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Feast of the Holy Family

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

*Mass is livestreamed each Saturday at 4:30pm
and may also be viewed anytime afterwards.
Please click on the link on our website www.fatimaparish.ca
as we celebrate Mass together.*

Saturday, December 25, 2021

10:00 am Living and Deceased Members of
Brule, Sullivan and Madge Families
By Hazel and John Brule

11:30 am Repose of the Soul of Len McArdle
By the Family

Sunday, December 26, 2021

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am Soul of Ina Trottier by the Family
Thanksgiving to Jesus, Mary and Joseph
For All Graces and Blessings Received
By Olivia Gomez
Intentions of Andrew and Dominica
By Veronica and Sean
4th Anniversary Mass for Soul of Terry Albert
By the Family

11:30 am Souls in Purgatory
Peace, Harmony, Happiness, Forgiveness &
Reconciliation for Sivakami, Siva Sankar
And Muthu Kumar
Success of the Business of IP NAR TAC
Team, ION Organization and the
Entire Nokia
Intentions of Christine, Cathy, Jason and
Karen Choachui
Soul of Charles McGahey
By Lorraine Sergeant
Intentions of June and Charlie Laderoute
By Susan Fagan and Family

Monday, December 27, 2021

9:00 am Blessed "Miriam of Jesus Crucified" Carmelite
Community in Ottawa and the Soul of
Sister Marie Antoinette
By Pamela and Paul Lauzon

Tuesday, December 28, 2021

9:00 am Soul of Martha Shepherd by Cecilia Pinto

Wednesday, December 29, 2021

9:00 am Anniversary Mass for the Soul of Len McArdle
By the Family

Thursday, December 30, 2021

9:00 am Soul of Carmelita by Cecilia Pinto

Friday, December 31, 2021

4:30 pm Intentions of Andrew and Dominica
By Veronica and Sean

Saturday, January 1, 2022

10:00 am In Loving Memory of Candida Manalo and
Macaria Cruzado by Gertrudes Cruzado
11:30 am Soul of Guido Crapigna and All Souls Living
& Deceased by his Wife, Suzanne

Sunday, January 2, 2022

8:30 am For all Parishioners
10:00 am In Loving Memory of Rosalina Flores
By Gertrudes Cruzado
For the Benefit of Jaye & Richard Lush
By Joanne Parenteau
Soul of Erle Rodriguez by Olivia Gomez
11:30 am Thanksgiving Mass by Teresita Bumolo



Deacon Cuddihy, Sofie, Frank, Shelly
Firth, Theresa Veaudry-Abbott, Toni
Kramar, Peter, Catherine and Steve
Offierski, Sandra & Ken Kraglund, Bill
& Carol Fitzpatrick, Catherine

Levasseur, Etta McKeown, Redge Doyle, Cynthia Hyduk, Maria
Henriksen, Bridget Cyr, John, Brian, Paul McDonell, Marion
Rodrigues, Sue Smith, Theresa Ziebell, Sr. Essie Kofie, Elizabeth
Muldoon, Marian Teevens, Claudette McSorley, Remedios
Balgos, Claude, Liam McGee, Patricia & Victor Tolgyesy, Damian,
Brian, Richard Weber, Vincent Quinn, Rowena Cruzado, Mike,
Mary, Peter McAllister, Gerry Comba, Alex Mask, Duane Clark,
John Dawes, Kristina Robinson, Charlie Laderoute, Danilo
Gomez, Joan Comba, Chris Jarrett, Rick Allan, Jacob Dawes,
Mike & Jacquie McMullen, Emilie Kamo, Tammy Bushnik, Tina
Ignacz, Bradley Young, Margaret Necommon, Leonard, Sarah
Sheperd, John Hayes, Mary Holder, Colleen Daly, Helen and
Phillip McHugh, Cheryl, Suzanne & Jim Fitzpatrick,, Laurie Viau,
Kelly, Divina Ocampo Calingasan, Allan Kelly, Graham Walford,
Terry Stevenson, Richard Maloney Jr., Rosalie Van Schepen,
Brian Mulvihill, Lilia Galla. *Please note that at the end of each
month this list will be deleted. If you would like to re-list a name,
please contact the office at 613-722-7661 or info@fatimaparish.ca*

**HOLY HOUR: with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
every Friday from 9:30am- 10:30am.** All are welcome. Please
enter by the front doors and sign in for contact tracing purposes.
The Holy Hour will be cancelled on those occasions when a
funeral is scheduled for a Friday morning. Please note: there will
be no Holy Hour on Dec 31.

**OFFICE HOURS: Please note the Office will be closed Dec 27-
Jan 3 and will re-open on Tues., Jan. 4. Regular office hours
will resume: Mon&Tues 9am-3pm, Wed 9am-1pm, Thurs&Fri
by appointment.**

ENVELOPE BOXES 2022: To simplify the pick-up process this
year we will not place name labels on the boxes. Please pick up a
box on your way out of Mass. Boxes will be left near each of the
two exit doors. Using our envelopes ensures you will receive a
tax receipt. **To make sure your contributions are accurately
recorded:** 1) As of Jan. 1, 2022 please discard any envelopes
from previous years. 2) For the first few contributions of the year,
please clearly print your name/address on the envelope, as well
as the amount of the donation. After that please print your name
and the donation amount. Better yet, attach a pre-printed address
label if you have them! Thank you for your continued support.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY: The CWL is happy to announce
that our Prayer Shawl Ministry is up and running again. If you or
a loved one would like the comfort of a prayer shawl following
surgery, illness, grief or trauma, please call the Parish Office at
613-722-7661x2. Volunteers to knit at home are cheerfully
accepted, materials provided. The Prayer Shawl Ministry needs
your donations of 4 ply worsted yarns. Thank you!

