

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

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS

We 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.

DIocese OF PARRAMATTA NOTICES

POSITIONS VACANT:

More details at: parracatholic.org/employment

THE DIocese OF PARRAMATTA IS HEADING TO WYD23 IN LISBON

Bishop Vincent has announced a pilgrimage to the next World Youth Day in Lisbon, Portugal from July 21 – August 11, 2023. Young people 16-35 and their families are encouraged to learn more at www.parrawyd.org. Express your interest in coming to Lisbon today! For all enquiries, contact James Camden, Head Mission Engagement – james.camden@parracatholic.org

CATHOLIC OUTLOOK SPRING/SEASON OF CREATION EDITION OUT NOW!

Get your free copy of the Spring edition of *Catholic Outlook* now. This month, we talk about pilgrimages, the Season of Creation, and focus in on how our parishes are working towards sustainability. There's great kids activities too. Pick up your copy from our church now!

PASTORAL FORMATION MARRIAGE AND NATURAL FERTILITY SHORT COURSE: 20 OCTOBER

Preparing for marriage? Searching for a conversation space where mutuality, intimacy and wholeness in your relationship can be nurtured? Karin Abrams and Catherine Bourne invite you to Thursday 20 October for a workshop on marriage & natural fertility. Face-to-face from 6.30pm to 8.30pm at the Bishop Bede Heather Centre (1-5 Marion Street Blacktown). LIMITED SEATS. Register by October 10 via met@parracatholic.org OR via <https://pfparra.org.au/signup/>

DIocese OF PARRAMATTA NOTICES

MET WORSHIP FORMATION FOR MINISTRY OF COMMUNION TO THE SICK AND DYING: 22 OCTOBER

MET – Worship will be hosting a formation session for those already active in the Ministry of Communion to the Sick and Dying on Saturday 22 October from 9.30am – 3pm at the Bishop Bede Heather Centre, Blacktown. The formation day includes a reflection on the Spirituality of Suffering, Working within Safeguarding Guidelines and the Practicalities of this ministry. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact the Office for Worship on (02) 8838 3456 or mary.gale@parracatholic.org

MASTERCLASS FOR SPONSOR MARRIED COUPLES: 28 OCTOBER

The Diocese is looking to more deeply accompany couples preparing to be married. Have you been married for more than 5 years? Committed to living the sacrament of Marriage? Willing to give time limited assistance to couples preparing for marriage? Join us for a Masterclass on Friday 28 October at 7.30pm at the Bishop Bede Heather Centre, Blacktown, on sponsoring engaged couples in your Parish using the SmartLoving Engaged Online program. To book your attendance or to ask further questions, please email marriage@parracatholic.org or phone Marisa on (02) 8838 3460.

DIocese OF PARRAMATTA WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS: 30 OCTOBER

The annual Wedding Anniversary Mass will be held on Sunday 30 October at 11am at St Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta. Bishop Vincent will celebrate Solemn Mass, followed by a light lunch at the Cathedral Hall. All couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary will receive a certificate from Bishop Vincent. Please register your name, years of marriage and numbers attending at marriage@parracatholic.org by 21 October. Family and friends are welcome.

St. Aidan's Church Serving Roster for next weekend - 15th & 16th of October 2022

MASS	LECTOR	ACOLYTE/ ALTER SERVER	SPECIAL MINISTER	SPECIAL MINISTER
Vigil 6:00pm	Stan Pakulski	Dave Santos	Myriam Amarilla	John Quiroz
Sunday 7:30am	Veronica Malachowski	Anthony Perira	Walter Roberts	TBA
Sunday 9:00am	Mary Brigera	David Portelli	Lina Vaasili	Sen Custodia
Sunday 10:30am	Mary Jean Brunner	Fernando San Pedro	Joshua San Pedro	Jennifer Fernandes
Sunday 5:30pm	Angelo Armas	Sanele Vaasili	Juliet Armas	TBA

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C 8th & 9th of OCTOBER 2022

St Aidan's Parish and Other News



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 Deacon: Jerome Emmanuel
 Parish Secretary: Elizabeth Idaszak
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rootyhill@parracatholic.org
 Website: <http://rootyhillparish.org.au>

PARISH OFFICE OPERATING HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday
 10:00am - 4:30pm

