# TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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#### Vocation Seed

Did not God choose those who are poor in the eyes of the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the Kingdom? Count your blessings, then come and help others count theirs too, as a priest, religious or deacon. If you feel you have a vocation, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416 968 0997

email: vocations@archtoronto.org www.vocationstoronto.org

#### **ShareLife**

100,000 people in Toronto are expected to turn to food charities for the first time in 2024. Through our parish's support, ShareLife, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto, and a generous anonymous donor are committing \$750,000 to fund food banks and meal programs throughout the Archdiocese. Reaching our parish campaign goal will help to make these grants possible. We have currently raised \$51,293.25 towards our goal of \$63, 200.00. Please help combat hunger at sharelife.org/donate or giving at our parish using a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for your compassion.

#### Thank You

On behalf of the St. Aidan Knights of Columbus, GK Luis Dizon would like to thank all the brother Knights and parishioners who came out to our BBQ this past weekend and helped to make it a success. Your hard work and dedication is greatly appreciated. Also, congratulations to E. Rodrigues for winning the 50/50 raffle. To claim you prize, please call or text GK Luis at 647 882 6717.

# Bundle up for Saint Vincent de Paul September 7-8

This weekend The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will collect gently used clothing, shoes, and linens to support our neighbors in need. Please bring your donation to the truck/bin parked at the back of the church parking lot. The collection bin will be open all day on Saturday and Sunday. Volunteers will be available to assist with loading before and after each Mass. Properly secure your bags to keep items safe. Appliances, baby or regular furniture, books, mattresses, dishes, construction materials, and videotapes will not be accepted. For more information, please visit www.ssvptoronto.ca. Thank you for your continued support.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### **Saturday September 7:**

5:00 pm Intentions of Cheng Family

+Alejandra & Justino Lanoy

+Janelle Anne Jovero

+Carina Cano

+Santana Fernandes

+Lau Ying

+K. George Francis

+Allen Fernandez

Holy Souls in Purgatory

#### **Sunday September 8:**

9:00 am +Neville Pereira

10:30 am +Aloysius Kar On Leung

12:00 pm Pro-Populo

### **Monday September 9:**

9:00 am +Manuel Tan Sr. & Felisa Tan

# **Tuesday September 10:**

9:00 am +Clara & Charlaine Pereira

### Wednesday September 11:

7:30 pm Cheng Family

Bonnie & Dave Weir Family

+Rev Fr. Cremona

+Belen & Lorenzo Sr. Marin

Holy Souls in Purgatory

Living and Deceased Bishops, Priests,

Cops & Firemen

### **Thursday September 12:**

9:00 am +Luke Jan Nigli

### Friday September 13:

9:30 am Celebrant's Intentions

7:30 pm In Thanksgiving of Marilou Martinez

#### **Saturday September 14:**

9:00 am Celebrant's Intentions

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# Registrations for First Holy Communion and Confirmation Classes

Are starting up this September. Both Classes begin on Sunday, October 20th. There will also be an information session for parents on Sunday, October 6th, after the 12 noon Mass. Registration forms may be downloaded from the parish website. For more information, please contact our lay pastoral associate, Luis Dizon at 647-862-2717 or luis.dizon@mail.utoronto.ca

#### **Patrician Meeting**

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 9:00am Mass. The meeting will be on the topic of "Servant of God, Frank Duff", and will be held on Saturday, September 21 from 10:30am to 12:30 pm. The purpose of a Patrician meeting is to enhance our knowledge and 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.

#### Welcome New Parishioners

New parishioners who need donation envelopes are asked to register in the gift shop before and after all weekend Masses.

#### The Pope's Prayer Intentions

For the cry of the earth: We pray that each one of us will hear and take the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live in.

To read reflections on the Pope's Prayer Intentions, visit www.livingwithchrist.ca

Give thanks to God! O great and good Creator, how much do I owe you? How can I ever thank your infinite goodness? -St. Francis de Sales

#### Bingo and BBQ

The Social Committee of St. Aidan's invites you to a fun evening of Bingo and BBQ in our parish hall next weekend Saturday, September 14, from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm. The cost is \$20 and you will have numerous options for your BBQ dinner, which will be cooked on site

Starting this weekend tickets will be sold after all weekend Masses. Please contact;

Florinda D'Costa 416 499 0714 George Fernandes 416 493 0016 Gwen Faustin 647 300 9551

# "Spiritus East: BBQ Bash"

We are back and are beyond excited to see you on **September 11th, at St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish** at 7pm for our annual BBQ social kick-off! Join us for an amazing night filled with fun, fellowship, and incredible food! Calling all musicians! Please bring an instrument and join us for praise and worship around the campfire. We will end off the night with s'mores! Bring your friends and see you there! Please register via ocytoronto.org so we can get an accurate headcount of food.

For more information or to get involved, please contact Samantha Goh, Eastern Region Young Adult Minister at spirituueast@gmail.com or 416-599-7676.

# Society of St. Vincent de Paul Tel: 647 772 1319 www.svdptoronto.org

We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give. - Winston Churchill

We are grateful for your generosity.

### **Sayings of the Saints**

Jesus called Matthew: "Follow me." Following meant imitating the pattern of his life and not just walking after him. - St Bede

God cannot turn away his face from those who cast themselves at his feet with a humble and contrite heart. St. Alphonsus Liguori