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: For a fun way to explore our Catholic
faith, please visit www.thekidsbulletin.com for a weekly bulletin.

THANK YOU to all the volunteers who served at the Christmas
Masses including our Attendance Monitors, Hand Sanitizers,
Ministers of Hospitality, those who sanitize the pews after Mass,
our Music Ministers, those who decorated the Church and Hall,
Sacristans, Ministers of Communion, Lectors, those who
livestream the Mass and update our parish website/Facebook,
and those who clean the altar linens. All of these volunteers give
freely of their time and talent so that we may worship together
safely in person. We are truly blessed.

PASTOR'S MESSAGE: *As we approach the end of this calendar year it naturally leads one to reflect on 2021. It has been another challenging year for all of us! In faith, it must be seen in light of the Christmas message which transcends all other historical events. God's love entered into our world in the person of Jesus Christ. As C.S. Lewis observed, "Once in our world, a stable had something in it that was bigger than our whole world".*



And that is the truth and the promise of Christmas. We are not defined by who we are or what we have done. We are defined by Who God is and what He has done in Christ Jesus. This pandemic does not hold us captive if we are already captivated with Christ. There are many of you I have not yet had the pleasure to meet. I hope we can rectify that in the not-too-distant future. In the meantime, keep well and may the Divine Presence be with you throughout this holy season and fill you with His grace in the coming year. God bless,

Fr. Lindsay Harrison, Pastor

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BECOME MORE INVOLVED AT FATIMA? We are looking for more people to join our volunteer team so that we can spread the joy! **Help is needed at weekday and weekend Masses. Training is provided.** Here are some of the opportunities: Attendance Monitor (help people check into Mass); Church Sanitizer (sanitize the Church between weekend Masses); Sacristan (set up and clean vessels for celebration of Mass); Ministers of Hospitality (guide people to their seat); Lector (do the readings); Eucharistic Minister (bring communion to people in their seats). Please contact the Parish Office at 613-722-7661x2 or info@fatimaparish.ca. Thank you.

LOOKING FOR BAPTISMAL PREPARATION TEAM MEMBERS: Our Baptismal Preparation Team needs new members. Help us in preparing young parents for their child's Baptism. For more information contact Ray Richer (richerraymond@yahoo.ca).

CRANBERRY SALE FOR PROJECT TEMBO: The 13th annual cranberry sale will be conducted as we did last year due to COVID restrictions. Please contact Sandra Hession at sandrahessioneducational@rogers.com or 613-805-2255 to place your orders for locally grown cranberries, cranberry sauce, jams and cakes as well as yummy pickles and relishes. Pickup or delivery and payment will be tailored to your needs.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING: Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in December 2021 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

PARISH PARKING LOTS: Please enter via Knightsbridge to access our northwest parking lot. **Do you take ParaTranspo?** Please instruct them to enter via Knightsbridge to pick you up at the Lobby entrance (near outdoor statue). If you wait in the Lobby, please do not block the door as people are exiting after Mass. Thank you.

DONATE: Did you know our parish depends exclusively on the on-going generosity of donations to maintain our operations? Please consider how you can continue your financial support.

In the Church – Please drop your donation in the marked tubes, the volunteers can direct you. There is one tube near the main entrance (outside the Usher's Room) and another tube near the exit door by St. Joseph's statue.

Online – Visit our website at www.fatimaparish.ca and click on "Donations"

Mail or Drop Off – Mail to 153 Woodroffe Ave., Ottawa, ON K2A 3T8 or dropped off any time in the Rectory mail slot

Phone/Email – Call or Email the Office and staff will get back to you to process a credit card donation. 613-722-7661x2 or info@fatimaparish.ca

Pre-Authorized Monthly Donation – Automatic monthly donations can be set up to donate by credit card or through your bank. Please contact the Office.

TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION: "We keep in mind that Reconciliation is not a problem to be solved, but rather a journey to be lived willingly with an open mind and open heart. For links to documents and statements regarding indigenous relations, visit the website for the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall at enarchoc.ca/indigenous-relations.

SEEKING VOLUNTEERS: **ANCOURA** is looking for volunteers to visit the residents of our seven homes to bring them companionship and social activities. Ancoura is a community charity that provides supportive housing for adults living with mental health challenges. Our volunteers build up a relationship with the residents over a period of time, offering support, varied activities and friendship. We are hoping to find volunteers who are able to commit to the role for a year. Training will be given. For more information, please email our Volunteer Coordinator: Antonia Weetman, Telephone: 613-233-8130. Email: antonia@ancoura.ca

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

Our warmest regards to all who worship with us today. Whether you are long-time parishioners or newly arrived to our community, you can register your family information here or on our website.

NAME:	
ADDRESS: P. CODE:	
TEL #:	
E-MAIL:	
INTERESTED MINISTRY:	

Our Lady of Fatima Parish, dedicated to the Mother of God, seeks to fulfill the call of Jesus to "come follow me", to be true worshippers of the Father through the power of the Holy Spirit, and to love one another as Christ has loved us.



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