WEEKLY MASSES

Monday: 9:15am
 Tuesday: 9:15am
 Wednesday: 9:15am & 7:00pm
 Thursday: 9:15am
 Friday: 9:15am & 7:00pm
 Saturday: 9:00am & 6:00pm
 Sunday: 7.30am, 9.00am, 10.30am 5.30pm

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:-

Monday 9:15am
 Tuesday 9:15am
 Wednesday 9:15am
 Thursday 9:15am
 Sunday 9:00am

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCy5n3vxtKz7yEY_VjPTdVQ/live
 Terence Smith youtube.com

ST AIDANS PARISH LEGION OF MARY JUNIOR PRAESIDIUM

Parents and Children of age 6-16 years
 6:00pm–7:00pm– Every Friday at St Aidan's Parish Centre.
 For more information please call
 Fr Alan Layt on (02) 9625 8404
 or Boy Torres on 0468 853 857

PARISH SACRISTAN
 Stephen Pritchett 0431 499 208
ASSISTANT SACRISTAN
 Anthony Pereira 0422 884 160

YOUTH

YOUTH CONTACTS: Maelody Gevero: 0426 263 081
 Josh San Pedro: 0481 372 544

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JUNIOR YOUTH CLUB

Every 1st Sunday of the Month 11:30am–2:00pm
 In the Mary Mackillop Hall

ST AIDANS YOUTH

Every 3rd Friday of the Month 7:30pm–9:00pm
 In the Parish Centre

YOUNG ADULTS FORMATION

Every 4th Friday of the Month 7:30pm–9:30pm
 In the Parish Centre

SACRAMENTAL CO-ORDINATORS

To make contact please ring the Parish office
 During operating hours

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Thursday 8.00pm-9.00pm
 Saturday 4:00pm-5:00pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

By Appointment
 Every 2nd & 4th Sunday of the Month

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

At least six months notice is required,
 plus birth and Baptism certificates.

SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

ST. AIDANS PRIMARY SCHOOL
 Mrs Marian Bell
 (02) 8886 9800
ST. AGNES CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
 Mrs Janette Holland
 (02) 8882 0700
LOYOLA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
 Mrs Cathy Larkin
 (02) 9832 4455



ST AIDAN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH - PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY, 11th OCTOBER, 2022,
7.30pm in

Mary Mackillop Hall

We request that at least one member from each of our groups be in attendance for this meeting.

Thank you Fr. Alan Layt, Parish Priest

PRAY FOR OUR HSC CLASS OF 2022

Year 12 students and their families are invited to attend

Our 10:30am Sunday Mass on 9th October

Which will be offered for Students doing the HSC and for

the repose of the soul of Mr John Berhman Jacob.

God Bless, Fr Alan

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities,
Lord, who could stand?
But with you is found forgiveness,
O God of Israel.

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

FIRST READING 2 Kgs 5:14-17

A reading from the second book of the Kings
Naaman returned to Elisha, the prophet, and acknowledged the Lord.

Naaman the leper went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, as Elisha had told him to do. And his flesh became clean once more like the flesh of a little child.

Returning to Elisha with his whole escort, he went in and stood before him. 'Now I know' he said, 'that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel. Now, please, accept a present from your servant.' But Elisha replied, 'As the Lord lives, whom I serve, I will accept nothing.' Naaman pressed him to accept, but he refused. Then Naaman said, 'Since your answer is "No," allow your servant to be given as much earth as two mules may carry, because your servant will no longer offer holocaust or sacrifice to any god except the Lord.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 97:1-4. R. see v.2

(R.) The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

1. Sing a new song to the Lord for he has worked wonders. His right hand and his holy arm have brought salvation. (R.)
2. The Lord has made known his salvation; has shown his justice to the nations. He has remembered his truth and love for the house of Israel. (R.)
3. All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout to the Lord all the earth, ring out your joy. (R.)

SECOND READING 2 Tm 2:8-13

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy
If we hold firm, we shall reign with Christ.
Remember the Good News that I carry. 'Jesus

Christ risen from the dead, sprung from the race of David'; it is on account of this that I have my own hardships to bear, even to being chained like a criminal - but they cannot chain up God's news. So I bear it all for the sake of those who are chosen, so that in the end they may have the salvation that is in Christ Jesus and the eternal glory that comes with it.

