

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Booking Mass Intentions

Some people are having trouble booking Masses since others have booked an exceedingly large amount of Masses far in advance. Since this is not fair to others, the following new guidelines will have to be observed. Individuals (or families) can only book one intention for a particular week. Bookings will only be accepted two months in advance (for example, bookings for the month of January will only be accepted in November; bookings for February will only be accepted in December etc.) Individuals (or families) are only permitted to book two intentions for a particular month.

Bingo and BBQ

The Social Committee of St. Aidan invites you to a fun evening of Bingo and BBQ in our parish hall on Saturday September 19, from 6 pm to 9 pm. The cost is \$20 and you will have different choices for your BBQ dinner, which will be cooked on site. This weekend tickets will be sold after all Masses in the foyer. Contacts: Adrian Muscat Drago - 647-523-4751; Gwyneth Faustin -647-300-9551; George Fernandes- 416-493-0016.

Not too late to Join Alpha

Each session is on Tues. evenings 6:45 to 8:30 in the parish hall.

Each session includes: Free dinner, engaging talk and small group discussion. Here are the upcoming topics of discussion:

August 29 - "HOLY SPIRIT Weekend" (Saturday)

September 1 - "EVIL: How Can I Resist Evil?"

September 15- "Church: What About the Church?"

Please contact:

Marlyn - 647-618-3495 or

Edith - 416-493-6608

Bundle up for Saint Vincent de Paul-Sept. 5/6

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul St. Aidan Conference is focusing on textiles, shoes, clothing, beddings, draperies, and small household goods on the weekend of Sept.5/6 to support our Neighbors in Need (NINs). Please bring your donation to the truck or bin parked at the back of the church parking lot. The collection bin will be open on Sat. and Sun. from 8 am to 8 pm. Volunteers will be available to assist with loading before and after Mass. Please secure your bags to keep the items safe. Appliances, baby or standard furniture, books, mattresses, dishes, building materials, and videotapes are not accepted. For more information please visit www.ssvptoronto.ca. Thank you!

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday August 29:

5:00 pm Stephen, Jackie, Brian, Caroline Cheng
Vick Chui

Those Afflicted with Disaster

+Mariano Orosa-Aceron

+Celestine de Castro

+Desposorio Maagma Jr.

+Christopher Fernandes

+David Hogg

Souls in Purgatory

Sunday August 30:

8:30 am Birthday Blessings for Carl Eballo

10:30 am In Thanksgiving of Pais Family

12:30 pm Pro-Populo

Monday August 31:

9:00 am De Souza Family

7:30 pm St. Aidan Feast Day

Tuesday September 1:

9:00 am Pearl Radcliff & Family

Wednesday September 2:

7:30 pm In Thanksgiving

40th Wedding Anniversary of Antony and
Sharmini

+Pedro & Eugenia Daddon

+Philomeno Fernandes

+Neil Anandappa

+Leonila Culnan

Thursday September 3:

9:00 am +Sit Kee Chin

Friday September 4:

9:30 am Celebrant's Intentions

7:30 pm In Thanksgiving of Timothy Jan Vasquez

Saturday September 5:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intentions

August 29, 2026

Celebration of the Feast Day of St. Aidan

Inviting all parishioners to come celebrate the Feast Day of St. Aidan on Monday August 31 with a Holy Mass at 7:30 pm. Light refreshments to follow in the parish hall after the Mass. Novena prayers to St. Aidan will also be recited starting August 22 during all weekday and weekend Masses leading to his Feast Day.

Your Aesthetic Intelligence

The journey of discovering your true colours

Do you wish to elevate your presence at work, your success in relationships?

Do you want to present the best of yourself on different occasions?

Do you wish to maximize your outfits combination even with fewer pieces?

Come out for a free session to find out together on Saturday Sept. 12 from 10:30 am to 12 noon in meeting Room 1. This session will be for men only. Our presenter will be Jenny Lo who has done similar presentations in the community. You can register by calling at 647-800-8087.

Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mexico

You are invited to consider joining Fr. Steven for a pilgrimage to Mexico City and Puebla, from February 19 to 26, 2027. The cost per person, double occupancy, is \$4,500, or \$4,150 if there are more than 20 registered. The pilgrimage is organized by Global Travel. For more information, contact Phoebe Nguyen at 416-518-1113 or phoebenguyen.global@gmail.com

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 after Sunday Masses (including the Sat. 5 pm Mass). 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 there is 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.

Canadian Missions Collection– August 29/30

The “Canadian Missions” collection held annually supports two missionary projects. First, it supports the two northern dioceses that have been twinned with the Archdiocese of Toronto. They include: the Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan, centered in Grand Prairie, Alberta, and the Diocese of McKenzie-Fort Smith, centered in Yellowknife, NWT. Secondly, the same collection supports several other low-income dioceses across Canada which are part of the national organization called “Catholic Missions in Canada (CMIC).” Thank you for your support of this important work! Envelopes for this collections are at the back of the church for collection next weekend August 29/30.

All Night Vigil of Adoration on First Friday, Sept. 4

After the 7:30 pm Mass on Friday, Sept. 4 we will have an all-night vigil of adoration, with Our Eucharist Lord exposed for our adoration on the altar. The purpose of such an event is to imitate Our Lord who spent entire nights in prayer. This can be done to make reparation for the sins of mankind, to gain graces for oneself and others, and to grow in one’s relationship with God. For security reasons, we will lock the church doors at around midnight. Adoration will end just before the morning Saturday 9:00 am Mass with Benediction.

Living Rosary

The Legion of Mary of our parish will conduct Living Rosary on Saturday September 5th after the 9 am Mass in celebration of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, which is on Tuesday September 8. It will be followed by a celebration in the parish hall with ice cream and cake. Come and join us in the celebration.

Knights of Columbus Summer BBQ

The Knights of Columbus will have their annual BBQ this weekend of August 29/30. Tickets will cost \$10 which include a hotdog or burger, a pop, and salad. Popcicles will also be sold for an additional \$1 each. Tickets will be sold on site.

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As we work to create light for others, we naturally light our own way. - Mary Anne Radmacher

The love of truth seeks out the quiet of contemplation.—
St. Augustine