

# *Our Lady of Fatima Church*

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*Feast of the Holy Family*

## FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

### Our Lady of Fatima Parish 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary 1947-2017

#### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017

4:30 pm Deceased Members of the Szpak Family  
By the Family

#### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017

8:30 am For all Parishioners  
10:00 am Soul of Rebecca Jekel by her Husband, Wiets Jekel  
Soul of Guido Crapigna by his Wife, Suzanne  
Mass of Thanksgiving for

Rebecca and Patrick Zapata

Intentions of Sheila Wright

By her Father, Dan McGuire

10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Mass for Souls of Laurent & Alice

Cholette by the Family

11:30 am Intentions of Laurie Hanson

Intentions of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hanson

Intentions of the Parton Family

Intentions of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hanson

Intentions of Ken and Andrew

Intentions of the Gallagher Family

Intentions of James and Walter

Intentions of Lynne and Dave

Souls of Brian, Harvey and Irene Binette

4:30 pm Peace on Earth

#### MONDAY, JANUARY 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018

10:00 am Souls of Fritz and Mathilde Kibel  
By their Daughter, Irene Kibel

11:30 am Thanksgiving Mass for blessings received and  
about to be received, and the blessings we have  
shared by Helen D. Africa, Mercy M. Lambo and  
Kenneth

#### TUESDAY, JANUARY 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018

9:00 am Intentions of Elisabeth Finley

#### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018

9:00 am Soul of Doris Belanger by Patricia Doyle

4:30 pm **PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS & MASS**

#### THURSDAY, JANUARY 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018

9:00 am Peace on Earth

#### FRIDAY, JANUARY 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018

9:00 am Souls in Purgatory

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018

9:00 am Soul of Guido Crapigna and All Souls Living  
& Dead by his Wife, Suzanne

4:30 pm Souls of Ernest and Adeline Sweeney  
By their Daughter, Mary

#### SUNDAY, JANUARY 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am Souls of Fidel and Luz Gomez by Olivia Gomez  
Mass of Thanksgiving by Julia Padua  
Intentions of Suzanne Crapigna and In Appreciation  
for her Ministry, by Roberta, Irene & Catherine  
Soul of John Davidson

By OLF Knights of Columbus Council 9742

11:30 am Soul of Julie Coughlan by Bernie and Kathy  
Souls of Marcario J. Lambo, Flaviana M. Lambo  
and Alfonso M. Lambo by Mercy M. Lambo  
Souls of Arsenio L. Africa Sr., Joan M. Africa, Purita  
D. Africa and Arsenio D. Africa Jr.

By daughter, Helen D. Africa

Special Intentions by Carmen Tapp



Olivia Manalo Chiu, Liam McGee, Neil Cuddihy, Deacon Tom Cuddihy, Michael Meehan, Bryan McDonnell, Mary Young Lai, Peter, Catherine & Steven Offierski, Betty Muldoon, Anita, Amullo Family, Michael Anderson, David Remo, Peter McAllister, Ralph Cave, Doris DeVenne,

Steven Corkery, Gerry Comba, Robert Arscott, Matthew Paravan, Robb Walker, Sandra Kraglund, Paul Vandergeest, John Clingaman, Doris McIsaac, Rositta, Evelyn Fraser, Bernard, Ambrose Blank, Theresa Cayer, Dave, Louisa Ellul, Jill Edmondson, Catherine Levasseur, Fr. Robert Leonhardt, Beryl Smith, Phoebe Hoffman, Lorraine Calderone, Irena Szatanek, Paul Caza, Peter Thomas, Joyce Anderson, Lois Frazier, Catherine Fuoco, Gerald Couture, Claudette McSorley, Jay Fayed, Concetta Berardi, Evelyn Lepinski, Madonna Tapp, Hortense Stanton, Gerry Hogan, John Crowe, Alice Smith, Murray Wootton, Debbie DanCause, Elizabeth Smith-Kawasaki, Mark Sernoskie, T. Mask, Mike Levis, Bob Lanctot, Jeanette Fox, Lillian & Redge Doyle, W. Brown, D. Shaw, Lorraine Calderone, Maria Vogrig, Etta MdKeown, Eileen McAuley, Toni Kramar, Bern Vaillant, Anna Mai Hoang, Claude LaBonte, Sue Bogan, Desmond Cassone-Stevenson, Michelle Milne, Orofino Balice, Sandy Patenaude, Alistair Maxwell, Bill Fitzpatrick, Lisa Carter, Lynn Dobson, Mary McHale, Terry Howard, Christopher White, Anne McNeill, Heather Gray, Heather Banks, Gerald Soto, Eileen Hanratty, Leman Post, Dominica Family, Jim, Peter, Teresa Moncrieff, Theresa Veaudry-Abbott, Richard, Mary, Shelley Firth, Mateo Crapigna, Lorraine Small, Robin. *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](mailto:info@fatimaparish.ca)*

**PRAYER IN THE MORNING:** Join us Monday-Saturday, 8am-8:45am quiet time for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EXECUTIVE MEETING** will be held in the Parish Hall on **Tuesday, January 2nd, 2018 at 7:00pm.**

**LECTOR/COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE JAN. 6-7 2018**  
**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE JAN. 6-7 2018**  
Please check in Sacristy

#### NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, Dec. 31 (Holy Family).....8:30am, 10am, 11:30am  
Sunday, Dec. 31 (New Year's Eve).....4:30pm  
Monday, Jan. 1 (Solemnity of Mary/New Year)..10am, 11:30am  
\*Incense will be used at these Masses

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** – The Children's Liturgy Team would like to take this opportunity to wish all the children and their families a very Merry Christmas filled with all the blessings this holy season brings. We also would like you to note that there will be no Children's Liturgy, December 31<sup>st</sup>. We will resume January 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018. There are Children's Missals at the front entrance of the church that the children can use during the Mass ... this makes it easier to follow. Please return after Mass.