Here is a saying that you can rely on:
If we have died with him, then we shall live with him.
If we hold firm, then we shall reign with him.
If we disown him, then he will disown us. We may be unfaithful, but he is always faithful,
for he cannot disown his own self.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
For all things give thanks to God,
because this is what he expects of you in Christ Jesus. Alleluia!

GOSPEL Lk 17:11-19

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke
It seems that no one has returned to give thanks to God except this foreigner.
On the way to Jerusalem Jesus travelled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered one of the villages, ten lepers came to meet him. They stood some way off and called to him, 'Jesus! Master! Take pity on us.' When he saw them he said, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' Now as they were going away they were cleansed. Finding himself cured, one of them turned back praising God at the top of his voice and threw himself at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. The man was a Samaritan. This made Jesus say, 'Were not all ten made clean? The other nine, where are they? It seems that no one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner.' And he said to the man, 'Stand up and go on your way. Your faith has saved you.'

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The rich suffer want and go hungry,
but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Peter Herd, Romeo Escorbio Sr.,
Ernesto De Leon

COMMEMORATIVE DECEASED

Jan Pakulski, Ramon Zaragoza, Milagros Baguio, Lino Baldivia, Elena Estor, Honesto Estor, Gina Zenaida Estor, Moises Estor, Tomas Dayao, Justina Dayao, Catalina Dayao, Ana Maria Perez, Elena Lazo, Gregoria De Leon, Rodolfo E Santos, Mrs Remedios S Santos, (Lydia) Placida E Santos, Jese S Layco, Mrs Natividad S. Layco, Mrs Salvacion Sole, Leo de Leon.

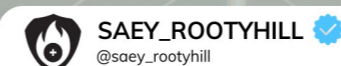
PRAY FOR OUR SICK

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, *Jo Rhee, Mrs Tara Ram, Mrs Joanne Rhee, Geronimo Zaragoza Amy Fitz, Gloria D Amarilla, Cecilia Bautista, Pika Taateo, John Carney, Katarzyna Haladus, Jasmin Fray Parada, Stipe Mlinaric, Myra Chavez, Alma Espina, Virginia Casinto, Amy Fitz, Josefina Wiggins, Logan Sebastian Cruz, Romeo Susi, Marichu Walker. Reynaldo B Ramos, Rosie Frago, Rommel S Santos, Myra Chavez, Boyet Llave, Dewi Mari V. Bernasor.*

MASS INTENTIONS

Please make sure you Clearly write the name/s of the person/s and what the intention is (Sick, Deceased, Commemorative Deceased). If this is not clearly marked, unfortunately the names

ST AIDANS'S EUCHARISTIC YOUTH

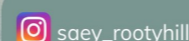


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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM



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

**THE NEXT BAPTISM PREPARATION EVENING IS ON
WEDNESDAY the 2nd of NOVEMBER**

7.30pm Parish Centre
Rooty Hill Road North Rooty Hill
(Please fill in the 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.

OUR NEXT BAPTISMS

SUNDAY the 9th of OCTOBER 2022
SUNDAY the 23rd of OCTOBER 2022

PERPETUAL ADORATION NEWS



1. It was decided at a meeting with Fr. Hugh and Fr. Doug that Perpetual Adoration would begin at 1.00pm on Sunday, 20th November, The Feast of Christ the King. It will be in the Crying Room/Night Chapel because the Church is used for the Divine Mercy devotions of a Sunday Afternoon.
2. At the moment our Co-Ordinator Mercy is putting the name of the volunteers onto a spreadsheet. She will divide them according to their choice of times and pass these onto the four division heads.
3. They, with their captains will begin to contact the volunteers to organize a roster. This will, hopefully, begin by the end of this week or early next week.
4. You may still volunteer to be an adorer. The forms are on the left hand side of the foyer as you enter the Church.
5. I would like to thank everyone who volunteered, especially all those who chose to organize the Perpetual Adoration, for your generosity and commitment to our Eucharistic Lord.

Remember that although you freely chose to do this it was the Holy Spirit who called you.

As St. Paul says in the Letter to the Philippians 2:13 "for God is at work in you, both to will and work for His good pleasure." Now is the time to remain firm in your decision, and not to waver in your determination.

May God bless you all. Fr. Alan