven, **not** the Extraordinary Ministers of Communion.



St. Vincent de Paul

## Society of St. Vincent de Paul

**September 9th** - Feast Day of our Founder - Blessed Frederic Ozanam

*Charity must never look back, but always ahead, for the number of its past benefits is always quite small, as the present and future miseries it should alleviate are infinite" - **Blessed Frederic Ozanam.***

Blessed Frederic Ozanam dedication to social reform and Christian social Justice continues to move us deeply. When you donate to the "**Poor Box**" you are performing a good work, far greater than you think. *"A blessing from the poor are a blessing from God" - **Blessed Frederic Ozanam.***

Please support the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul to continue Blessed Ozanam's active work of Christian charity and pray that he will soon be canonized by the Church.

**Tel: 647-772-1319** [www.svdptoronto.org](http://www.svdptoronto.org)



**Today is  
Bundle Up  
Weekend;  
September  
4 and 5**

You can bring 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 Saturday and Sunday.** We look forward to your support. Thank you for your generosity.



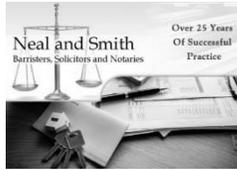
**Wednesday September 8**

On **September 8th** we celebrate the birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This year also marks the 100th anniversary of the foundation of the Legion of Mary. It was founded by Frank Duff on September 8, 1921. **In honour of Our Lady and of the Legion of Mary we will have a morning Mass at 9:00 (in addition to the evening 7:30 Mass).** The Legion of Mary will have rosaries, miraculous medals and some goodies to give out to parishioners at both the morning and evening Masses. **They will also conduct an online Living Rosary at 6:00 pm on Wednesday September 8.** The link will be available on our parish website.

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Executive: 1st Mondays

General: 3rd Mondays

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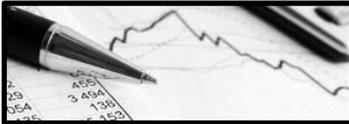
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