**PASTORAL CARE:** Do you know anyone who cannot come to church, but would like to receive Holy Communion? Call the Parish Office (613-722-7661) and one of our experienced Eucharistic ministers would be pleased to pay a friendly visit, and bring Holy Communion to the person in need.

**2018 ENVELOPE BOXES:** The 2018 contribution envelopes are now ready for pick up at the main church entrance. Previous envelope users will find their names on the boxes, new envelope users can pick up a box with no name on the label. Using our

**A REMINDER: Morning Mass is at 9:00am Monday-Saturday. Church doors open at 7:45am.**

envelopes ensures you will receive a tax receipt – if you regularly contribute please make sure to pick up an envelope box. **Here are a few tips to make sure your contributions are accurately recorded:** 1) As of January 1, 2018 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. After that please print your name and the amount of your donation. Better yet, attach a pre-printed address label if you have them! Thank you for your continued support.

**DID YOU KNOW:** you can make your regular Sunday contributions using Visa, MasterCard or Pre-Authorized Withdrawal from your bank? It's easy to set up and you can change your instructions at any time. No need to look for change each week! You will still receive a tax receipt at the end of the year. Simply complete the form found on the table at the back of the church, in the Parish Office or on our website at [www.fatimaparish.ca](http://www.fatimaparish.ca). Donations are processed on the 30<sup>th</sup> of each month. Thank you for your continued generous support – why not sign up today?




**SENIORS – PRIME TIMERS** – Weekly meetings take place every **Wednesday afternoon in the Parish Hall from 1:00pm-4:00pm**. Join us for cards, table games or friendly conversation and socializing.

**PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS AND MASS** takes place each Wednesday at 4:30pm preceded by the Holy Rosary at 4:00pm. Everyone is welcome!

**MARIAN MOVEMENT OF PRIESTS – CENACLE OF PRAYER** – join us on Wednesdays, 1:00-2:00pm for Exposition, Rosary and Meditation. All welcome!

**SHEPHERDS OF GOOD HOPE** – If you can prepare and bring to church a loaf of any kind of uncut sandwiches on **Wednesdays, before 9:30am** it would be most appreciated. Please leave your donations at the side door.

**DO YOU ENJOY WASHING & IRONING?** Members of our  ALTAR GUILD launder and iron the small linens used at every Mass. Work is done from home and you are scheduled approximately two weeks per year. Please contact the Parish Office if you can help.



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.

<b>NAME:</b>	
<b>ADDRESS: P. CODE:</b>	
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<b>E-MAIL:</b>	
<b>INTERESTED MINISTRY:</b>	

**FROM THE PASTOR**  
1) If you have not returned the forms for ministry and service, please do so as soon as possible. Forms can be found in the pews or on our website. Thank you for your contribution to implementing the diocesan vision of Missionary discipleship.

2) We are in need of servers to help at Mass. If you find that there is no server, please step in to help. Serving is the task of all the baptized, young and old, man and woman!

3) I urge parents who are preparing their children for the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion to bring their children to Church. Sacraments are meaningful encounters with Christ who calls us to make the Lord's Day Holy, by gathering to give praise and thanksgiving to God.

4) Today, December 31, we celebrate Holy Family, and tonight is the Eve of New Year. Please note that the New Year is a day of obligation. You can attend Mass tonight, New Year's Eve as well. On Monday, New Year's Day Masses will be at 10am and 11:30am only.

5) *On behalf of the parish staff, I would like to wish you all a blessed Christmas and New Year!*

**BENEFITS FOR THOSE CARING FOR CRITICALLY ILL ADULTS OR CHILDREN:** New government benefit for those who need to take time from work to care for a critically ill adult, and improvements to existing benefits to care for critically ill children or family members at end of life. [Canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/campaigns/ei-improvements/adult-care.html](http://Canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/campaigns/ei-improvements/adult-care.html).

**OTTAWA CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION:** If your child will be 4 or 5 years old by December 31, 2018 then its time to register for the kindergarten program. Kindergarten Registration Week is Jan 15-19 at your local Catholic elementary school, or anytime throughout the year. We welcome all. All schools offer French programming within a caring, innovative and faith-filled environment. Visit [ocsb.ca/register/](http://ocsb.ca/register/).

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL** – Thank you for your very generous support of our Britannia Woods Food Pantry. Non-perishable items may be left in the blue bins by the Church entrances.

**CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP:** Meetings resume Sat. Jan. 6 at 9:45am in the Lower Room. All are welcome.

*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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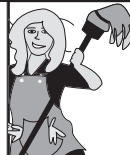
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