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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Friday 9 am - 3 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon-Sat 9 am, Tues & Thurs 5:30 pm, 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

Our Lady of Fatima

Michael Keeler, Principal 613 722-4075

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Michael Curry, Principal 613 722-6565

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Bosco Wong **Associate Pastor:** Rev. Tavis Goski **Part-Time Ministry:** Rev. Harold McNeil

Office Manager: Irene Desjardins **Parish Secretary:** June Laderoute **Maintenance:** Stan Bielec

Chair, Parish Council: Zenon Slodki **Chair, Temporal Affairs:** Tim Grieve **Chair, Liturgy:** Myla Haack

MINISTRIES

Altar Guild	Susan Albert	613-722-7661
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Altar Servers - Senior	Peter Cromwell	613 829-4295
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Children's Sunday Liturgy	Patricia Tolgyesy	613 722-7661
Christian Meditation	Eva Hegmann	613 722-7661
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Sat 4:30pm Choir and Funeral Choir	Peter Domitrovits	613-695-3907
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Sacramental Preparation for children in public school	Parish Office	613-722-7661
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Separated/Divorced Ministry	Irene Desjardins	613 722-7661
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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY, MARCH 25th, 2017

4:30 pm Mass of Thanksgiving and Souls of Joseph Thomas Tra and Maria Ine Em
By the Hoang Family

SUNDAY, MARCH 26th, 2017

8:30 am For all Parishioners
10:00 am Soul of Aiden Finley by his Mother, Elizabeth
Soul of Peg Driscoll by her Daughter, Mary
Soul of Jan Forester by the Family
10th Anniversary Mass for Soul of Laurent Cholette
By the Family
11:30 am Soul of Julia Manion by Karen Beach

MONDAY, MARCH 27th, 2017

9:00 am Soul of Jean-Joseph Chartier
By his Sister, Monique

TUESDAY, MARCH 28th, 2017

9:00 am Soul of Margaret MacIntyre by David Mulholland
5:30 pm Soul of Felicidad Manalo by Carmelita and Family

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29th, 2017

9:00 am Intentions of Jose Woll and Cass
By Jim and Sherry Callaghan

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 30th, 2017

9:00 am Soul of Catherine Jemmett
5:30 pm Health of Lorraine Calderone

FRIDAY, MARCH 31st, 2017

9:00 am Soul of Rebecca Jekel
By her Husband, Wiets Jekel

SATURDAY, APRIL 1st, 2017

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

4:30 pm Soul of Patricia King

SUNDAY, APRIL 2nd, 2017

8:30 am For all Parishioners
10:00 am Souls of Simplecio and Antonia Mangaring
By their Daughter, Lourdes Mangaring
Soul of Father Lucien Charbonneau
By Denise and Louis Cholette and Families
Deceased Members of the Ambrosi Family and
Soul of Clarito Ambrosi by Darren and Karina
11:30 am Soul of Catherine Timmons
By the Timmons Family

MORNING PRAYER DURING LENT: Mon-Sat 8am-9am.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and the Way of the Cross.

THE WAY OF THE CROSS will be prayed after the 5:30 evening Mass throughout Lent. It will be led by the Knights of Columbus on Tuesdays and the Catholic Women's League on Thursdays.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE APRIL 1-2: 4:30pm

April 1 – Heather Provick, Jennifer Jones, Michael Adibe.
8:30am April 2 – Edna Cromwell, Peter Cromwell, Ingrid Weber.
10:00am – Irene Kibel, Michelle Denison, Joanne Muto, Helena Francisco, Gertrudes Cruzado . **11:30am** – Claire Fox, Tina Ross, Josie George.

LECTOR/COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE MARCH APRIL 1-2:

4:30pm April 1- C Suzanne Crapigna; (L1) Lindsay Moore Chung, (L2) Richard Arrigo; **8:30am** April 2 - C Diana Baines, (L1) Teresa Krauthaker, (L2) Diann Franklin; **10:00am** C Roberta Haughton, (L1) Marg Nelson, (L2) Zenon Slodki. **11:30am** C Louise McSorley, (L1) Tina Ross, (L2) Roger Maloney.

