

HOW TO SUPPORT OUR PARISH FAMILY FINANCIALLY AT THIS TIME:

As you would be aware with the closing down of our Churches, the financial support of our parish is now very different. The parish is receiving very limited income at this time. We are very appreciative of those who continue to drop in envelopes each week and also those who are taking advantage of online contributions. As we continue to receive our expenses each week, it is important, that, if it is at all possible, parishioners continue to offer their financial support to our parish family. This can be done **ELECTRONICALLY VIA Internet banking to St. Aidan's Church, Rooty Hill NSW 2766**, you can make a **direct deposit into our account**. All contributions are greatly appreciated and will help meet the upkeep needs of our Parish.

The details are as follows:-



Name of Bank: Commonwealth Bank
BSB: 067 950
Account Number: 00000529
Account Name: Rooty Hill Catholic Church
Reference: YOUR NAME IN FULL



FAVORite

Carpet, Tiles & Grout Cleaning Service
Domestic & Commercial
Free quote: 04 1721 0403

DIOCESE OF PARRAMATTA NOTICES

POSITIONS VACANT:

Non-Executive Director (2 positions) – Holy Family Services – Applications close Thursday 1 July For a copy of the information pack, please contact Anthony Spata on 0402 210 055 or anthony@reachhr.com.au or Sr Grace Roclawski on 0420 754 733 or grace@csfn.org.au

DIOCESE OF PARRAMATTA COVID-19 UPDATE

Parishes across Western Sydney and the Blue Mountains have COVID-Safety plans in place requiring social distancing, maximum attendance figures and other safety measures. It is currently strongly recommended that masks be worn to Mass and other services. You are encouraged to check with your parish on what measures they have in place before attending. For more information, please visit the Diocesan website www.parracatholic.org/covid19

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR SEMINARIANS TO ANSWER GOD'S CALL TO THE PRIESTHOOD

At our Holy Spirit Seminary, Harris Park, young men are training to become future priests for the Diocese of Parramatta. Your caring gift and prayers are needed to support our seminarians to prepare for a life of service to our community. Please give generously via the Bishop's Good Shepherd Appeal giving envelopes or online at yourcatholicfoundation.org.au/appeal. Thank you for your kind accompaniment.

MANAGE YOUR FERTILITY NATURALLY!

Are you looking for a natural effective method to manage your fertility? Are you trying to achieve pregnancy? Are you breastfeeding and looking for a natural way to space your children? Natural Fertility Services – Diocese of Parramatta might just have the answers you're searching for. For more information, or to book an appointment, contact Catherine on 0400 427 605 or catherinebourne@parra.catholic.org or visit www.parralmf.org.au

CATHOLIC OUTLOOK MAGAZINE BOOK GIVEAWAY

With thanks to Catholic Healthcare, the Winter 2021 edition of the Catholic Outlook Magazine is giving away three copies of the wonderful book "Sharing the Wisdom of Time by Pope Francis and Friends" just in time for the World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly. Entries are now open until 15 July 2021. Pick up your copy of Catholic Outlook to get details of how to enter today!

SAFE PARISHES WEEK

This last week was Safe Parishes Week, when we promoted initiatives for building safe parishes. Find out about training, policies, tools and more we have available in the Diocese at <https://catholicoutlook.org/safe-parishes-week/>

THE WELL' OFFERS NEW REFRESHMENT IN 2021

The Well' is back in 2021. The team are hoping to drip-feed new and relatable content every 72 hours that supports your ministry with family, friends, students, colleagues and strangers. Check it out on www.thewell.org.au

OFFICE FOR WORSHIP RESOURCES AVAILABLE

The Office For Worship has a range of resources available for purchase for individuals and parishes. Resources such as parent material for a child's baptism and a collation of prayers can be purchased from the Office For Worship by contacting (02) 8838 3457.

ST BERNADETTE'S LALOR PARK WEDNESDAY EVENING DEVOTIONS

St Bernadette's Parish, Lalor Park, is hosting weekly devotions to Mary Immaculate and St Bernadette every Wednesday evening at 7pm, followed by Mass at 7.30pm. All are welcome. For more information, contact the parish office on (02) 9672 4037 or admin@stbernadetteslalorpark.org.au

SOCIAL JUSTICE COVID-19 FOOD AND TOILETRIES DRIVE

Jesuit Refugee Service and House of Welcome are dealing with a 400% increase in emergency assistance calls and are needing to feed over 1,000 people facing destitution each week. You can help by running a food and toiletry drive or donating yourself. Find more information at parracatholic.org/diocesanfooddrive.

LIFE, MARRIAGE AND FAMILY OFFICE MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES

Dates for the Diocesan Life, Marriage and Family Office's in-person marriage preparation weekend courses in 2021 are now available, with the SmartLoving Engaged Online course another option to prepare for your marriage. For more information, or to book your

ONGOING PLANT SALE TO RAISE MONEY FOR OUR CHURCH



There are more plants waiting for you at Clarita's Garden, just call 0455 380 996. This fundraiser is ongoing. A big thank you to Fr. Alan and Fr. Galbert. God Bless everyone.

