

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Vocation Seeds

Our second Scripture reading reminds us that we are to love, not in word and speech only, but in truth and action. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or permanent deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416 968 0997

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ShareLife

Share the love with our beloved seniors through ShareLife - ShareLife Sunday

Last year, ShareLife supporters like you offered quality care and companionship to over 2,300 vulnerable seniors.

“The largest thank you to all ShareLife donors for your continued generosity! With your support, our centre is able to provide assistance to seniors in need through our community programs.” - Jaymie Daunt, LA Centre for Active Seniors

Thus far, we have raised \$24,451.75 toward our goal of \$63, 200.

St Anthony's Novena Masses

St. Anthony's Tuesday Novena Masses will take place every Tuesday at 7:30pm followed by Novena Prayers to St. Anthony and Benediction. You are welcome to write your intentions on a slip of paper and leave it in the basket by St. Anthony's statue. The intentions will be blessed and offered up every Tuesday during the Novena Masses.

Mary Help of Christians

The Legion of Mary invites everyone to attend their monthly Patrician meeting which will be conducted on the 3rd Saturday of every month in the church hall, after the 9:00 am morning Mass. The first Patrician meeting will be on the topic of “**Power of the Miraculous Medal**”, and will be held on **Saturday May 18 from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm**. The purpose of a Patrician meeting is to enhance our knowledge and our ability to speak confidently and persuasively about our Catholic beliefs. We invite our parish family to come and learn more about our Catholic faith, in a friendly and social atmosphere. Coffee and biscuits will be served.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday April 27:

5:00 pm Birthday Blessings for Margarita Lacuna
50th Wedding Anniversary of Joan and
Max Menezes

+Robert D'Andria

+Jose Tadatada

+Janette Ann Jovero

+Felicitas James Nicholas

+Philip Chan

+Lorenzo Sr., Belen, Hector & Sheila

Sunday April 28:

9:00 am +Rafael Atizado & Maria Atizado

10:30 am +Eleneta Dolorico

12:00 pm Pro-Populo

Monday April 29:

9:00 am In Thanksgiving of Mildred Fanning

Tuesday April 30:

9:00 am Birthday Blessings for Heung To

7:30 pm St. Anthony Novena

Wednesday May 1:

7:30 pm Aidan Cosgrove Mulcahy

Victims of Wars, Addiction, Abuses and
Crimes

+John Chiu

+Fr. James Martin Reposkey

Thursday May 2:

9:00 am +Rodolfo Chan

Friday May 3:

9:30 am Celebrant's Intentions

7:30 pm Paul, Colleen & Malcolm

Saturday May 4:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intentions

Sanctuary Lamp

In Thanksgiving of Patterson Family

April 28, 2024

National March for Life in Ottawa

Please consider joining Fr. Steven and other parishioners for the March for Life in Ottawa on Thursday May 9. We will start with Mass at St. Aidan's at 6:00 am and leave the church for Ottawa at 6:30 am. We hope to be back at the parish by 9:30 pm. This event is being organized by the Knights of Columbus. Tickets for the bus are \$50 per person and will be sold after Sunday Mass.

Parish Movie Night

On Saturday May 11th, at 6:15 pm in the parish hall, we will be showing the documentary movie, "After Death". It deals with the study of Near Death Experiences and shows various individuals who actually died and miraculously came back to life. Have you ever wondered what it is like to die, and what the after life is like? If so, this movie will definitely interest you. The movie is about 1 hour and 45 minutes long. We will have a break and discussion with Fr. Steven half way through and at the end of the movie. Your attendance is free, pizza and pop will be available for \$5. Please notify the CWL in the Gift Shop to indicate that you will be attending, so they know how much pizza to order.

Out of the Cold

Help feed the homeless by making sandwiches and salad.

When: May 15

Time: 11:30 am to 1:00 pm

Where: Meeting Room 1 at St. Aidan

See bulletin board in the foyer for Sign-Up sheet or contact Wayne Wavryk at 416 254 9464 or wwavryk@gmail.com

Our Lady Wants to Visit your Home

St. Aidan's parish has a small replica pilgrim statue of Our Lady of the Cape that parishioners can request to visit their homes for a one or two week period. If you would like to have the pilgrim statue visit your home and have your family and friends gather to pray and obtain more of Our Lady's intercessory blessings, please contact:

Naomi Patterson: 647 380 4942 or

Gwen Faustin: 647 772 1319

Saint Aidan Book Club

The Book Club is meeting on Tuesday, May 14 at 5:30 pm at St Aidan's to discuss the book, "From Resentment to Forgiveness: A Gateway to Happiness" by Francisco Ugarte. The study of forgiveness is difficult, and it is difficult to live this virtue in practice. But it is one of the most important means to attain happiness, by resolving the principal obstacle to happiness, resentment. This book confronts this problem, studies it, and offers solutions to resolve it. To register, contact Rosario Dizao at 416-731-0484.

Our Lady of Fatima Procession

The Legion of Mary has organized an outdoor Marian Procession around the church on Saturday May 18th, after the 5:00 pm Mass. We would like to invite everyone to join us in honoring Our Lady of Fatima and obtaining her blessings for our families, church, community and country. The different ministries of the parish will participate in praying the rosary and singing various hymns. After the procession, there will be an opportunity for everyone to consecrate themselves to the Blessed Virgin Mary. We hope that you can join us for this faith filled witness to our devotion to Our Lady of Fatima.

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At the root of the practice of almsgiving is that "everyone should look upon his neighbor (without any exception) as 'another self', above all bearing in mind his life and the means necessary for living it with dignity" (CCC, No. 1931). This responsibility to care for our neighbors becomes even more important when it involves those who are disadvantaged (CCC, No. 1932).

God Bless you. We greatly appreciate your kind generosity in helping to make a difference.

Lifeteen Camp

St. Barnabas is hosting a Lifeteen Camp this summer (August 12-16) for high school kids (grades 9-12). This is a great opportunity for young Catholic teens to grow in their faith and meet other like-minded youths. For registration, please go to www.lifeteencampto.ca, or contact Kim Marania at stbarnabasscyouth@archtoronto.org