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP: The meeting on Saturday, April 1st, is cancelled. Meetings resume on Saturday, April 8th.



Olivia Manalo Chiu, Liam McGee, Neil Cuddihy, Deacon Tom Cuddihy, Michael Meehan, Bryan McDonell, Mary Young Lai, Peter, Catherine & Steven Offierski, Betty Muldoon, Anita, Amullo Family, Jim Walker, 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 Mclsaac, Rositta, Evelyn Fraser, Bernard, Ambrose Blank, Theresa Cayer, Dave, Elizabeth Cregan, Louisa Ellul, Jill Edmondson, Catherine & John Levasseur, Fr. Robert Leonhardt, Beryl Smith, Phoebe Hoffman, Polly Metcalfe, 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, Sarah Marquardt, Gerry Hogan, Ron, John Crowe, Maria Vink, Alice Smith, Jim Hall, Murray Wootton, Debbie DanCause, Elizabeth Smith-Kawasaki, Mark Sernoskie, T. Mask, Mike Levis, Doug Barry, Daniel Smyth, Bob Lanctot, Jeanette Fox, Lillian & Redge Doyle, W. Brown, D. Shaw, Lorraine Calderone, Maria Vogrig, Etta McEwan, Eileen McAuley, Darryl Carter, Eleanor S, Toni Kramar, Bern Vaillant, Anna Mai Hoang. *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*

PARISH LENTEN PENITENTIAL SERVICE: Tuesday, April 4th at 7:00pm, led by Fr. Tavis Goski. Individual confessions to follow.

LENTEN RECOLLECTION ON THE MEANING OF THE EASTER TRIDUUM: SYMBOL OF DIVINE MERCY (Exploring the Liturgies of Holy Week) – **Saturday, April 8, 2017 9:45am to 12:00 noon in the Church Hall. Presenter – Fr. Bosco Wong.**

MENS CURSILLO WEEKEND APRIL 6-9: Lent is a time when many are trying to adjust their lives to a closer walk with Christ. A wonderful opportunity to do this is the spring men's Cursillo weekend held at Note Dame de la Providence retreat house in Orleans. The Cursillo is not a retreat but a 'lived experience' of Christian Community. It also provides a practical means to continue one's walk with Christ after the weekend. For more information please contact Bernie Reilander 613-820-2228.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, APRIL 23rd – Join us here at Our Lady of Fatima 2:30pm-3:30pm for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Divine Mercy Praises, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Confession, Quiet Reflection and Benediction.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS OF THANKSGIVING: Notre Dame Cathedral, Sunday, May 14, 2:30pm. **For couples celebrating 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60+ years of marriage in 2017.** Families and friends are most welcome. See bulletin board at main church entrance for registration details. Deadline to register: Wednesday, May 3rd.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: Thank you for your very generous support of our Britannia Food Cupboard – your continued gifts of canned goods, etc. are most appreciated and in much need.

CRAFT GROUP: The Craft Group meets every Tuesday in the Upper Meeting Room from 9:30am to 12:00 noon. Knitters and Crocheters are welcome. Join us for crafts and fellowship.

CWL MILK BAG MATS: Make milk bag mats for Haiti, Thursday afternoons 1:00pm in the Upper Room. Training provided. Info: Jean Anderson 613-680-2823.