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year B

19th - 20th June, 2021



Parish And Other News



General Directory - 9 Adelaide Street, Rooty Hill N.S.W. 2766.

PARISH OFFICE
MONDAY CLOSED
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, 10.00am - 4.30pm.
FRIDAY 9.30am-2pm

WEEKEND/WEEK DAY MASSES
Vigil: 6.00pm
Sunday: 7.30am, 9.00am, 10.30am 5.30pm
Monday: 9.00am
Tuesday: 9.15am
Wednesday: 9.15am; 7.00pm
Thursday: 9.15am
Friday: 9.15am & 7.00pm
Saturday: 9.00am.

THE FOLLOWING MASSES ONLY
WILL BE LIVE STREAMED
Please use this link to watch St. Aidan's Daily Mass at anytime during the day.
Live streaming times are:-
Sunday 9.00am
Monday 9.00am
Tuesday 9.15am
Wednesday 9.15am
Thursday 9.15am
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCcy5n3vxtKz7yEY_VjPTdVQI/live

Terence Smith [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCcy5n3vxtKz7yEY_VjPTdVQI/live)

YOUTH

YOUTH CONTACT: Lawrence Jadraque 0422 149 558

EMAIL: staidans.eucharistic-youth@gmail.com

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

8.00pm-9.00pm every THURSDAY
4pm-5pm every SATURDAY

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

By Appointment

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

At least six months notice required, plus birth, baptism certificates.

PERSONNEL

Parish Priest: Fr. Alan Layt
Assistant Priest: Fr. Galbert Albino
Deacon: Jerome Emmanuel
Parish Secretary: Mrs Elizabeth Idaszak
Phone: (02) 9625-8404.
Email: staidanschurch@bigpond.com
rootyhill@parracatholic.org
Website: <https://rootyhillparish.org.au>



Parish Sacristans

Stan Pakulski / Justice of the Peace 0417 428 875
Michael Piliae

Sacramental Co-ordinators

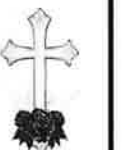
To contact please ring Parish Office

PRINCIPALS:

St. Aidan's Primary
Mrs Marian Bell
(02) 8886 9800;

St. Agnes Catholic High School
Ms Lisa-Maree Browning
(02) 8882-0700;

Loyola Senior High School
Mrs Cathy Larkin
(02) 9832-4455.



SUNDAY MASSES IN THIS CHURCH

A congregation can be no larger than 225 during the 2 square metre rule.
So we will have a Covid Marshall sitting outside and once we have reached 225, you will be asked to sit outside.



We have made some changes to encourage you to come back to Mass.
We will now have a SUNDAY MASS at 5.30pm.

The Bishop has given us exemption
from the obligation to attend Mass on Sunday
for the duration of the Covid19 Pandemic.
FACE MASKS ARE RECOMMENDED AT ALL MASSES



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

The Lord is the strength of his people, a saving refuge for the one he has anointed. Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage, and govern them for ever.

FIRST READING **JB 38:1. 8-11**

A reading from the book of Job
Here I have set the boundaries of the sea.
 From the heart of the tempest the Lord gave Job his answer. He said: Who pent up the sea behind closed doors when it leapt tumultuous out of the womb, when I wrapped it in a robe of mist and made black clouds its swaddling bands; when I marked the bounds it was not to cross and made it fast with a bolted gate? Come thus far, I said, and no farther: here your proud waves shall break.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM **PS 106:23-26. 28-31. R. V.1**

(R.) Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.

1. Some sailed to the sea in ships to trade on the mighty waters. These men have seen the Lord's deeds, the wonders he does in the deep. **(R.)**
2. For he spoke; he summoned the gale, tossing the waves of the sea up to heaven and back into the deep; their soul melted away in their distress. **(R.)**
3. Then they cried to the Lord in their need and he rescued them from their distress. He stilled the storm to a whisper: all the waves of the sea were hushed. **(R.)**
4. They rejoiced because of the calm and he led them to the haven they desired. Let them thank the Lord for his love, the wonders he does for men. **(R.)**

SECOND READING **2 COR 5:14-17**

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians
All things are made new.
 The love of Christ overwhelms us when we reflect

that if one man has died for all, then all men should be dead; and the reason he died for all was so that living men should live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised to life for them.

From now onwards, therefore, we do not judge anyone by the standards of the flesh. Even if we did once know Christ in the flesh, that is not how we know him now. And for anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation; the old creation has gone, and now the new one is here.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION **LK 7:16**

Alleluia, alleluia!
A great prophet has appeared among us;
God has visited his people.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL **MK 4:35-41**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.

With the coming of evening, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let us cross over to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind they took him, just as he was, in the boat; and there were other boats with him. Then it began to blow a gale and the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost swamped. But he was in the stern, his head on the cushion, asleep. They woke him and said to him, 'Master, do you not care? We are going down!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, 'Quiet now! Be calm!' And the wind dropped, and all was calm again. Then he said to them, 'Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no faith?' They were filled with awe and said to one another, 'Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.'

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The eyes of all look to you, Lord,
 and you give them their food in due season.



