#### HOW TO SUPPORT OUR PARISH FAMILY FINANCIALLY 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

067 950 00000529

Account Number: Account Name:

Rooty Hill Catholic Church

Reference:

YOUR NAME IN FULL

We also 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.

#### YOUTH EVENTS FOR THIS MONTH

16th of June - Friday evening excursion to VIVID in Sydney

23rd of June - Friday evening Video on the nature of WOKE ideology. Cant be WOKE and a disciple of Jesus Christ?

In July - Choir and Junior Youth Club and 9th of July, 21st of July STAY a Holy Hour for young people and 28th of July YAF on how to speak with Jesus in the Eucharist.

For any details please contact the youth leaders, details are on the front page of the Bulletin.

#### POHOCT23 - PILGRIMAGE OF HOPE

Fr Brendan Murphy from our Lady of Rosary Parish, St Mary's would like to invite you for an 18 day Pilgrimage, departing on 9th October 2023. This pilgrimage features Avila, Fatima, Santiago, Oviedo, Turin, Assisi, Rotondo and Rome for an all-inclusive price of \$8940.

The fare includes Return Economy Airfaires + Local Transfers in Deluxe coaches + Stay in premium hotels + All breakfasts & Dinners + Catholic Priest + English speaking professional guides.

For enquiries & bookings call on (03) 8839 66615 or 1300 721 561 or email us at pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au.



#### CONFIRMATION

#### PRACTICE SESSIONS:

TUESDAY, 13th JUNE & THURSDAY, 15th JUNE 7.30pm in the Church

#### SACRAMENT ADMINISTERED:

Tuesday, 20th June 2023, 7:30pm Thursday, 22nd June, 2023, 7:30pm

#### **DIOCESE OF PARRAMATTA NOTICES SAVE CALVARY HOSPITAL**

There is a petition to the Members of the ACT Legislative Assembly to reverse a decision of the ACT government to compulsorily acquire Calvary Hospital in Canberra. This removes the ownership and management from Calvary Health Care - a Catholic operator - and gives the ownership to the government-run, non-faith-based Canberra Health Services instead. To find out more about the implications of this decision and to sign the petition please visit: www.savecalvary.com.au

#### **DIOCESAN SYNOD 2023 -**JOIN BISHOP VINCENT AT A LISTENING EVENT!

Over the next six weeks, Bishop Vincent is travelling hroughout the Diocese and listening directly to people's stories and suggestions about our Church. Join him at one of these locations to have your say. Events start at 6.30pm with light refreshments:

Saturday 17 June at St Andrew the Apostle Primary School, Marayong.

Saturday 24 June at Holy Spirit Primary School, St Clair. To register for your local consultation and to learn more about the Diocesan synod, visit parracatholic.org/synod2023

#### St. Aidan's Church SERVING ROSTER for next weekend - 17th & 18th of JUNE 2023

MASS	LECTOR	ACOLYTE/ ALTER SERVER	SPECIAL MINISTER	SPECIAL MINISTER
Vigil 6:00pm	Darlene Palmero-Dabbagh	Stan Pakulski	Rita Di Stefano	Myriam Amarilla
Sunday 7:30am	Maribeth De Leon	Walter Roberts	Anthony Pereira	Clarita Robles
Sunday 9:00am	Edith Garsuta	TBA	TBA	Mary Bringera
Sunday 10:30am	Evelyn Estacio	Fernando San Pedro	Joshua San Pedro	John Quiroz
Sunday 5:30pm	Celestine Salimbangon	Sanele Caasili	Jennifer Fernandes	Susan Ringo-Parsons

#### St. Aidan's Church CLEANING ROSTER for next weekend - 16th - 18th of JUNE 2023

Margaret Taito Group 4 Peter Taito

THE MOST **HOLY BODY** AND BLOOD **OF CHRIST** YEAR A 10th & 11th

**JUNE 2023** 

Website:

## St Aidan's Parish and Other News



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#### PARISH OFFICE OPERATING HOURS

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

#### WEEKLY MASSES

9.15am Monday: 9:15am Tuesday:

Tuesday: 7:00pm Charismatic Mass

(Mary's Little Children) All are Welcome

Wednesday: 9:15am & 7:00pm

Thursday: 9:15am

9:15am & 7:00pm Friday: 9:00am & 6:00pm Saturday:

7.30am, 9.00am, 10.30am, 5.30pm Sunday:

#### 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 CONTACT: Maelody Gevero: 0426 263 081 Josh San Pedro: 0481 372 544

EMAIL: staidans.eucharisticyouth@gmail.com

#### JUNIOR YOUTH CLUB

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

#### YOUTH CHOIR

Every 2nd Sunday of the month –

at the 10:30am Sunday Mass (Subject to Change)

#### 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

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

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

#### CENTRAL DEANERY CONSULTATION

It is important that you, as regular attenders of Mass come to this and tell them what you think of the Church in the Parramatta

Diocese should be concerning itself with.

It is from 7:30pm - 9:30pm at St. Andrews Marayong

To register please go to: https://parracatholic.org/synod2023\_deaneryreg/

Please come - Fr Alan

#### PETER'S PENCE APPEAL **WEEKEND** 24th/25th JUNE, 2023

The Peter's Pence Collection is a worldwide collection that supports the activities of the Holy See through which Pope Francis governs the Church and exercises his charitable works. Please be generous in your giving.



#### THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

#### YEAR A 10th & 11th of JUNE 2023

#### **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

Dt 8:2-3. 14-16

A reading from the book of Deuteronomy

He gave you food which you and your ancestors

did not know.

Moses said to the people: 'Remember how the Lord your God led you for forty years in the wilderness, to humble you, to test you and know your inmost heart - whether you would keep his commandments or not. He humbled you, he made you feel hunger, he fed you with manna which neither you nor your fathers had known, to make you understand that man does not live on bread alone but that man lives on everything that comes from the mouth of the Lord.

'Do not then forget the Lord your God who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery: who guided you through this vast and dreadful wilderness, a land of fiery serpents, scorpions, thirst; who in this waterless place brought you water from the hardest rock; who in this wilderness fed you with manna that your fathers had not known.'

#### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 147:12-15. 19-20. R. v.12

(R.) Praise the Lord, Jerusalem.

- 1. O praise the Lord, Jerusalem! Zion, praise your God! He has strengthened the bars of your gates, he has blessed the children within you. (R.)
- He has established peace on your borders, he feeds you with finest wheat. He sends out his word to the earth and swiftly runs his command. (R.)
- He makes his word known to Jacob, to Israel his laws and decrees.
   He has not dealt thus with other nations; he has not taught them his decrees. (R.)

#### SECOND READING

1 Cor 10:16-17

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

Though we are many, we form a single body because we share this one loaf.

The blessing-cup that we bless is a communion with the blood of Christ, and the bread that we

break is a communion with the body of Christ. The fact that there is only one loaf means that, though there are many of us, we form a single body because we all have a share in this one loaf.

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

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

#### **GOSPEL**

Jn 6:51-58

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

My flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. Jesus said to the Jews:

'I am the living bread which has come down from heaven.

Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I shall give

is my flesh, for the life of the world."

Then the Jews started arguing with one another: 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' they said. Jesus replied:

'I tell you most solemnly,

if you do not eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood,

you will not have life in you.

Anyone who does eat my flesh and drink my blood

has eternal life,

and I shall raise him up on the last day. For my flesh is real food

and my blood is real drive

and my blood is real drink.

He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood lives in me

and I live in him.

they are dead,

As I, who am sent by the living Father, myself draw life from the Father, so whoever eats me will draw life from me.

This is the bread come down from heaven; not like the bread our ancestors ate:

but anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.'

The Creed is said.

#### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

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

#### **RECENTLY DECEASED**

John Carney, Pilar Malixi, Doreen Hennelly, Alicia Lejano, Malia Vanu Semeatu, Isagani Bumanlag, Michael Pace, Leopoldo D Santos Sr. & Doreteo Irlandesz.

#### **COMMEMORATIVE DECEASED**

Tony Mikosic, Mr & Mrs Perera & Family, Roberto Camarines, Jose Luis Feced, Ben John Hill, Amormia Uy, Hilaria M Estacio, Souls in Purgatory, Danilo Malixi.

#### 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:

Wieslawa Taylor, Katarzyna Haladus, Bronia Flak, Tony Debono, Marlyn Rata, Benjamin Santiago & Jd Tullao.

#### 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 will not be able to be placed into the newsletter.

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#### **SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

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 5th of JULY 2023

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 11th of JUNE 2023 SUNDAY the 25th of JUNE 2023

### PERPETUAL ADORATION EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

If you are interested in participating in our Perpetual Adoration which begun on Sunday, 20th November 2022, please just click on this link <a href="https://forms.gle/MzaQAEaCv7Sc4aB69">https://forms.gle/MzaQAEaCv7Sc4aB69</a> and fill in or you can scan this QR code.

#### PERPETUAL ADORATION

I would like to thank everyone for being so faithful to the adoration, as a priest this is more than I could have wished for. Since we are now in the flu and Covid season we will have to cope with a few absences that cant be covered. Just a reminder:

- If you are in the Church and your successor does not come, and there is no-one there, simply close the sliding door on the monstrance compartment.
- The next person who comes in can open it. If you are in the crying room put the black screen in front of the glass tabernacle and turn off the

tabernacle light. Ensure the door locks behind you please.

Thank you once again for your faithfulness and patience.

God Bless Fr Alan.

## FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART - 16TH OF JUNE 2023

FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE HEART
- 17TH OF JUNE 2023

Masses are at the usual times 9:15am and 7;00pm on Friday the 16th And 9:00am on Saturday the 17th



John of Landsberg, a Carthusian monk, wrote: "Where can your soul find a sweeter resting place than the Heart of Jesus? If you hunger, there you will find the manna which will nourish you: if you thirst, there is the fountain of the Saviour at which you can drink abundantly. The Heart of Jesus is the door of the ark, through which those who come in will escape the flood..."

#### **PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES**

To all parishioners who are a part of our planned giving system, envelopes will soon be available. Could you please call the parish office during office hours if there are any changes in your giving or contact details. If you would like to be a part of the Planned Giving please fill in the details below and place in collection bag.

NAME:	
ADDRESS:	
TELEPHONE:	
EMAIL:	
Please circle - Weekly	/ Fortnightly / Monthly