1) Lenten Reflection: Today's Gospel (John 9:1-41) records the encounter between Jesus and the



man born blind. Jesus said to the man, "Go and wash yourself in the pool of Siloam." The man did as he was instructed and came back able to see. Here is another image of baptism. Through our baptism, we became children of light; we were enabled to see in a new and marvelous way. This week is a good time for us to reflect on our journey as people who live in the light of Christ. Do we recognize the presence of God, who walks with us from day to day? Do we recognize our community as the body of Christ and the temple of the Holy Spirit? Do we recognize our common destiny, which is to live in God forever? Do we live our lives in the light of Christ? (National Bulletin of Liturgy, vol. 33 #165)

2) Please note that our **Parish Lenten Reconciliation Service** with individual absolution will be celebrated on **Tuesday, April 4th at 7:00pm**. Also, individual confession is available through the Lenten Period at 4:00pm every Saturday evening and a half-hour before all Masses on weekdays.

3) **Why is it important to attend the Triduum celebrations? The Triduum (three days) celebrations mark the culmination of the Church's liturgical calendar. It marks the Lenten transition into the Easter Season.** Beginning with the Last Supper after Sundown, when we introduce the oils blessed at the Chrism Mass by the bishop, to be used throughout the year; we commemorate Jesus celebrated the meal with the disciples, and urged them to serve one another in the foot washing; we transfer the Blessed Sacrament to be used on Good Friday to a place of repose. The first day ends with the Passion account from John, when we commemorate his death for us. We pray the solemn intercessions, venerate the cross and conclude with communion. On the second day, from Sundown of Good Friday to the time before Sundown, the church has no special liturgical celebration (except for the solemn devotion of the Stations of the Cross), but awaits through prayer and the elect prepare for their initiation. On nightfall of the third day, the church celebrates the joyful resurrection of the Lord. The fire is blessed, paschal candle is lit from the fire, marking Christ as light of the world. We rejoice in sharing the light of Christ, carrying our little lights to shine upon the whole world. We listen to the divine Word shining through our history of salvation, especially in light of the risen Lord. We make new Christians, baptizing, confirming them and they celebrate the eucharist with full participation and enjoy communion for the first time. For this reason, the church urges all the faithful to take part in the Triduum celebrations, and especially the Easter Vigil, the mother of all liturgies. Please come and join us for this momentous event.

4) Please remember to come for the solemn Stations of the Cross on Good Friday evening, April 11th at 7pm. As well, you are invited to the Chrism Mass Tuesday evening of Holy Week at 7:30pm at the Cathedral. The diocese will mark the occasion with the jubilarians as main concelebrants. Two of our parishioners will receive the blessed oils consecrated at the chrism Mass for use here.

5) Communion Procession is a very important time which expresses our unity as Body of Christ, a community of faith. It is essential that ALL receive communion at the procession to the front of the church. We shall eliminate the practice of having extraordinary ministers giving communion at the entrance of the church. Hospitality ministers are encouraged to inform those who serve communion should there be people with mobility issues, we are happy, as a gesture of hospitality, to bring communion to them.

6) The Passion Readings on Palm Sunday and Good Friday are Gospel readings which require our attentive listening. We have assigned readers who serve the community to proclaim them. The assembly participate by active listening to the Liturgy of the Word.

7) In the spirit of enhancing your participation at the Holy Week Services, I shall be giving a talk on the Meaning of the Easter Triduum on Saturday, April 8th (9:45 – 12 noon) in the parish hall. Come and join us in deepening our appreciation of the highlight of our liturgical season.

AN INVITATION TO HELP THE 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 donation at the side entrance lobby.

PARISH ANNIVERSARY MASS AND DINNER – SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2017: As part of our 70th Anniversary celebrations, the 4:30pm Mass that day will be a special **Anniversary Mass**, presided by Archbishop Prendergast. That evening, we will have an **Anniversary Dinner**, starting at 6:00pm. More information on these events will be published as planning progresses. In the meantime, **please mark the date on your calendars**, so as not to miss out on these celebrations.

COLLECTION UPDATE - WEEK OF MARCH 19, 2017

Collection	\$7,222.60
Year to Date Collection	\$76,011.75
YTD Budgeted Collection	\$98,490.57



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70TH ANNIVERSARY
1947 - 2017**

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



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.

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