DURING THE WEEK **PRAYERS HAVE BEEN REQUESTED** **FOR THE FOLLOWING:-**

Please remember in your prayers recently deceased, Eulalia Garcia Gange, Mansueta Pelenio Langué, Merlo Seaboldt, Barry Newham, Anesia Catabigar, Antonio Tandoc, Merlo Seaboldt, Janice Margarita J. Manzo, Estellita David, Adela Guevara, Sam Vassallo, Norma Knight, Santos-Raymundo-Templado Jr, Leonila Alarillia.

(Mass Intentions: please make sure you write clearly the name/s of the person/s and what the intention is (sick, deceased, commemorative deceased), if this is not marked, the names will not be placed in the newsletter).

COMMEMORATIVE DECEASED

Roman Bembenek, Robert Aquino, Antonio Tandoc, Pascasio Del Rio, Vicario II, Benita Casinto, Patrick & Olga Thomas, Allwyn & Daisy Assey, Theresa Thomas, Faith Fitzpatrick-Browne, Danilo Ramos, Leonila Alarilla, Jose Baena, Beatriz Rivera Jacinto, Miro Mikosic, Tony Mikosic, Carlita Autencio Delfin, .

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

For those among us who are sick, may they be healed through the wounds of the crucified Jesus and the intercessory prayers of The Blessed Virgin Mary and Saint Mary of the Cross MacKillop, especially, Guillermo Benedicto, Romeo Susi, Ron Stevens, John Carney, Lorenza Aida Parado, Janet and Jeff, Clara Galvan, Fatima-Gatchalian, Joselito Nacua, Angela Go, Alvin Canete, Maria Cecilia, Anthony Kosovich, Samuel Kosovich, Felix Silva Monges, Jorge Vildasant, Adela Guevara, Mary Catania, Mariafe Young, Maria Fe Young, Jeanne Arena, Ronnie, Amelita Coleman, Alf Diaz, Susan Aranez-SMith, Teodora Concepcion, Mirjana Kljajic, Vicki Chown, Milagros Sunga, Ramon Rivera, Antonio Samson Noemilita Jara, Logan Sebastian Cruz, Mariles Hollero, Elizabeth Tiqui Bueno, Katarzyna Haladus, Jasmin Fray Prada, Stipe Mlinaric.

CONFESSIONS

I know many people have not been using this Sacrament nearly as much as they should.



So we will add 8.00pm - 9.00pm of a Thursday night to our confession times.

If you come between 8.00pm and 9.30pm on Thursday you will find me in the Church waiting for you. *Fr. Alan*

ST AIDAN'S CHURCH - **PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES**

New Planned Giving Envelopes will be available on the weekend 3rd- 4th JULY, 2021 on the table in the gathering area of the Church. Please take the one with your name on it. Please call the Office during office hours if you would like to contribute or if there are any changes to your existing contributions. **If you prefer to Direct Debit please let us know and return the box of envelopes. God Bless and thank you for your continual support. Fr. Alan Layt**

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS

We now have available
Donation Point in the Church
 where you can
TAP YOUR CARD and GO.
 Just place your card as shown on the machine and **\$10.00** will be donated to
 St. Aidan's Church from your account.
 Please make sure that your card has registered before touching the machine again otherwise it doesn't work.
The machines are located in the gathering area of the Church.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

BAPTISMS AT ST. AIDAN'S CHURCH
BE HELD EVERY 2ND & 4TH SUNDAY OF
MONTH AT 12.00PM
NEXT BAPTISM PREPARATION



Wednesday, 7th JULY, 2021

7.30pm Parish Centre Rooty Hill Road North Rooty Hill
(Please fill in Baptism Registration Form at the Parish Office during office hours and bring the child's birth certificate with you). If possible please do not bring toddlers to the instruction evenings as this can be very distracting.
 Thank you Fr. Alan Layt

PLEASE NOTE THAT IF YOU DO NOT ATTEND THIS INSTRUCTION YOUR CHILD'S BAPTISM COULD BE DELAYED UNTIL THE FOLLOWING MONTH. GODPARENTS CHOSEN SHOULD BE CATHOLIC.

NEXT BAPTISM

2nd SUNDAY -
4th SUNDAY - 27th JUNE, 2021 (FULL)

SACRAMENT OF
Confirmation
PARISHIONERS PLEASE NOTE:
THE SACRAMENT WILL ALSO BE
ADMINISTERED BY
MOST REV. VINCENT LONG VAN NGUYEN
OFM CONV.

This will happen on **Sunday, 27th JUNE, 2021**
during our 10.30am MASS. We have 11
Candidates being confirmed on this day. Remember
we still have the 2 square metre rule and the
congregation can be no larger than 225 inside the
Church.

CLERGY SUPPORT FOUNDATION DONATIONS

It is not too late to make a tax-deductible donation to the clergy support foundation of the diocese of Parramatta, which supports retired priests in the diocese. Please make donations via credit card at <https://parracatholic.org/csf> or transfer directly to BSB 067950 Account No 00001691 Name CSF No 1 with names as reference and send email to csf@parracatholic.org with your details for receipt to be sent. Thank you.