# TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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#### Life Chain

Our Yearly Life Chain takes place this Sunday, October 5th from 2 to 3 PM at the corners of Finch and Warden. While praying individually, we will hold various signs for the protection of the unborn and for pregnant mothers. Please take advantage of this opportunity to expose the truth and to promote the kingdom of God. Please stand only on the side of the road opposite to where the cars stop for a red light. Stand 10 feet apart from each other. This event is being organized by the Knights of Columbus of St. Aidan's.

## **Healing Mass with Fr. Ivo Pavic**

Fr. Ivo Pavic is a Franciscan from the diocese of Bosnia and Herzogovina. He has conducted spiritual retreats in many countries all around the world. On Monday October 6th, from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm, here at St. Aidan's church, Fr. Ivo Pavic will conduct a healing service, consisting of the Rosary, Holy Mass, individual prayers over people and personal testimonies. A good will offering will be taken up at the Mass.

# **Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund**

Catholics through out the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection this weekend of October 4/5, to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The collection is part of a national grassroots effort to assist healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land.

To date, the Archdiocese of Toronto has allocated \$3.1 million to support projects that focus on culture and language revitalization, education and community building, healing and reconciliation for communities and dialogue involving Indigenous elders, spiritual leaders and youth.

Let us join together and follow the invitation extended by the late Pope Francis during his penitential visit of 2022 for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey. For more information or to donate online, visit:

www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation - thank you for your generosity!

Envelopes for this collection are at the back of the church.

The Annual Knights of Columbus Thanksgiving Food Drive will be running from the weekend of September 27 until October 12 in support of Rosalie Hall and Good Shepherd Ministry. A list of especially needed items will be posted.

#### MASS INTENTIONS

## **Saturday October 4:**

5:00 pm Lily Llamas

Birthday Blessings for Deacon Peter Lee

+Desposorio Maagma Jr.

+Mavis Gopalan

+Madhab Das

+Leticia Dagdag

+Biatriz & Pedro Yurong

+Nestor, Jesus & Simplicia Obsioma

### **Sunday October 5:**

9:00 am +Jose, Teresa, Santiago Garin

10:30 am +Aloysius Kar On Leung

12:00 pm Pro-Populo

# Monday October 6:

9:00 am +Teresa Sebastian

#### **Tuesday October 7:**

9:00 am In Thanksgiving of Lesley Wai

## Wednesday October 8:

7:30 pm +Neville Pereira

+Josephine Veerasantharam

+David Hogg

+Francis & Conception D'Costa

+Angelito Labampa

### **Thursday October 9:**

9:00 am +Luke Jan Nigli

### Friday October 10:

9:30 am Celebrant's Intention

7:30 pm +Al Jacob

#### **Saturday October 11:**

9:00 am Celebrant's Intention

### **Sanctuary Lamp**

Moss & Stuart Family

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# **Living Rosary**

October is the month of the Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Legion of Mary of our parish will conduct a Living Rosary on October 8th at 6pm followed by Mass at 7:30 pm. Everyone is invited to join in praying the rosary.

## **Movie Night**

Thanks to our Catholic Women's League and the Knights of Columbus our next Movie Night will be on Saturday October 18, right after the 5:00 pm Mass, starting at 6:15. We will be showing the movie, "I Believe". It is about a 9 year old boy whose newfound faith impacts everyone around him. We will have a group discussion halfway through the movie and at the end of the movie. The movie is one and a half hours long. Our movie nights are free. We are selling pizza and popcorn with water for \$5. If you know you will be attending and requesting pizza, please register in advance at our Gift Shop so they know how much pizza to order.

#### Catholic Youth

Young people today need proper formation and good peer support. The Federation of North-American Explorers (FNE) is a Catholic youth movement with a mission to help all members grow in virtue and goodness. Their website states, "our mission is a bold one: to help our members become everyday saints and through them to bring God's joy and peace to the families and communities of North America. We do this through camping, playing, cooking, the outdoors, helping others along with a deep sense of brotherhood or sisterhood." This organization is becoming more popular with newer groups meeting in various parishes across Toronto. The Timberwolves is just one part of FNE and it is for girls ages 8 to 12. They meet twice a month here at St. Aidan's. Since the Timberwolves meet at St. Aidan's, a few spots have been reserved for young girls of St. Aidan parishioners. Please visit https://fneexplorers.com for more information, either for your son or daughter. If your daughter is interested in joining the group that meets here at St. Aidan's, please email them at: singumtws@gmail.com

# Canada Needs Our Lady Public Rosary Rally, Saturday October 11

Once again, you are all invited with family and friends for the annual Public Rosary Rally to be held on Saturday October 11 at 12 noon. Please save the date!

This will take place by the side of St. Aidan Church facing the Finch Avenue East.

Our Nation is in great need of public prayer, repentance and conversion. We ask God to save Canada through the Rosary of His Most Holy Mother.

Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery & Funeral Home will be hosting a **Planning Ahead Information Session** on **Tuesday October 7 at 7:00 PM.** This evening event will provide valuable information on the benefits of planning ahead for funeral and cemetery needs, Including:

- Easing stress for family members
- Locking in today's price
- Flexible payment options
- Ensuring personal wishes are honoured

Details

Holy Cross Catholic Funeral Home located at 211 Langstaff Rd. East, Thornhill

Refreshments will be served

Complimentary Estate Planning Guide for all attendees

RSVP: 905-889-7467 ext. 1 or by email at

holycrossinquiry@cc-fs.ca

#### **Festival of Lights**

The Knights of Columbus has organized the annual day trip to Niagara Falls, Ontario on Thursday November 20th. The cost is \$55.00 and booking deadline is October 20th. Fr. Steven will celebrate Mass at the National Shrine of St. Therese of Lisieux. The Shrine is one of the designated Jubilee pilgrimage sites in the Diocese of St. Catherines.

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No one is more cherished in this world than someone who lightens the burden of another. - Author Unknown