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Our Lady of Fatima Church

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Friday 9 am - 3 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon-Sat 9 am, Wed 4:30 pm

SUNDAY MASSES

Sat 4:30 pm, Sun 8:30 am, 10:00 am, 11:30 am

CONFESSION

One half hour before all masses except Sunday

SCHOOLS

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Michael Keeler, Principal 613 722-4075
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Michael Curry, Principal 613 722-6565

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Pastor: Rev. Bosco Wong

Weekend Ministry: Archbishop Brendan O'Brien

Office Manager: Irene Desjardins

Parish Secretary: June Laderoute

Maintenance: Stan Bielec

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Chair, Finance Council: Tim Grieve

Chair, Liturgy: Myla Haack

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22nd, 2020

4:30 pm **Unannounced Intention** SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23rd, 2020

For all Parishioners 8:30 am

Souls of Pat and Jim Jamfrey by Mary Holder 10:00 am

Soul of Alain Blachier by Veronica and Sean

Birthday Blessings for Mary McHale

By Carol Gaboury

Souls in Purgatory 11:30 am

Peace, Harmony, Happiness & Forgiveness for Siva Kam, Siva Sankar and Muthu Kamar

Intentions of the TAC Team Intentions of the ION Organization Soul of Nestor Rivada by the Family Soul of Velma Godin by David Mulholland

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24th, 2020

9:00 am Soul of Connie Maitland

By Ronald and Michele Pion

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25th, 2020

9:00 am Soul of Mary Doyle by the Family

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26th, 2020, ASH WEDNESDAY For the permanent closing of the Bank Street 9:00 am

abortion facility and the conversion of all staff

By 40 Days for Life, Ottawa

4:30 pm PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS AND MASS

Unannounced Intention Unannounced Intention THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27th, 2020

9:00 am For the permanent closing of the Bank Street

abortion facility and the conversion of all staff

By 40 Days for Life, Ottawa

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28th, 2020

7:00 pm

9:00 am For the permanent closing of the Bank Street

abortion facility and the conversion of all staff

By 40 Days for Life, Ottawa

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29th, 2020

9:00 am For the permanent closing of the Bank Street

abortion facility and the conversion of all staff

By 40 Days for Life, Ottawa

Anniversary Mass for Soul of Neil Cuddihy 4:30 pm

By his Mother

SUNDAY, MARCH 1st, 2020

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am For the permanent closing of the Bank Street

abortion facility and the conversion of all staff

By 40 Days for Life, Ottawa

Soul of Frank McAlpine by George McAlpine

Intentions of Joshua and Andrea By Catherine Swimmings

Soul of Alain Blachier by Veronica and Sean

Soul of Eileen Hanratty

By O.L.F. Knights of Columbus, #9742

Soul of Ken Conroy by Albert & Edith Cuddihey Soul of Margaret Sandiford and Deceased Family

11:30 am

Members by her Estate Soul of Mrs. Grace Degrasse By the Degrasse Family

Reminder, Morning Mass is at 9:00am Monday-Saturday -Church doors open at 7:45am.

PRAYER IN THE MORNING: Join us Monday-Saturday, 8:00am - 8:45am for quiet time and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

SHROVE TUESDAY - The CWL warmly invites all parish ladies to their next meeting, Tuesday, February 25th at 6:00pm. They will be cooking a pancake supper followed by the meeting. God Bless and see you there!



Deacon Cuddihy, Sofie, Frank, Shelly Firth, James Marquardt, Edith Wright, Theresa Veaudry-Abbott, Toni Kramar, Peter, Catherine & Steve Offierski. Michael Anderson, 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, Janet Cochrane, Alex Mask, Duane Clark, John Dawes, Joan Shouldice, Kristina Robinson, Charlie Laderoute, Danilo Gomez, Flavio & Amelia Gomez, Rosalina Flores, Joan Comba, William Cochrane, Chris Jarrett, Rick Allan, Russ Grant, Jacob Dawes, Mike & Jacquie McMullen, Jo Ann, Renata, Mary Carmody, Stan, Emilie Kamo, Tammy Bushnik, France Contan, Lorraine Small.

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

LECTOR/COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE FEB. 29-MAR. 1/2020

4:30pm - C - Suzanne Crapigna L1 - Gabriel Arrigo L2 - Robert Haack. 8:30am - C - Jamie McDonell L1 - Mark Earle L2 -Bernie Hurley. 10:00am – C – Roberta Haughton, L1 – Darryl McNiece, L2 - Mary McHale. 11:30am - C -Louise McSorley, L1 – Renata Coppola L2 – Keena George.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE FEB. 29-MAR. 1/2020

4:30pm - Stan Sernoskie, Jane He, Robert Haack, Jenifer Arrigo, Heather Provick. 8:30am- Giulietta Kramar, Marcel Savard, Brian Butler, Peter Cromwell, Edna Cromwell. 10:00am - Gertrudes Cruzado, Renato Flores, Lourdes Mangaring, Michelle Denison, Karen Yantha. 11:30am - Gerry Guzzo, Helen Kelly, Angiolina Allaire, Myriam Antoine.



ASH WEDNESDAY IS FEBRUARY 26: We will add a 7pm Mass and ashes will be distributed at 9:00am, 4:30pm and 7:00pm. See the Pastor's Column for more details, and

see the insert in today's bulletin for the Lenten schedule.

PAUPER SUPPER: Please mark your calendar and join us at our annual Pauper Supper of bread and homemade soup Wednesday, February 26th, 5:00pm-7:00pm in the Parish Hall. Every year on Ash Wednesday the Ladies of Fatima brew up the best soup and



serve it with plain bread and rolls to mark the start of our Lenten fasting season. This has become a parish favourite - a time to reflect over a simple dish and share the holiness of Lent with your fellow parishioners. Cost – donation gratefully accepted.

