



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

YOUTH
YOUTH CONTACT: Lawrence Jadrake 0422 149 558

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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
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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.

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



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THANK YOU TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS

WHO SUPPORTED THE PLANT SALE TO RAISE MONEY FOR OUR CHURCH

Thank you to all those parishioners who whole heartedly and generously supported this fundraiser for our Church. We raised a total of \$700.00. To those who missed the sale 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.

POSITIONS VACANT:

Private Secretary to the Bishop of Parramatta -
Applications close Monday 14 June
Secretary to the Vicars General -
Applications close Monday 14 June

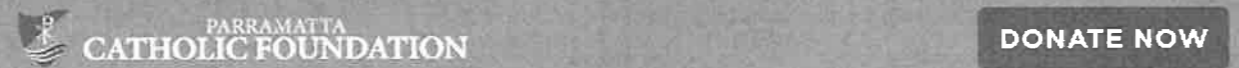
DIOCESE OF PARRAMATTA COVID-19 UPDATE

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

Support our seminarians to answer God's call



Please give generously to the Bishop's Good Shepherd Appeal



DONATE NOW

IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO SUPPORT THIS APPEAL

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.

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**

He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from the rock.

**The Gloria in excelsis (Glory to God in the highest) is said.**

**FIRST READING**

**EX 24:3-8**

A reading from the book of Exodus

*This is the blood of the Covenant that the Lord has made with you.*

Moses went and told the people all the commands of the Lord and all the ordinances. In answer, all the people said with one voice, 'We will observe all the commands that the Lord has decreed.' Moses put all the commands of the Lord into writing, and early next morning he built an altar at the foot of the mountain, with twelve standing-stones for the twelve tribes of Israel. Then he directed certain young Israelites to offer holocausts and to immolate bullocks to the Lord as communion sacrifices. Half of the blood Moses took up and put into basins, the other half he cast on the altar. And taking the Book of the Covenant he read it to the listening people, and they said, 'We will observe all that the Lord has decreed; we will obey.' Then Moses took the blood and cast it towards the people. 'This' he said 'is the blood of the Covenant that the Lord has made with you, containing all these rules.'

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

**PS 115:12-13. 15-18. R. V.13**

**(R.) I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord.**

1. How can I repay the Lord for his goodness to me? The cup of salvation I will raise; I will call on the Lord's name. **(R.)**
2. O precious in the eyes of the Lord is the death of his faithful. Your servant, Lord, your servant am I; you have loosened my bonds. **(R.)**
3. A thanksgiving sacrifice I make: I will call on the Lord's name. My vows to the Lord I will fulfil before all his people. **(R.)**

**SECOND READING**

**HEB 9:11-15**

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

*The blood of Christ will purify our inner selves.*

Now Christ has come, as the high priest of all the blessings which were to come. He has passed through the greater, the more perfect tent, which is better than one made by men's hands because it is not of this created order; and he has entered the sanctuary once and for all, taking with him not the blood of goats and bull calves, but his own blood, having won an eternal redemption for us. The blood of

goats and bulls and the ashes of a heifer are sprinkled on those who have incurred defilement and they restore the holiness of their outward lives; how much more effectively the blood of Christ, who offered himself as the perfect sacrifice to God through the eternal Spirit, can purify our inner self from dead actions so that we do our service to the living God.

He brings a new covenant, as the mediator, only so that the people who were called to an eternal inheritance may actually receive what was promised: his death took place to cancel the sins that infringed the earlier covenant.

**Sequence**

**The sequence, Sing forth, O Zion, may be said or sung in its longer or shorter form.**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

**JN 6:51-52**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever. Alleluia!**

**GOSPEL**

**MK 14:12-16, 22-26**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

*This is my body. This is my blood.*

On the first day of Unleavened Bread, when the Passover lamb was sacrificed, his disciples said to Jesus, 'Where do you want us to go and make the preparations for you to eat the passover?' So he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, 'Go into the city and you will meet a man carrying a pitcher of water. Follow him, and say to the owner of the house which he enters, "The Master says: Where is my dining room in which I can eat the passover with my disciples?" He will show you a large upper room furnished with couches, all prepared. Make the preparations for us there.' The disciples set out and went to the city and found everything as he had told them, and prepared the Passover.

And as they were eating he took some bread, and when he had said the blessing he broke it and gave it to them. 'Take it,' he said 'this is my body.' Then he took a cup, and when he had returned thanks he gave it to them, and all drank from it, and he said to them, 'This is my blood, the blood of the covenant, which is to be poured out for many. I tell you solemnly, I shall not drink any more wine until the day I drink the new wine in the kingdom of God.'

After psalms had been sung they left for the Mount of Olives.

**The Creed is said.**

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON**

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.



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

Please remember in your prayers recently deceased, 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**

Bonifacia Lopez, Adelaido Magdadaro Sr., William John Ramsay, Emilio Nacua Senior, Norma Sherwood, Maureen Carney, Carmen Testa, Joachim Vaz, Antonio Bogado, Joseph Coutinho, Roberto Aquino, Fred Brunner, Teodora Concepcion, Leonardo Dandin, Herminigildo I. Zuniga Sr., Fleix Diaz, Lucia Diaz, Matija Topic, Baby Jaden Josh Ladines, Cristina Dandin, Terence Fitzpatrick-Browne, Faith Fitzpatrick-Browne, Allwyn & Daisy Assey, Patrick & Olga Thomas .

**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, 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*

**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 YOU CHILD'S BAPTISM COULD BE DELAYED UNTIL THE FOLLOWING MONTH. GODPARENTS CHOSEN SHOULD BE CATHOLIC.**

**NEXT BAPTISM**

**2nd SUNDAY - 13TH JUNE, 2021 (FULL)**

**4th SUNDAY - 27th JUNE, 2021 (FULL)**

**SACRAMENT OF**

*Confirmation*



**Children's Sessions**

**Sunday mornings 8.30am Mary MacKillop Hall**  
**6th June, 2021**

**(PRACTICE SESSION FOR CONFIRMATION WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY 8TH JUNE AND THURSDAY 10TH JUNE 7.30PM AT ST. AIDAN'S CHURCH).**

**SACRAMENT ADMINISTERED**

**Tuesday, 15th June, 2021 - 7.30pm**  
**Thursday, 17th June, 2021 - 7.30pm**

**(BOTH MASSES WILL BE HELD AT GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH, PLUMPTON)**

