

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday Mass Time Change

Today, Sunday July 5 our new and permanent Sunday Mass schedule will be 8:30 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm. Please be sure to adjust your alarms if this affects your regular routine of coming for Sunday Mass.

Availability for Confession

We usually have confession available for 20 minutes before all Masses and on Saturdays from 4 pm to 5 pm. All of us are encouraged to go to confession regularly. For those who may be handicapped and cannot access the confessional, you can arrange to meet with Fr. Steven in his office. Note that Fr. Steven needs to leave the confessional 5 minutes before weekday Masses, and 10 minutes before Friday evening Mass.

Access to the Parish Hall from School

For those of you who have to park at the school for Sunday Masses, please note that we will start unlocking the hall doors that open directly towards the school parking lot. This will make it easier for you to enter into the church or hall directly from the school parking lot.

Totus Tuus Summer Camp

Last year's Totus Tuus summer camp at St. Aidan's was a great success. This year our Totus Tuus Summer Camp will be from July 12 - 17. The day program for students in Grades 1 to 6 will cost \$100 per child. The evening program for students in Grades 6-12 will cost \$50. Students in Grade 6 can join either group. We will be ordering T-shirts near the end of June for the participants, so please register soon. We also need volunteers to help with both the day and evening camps, and to provide meals for the staff and volunteers. Contact Luis Dizon for more information at: luis.dizon@utonto.ca or 647-862-6717 or visit www.totustuutoronto.ca

Booking Masses in Advance

Please note that if you wish to book a Mass of a loved one, deceased or living, you need to book the Mass in advance. Usually, you need to book a few months in advance if you wish to be able to book the Mass on the date preferred. The suggested stipend or offering for the Mass is \$20. You can book a Mass intention after Sunday Masses in the Gift Shop or in the parish office during office hours.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday July 4:

5:00 pm Anthony & Stephen
Philip Rey delos Reyes
DeSouza Family
Birthday Blessings for Michael Fernando
In Thanksgiving of Geran Family
+Frenny Siganporia
+Rita Thomas
+Trinna Leitch
+David Hogg

Sunday July 5:

8:30am +Anselmo De Rosa

10:30 am +Aloysius Kar On Leung

12:30 pm Pro-Populo

Monday July 6:

9:00 am De Souza & Hogg Families

Tuesday July 7:

9:00 am +Tian Sang & Eugenia Tan

Wednesday July 8:

7:30 pm Victims of Wars and Abuse
+Mavis Gopalan
+Jackie & Teresa Dias
+Diana & Pino Caruso
+Stephen Chiney
+Alphonso Cajiles Jr.

Thursday July 9:

9:00 am +I Man Wong

Friday July 10:

9:30 am Celebrant's Intentions

7:30 pm +Erwin Coutinho

Saturday July 11:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intentions

Let the serenity of your spirit shine through your face.
Let the joy of your mind burst forth. Let words of
thanks break from your lips.— St. Peter Damian

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Humanitarian Relief - Venezuela Earthquake

A devastating series of earthquake struck north-central Venezuela on June 24, making it the country's largest seismic disaster in more than a century. As of June 29, official reports indicate more than 1,400 people have died, 3,000 people have been injured, thousands are reported missing, tens of thousands of families have been left homeless. If you wish to make a donation to aid humanitarian relief, you can make a cheque to "St. Aidan Church - Venezuela Earthquake", or online on the Archdiocesan website. Please continue to pray for all those affected by this tragic situation. Please use the envelopes marked Humanitarian Relief which are at the back of the church.

Turning Right from Parking Lot

Due to limited parking spaces for everyone, we ask that when driving out of the parking lot, you only turn right, especially after Sunday Masses. Do not turn left, you will be holding up cars behind you. If you need to go left, turn right and you can go around the block or you can pull into the front of the school next door where they have a roundabout, and you can turn left from there. Also try not to stop traffic in front of the church by dropping people off or picking them up. It is an act of kindness for you to want to do that for your loved one, but it is also an act of kindness towards other parishioners that you do not block the flow of traffic. Thank you for your cooperation.

Pastoral Reference

For a pastoral reference, individuals must meet all of the following requirements: you must be current registered parishioners with active envelope usage for a minimum of 6 months; attend Sunday Mass regularly; be in good canonical standing within the Catholic Church; and actively participate in the sacramental and pastoral life of the parish.

It is not earthly riches that make us happy,
but God who makes us happy, who is the
true riches of our minds.— St. Augustine

St. Aidan Book Club

Thank you everyone who came out for our book club meeting this past week. We are taking a break and meeting again on Tuesday September 22 at 6:30 pm. We will be discussing the book, "Into the Gray Zone" - a neuroscientist explores the border between life and death and reveals how he learned to communicate with patients in a vegetative or "gray zone" state.

Volunteers Needed for Parish Library

The parish library needs volunteers so it can open consistently for 15-20 minutes after each weekend Mass. This will allow parishioners to browse through and borrow from our interesting selection of 600+ books and DVDs for kids, teens and adults.

Ideally, we'd like three volunteers per Mass with each of them scheduled on a rotating weekly basis. This will also ensure we have adequate coverage if someone is away.

If you can volunteer for this ministry, please email staidansparishlibrary@gmail.com or call Patricia Lobo at 416-895-4621 specifying how often you can volunteer and for which weekend Mass. Thank you

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Everyone can experience joy and blessings of generosity, because everyone has something to give. - Jan Grace

2026 Summer Camp Opportunities for Children and Youth

Summer camps are being offered for children at 59 parishes inside the Archdiocese of Toronto this summer, with over 86 weeks of dates and locations to choose from. Parents who may be interested in having their kids attend a parish day camp can access the complete list of parishes, locations and dates here: ocytoronto.org/parish-camps and are encouraged to contact the parish of interest to register or get more information.

Holiness consists not in extraordinary actions,
but in performing your duties toward God,
yourself, and others well.
- St. Maximilian Kolbe -