St. Aidan Roman Catholic Church SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME MASS INTENTIONS January 16, 2022

Saturday January 15:

5:00 pm: Peace for Lebanon

- + Ninette & Jerom Pepin
 - + Segundina Mariano
 - + Ria Wardojo
 - + Maureen Gomes
- + Christopher Fernandes
- + Daniel Tubongbanua

Deceased Members of Manrique, Cayao, Hashim Families

Sunday January 16:

9:00 am: + Vera Creron

10:30 am: + Benson Galong

12:00 pm: Pro-Populo

Monday January 17:

9:00 am: + Carmelle Harrison

Tuesday January 18:

9:00 am: Deceased Members of Ferrao Family

Wednesday January 19:

7:30 pm: Sherry Ebalo

Thursday January 20:

9:00 am: + Luigi Maringloa

Friday January 21:

9:30 am: Celebrant Intentions

7:30 pm: + Patrick Edward Harrison,

Lucette Cloutier and Isobel Harrison Brown

Saturday January 22:

9:00 am: Celebrant's Intentions



Directives from the Archdiocese in light of increasing positive cases

We can continue with Masses with **50% capacity**, which doesn't change our present capacity limits due to the need for social distancing. The Archdiocese is reminding everyone to maintain safety protocols: hand sanitization, social distancing and wearing a face mask. Meetings should be online and congregational singing is not allowed.

For anyone who tests positive for Covid-19, Ontario has also changed the required isolation period based on growing evidence that generally healthy people with Covid-19 are most infectious in the two days before and three days after symptoms develop. "Individuals with Covid-19 who are vaccinated, as well as children under 12, will be required to isolate for five days following the onset of symptoms. Their household contacts are also required to isolate with them. These individuals can end isolation after five days if their symptoms are improved for at least 24 hours and all public health and safety measures, such as masking and physical distancing, are followed. Non-household contacts are required to self-monitor for ten days. Individuals who are unvaccinated, partially vaccinated or immunocompromised will be required to isolate for 10 days."

Those feeling even slightly unwell should not attend Mass at this time. Parishioners should avoid congregating in large groups before or after Mass.



Alpha Film Series

We are all so busy we can easily neglect the most important things in our lives; our loved ones and our relationship with God. The Alpha program is a wonderful opportunity to discuss the most essential aspects of our faith, while making connections and building community at the same time. How well can you explain the faith to others? How much has your faith changed your life? How much has your faith impacted the lives of others? Alpha can benefit you in each of these areas. We are hoping you will consider participating or helping us facilitate online conversations with participants. This is a wonderful opportunity to be more active and vocal about your faith. Please consider joining us. There will be 11 sessions, on Wednesday evenings at 7 pm, from January 19 to March 30. <u>Please see our website for more info and to sign up.</u>

32nd Annual Ordinandi March 1, 2022 Spiritual Bouquet

Category	Number
Masses	
Rosaries	
Eucharistic Adorations	
Visits to The Blessed	
Sacrament	
Stations of the Cross	
Sacrifices	

32nd Annual Ordinandi March 1, 2022: Spiritual Bouquet

CWL of our parish are putting together a spiritual bouquet to the 2022 Ordinandi.

This will be presented on behalf of the **CWL members to the 2022 Ordinandis** (soon to be ordained Priest). The **Spiritual Bouquet** contains the collective commitment of spiritual prayers and devotions

What is a **Spiritual Bouquet**:

- Is a collection of prayers or devotions
- Is an offering carried out freely and lovingly
- Is free of any monetary exchange
- Is open to begin now or in the upcoming months
- Can be completed over the period of the year
- Is carried out individually or with others such as in a family or a group setting
- Is open to all CWL members, parishioners, parish organizations and Youth

Please fill in the form (as per above and also on our parish website and parish Facebook pages) and return to me or you may call me with your contributions of prayers at **647-877-6700** or email at **Exclarent1987a@gmail.com**

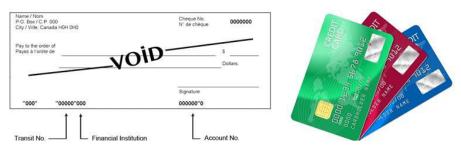
(For example, you can offer Masses 3, Rosaries 3, Chaplets 5, etc. whatever number you wish to commit)

The deadline to receive your offering is <u>January 21st, 2022</u>. Please continue to pray for our seminarians and God bless you.

Nelly Sanchez

Christian Family Life Chair

Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG)



Pre-Authorized Giving

The Archdiocese of Toronto has established a **Pre-Authorized Giving** plan **(PAG)** to assist you in your support of the work of the parish through your regular parish offerings. To accomplish the mission entrusted to us by Christ, the parishes depend entirely on the generosity of their parishioners. **Pre-authorized giving** allows you to give to your parish through scheduled monthly transfers from your bank account or credit card. These funds are then deposited directly to the parish account. There are various benefits of participating in pre-authorized giving, both for you and for your parish.

Advantages for you:

- ✓ The convenience of having your offering automatically contributed to the parish.
- ✓ Knowing you continue to support the parish even when you are away.
- ✓ Continual support of ministries and programs funded through the parish.

Advantages for the Parish:

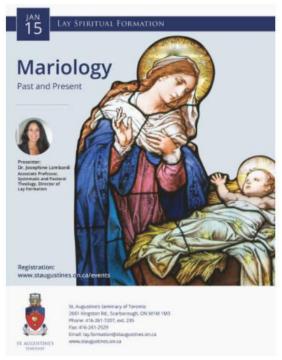
- ✓ Regular, dependable contributions to the parish.
- ✓ Reduction of cash on hand.
- ✓ Reduction of paperwork.

For information on how to enroll, please contact your parish office or email development@archtoronto.org



Live Streaming of Weddings or Funerals

If you are interested in live streaming a church event, we are asking for \$300 to help us cover the costs of purchasing, maintaining and running the equipment.



St. Augustine's Seminary Workshop for the Laity

Learn more about Our Lady and how she intercedes on our behalf, accompanying us on our faith journey with prayers and love.

If you are interested in learning more about Mary's role in salvation history, including the Church's belief regarding Mary, please join the next lay spiritual formation workshop on **Saturday, January 15**. There will be focus on biblical accounts, Marian dogma, and new developments in the area of Mariology.

This workshop is timely since Pope Francis is encouraging us to place ourselves under the protection of Mary. This is his recommendation for 2022. *Workshop will be conducted by Josephine Lombardi.*

Register using St. Augustine's events page. The cost is \$25.00 plus HST. The event will be virtual, using ZOOM, starting at 9:30 am and ending around 1:00 pm. There will be an opportunity for sharing and asking questions.



Live Streaming of Sunday 10:30 am Mass

Please note that the Sunday 10:30 am Mass will be regularly live-streamed.



Votive Candles

Please note that the cost for the large votive candles has gone up. **We will be charging \$5 for the large votive candles.** Candles can be purchased from the Gift Shop or by speaking to Amable, our Custodian.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

We thank St. Vincent, our Patron, for pointing out the way we should go: "Let us do our duty well; let us work to become very humble, very patient, and very charitable." Thank you for contribution to the POOR BOX, to help our neighbours in need of our parish.

Thank you also for your making the Thunder & Lightning casseroles for the homeless at the Good the Shepherd Centre.

The Poor Box collection for December 2021 was \$3996.65. We look forward to your continued support.

God bless you for your generosity.

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