FOOD COLLECTION DURING LENT: Blue food donation bins will remain at the two Church entrances throughout Lent. Please remember those who are less fortunate and bring non-perishable food items which will go to the Britannia Woods Food Pantry.



WASHING OF FEET, HOLY THURSDAY, **APRIL 9:** Parishioners interested participating in the Washing of Feet at this Mass are asked to contact the Parish Office at 613-722-7661 or info@fatimaparish.ca



FIRST COMMUNION

Please mark the following important dates in your calendar:

1st Reconciliation: Thurs., April 2, 2020, 6:30pm Church

1st Communion: your choice of Mass weekend of May 2/3, or May 23/24, 2020.

PARISH BREAKFAST – SUNDAY, MARCH 8th, after all Masses. Your Knights of Columbus invite you to join them for a delicious breakfast – scrambled eggs, ham, sausages, pancakes, beans, toast, coffee, tea and orange juice. A voluntary contribution is requested with net proceeds to St. Mary's Home. Come and enjoy a great breakfast and fellowship!

NEW EVANGELIZATION SUMMIT 2020 – On April 25th, 2020, join thousands of Catholics from around the World at the premier conference on the New Evangelization. The event will be held at the Infinity Convention Centre in Ottawa and webcast to host sites across Canada and beyond. Register for FREE online at www.newevangelization.ca

40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN, Ottawa: Feb. 26 to April 5, 2020 will be holding a 9-day Novena of Masses, for the permanent closure of the Bank Street abortion facility and the conversion of all the staff - here at Our Lady of Fatima Parish beginning Ash Wednesday; Feb. 26 to Thurs. March 5; 9am Wed-Sat; Feb. 26-29; 10am Sun. March 1; 9am Mon-Thurs March 2-5.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER: We are happy to welcome to the World Day of Prayer our fellow Christian Churches on Friday, March 6, 2020 at the 9:00am Mass. A light reception will follow in the Parish Hall.

2019 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS are available in the Parish Office, Monday-Friday 9am-3pm. Thank you for your continued support!

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE – Saturday, March 28, 2020. For engaged couples planning to be married in the Catholic Church. To register please visit our website at www.fatimaparish.ca where you will find additional information on the course and the registration form for completion.

COLLECTION UPDATE – WEEK OF FEB 16, 2020

Collection	\$5,284.60
Year to Date Collection	\$54,712.31
Year to Date Disbursements	\$55.344.49

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.



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.

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

1) 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Jesus gives us a more exalted norm of ethics: "Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you".



those who persecute you". Living the beatitudes in a radical manner is the way of the reign of God which Jesus challenges us, his followers!

- 2) This coming Wednesday Feb.26 is Ash Wednesday, the day when we come together as a parish family to begin our Lenten renewal. What is Ash Wednesday all about? It is the time when we begin our journey to the great three-day festival of Jesus' death and resurrection, the celebration that is the heart and centre of the Church's liturgical year. We call this feast the Paschal or Easter Triduum (a triduum meaning a period of three days) or the Passover of the Lord.
- 3) Ash Wednesday Morning Mass will be at 9:00am (children from Our Lady of Fatima School will join us). We shall also have Wednesday Mass with Perpetual Help Devotions at 4:30pm as well as at 7:00pm Mass for your participation. All Masses will include imposition of ashes. I shall also impose ashes upon the Community of Dr. F. J. McDonald School during a Liturgy of the Word at 12:30pm.
- 4) The readings of Ash Wednesday are a clarion call to assemble as a people, a solemn announcement that this Lent is the favorable time of grace, a summons to prayer, fasting and almsgiving. The words that accompany the imposition of ashes are a fine summary of our Lenten undertaking as a people: "Turn away from sin and be faithful to the gospel". Ash Wednesday is a universal day of fast (between ages 18-59) and abstinence from meat. Let us give our Lenten discipline a strong start. Let us begin to put our house in order so that we will be spiritually ready for the greatest feast of the entire Church year. (National Bulletin of Liturgy, vol. 33 #165). The diocese also requests that we abstain from meat on other Lenten Fridays so as to facilitate our union with the Cross of Christ and his self-offering.
- 5) Included with this bulletin is a pamphlet of the Lent-Easter Liturgical Schedule which will also be found on our website. Please keep it for reference.
- 6) Copies of the Archbishop's Lenten Message are available at the main entrance of the church as well as the parish website. You can also pick up a copy of a booklet *Lent with the Saints: Wisdom from the Church's Holy Ones*" for personal prayer and meditation.
- 7) The recent widespread of coronavirus (no case as yet in Ottawa) and flu season compels us to be prudent in frequent hand-washing after shaking hands and avoid sharing the Communion cup if we have flu-like symptoms in consideration for others. We continue to make available Communion in both species, as preferred by the Liturgical Norms of the Church. It is always the personal discretion of parishioners whether to receive from the cup. Should the situation call for greater prudence in preventing the spread of germs, we shall adjust accordingly!
- 8) Prayers for vocation for the 7th Sunday of Ordinary Time: For perseverance in sincere prayer on the part of the faithful, asking the Lord for holy vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life, we pray to the Lord. **Ash Wednesday February 26** that men and women will answer the call of their vocations, denying themselves, taking up their crosses, and following Christ, we pray to the Lord.

ST. PATRICK'S PARTY NIGHT – The CWL present St. Patrick's Party night **Saturday, March 14, 2020. Supper served at 6pm in the Parish Hall** with all your favourites – homemade stew, Irish dancers, Irish music and fiddling. No tickets needed. A donation at the door gets you in. Everyone - come and enjoy!



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