

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Vocation Seeds

“You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul and with all your mind.” Live in that love in the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life.

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Envelopes for All Souls

Envelopes for the repose of the souls of your loved ones will be provided for the month of November, which is the month dedicated to honouring our deceased loved ones and praying for them. You can write their names on the envelope and drop them into the box which will be placed by the Pieta Statue. Although each Mass will be offered for specific intentions which have been booked, we will remember especially those whose names are written on the envelopes of remembrance in all the Masses in the month of November.

All Night Vigil of Adoration on First Friday

After the 7:30 pm Mass on Friday November 3 we will have an all night vigil of adoration, with Our Eucharist Lord exposed for our Adoration on the altar. The purpose of an all night vigil is to imitate Our Lord who spent entire nights in prayer. You can do this to make reparation for the sins of mankind, to gain graces for yourself and others, and to grow in relationship with God. For security reasons, we will lock the church doors around midnight. Adoration ends just before the morning Saturday 9:00 am Mass.

Advent Day of Reflection/Retreat

The CWL of our parish have organized a mini retreat for Saturday December 2 from 9:00 am to 12 noon, beginning with Mass at 9:00 am, Eucharistic Adoration and various reflections. Fr. Sam Samuel from Divine Mercy Retreat Centre will be conducting the retreat. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Out of the Cold

Help feed the homeless by making sandwiches and salads.

When: November 5th; Time: 11:30am to 1:00pm;

Where: Meeting Room 1 at St. Aidan's

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday October 28:

5:00 pm Birthday Blessings for Samantha Ng
Birthday Blessings for Luisa Chan
Wedding Blessings for Carlos Lacuna and Karin Ulu

David Jose
+Basilio Sanchez
+David Yu-Tin Kong
+Guilherme & Esther De Souza
+Rosa Loong

Sunday October 29:

9:00 am In Thanksgiving of Florinda D'Souza

10:30 am In Thanksgiving of Huang Family

12:00 pm Pro - Populo

Monday October 30:

9:00 am +Chona Chan

Tuesday October 31:

9:00 am +Herminia & Felisa tan

Wednesday November 1:

9:00 am All Saints

7:30 pm All Saints

Thursday November 2

9:00 am All Souls

12 noon All Souls

7:30 pm All Souls

Friday November 3:

9:30 am Celebrant's Intention

7:30 pm Special Intention of Karl & Colleen

Saturday October 28:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intention

Praise and bless my Lord, give thanks and serve him with great humility. - St. Francis of Assisi

October 29, 2023

All Saints and All Souls Day

Wednesday November 1 is the Feast of All Saints and Thursday November 2 is All Souls Day. The Tradition for All Souls is that a priest is permitted to celebrate 3 Masses on that day. On Thursday November 2 we will have Mass at 9:00 am, 12 noon, and 7:30 pm.

Gaining of Indulgences for Month of November

A plenary indulgence, applicable only to the souls in purgatory, is granted to those who visit a cemetery and pray for the departed any day during the days of November 1 to 8. Conditions for gaining an indulgence: Receive Holy Communion, go to confession during the period of 20 days before or after the indulgenced act, pray one Our Father and one Hail Mary for the Holy Father's intentions, be free from attachment to sin, including venial sin. A full or plenary indulgence does away with all the temporal punishment due to sin. If the conditions are not fully met only a partial indulgence is gained.

Parish Carpooling Visit to Pine Hills Cemetery

On Saturday November 4, right after the 9:00 am Mass, Fr. Steven will lead interested parishioners to Pine Hills Cemetery. We are planning to carpool so if there are any willing drivers, that would be much appreciated. Pine Hills Cemetery is located on Birchmount, just north of St. Clair Ave. At the Cemetery, we will walk around and pray the rosary for the Faithful departed.

Do you know someone who is homebound or Lonely?

Lay Pastoral Visitors make friendly visits with parishioners who are unable to attend church. Visits are for companionship and spiritual support. For more information, please contact Lidia at staidan.visits@hotmail.com or call the parish office.

Saint Aidan Book Club

We are meeting on Tuesday, November 7 at 6:30 pm at St. Aidan's to discuss the book, "The power of Silence - Against the Dictatorship of Noise" by Robert Cardinal Sarah. Today, technology and materialism are all around us and noise is everywhere, Cardinal Robert Sarah presents a bold book about the strength of silence. Come join the St. Aidan book club. To register, contact Rosario Dizon at 416 731 0484.

2000 Hail Mary Devotion

The Legion of Mary invites all parishioners to participate in the 2000 Hail Mary devotion, which will be held in St. Aidan's church on Saturday, November 18, starting at 6:00 AM sharp and continuing for approximately 10 hours (there will be a break for Mass and the Rosary after morning Mass). Those who cannot commit to the whole day can join and pray for shorter periods of time. Praying the 2000 Hail Mary devotion is a very powerful intercessory prayer. We invite you to pray with Our Blessed Mother to our Lord Jesus Christ, with faith and sincerity of heart.

Your personal or world prayer requests can be placed in our petition basket, which will be at the foot of Our Blessed Mother's altar. We invite you to bring your children to witness and participate in this beautiful devotion to our Blessed Mother.

Remembrance Day Ceremony at St. Aidan's

On Saturday November 11, the Knights of Columbus (Bishop Greco Assembly) are organizing a Remembrance Day Marching ceremony in our parish parking lot. The ceremony will begin at 10:45 am. During this time vehicles will not be able to go in and out of the parking lot. You would need to park before 10:45 a.m. All parishioners are invited to attend this ceremony.

The CWL Autumn Bazaar

The Catholic Women's League of Canada, St. Aidan Council wish to thank the vendors and parishioners who supported them with this event. Special Thanks to Fr. Steven for his continued support and guidance in all the council's undertakings. Last but not least to the members of the Knights of Columbus, St Aidan Council and to our CWL members who helped through out the day... thanks to all of you.

Sale for our Raffle Baskets is still going on in the foyer. Draw date is on Sunday November 5 after the 12 noon Mass

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It would be considered a theft on our part if we don't give to those in greater need than we are. - St. Francis of Assisi

Thank you for your ongoing love and generosity towards the poor. Your donations to the Poor Box go a long way to help many poor and unfortunate families.